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## MOTION TO INTERVENE: PROJECT P-15056 ASHOKAN PUMPED STORAGE PROJECT

April 7, 2021

Ms. Kimberly Bose, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street NE  
Washington DC 20426

Dear Secretary Bose:

Pursuant to Rule 214 of the Rules, Practices and Procedures (18 CFR Section 385.314) the Town Of Shandaken, Ulster County New York hereby petitions the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to grant it full party status in the above captioned proceeding. The persons to whom communications should be addressed and to who service should be made are as follows:

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As grounds for this Motion, the Town of Shandaken, Ulster County, New York states as follows: The Town of Shandaken has a vital interest in the Preliminary Permit application submitted to the Commission by Premium Energy for the Ashokan Pumped Storage Project (P-15056). The Town of Shandaken seeks to become a party to this proceeding to ensure the public interests of our residents are adequately represented, including the ability to protect our natural, cultural, and archaeological resources. As stewards of the Ashokan Watershed, and as named affected parties in the permit application, and as the proposed pumped storage reservoirs of Woodland Valley and Wittenberg/Moonhaw lie within the boundaries of the town, we rightfully have a stake in the proceedings.

Neither disruption to the proceedings nor any additional burden to any party will result from the granting of this Motion. In light of the foregoing, the Town of Shandaken respectfully petitions for intervention.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter DiSclafani'. The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping horizontal stroke that extends to the right.

Peter DiSclafani  
Town of Shandaken - Town Council