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Board Secretary Aida Camacho-Welch
New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
44 South Clinton Avenue
Trenton, NJ 08625

Re: In the Matter of Offshore Wind Transmission, BPU Docket No. QO20100630

Dear Board Secretary Camacho-Welch:

Please accept this letter in support of PSEG and Ørsted's Coastal Wind Link projects in response to the Board of Public Utilities' process under the State Agreement Approach (SAA). My name is Scott Campbell, and I am the President and Business Manager of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local Union 94, representing 4,000 employees of PSEG's generation and utility businesses, as well as line clearance workers throughout New Jersey.

As New Jersey's preeminent energy provider, PSEG is a regional and national leader in the development, construction, and long-term maintenance of large-scale electric transmission assets. PSEG has built and safeguarded the state's electric transmission and delivery networks for more than 100 years and, more recently, has earned national recognition as a champion of clean energy.

PSEG is best positioned to build New Jersey's wind transmission system, the backbone of New Jersey's clean energy agenda. With Ørsted's expertise in offshore wind energy, together PSEG and Ørsted are committed in providing sustainable, long-term energy solution in New Jersey – all while continuing to ensure a safe, reliable, and resilient energy grid.

The Coastal Wind Link proposals encompass both individual and networked solutions, utilizing existing infrastructure in New Jersey that would eliminate environmental and landing disturbances, expedite, and enhance constructability of this ideal proposal with the use of existing public rights-of-way and manageable system upgrades closer to the waterways (Sewaren, Larrabe and Dean as key interconnection points minimizing impact to New Jersey's waterways and other sensitive areas).

Lastly, PSEG brings the proven track record of working with hosting communities and supporting NJ through its investment decisions, including a continued commitment to solicit bids from union civil and electrical contractors for onshore installation work with proven records.

We appreciated that PSEG has the proven record of meeting its operational and financial obligations in a way that is transparent and cost-controlled, without forgoing any obligations to its workforce, community, and stakeholders they serve.

New Jersey's union workforce reflects the important jobs we perform for the State. We are reliable, resilient, and essential to the communities we have helped to build, and which we support with a foundation of safe, clean electricity.

Our skilled and experienced IBEW workforce for the projects envisioned under the SAA proposals are unmatched and needed to support the efforts in a safe, reliable, and timely manner.

The IBEW is eager to continue to work with the state and the energy sector on our shared clean energy agenda. We encourage you to recognize PSEG's long track record of experience, expertise and dedication to New Jersey's economy, environment and diverse communities when considering the critical transmission component of our region's ambitious goals for offshore wind energy.

Yours Truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Scott M. Campbell". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "C" at the end.

Scott M. Campbell, IBEW Local 94

President/Business Mgr.