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Ms. Elaine Jensen Butte County Auditor 839 5th Ave. Belle Fourche, SD 57717

RE: EL15-020 – In the Matter of the Application by Wind Quarry Operations, LLC, for a Wind Energy Facility Permit for the Willow Creek Wind Energy Facility and Associated Facilities

Dear Ms. Jensen:

Please find enclosed the original Application and attachments for the above referenced matter. Attachment B is enclosed in a separate envelope and is marked Confidential. This material should not be disclosed to anyone without approval of the Commission. Per SDCL 49-41B-15 (5) the Commission is required to file an application with the auditor of the county or counties in which the proposed facility will be constructed. Also enclosed is a Certificate of Service and a Notice of Application; Order For and Notice of Public Input Hearing; Notice of Opportunity to Apply for Party Status.

Sincerely,

John J. Smith

Commission Counsel

South Dakota Public Utilities Commission

Enclosures