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Mr. James R. Beyer
Maine Department of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Land Resources Regulation
17 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0017

RE: Central Maine Power Company (CMP) New England Clean Energy Connect Project;
Natural Resources Protection Act and Site Location of Development Act permit applications.

Dear Mr. Beyer:

CMP is pleased to provide the Maine Department of Environmental Protection (MDEP) with one (1) digital and two (2) hard copies, one set each to the MDEP Augusta and Bangor offices, of the Natural Resources Protection Act and Site Location of Development Act permit applications, and request for water quality certification, for the New England Clean Energy Connect (NECEC) Project.

The applications are being provided simultaneously to the Maine Land Use Planning Commission, the Maine Historic Preservation Commission, the Franklin and Somerset County offices, and the municipal offices of Alna, Anson, Auburn, Caratunk, Chesterville, Cumberland, Durham, Embden, Farmington, Greene, Industry, Jay, Leeds, Lewiston, Livermore Falls, Moscow, New Gloucester, New Sharon, Pownal, Starks, The Forks Plt, West Forks Plt, Whitefield, Wilton, Windsor, Wiscasset, and Woolwich, Maine. In addition, CMP anticipates filing an application for an Individual Permit with the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) on or about September 29, 2017.

This filing consists of five components provided in separate binders as follows:

- 1) NRPA application
- 2) Site Law application
- 3) Site Law attachments (maps)
- 4) Stormwater packages (new facilities)
- 5) Visual Impact Analysis

CMP respectfully requests that MDEP provide it with a draft license decision, for CMP review and comment, prior to issuance of a final order.

If you have any questions regarding these applications please call me at (207) 626-9557 or email me at gerry.mirabile@cmpco.com.

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Sincerely,



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Enclosures

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File: New England Clean Energy Connect