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

March 23, 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 Marbletown, 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 whom service should be made are as follows:

Town of Marbletown - Supervisor Town of Marbletown - Deputy Supervisor Rich Parete Don LaFera

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As grounds for this Motion, the Town of Marbletown, Ulster County, New York states as follows:

The Town of Marbletown 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 Marbletown seeks to become a party to this proceeding to ensure the public interests of our residents are adequately represented. The Town of Marbletown encompasses all or parts of what is marked in the draft environmental impact statement (EIS) as sections 1A, 1B and 2C of the lower Esopus Creek.

The Town of Marbletown was not notified in the original notification process. Neither disruption to the proceedings nor any additional burden to any party will result from the granting of this Motion. Considering the foregoing, the Town of Marbletown respectfully petitions for intervention.

Sincerely,

Rich Parete Supervisor

Town of Marbletown