

July 27, 2017

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Re: **PUBLIC VERSION** of Proposal in response to Request for Proposals for Long-Term  
Contracts for Clean Energy Projects dated March 31, 2017  
(hereinafter, the RFP)

To Each of the Recipients identified in Appendix H of the RFP:

Hydro Renewable Energy Inc. ("HRE"), an affiliate of Hydro-Québec, and Northern Pass Transmission LLC ("NPT") (collectively the "**Joint Bidders**") hereby submit a joint Proposal, as described in more detail below, for Clean Energy Generation from Incremental Hydropower Generation via Long Term Contract with a Transmission Project under a FERC Tariff under RFP Section 2.2.1.3(iv) (the "**Proposal**").

The non-public version of the of the Joint Bidders' Proposal contains information for which each bidder is seeking confidential treatment from the Distribution Companies, as Recipients. The present public and non-confidential version of the Joint Bidders' Proposal provided herewith redacts this confidential information and may be publicly disclosed.

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As specified by RFP Appendix H, we are hand delivering our response on appropriately labeled CD-ROMs, with three copies to National Grid and one copy to each of the other recipients.

Pursuant to Section 1.10 of the RFP, the non-refundable bid fee for the Proposal is \$100,000. On behalf of the Joint Bidders, NPT has paid that sum by wire transfer in accordance with your instructions as follows:

<i>Electric Distribution Company</i>	<i>Remittance Percentage</i>	<i>Bid Fee Due</i>
Unitil	1.13%	\$13,000
National Grid	45.72%	\$45,712
Eversource	53.15%	\$53,315
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>

As part of the Proposal, and pursuant to Section 1.8 and Appendix D of the RFP, the Respondents have each provided a Certification and Authorization certifying their respective knowledge or lack thereof pertaining to the matters set forth in the Certification and Authorization.

On the behalf of HRE and NPT, we thank you for giving us the opportunity to respond to the RFP. Please forward any questions you may have to the appropriate Respondent at the contact information listed in Section 1 of the Proposal.

Sincerely,

Hydro Renewable Energy Inc.

By: 

Name: Richard Cacchione  
Title: Chairman of the Board and President

Northern Pass Transmission LLC

By: 

Name: Leon J. Olivier  
Title: Chairman and President