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Office of the Minister

Anthony Zwig
Chairman
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Dear Mr. Zwig:

RE: Proposed Maryvale Wind Project, Antigonish County

The environmental assessment of the proposed Maryvale Wind Project, Antigonish County, Nova Scotia, has been completed.

This is to advise that I have approved the above project in accordance with Section 40 and Section 34 of the *Environment Act*, S.N.S., 1994-95 and subsection 13(1)(b) of the Environmental Assessment Regulations, N.S. Reg. 348/2008, made under the Act. Following a review of the information provided by Maryvale Wind Energy LP and information collected during the government and public consultation process of the environmental assessment, I am convinced that any adverse effects or significant environmental effects of the undertaking can be adequately mitigated through compliance with the attached terms and conditions.

This approval is subject to any other approvals required by statute or regulation, including, but not limited to, approval under Part V of the Nova Scotia *Environment Act* (Approvals and Certificates section).

If you have any questions regarding the approval of this project, please contact the manager, Environmental Assessment Branch, Ms. Lorrie Roberts, at (902) 424-6344 or via email at ROBERTLA@gov.ns.ca

Sincerely,

Original Signed By

Sterling Belliveau
Minister

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