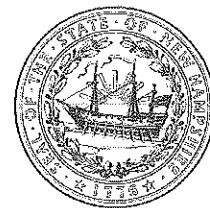




The State of New Hampshire
Department of Environmental Services



Robert R. Scott, Commissioner

April 2, 2018

Elizabeth H. Tillotson
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431 River Road
Bow, NH 03304

RE: File No. 2018-p-2; Granite Shore Power Schiller LLC, NPDES Permit Reissuance
(NH0001473), Portsmouth, NH

Dear Ms. Tillotson:

The New Hampshire Coastal Program has received Granite Shore Power Schiller LLC's (GSP Schiller, LLC) federal consistency certification and necessary data and information for the proposed reissuance of its National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit from the Environmental Protection Agency, pursuant to Section 307(c)(3)(A) of the Coastal Zone Management Act, 16 U.S.C. §1456(c)(3)(A). The NPDES permit will authorize GSP Schiller, LLC to discharge non-contact cooling water and treated industrial wastewater to and withdraw water from the Piscataqua River as part of the operation of its steam electric generating facility in Portsmouth. Based upon review of the federal consistency certification and necessary data and information, we find that the proposal complies with the enforceable policies of New Hampshire's federally approved coastal management program.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (603) 559-0025.

Sincerely,

Christian Williams
Program Coordinator
New Hampshire Coastal Program

cc: Michael Cobb, USEPA