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Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 11:08 AM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: Submission on the New Wind Energy Planning Framework

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Yours faithfully, Graham Evans 3182

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 14 September 2016 11:07 AM
To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: My submission regarding the New Wind Energy Planning Framework

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Yours faithfully, Margaret Hilder 2790

From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: [REDACTED]

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Yours faithfully, Denise Morden 2481

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Subject: john ryan

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Subject: Brian Johnson

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Caleb Ball

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Subject: Submission on Planning Framework for wind power generation

Categories: Kate

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Yours faithfully, Sofahnya Olsen 2203

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Yours faithfully, Joe Wolfe 2034

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Yours faithfully, Ronald Bastian 2760

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To: DPE PS Wind Energy Mailbox
Subject: Greer Taylor

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while I have not written what I below I completely agree with it – a concerted push aiming at 100% renewables is critical to a sustainable, equitable future for all.

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Yours faithfully, Elvio Onofri 2565

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