

STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 8816

Petition of Swanton Wind LLC for a certificate of)
public good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 248, for the)
construction of an up to 20 MW wind-powered)
electric generation plant to be located in Swanton,)
Vermont)

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

NOW COMES Petitioner Swanton Wind, by and through the undersigned counsel, and moves to extend from January 20, 2017 to January 27, 2017 the date for Petitioner's response to the filing made by the Towns of Swanton and Fairfield on January 6, 2017 joining in Intervenor Christine and Dustin Lang's December 19, 2016 evidentiary objections. By Order dated January 12, 2017, the Public Service Board established January 20 as the deadline for Petitioner to respond to the Towns' filing. The January 12 Order was served on Petitioner's counsel by U.S. Mail and was not received in the mail until Tuesday, January 17, 2017, thereby leaving Petitioner's counsel three (3) business days to comply with the order.

Three business days does not provide Petitioner's counsel with a reasonable amount of time to prepare an adequate response. Granting Petitioner a reasonable amount of additional time to prepare a response to the Towns' filing is fair and just and it will not prejudice any party as the procedural schedule for this proceeding is presently suspended.

WHEREFORE, Swanton Wind respectfully requests that the Public Service Board allow it until January 27, 2017 to respond to the Towns of Swanton and Fairfield joining in Intervenor Langs' December 19, 2016 evidentiary objections.

Dated at Castleton, Vermont this 18th day of January, 2017.

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