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Via RESS and Courier

Ms. Kirsten Walli
Board Secretary
Ontario Energy Board
2300 Yonge Street
Suite 2700
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Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: Leave to transfer leave to construct approval granted to Grand Renewable Wind LP (EB-2011-0063) to be held jointly by Grand Renewable Wind LP and Grand Renewable Solar LP

We are counsel for Grand Renewable Wind LP (“GRWLP”) and Grand Renewable Solar LP (“GRSLP”).

By Decision and Order dated December 8, 2011, the Ontario Energy Board (the “OEB” or the “Board”) granted GRWLP leave to construct a transmission facility to connect the Grand Renewable Energy Park (the “GREP”) to the IESO-controlled grid.¹ The GREP comprises the Grand Renewable Wind Project (the “Wind Project”), a 148.7 MW wind power generation facility owned by GRWLP, and the Grand Renewable Solar Project generating facility, a 100 MW solar power facility, owned by GRSLP (the “Solar Project”).

GRWLP was established for the purpose of developing, constructing and operating the Wind Project while its related company GRSLP, was established for the purpose of developing, constructing and operating the Solar Project. The leave to construct approval related to the transmission facility to be used to connect both generation facilities to the grid.²

GRWLP and GRSLP have now determined that they will jointly own the transmission facility through a co-ownership structure with each of GRWLP and GRSLP owning a 50% undivided interest in the transmission facility. Therefore, and pursuant to section 18(1) of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* (the “OEB Act”), GRWLP hereby applies for leave of the Board to transfer its leave to construct approval such that the approval be jointly held by itself and GRSLP. Under the proposed joint ownership, both GRWLP and GRSLP will be responsible for meeting the conditions of approval set out in the Board’s Order granting Leave to Construct.

¹ OEB Decision and Order in EB-2011-0063 dated December 8, 2011.

² See OEB Decision and Order in EB-2011-0063 dated December 8, 2011 pgs. 2, 12, 18.

The Applicant submits that no one will be adversely affected in a material way by the Board's decision regarding this application, and therefore requests that the Board exercise its authority under s. 21(4)(b) of the *OEB Act* to dispose of this application without a hearing.

As part of the proposed joint ownership of the transmission facility, GRSLP will be constructing, and acquiring an interest in, a transmission system. A Notice of Proposal under Section 81 for GRSLP is therefore being filed alongside this application. It is noted that GRWLP previously applied for and received approval from the Board on May 4, 2012 (EB-2012-0075) of its proposal under section 81. A copy of the Board order granting the approval is enclosed with the Notice of Proposal for GRSLP.

Kindly note that Alison Forbes (a.forbes@samsung.com) and Colin Edwards (colin.edwards@patternenergy.com) should be included in any communications on this matter.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions in regards to the foregoing.

Sincerely,

Signed in the original

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