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OFFICE OF ENERGY PROJECTS

Caldron Falls Hydroelectric Project Project No. 2525-086—Wisconsin Wisconsin Public Service Corporation

May 16, 2013

Mr. Terry P. Jensky Vice President – Generation Assets Wisconsin Public Service Corporation 700 North Adams Street Green Bay, WI 54307

Subject: Modifications to approved water quality monitoring locations

Dear Mr. Jensky:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your proposed changes to the location for monitoring downstream water quality, filed April 8, 2013. Pursuant to ordering paragraph (B) of the Order Amending Water Quality Monitoring Plan, issued April 23, 2012¹ for the Caldron Falls Project, you were required to consult with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) by January 1, 2015 to determine the location and installation of the downstream monitoring equipment prior to the next monitoring season. Your filing was to include documentation of consultation with the WDNR and any comments provided concerning the location of the downstream monitoring station. If you do not adopt a recommendation from the WDNR, you are required to include your reasons for excluding the recommendation based on project specific information.

You met with the WDNR on July 18, 2012 to determine a point where you are able to affix the sensor in a location that remains in the water at all times and that is unaffected by fluctuations in river flow. This new location is approximately 770 feet downstream of the powerhouse. The WDNR provided comments on the revised monitoring location by email dated March 12, 2013, concurring with the proposed changes.

¹ 139 FERC ¶ 62,055

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The filing meets the requirements of the aforementioned order and is acceptable. Thank you for your cooperation and if you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact the undersigned at (212) 273-5917.

Sincerely,

Joseph Enrico Aquatic Resources Branch Division of Hydropower Administration and Compliance

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