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# RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES ELIGIBILITY FORM

The Standard Application Form

Required of all Applicants for Certification of Eligibility of Renewable Energy Resource
(Version 4 – November 7, 2006)

# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION Pursuant to the Renewable Energy Act Section 39-26-1 et. seq. of the General Laws of Rhode Island

#### NOTICE:

When completing this Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form and any applicable Appendices, please refer to the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Public Utilities Commission Rules and Regulations Governing the Implementation of a Renewable Energy Standard (RES Regulations, Effective Date: January 1, 2006), and the associated RES Certification Filing Methodology Guide. All applicable regulations, procedures and guidelines are available on the Commission's web site: <a href="www.ripuc.org/utilityinfo/res.html">www.ripuc.org/utilityinfo/res.html</a>. Also, all filings must be in conformance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, in particular, Rule 1.5, or its successor regulation, entitled "Formal Requirements as to Filings."

- Please complete the Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form and Appendices using a typewriter or black ink.
- Please submit one original and three copies of the completed Application Form, applicable Appendices and all supporting documentation to the Commission at the following address:

Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission 89 Jefferson Blvd Warwick, RI 02888

Attn: Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility

In addition to the paper copies, electronic/email submittals are required under Commission regulations. Such electronic submittals should be sent to: Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk at lmassaro@puc.state.ri.us

- In addition to filing with the Commission, Applicants are required to send, electronically or electronically and in paper format, a copy of the completed Application including all attachments and supporting documentation, to the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers and to all interested parties. A list of interested parties can be obtained from the Commission's website at <a href="https://www.ripuc.org/utilityinfo/res.html">www.ripuc.org/utilityinfo/res.html</a>.
- Keep a copy of the completed Application for your records.
- The Commission will notify the Authorized Representative if the Application is incomplete.
- Pursuant to Section 6.0 of the RES Regulations, the Commission shall provide a thirty (30) day period for public comment following posting of any administratively complete Application.
- Please note that all information submitted on or attached to the Application is considered to be a public record unless the Commission agrees to deem some portion of the application confidential after consideration under section 1.2(g) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.
- In accordance with Section 6.2 of the RES Regulations, the Commission will provide prospective reviews for Applicants seeking a preliminary determination as to whether a facility would be eligible prior to the formal certification process described in Section 6.1 of the RES Regulations. Please note that space is provided on the Form for applicant to designate the type of review being requested.
- Questions related to this Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form should be submitted in writing, preferably via email and directed to: Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk at <a href="massaro@puc.state.ri.us">lmassaro@puc.state.ri.us</a>

### **SECTION I: Identification Information**

1.1	Name of Generation Unit (sufficient for full and unique identification):  Fife Brook (ISO-NE Asset ID #413
1.2	Type of Certification being requested (check one):
	x Standard Certification    Prospective Certification (Declaratory Judgment)
1.3	This Application includes: (Check all that apply) <sup>1</sup>
	☐ APPENDIX A: Authorized Representative Certification for Individual Owner or Operator
	☐ APPENDIX B: Authorized Representative Certification for Non-Corporate Entities Other Than Individuals
	X APPENDIX C: Existing Renewable Energy Resources
	☐ APPENDIX D: Special Provisions for Aggregators of Customer-sited or Off-grid Generation Facilities
	☐ APPENDIX E: Special Provisions for a Generation Unit Located in a Control Area Adjacent to NEPOOL
	☐ APPENDIX F: Fuel Source Plan for Eligible Biomass Fuels
1.4	Primary Contact Person name and title: <u>Jacques S. Asselin, Manager- Market Affairs (NE)</u>
1.5	Primary Contact Person address and contact information: Address: 609 Taylor Road Enfield, CT 06082
	Phone: <u>819-743-8727</u> Fax: <u>819-561-2421</u>
	Email: Jacques.asselin@brookfieldpower.com
1.6	Backup Contact Person name and title: Michel Soucy
1.7	Backup Contact Person address and contact information: Address: 480 de la Cite Blvd.
	Gatineau, QC J8T 8R3
	Phone: 819-561-8839 Fax: 819-561-2421

Email: Michel.soucy@brookfieldpower.com

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Please note that all Applicants are required to complete the Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Standard Application Form and all of the Appendices that apply to the Generation Unit or Owner or Operator that is the subject of this Form. Please omit Appendices that do not apply.

1.8	Name and Title of Authorized Representative (i.e., the individual responsible for certifying the accuracy of all information contained in this form and associated appendices, and whose signature will appear on the application): <u>Laurent Cusson, Executive Vice President, North American Operations and Development, Brookfield Energy Marketing, Inc.</u>		
	Appendix A or B (as appropriate) completed and attached?   Yes No X N/A		
1.9	Authorized Representative address and contact information: Address: Brookfield Energy Marketing, Inc. 480 de la Cite Boulevard Gatineau, Québec J8T 8R3		
	Phone: 819-561-8671 Fax: 819-561-7188 Email: Laurent.cusson@brookfieldpower.com		
1.10	Owner name and title: Same as 1.8		
1.11	Owner address and contact information: Address: Same as 1.9		
	Phone: Same as 1.9 Email: Same as 1.9		
1.12	Owner business organization type (check one): ☐ Individual ☐ Partnership X Corporation ☐ Other		
1.13	Operator name and title: Brookfield Power New England, LLC, Michael Cutter, General Manager		
1.14	Operator address and contact information: Address: 100 International Drive, Suite 350 Portsmouth, NH 03801		
	Phone: 603-766-4320 Fax: 603-766-4329 Email: Michael.cutter@brookfieldpower.com		
1.15	Operator business organization type (check one):  ☐ Individual  X Partnership ☐ Corporation ☐ Other		

# SECTION II: Generation Unit Information, Fuels, Energy Resources and Technologies

2.1	ISO-NE Generation Unit Asset Identification Number or NEPOOL GIS Identification Number (either or both as applicable): <b>ISO-NE Asset ID #539</b>
2.2	Generation Unit Nameplate Capacity: 10.0 MW
2.3	Maximum Demonstrated Capacity: 10.0 MW
2.4	Please indicate which of the following Eligible Renewable Energy Resources are used by the Generation Unit: (Check ALL that apply) − per RES Regulations Section 5.0  □ Direct solar radiation □ The wind □ Movement of or the latent heat of the ocean □ The heat of the earth  X Small hydro facilities □ Biomass facilities using Eligible Biomass Fuels and maintaining compliance with all aspects of current air permits; Eligible Biomass Fuels may be co-fired with fossil fuels, provided that only the renewable energy fraction of production from multi-fuel facilities
	shall be considered eligible.  Biomass facilities using unlisted biomass fuel
	☐ Biomass facilities, multi-fueled or using fossil fuel co-firing
	☐ Fuel cells using a renewable resource referenced in this section
2.5	If the box checked in Section 2.4 above is "Small hydro facilities", please certify that the facility's aggregate capacity does not exceed 30 MW. − per RES Regulations Section 3.31  X ← check this box to certify that the above statement is true  □ N/A or other (please explain)
2.6	If the box checked in Section 2.4 above is "Small hydro facilities", please certify that the facility does not involve any new impoundment or diversion of water with an average salinity of twenty (20) parts per thousand or less. – per RES Regulations Section 3.31  X   check this box to certify that the above statement is true  N/A or other (please explain)
2.7	If you checked one of the Biomass facilities boxes in Section 2.1 above, please respond to the following:
	A. Please specify the fuel or fuels used or to be used in the Unit:
	B. Please complete and attach Appendix F, Eligible Biomass Fuel Source Plan.  Appendix F completed and attached?

2.8	Has the Generation Unit been certified as a Renewable Energy Resource for eligibility in another state's renewable portfolio standard?				
	$\Box$ Yes <b>X</b> No If yes, plea	ase attach a copy of	that state's	certifying	order.
	Copy of State's certifying order attac	hed?	☐ Yes	☐ No	X N/A
SEC	CTION III: Commercial Operation Da	ite			
Pleas	se provide documentation to support all	claims and responses	s to the follo	owing que	estions:
3.1	Date Generation Unit first entered Co	mmercial Operations	: <u>09/01/74</u> a	at the site.	
3.2	Is there an Existing Renewable Energ	gy Resource located	at the site o	f Generati	on Unit?
	X Yes □ No				
3.3	If the date entered in response to que checked "Yes" in response to question				
	Appendix C completed and attached?	•	X Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
3.4	Was all or any part of the Generation Unit used on or before December 31, 1997 to generate electricity at any other site?			97 to generate	
	☐ Yes X No				
3.5 If you checked "Yes" to question 3.4 above, please specify the power production equiused and the address where such power production equipment produced electricity (at more detail if the space provided is not sufficient):					
SEC	CTION IV: Metering				
4.1	Please indicate how the Generation Uapply):  X ISO-NE Market Settlement Sy  Self-reported to the NEPOOL GI  Other (please specify below and sy	stem S Administrator		· ·	
	Appendix D completed and attach	ed?	☐ Yes	□ No	X N/A

# **SECTION V: Location** 5.1 Please check one of the following that apply to the Generation Unit: **X** Grid Connected Generation • Off-Grid Generation (not connected to a utility transmission or distribution system) ☐ Customer Sited Generation (interconnected on the end-use customer side of the retail electricity meter in such a manner that it displaces all or part of the metered consumption of the end-use customer) 5.2 Generation Unit address: 370 River Road, Florida, MA 01247 5.3 Please provide the Generation Unit's geographic location information: A. Universal Transverse Mercator Coordinates: 18 662946E 4725502N (NAD27) B. Longitude/Latitude: <u>41.07°N / 58.402°W</u> 5.4 The Generation Unit located: (please check the appropriate box) X In the NEPOOL control area ☐ In a control area adjacent to the NEPOOL control area ☐ In a control area other than NEPOOL which is not adjacent to the NEPOOL control area ← If you checked this box, then the generator does not qualify for the RI RES – therefore, please do not complete/submit this form.

If you checked "In a control area adjacent to the NEPOOL control area" in Section 5.4 above,

please complete Appendix E.

Appendix E completed and attached?

5.5

☐ Yes ☐ No X N/A

#### **SECTION VI: Certification**

6.1	Please attach documentation, using one of the applicable forms below, demonstrating the authority of the Authorized Representative indicated in Section 1.8 to certify and submit this Application.			
Appin	cation.			
	Corporations			
	If the Owner or Operator is a corporation, the Authorized lashall provide either:	Represent	ative	
	(a) Evidence of a board of directors vote granting authority to the Authorized Representative to execute the Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form, or			Representative
	(b) A certification from the Corporate Clerk or Secretary of the Corporation that the Authorized Representative is authorized to execute the Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form or is otherwise authorized to legally bind the corporation in like matters.			
	Evidence of Board Vote provided?	☐ Yes	☐ No	□ N/A
	Corporate Certification provided?	X Yes	□ No	□ N/A

### **Individuals**

If the Owner or Operator is an individual, that individual shall complete and attach APPENDIX A, or a similar form of certification from the Owner or Operator, duly notarized, that certifies that the Authorized Representative has authority to execute the Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form.

Appendix A completed and attached? ☐ Yes ☐ No X N/A

## **Non-Corporate Entities**

(Proprietorships, Partnerships, Cooperatives, etc.) If the Owner or Operator is not an individual or a corporation, it shall complete and attach APPENDIX B or execute a resolution indicating that the Authorized Representative named in Section 1.8 has authority to execute the Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form or to otherwise legally bind the non-corporate entity in like matters.

## 6.2 Authorized Representative Certification and Signature:

I hereby certify, under pains and penalties of perjury, that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted herein and based upon my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties, both civil and criminal, for submitting false information, including possible fines and punishment. My signature below certifies all information submitted on this Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form. The Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form includes the Standard Application Form and all required Appendices and attachments. I acknowledge that the Generation Unit is obligated to and will notify the Commission promptly in the event of a change in a generator's eligibility status (including, without limitation, the status of the air permits) and that when and if, in the Commission's opinion, after due consideration, there is a material change in the characteristics of a Generation Unit or its fuel stream that could alter its eligibility, such Generation Unit must be re-certified in accordance with Section 9.0 of the RES Regulations. I further acknowledge that the Generation Unit is obligated to and will file such quarterly or other reports as required by the Regulations and the Commission in its certification order. I understand that the Generation Unit will be immediately de-certified if it fails to file such reports.

Signature of Authorized Representative:

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

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# APPENDIX A (Required When Owner or Operator is An Individual)

# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISION

# RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES ELIGIBILITY FORM

I,	, as Owner or Operator of the Generation Unit						
named in Section 1.1 of the attached Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form, under the pains and penalties of perjury, hereby certify that							
						Energy Resource Eligibility Form	
SIGNATURE:	DATE:						
(Title)							
*****							
State:							
County:							
(TO BE COMPLETED BY NOT notary public, certify that I witness	ARY) I, as a ssed the signature of the above named						
and said individual verified his/he	er identity to me on this date:						
SIGNATURE:							
My commission expires o	n: NOTARY SEAL:						

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### **APPENDIX B**

# (Required When Owner or Operator is a Non-Corporate Entity Other Than An Individual)

# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISION

### RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES ELIGIBILITY FORM

RESOLUTION OF AUTHORIZATION	
Resolved: that	, named in
Section 1.8 of the Renewable Energy Resources	
is authorized to execute the Application on the be	chalf of,
the Owner or Operator of the Generation Unit na	
SIGNATURE:	DATE:
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State:	
County:	
(TO BE COMPLETED BY NOTARY) I,	as a
notary public, certify that I witnessed the signa	ture of the above named,
and that said person stated that he/she is authorize	zed to execute this resolution, and the individual
verified his/her identity to me, on this date:	·
SIGNATURE:	DATE:
My commission expires on:	NOTARY SEAL:

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### **APPENDIX C**

# (Required of all Applicants with Generation Units at the Site of Existing Renewable Energy Resources)

# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISION

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(2) is $1$	Generation Unit: (1) first entered into commercial operation before Declocated at the exact site of an Existing Renewable Energy Resource, ping and attach documentation, as necessary to support all responses:		
C.1	Is the Generating Unit seeking certification, either in whole or it Renewable Energy Resource?	n part, as □ Yes	a New X No
C.2	If you answered "Yes" to question C.1, please complete the remainder you answered "No" and are seeking certification entirely as an Energy Resource, you do NOT need to complete the remainder of Appe	xisting Re	
C.3	If an Existing Renewable Energy Resource is/was located at the site, Renewable Energy Resource been retired and replaced with the new the same site?		
C.4	Is the Generation Unit a Repowered Generation Unit (as defined in SRES Regulations) which uses Eligible Renewable Energy Resource entered commercial operation after December 31, 1997 at the significant Generation Unit?	es and wh	ich first
C.5	If you checked "Yes" to question C.4 above, please provide docume that the entire output of the Repowered Generation Unit first en operation after December 31, 1997.		
C.6	Is the Generation Unit a multi-fuel facility in which an Eligible Bioma	ass Fuel is	first co-
	fired with fossil fuels after December 31, 1997?	☐ Yes	☐ No

C./		renewable energy fraction of the energy output first occurred after December 31,
C.8	Is the	Generation Unit an Existing Renewable Energy Resource other than an Intermittent
		arce (as defined in Section 3.9 and 3.14 of the RES Regulations)?   Yes No
C.9	invest additi increa 3.22.v based	checked "Yes" to question C.8 above, please attach evidence of completed capital ments after December 31, 1997 attributable to efficiency improvements or ons of capacity that are sufficient to, were intended to, and can be demonstrated to use annual electricity output in excess of ten percent (10%). As specified in Section of the RES Regulations, the determination of incremental production shall not be on any operational changes at such facility <b>not directly</b> associated with the ency improvements or additions of capacity.
C.10	Is the	Generating Unit an Existing Renewable Energy Resource that is an Intermittent arce?
C.11	invest addition normal determination such in capaci	checked "Yes" to question C.10 above, please attach evidence of completed capital ments after December 31, 1997 attributable to efficiency improvements or ons of capacity that are sufficient to, were intended to, and have demonstrated on a dized basis to increase annual electricity output in excess of ten percent (10%). The mination of incremental production shall not be based on any operational changes at facility <b>not directly</b> associated with the efficiency improvements or additions of ity. In no event shall any production that would have existed during the Historical ration Baseline period in the absence of the efficiency improvements or additions to ity be considered incremental production. Please refer to Section 3.22.vi of the Regulations for further guidance.
C.12	deeme placed	checked "Yes" to C.10, provide the single proposed percentage of production to be ed incremental, attributable to the efficiency improvements or additions of capacity in service after December 31, 1997. Please provide backup information sufficient e Commission to make a determination of this incremental production percentage.
C.13	If you	checked "no" to both C.3 and C.4 above, please complete the following:
	a.	Was the Existing Renewable Energy Resource located at the exact site at any time
		during calendar years 1995 through 1997? ☐ Yes ☐ No
	b.	If you checked "yes" in Subsection (a) above, please provide the Generation Unit Asset Identification Number and the average annual electrical production (MWhs) for the three calendar years 1995 through 1997, or for the first 36 months after the Commercial Operation Date if that date is after December 31, 1994, for each such Generation Unit.

c. Please attach a copy of the derivation of the average provided in (b) above, along with documentation support (such as ISO reports) for the information provided in Subsection (b) above. Data must be consistent with quantities used for ISO Market Settlement System.

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#### APPENDIX D

(Required of Applicants Seeking Eligibility for Customer-Sited and/or Off-Grid Generation Facilities and Associated Aggregations)

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### RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES ELIGIBILITY FORM

Pursuant to the Renewable Energy Act Section 39-26-1 et. seq. of the General Laws of Rhode Island

Customer-sited and Off-grid Generation Facilities located in Rhode Island may be certified as an eligible resource if their NEPOOL GIS Certificates are created by way of an aggregation of Generation Units using the same generation technology, and so long as the aggregation is certified by the Commission. Please complete the following and attach documentation, as necessary to support all responses:

manner that it displaces all or part of the metered consumption of the End-use C or not connected to a utility transmission or distribution system.		or not connected to a utility transmission or distribution system.	1	Please identify the location(s) in Rhode Island of each Generation Unit that interconnected on the End-use Customer's side of the retail electricity meter in such
of not connected to a utility transmission of distribution system.	cod to a utility transmission of distribution system.			manner that it displaces all or part of the metered consumption of the End-use Custome
		Please attach proposed procedures under which the aggregate Generation Units w		or not connected to a utility transmission of distribution system.
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2 Please attach proposed procedures under which the aggregate Generation U operate ("Aggregation Agreement"). In accordance with Section 6.8.(iii) of				Regulations, the proposed Aggregation Agreement shall contain the follow

- (a) Name and contact information of the aggregator owner, to which these regulations and stipulations of certification shall apply, and who shall be the initial owner of any NEPOOL GIS Certifications so certified;
- (b) Name, contact information, and qualifications of the Verifier. Qualifications shall include any information the applicant believes will assist the Commission in determining that the Verifier will accurately and efficiently carry out its duties. After receipt of the application, the Commission may require additional evidence of qualifications;

information:

- (c) A declaration of any and all business or financial relations between aggregator owner and Verifier, which the Commission will use to evaluate the independence of the Verifier.<sup>2</sup>
- (d) The Aggregation Agreement shall include a statement indicating under what circumstances the Verifier would not be considered sufficiently independent of the individual Generation Unit, and that Generation Units not meeting this independence test would not be allowed to participate in the aggregation;
- (e) Type of technology that will be included in the aggregation, and statement that the aggregation will include only individual Generation Units that meet all the requirements of these regulations, for example physical location, vintage, etc. (All generators within the aggregation must be of the same technology and fuel type);
- (f) Proposed operating procedures for the aggregation, by which the Verifier shall ensure that individual Generation Units in the aggregation comply with all eligibility requirements and that the NEPOOL GIS Certificates created accurately represent generation;<sup>3</sup> and
- (g) Description of how the Verifier will be compensated for its services by the aggregator. In no instances will an aggregation be certified in which the Verifier is compensated in a manner linked to the number of NEPOOL GIS Certificates created by the aggregation.

### D.3 Applicant must acknowledge that:

(a)	any changes to or deviations from the Aggregation Agreement will be considered a change in generator status, and will require recertification by the Commission;
	<ul> <li>□ ← please check this box to acknowledge this requirement</li> <li>□ N/A or other (please explain)</li> </ul>

Reasons for ruling that a Verifier is not sufficiently independent include, but are not limited to: i) If one entity owns, directly or indirectly, or if a natural person so owns, 10% or more of the voting stock or other equity interest in the other entity; ii) If 10% or more of the voting stock or other equity interests in both entities are owned, directly or indirectly, by the same entity or a natural person; or iii) If one entity is a natural person, and such entity or a member of such entity's immediate family is an officer, director, partner, employee or representative of the other entity. It is important to note that rules are always subject to change in accordance with the State's Administrative Procedures Act (APA). For example, the Commission is asking NEPOOL to allow third party verification for customer sited/off-grid systems. If NEPOOL adopts this request, the Commission will change its rules in accordance with the APA.

At a minimum, these procedures will: i) require a determination that the Generation Unit exists and is in compliance with these RES Regulations and the Aggregation Agreement as approved by the Commission; ii) require a meter reading procedure that allows the Verifier to verify these readings; meter readings may be manual or remote and via the aggregators own system or via an independent system, but in all cases shall comply with NEPOOL GIS Operating Rules regarding metering; iii) specify how generation data will be entered into NEPOOL GIS to create NEPOOL GIS Certificates; iv) a procedure to verify independently that the NEPOOL GIS Certificates created for the aggregation are consistent with the meter readings; v) a procedure for the Verifier to report to the Commission on the results of their verification process; vi) require that verification and meter readings be done on a quarterly basis, except for units of two hundred KW or less, which may be done on an annual basis; and vii) procedures for correcting discrepancies in NEPOOL GIS Certificate generation identified by the Verifier.

	(b)	the Commission will be promptly notified of any changes to or deviations from the Aggregation Agreement; and
		□ ← please check this box to acknowledge this requirement
		□ N/A or other (please explain)
	(c)	in the event that notice of such changes or deviations is not promptly given, all Generation Units in the aggregation may be de-certified.
		□ ← please check this box to acknowledge this requirement
		□ N/A or other (please explain)
D.4	Appl	icant must certify that:
	Gene Section Gene repres	Generation Unit (or aggregation of generation units) is a Customer-sited or Off-grid ration Resources, as provided in Rhode Island's Renewable Energy Standard law on 39-26-2.4 and Section 3.25 of the RES Regulations, respectively, the associated ration Attributes have not otherwise been, nor will be sold, retired, claimed or sented as part of electrical energy output or sales, or used to satisfy obligations in lictions other than Rhode Island.
		□ ← please check this box to certify that this statement is true
		□ N/A or other (please explain)

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### **APPENDIX E**

(Required of all Applicants Located in a Control Area Adjacent to NEPOOL)

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Please	complete the following and attach documentation, as necessary to support all responses:
E.1	Please indicate in which Control Area adjacent to NEPOOL the Generation Unit is located:
	<ul> <li>□ New York</li> <li>□ Hydro Quebec</li> <li>□ Maritimes (including Northern Maine Independent System Administrator)</li> </ul>
E.2	Applicant must provide to the Commission by July 1 <sup>st</sup> of each year assurances that the Generation Unit's New Renewable Energy Resources used for compliance with the Rhode Island's Renewable Energy Act during the previous Compliance Year have not otherwise been, nor will be, sold, retired, claimed or represented as part of electrical energy output or sales, or used to satisfy obligations in jurisdictions other than Rhode Island. Such assurances may consist of a report from a neighboring Generation Attribute accounting system or an affidavit from the Generation Unit.
	□ ← please check this box to acknowledge this requirement
	□ N/A or other (please explain)
E.3	Applicant must acknowledge and provide evidence to support that, in accordance with Section 5.1.(ii) of the RES Regulations, the Generation Attributes associated with the Generation Unit shall be applied to the Rhode Island Renewable Energy Standard only to the extent of the energy produced by the Generation Unit that is or will be actually delivered into NEPOOL for consumption by New England customers. Verification of the delivery of such energy from the Generation Unit into NEPOOL will performed in accordance with subparagraphs (a), (b) and (c) of RES Regulations Section 5.1.(ii).
	□ ← please check this box to acknowledge this requirement □ N/A or other (please explain)

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#### **APPENDIX F**

# Eligible Biomass Fuel Source Plan (Required of all Applicants Proposing to Use An Eligible Biomass Fuel)

# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISION Part of Application for Certificate of Eligibility RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCES ELIGIBILITY FORM

Pursuant to the Renewable Energy Act Section 39-26-1 et. sq. of the General Laws of Rhode Island

Note to Applicants: Please refer to the RES Certification Filing Methodology Guide posted on the Commission's web site (<a href="www.ripuc.org/utilityinfo/res.html">www.ripuc.org/utilityinfo/res.html</a>) for information, templates and suggestions regarding the types and levels of detail appropriate for responses to specific application items requested below. Also, please see Section 6.9 of the RES Regulations for additional details on specific

The phrase "Eligible Biomass Fuel" (per RES Regulations Section 3.6) means fuel sources including brush, stumps, lumber ends and trimmings, wood pallets, bark, wood chips, shavings, slash, yard trimmings, site clearing waste, wood packaging, and other clean wood that is not mixed with other unsorted solid wastes<sup>4</sup>; agricultural waste, food and vegetative material; energy crops; landfill methane<sup>5</sup> or biogas<sup>6</sup>, provided that such gas is collected and conveyed directly to the Generation Unit without use of facilities used as common carriers of natural gas; or neat biodiesel and other neat liquid fuels that are derived from such fuel sources.

In determining if an Eligible Biomass Generation Unit shall be certified, the Commission will consider if the fuel source plan can reasonably be expected to ensure that only Eligible Biomass Fuels will be used, and in the case of co-firing ensure that only that proportion of generation attributable to an Eligible Biomass Fuel be eligible. Certification will not be granted to those Generation Units with fuel source plans the Commission deems inadequate for these purposes.

This Appendix must be attached to the front of Applicant's Fuel Source Plan required for Generating Units proposing to use an Eligible Biomass Fuel (per Section 6.9 of RES Regulations).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Generation Units using wood sources other than those listed above may make application, as part of the required fuel source plan described in Section 6.9 of the RES Regulations, for the Commission to approve a particular wood source as "clean wood." The burden will be on the applicant to demonstrate that the wood source is at least as clean as those listed in the legislation. Wood sources containing resins, glues, laminates, paints, preservatives, or other treatments that would combust or off-gas, or mixed with any other material that would burn, melt, or create other residue aside from wood ash, will not be approved as clean wood.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Landfill gas, which is an Eligible Biomass Fuel, means only that gas recovered from inside a landfill and resulting from the natural decomposition of waste, and that would otherwise be vented or flared as part of the landfill's normal operation if not used as a fuel source.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Gas resulting from the anaerobic digestion of sewage or manure is considered to be a type of biogas, and therefore an Eligible Biomass Fuel that has been fully separated from the waste stream.

Detailed description attached?  Comments:	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A
If the proposed fuel is "other clean wood," further substantiation to demonstrate why the as those clean wood sources listed in the legis	e fuel source should b		
Further substantiation attached?  Comments:	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A
In the case of co-firing with ineligible further description of (a) how such co-firing will occ Biomass Fuel and ineligible fuel will be me generation output will be calculated. Such content of all of the proposed fuels used.	cur; (b) how the relative asured; and (c) how t	e amounts he eligible	of Eligible
Description attached?  Comments:	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A
The Fuel Source Plan must provide a descensure that only the Eligible Biomass Fuel standard operating protocols or procedures tunit, contracts with fuel suppliers, testing or standard operations.	are used, examples of that will be implemen	which ma	ay include
Description provided?  Comments:	☐ Yes	□ No	□ N/A
Please include in the Fuel Source Plan an a brought to the Generation Unit will only be for co-firing and that Biomass Fuels not d premises of the certified Generation Unit. At that this statement is true.	either Eligible Biomass eemed eligible will n	Fuels or for the state of the s	ossils used wed at the
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F.6	If the proposed fuel includes recycled wood waste, please submit documentation that such fuel meets the definition of Eligible Biomass Fuel and also meets material separation, storage, or handling standards acceptable to the Commission and furthermore consistent with the RES Regulations.				
	Documentation attached?				
F.7	Please certify that you will file all reports and other information necessary to enable the Commission to verify the on-going eligibility of the renewable energy generators pursuant to Section 6.3 of the RES Regulations.				
	□ ← check this box to certify that the above statement is true □ N/A or other (please explain)				
F.8	Please attach a copy of the Generation Unit's Valid Air Permit or equivalent authorization.				
	Valid Air Permit or equivalent attached? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A Comments:				
F.9	Effective date of Valid Air Permit or equivalent authorization:				
F.10	State or jurisdiction issuing Valid Air Permit or equivalent authorization:				

#### **BROOKFIELD ENERGY MARKETING INC.**

#### **AUTHORIZATION AND INCUMBENCY CERTIFICATE**

I, Steve Riedel, Vice President, Corporate Finance of Brookfield Energy Marketing Inc., a company incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario (the "Corporation"), do hereby certify that the Laurent Cusson is an officer of the Corporation duly appointed by the Board of Directors of the Corporation as the Executive Vice President, North American Operations and Development, and, as such, has been authorized under the by-laws of the Corporation to execute and deliver all agreements, letters, certificates, acknowledgments and other documentation, including but not limited to the Renewable Energy Resources Eligibility Form, in his capacity as Executive Vice President, North American Operations and Development and as an Authorized Representative for and on behalf of the Corporation.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I** do hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct as of the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2007.

By: Stave

Name: Steve Riedel

Title: Vice President, Corporate Finance