



Activities & Actions Taken Since Small Wind Working Group on April 14, 2011

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Applicant Letters



A series of letters informing approved REIP rebate applicants of status of the REIP wind program & their projects were distributed since last meeting

- April 20, 2011 - the first letter was mailed informing applicants, installers and rebate recipients of the temporary hold on the REIP for wind system and the reasons for the hold. The letter stated that lifting the temporary hold would be contingent upon a satisfactory understanding of the safety and performance of the wind turbine proposed for each installation reliant upon an NJCEP rebate
- May 5, 2011 - either “Hold Lifted” or “Continuing Hold” letter was sent to each applicant with an approved REIP project



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Turbine Hold Status on May 5, 2011



- Hold was lifted on the following manufacturers and models:
 - Bergey Excel S
 - Endurance E-3120, S-250, S-343
 - Northwind 100
 - GE 1.5 SLE/XLE
 - Seaforth Energy AOC 15/50
 - Leitner Poma Leitwind LTW-7
 - WTIC Jacob 31/20
- Hold remained on the following manufacturers and models:
 - Xzeres ARE 442
 - Enertech 44A
 - *UGE 1 kW
 - *UGE 4 kW
 - *UGE 10 kW

***Note: Hold was lifted in September on projects approved with UGE turbines**



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Applicant Letters – cont.



- September 30, 2011 - the applicants, installers and rebate recipients with UGE turbines approved in the REIP received letters lifting the hold on their projects
- September 30, 2011 - all applicants, installers, rebate recipients and manufacturers with approved projects for the turbines that were removed from hold received a letter regarding the DCA requirement for “Field Listing”



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Project Status Summary- 10-14-11



| Status | How Many? |
|------------------------------------------|-------------|
| On Hold | 8 projects |
| Hold Lifted - still in "Approved" status | 22 projects |
| Hold Lifted – "Processing Rebate" status | 6 projects |



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Compliance Filing Process



- October 14, 2011 - Draft changes to the REIP program for wind system sent to stakeholders and posted on website. Public comment period opens. Send comments to publiccommentswind@njcleanenergy.com
- October 18, 2011 – Review and discuss draft changes at Small Wind Working Group.
- October 28, 2011- Last day to submit public comments.
- Early November 2011 – Review public comments and finalize 2012 Program Plans Compliance Filing
- End November 2011 – Final 2012 Program Plan Compliance Filing set to BPU for Board approval
- December 14, 2011 – BPU Board Meeting



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