

# Environmental Assessment of the Proposed Nulki Hills Wind Project

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## Open House *and* Invitation to Comment

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Innergex Wind Energy Inc. (Proponent) is proposing to develop a wind energy facility generating up to 210 megawatts located about 30 km south of Vanderhoof, B.C. (proposed Project). The proposed Project would consist of up to 70 wind turbines, substations, access roads, collector and transmission lines and related substation and operations centre.

The proposed Project is subject to review under British Columbia's *Environmental Assessment Act*.

The Proponent must obtain an environmental assessment certificate before any work can be undertaken on the proposed Project. However, prior to submission of an application (Application) for a certificate by the Proponent, the Environmental Assessment Office of British Columbia (EAO) must first approve Application Information Requirements.

The Application Information Requirements will specify the studies to be conducted and the detailed information to be provided by the Proponent in its Application. EAO has now received draft Application Information Requirements from the Proponent and invites comments on this draft.

In order to provide information about the Application Information Requirements EAO invites the public to attend an Open House to be held:

at: **Village Inn**  
**144 Columbia St. West, Vanderhoof, B.C.**  
on: **January 27, 2014**  
from: **4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.**

There are 30 days for the submission of comments by the public in relation to the draft Application Information Requirements. The comment period will begin on January 22, 2014 and end on February 21, 2014.  
All comments received during this comment period in relation to the Application Information Requirements will be considered.

The intention of seeking public comments is to ensure that all potential effects – environmental, economic, social, heritage and health – that might result from the proposed Project are identified for consideration as part of the assessment process. At this stage of the process, the primary intent is to receive feedback about the studies or information required for a comprehensive environmental assessment.

After taking public comments into account, EAO will finalize the Application Information Requirements and issue them to the Proponent.

EAO accepts public comments through the following ways:

- **By Online Form at**  
<http://www.eao.gov.bc.ca/pcp/index.html>
- **By Mail:**  
Teresa Morris  
Project Assessment Manager  
Environmental Assessment Office  
PO Box 9426 Stn Prov Govt  
Victoria BC V8W 9V1
- **By Fax:**  
Fax: 250-387-2208

An electronic copy of the Application Information Requirements and information regarding the environmental assessment process are available at [www.eao.gov.bc.ca](http://www.eao.gov.bc.ca). The Application Information Requirements is also available for viewing at this location:

*Vanderhoof Public Library*  
*230 Stewart St. East, Vanderhoof, B.C.*

If you are unable to participate at this time, there will be an additional comment period during the Application Review stage when you will also be able to provide comments to EAO on the proposed Project.

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**NOTE:** All submissions received by EAO during the comment period in relation to the proposed Project are considered public and will be posted to the EAO website.

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