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RE: Case 17-F-0599 - Application of East Point Energy Center, LLC for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need Pursuant to Article 10 of the Public Service Law for Construction of a Solar Electric Generating Facility Located in the Town of Sharon, Schoharie County.

Dear Mr. Laniado,

This letter is to advise you that as of today, January 30, 2020, the Article 10 Application filed by East Point Energy Center, LLC in the above referenced case, complies with Public Service Law (PSL) §164. The Application consists of a filing made on September 26, 2019, together with the supplemental filings made on December 23, 2019, and January 27, 2020.

Please be advised that any supplement made following the completeness determination issued here will be considered an amendment under the Siting Board's rules. All amendments to the Application must be accompanied by a cover letter that:

- a. Describes the content of the amendment;
- b. States whether the materials augment or replace any previously-filed Application materials – the Applicant must clarify if any previously filed documents are no longer actively before the Board;
- c. States whether the amendment results in shifting of facility components, including a wind turbine, solar panels, access roads, substations, switchyards, transmission or electric collector lines, to a new location, more than 500 feet from the original location;
- d. States whether the amendment results in the shifting of facility components to a new location less than 500 feet from the original location, but now is located

closer to sensitive resources or decreases compliance with setback and similar requirements;

- e. States whether the amendment is likely to result in any change in any environmental impact; and
- f. States whether the amendment proposes to add or remove facility components or substitute one technology for another.

In accordance with PSL §165(1), I am fixing the date of March 19, 2020, as the date for the commencement of a public hearing, subject to modification by the Secretary to the Siting Board.

Please contact Michelle L. Phillips, Secretary, if you require further assistance regarding this letter. Secretary Phillips can be reached at 518-474-6530.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John B. Rhodes". The signature is written in a cursive, somewhat stylized font.

John B. Rhodes
Chair

cc: Service List