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BY E-MAIL ONLY

August 19, 2014

Mr. James C. Sidlofsky Borden Ladner Gervais LLP Scotia Plaza, 40 King St W Toronto ON M5H 3Y4

Dear Mr. Sidlofsky:

Re: Grand Bend Wind Limited Partnership ("GBWLP") Application for Leave to Construct Transmission Facilities Board File No. EB-2013-0185

On August 22, 2013, the Board issued its Decision and Order for the above noted proceeding. The Board's Decision and Order included Conditions of Approval for the project.

Section 1.2 of the conditions provides that "Unless otherwise ordered by the Board, authorization for Leave to Construct shall terminate on August 22, 2014 unless construction of the Project has commenced prior to that date." The electricity transmission line and related facilities are defined as the "Project".

On August 15, 2014, GBWLP filed a letter with the Board stating that it will not be in a position to begin construction of the Project prior to August 22, 2014 due to the recent appeal of its Renewable Energy Approval ("REA") in respect of the generation project that the transmission facilities will serve and requested an extension of the leave to construct termination date from August 22, 2014 to April 15, 2015.

GBWLP anticipates that the decision on the REA appeal will be issued by mid-January 2015, but states it may be difficult to commence construction on the transmission facilities in midwinter. Accordingly, GBWLP submits that an April 15. 2015 deadline is reasonable.

The Board grants GBWLP's request.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

c: Gordon Potts, Northland Power Inc. Parties to EB-2013-0185