From:

Little, Doug <Doug.Little@bchydro.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, September 9, 2014 1:02 PM

To:

MacLaren, Les MEM:EX

Cc:

Wieringa, Paul MEM:EX: Trumpy, Chris MEM:EX

Subject:

RE: Cape Scott 2

Ok, I'll call you a little later to discuss.

Doug

From: MacLaren, Les MEM:EX [mailto:Les.MacLaren@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: 2014, September 09 12:32 PM

To: Little, Doug

Ce: Wieringa, Paul MEM:EX; Trumpy, Chris MEM:EX

Subject: FW: Cape Scott 2

Hi Doug: s.17

Les

From: Steve Kukucha [mailto:skukucha@wazuku.ca]

Sent: Tuesday, September 9, 2014 10:45 AM

To: MacLaren, Les MEM:EX

Cc: Wieringa, Paul MEM:EX; Trumpy, Chris MEM:EX; Steve Kukucha

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Sent: Monday, September 8, 2014 2:00 PM

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Cc: Steve Kukucha Subject: Cape Scott 2

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Steve Kukucha <skukucha@wazuku.ca>

Sent:

Tuesday, September 9, 2014 12:20 PM

To:

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Subject:

Re: Cape Scott 2

Confirmed. We will send out a meeting notice later today. Thanks.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Bell network.

From: MacLaren, Les MEM:EX

Sent: Tuesday, September 9, 2014 11:46 AM

To: 'Steve Kukucha'

Reply To: MacLaren, Les MEM:EX

Cc: Wieringa, Paul MEM:EX; Trumpy, Chris MEM:EX

Subject: RE: Cape Scott 2

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From:

Steve Kukucha <skukucha@wazuku.ca>

Sent:

Tuesday, September 2, 2014 10:30 AM

To: Cc: MacLaren, Les MEM:EX Wieringa, Paul MEM:EX

Subject:

Re: Meeting with GDF Suez

Les,

I appreciate your response. Have a good week.

Stephen Kukucha Wazuku Advisory Group skukucha@wazuku.ca 778-688-5857

On Sep 2, 2014, at 10:16 AM, MacLaren, Les MEM:EX < Les.MacLaren@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

### Hi Steve:

I spoke with Chris Sandve and am not able to meet on Thursday afternoon when you are in town. He has our current perspective on the Cape Scott project.

Les

----Original Message----

From: Steve Kukucha [mailto:skukucha@wazuku.ca]

Sent: Monday, September 1, 2014 10:17 AM

To: MacLaren, Les MEM:EX

Cc: Steve Kukucha

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Sent:

Tuesday, September 2, 2014 6:13 AM

To:

'Steve Kukucha '

Cc:

Wieringa, Paul MEM:EX FW: Meeting with GDF Suez

Subject: Attachments:

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Hi Steve:

Sorry on the delay getting back to you. S.22

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I am hoping to have some direction from MBB today. Can you let me know which Ministers/staff GDF is meeting with and when?

Les

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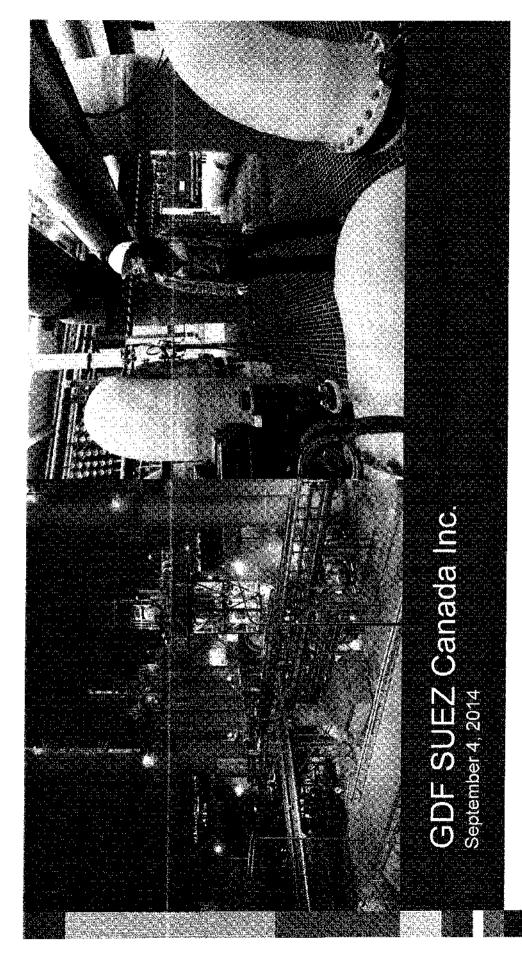
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### Agenda

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Introduction of new staff

Overview of BC Activities

■Discussion of Cape Scott 2

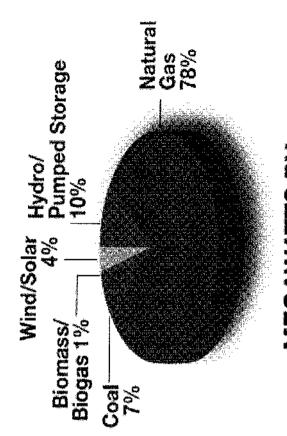
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Present in close to 70 countries

## **GDF Suez North America**

- About 2,200 employees in the U.S., Canada, and Mexico
- #1 terminal player in LNG in the U.S., serving natural gas, power, and industrial needs in New England for more than 40 years
- Approximately 13,000 MW of power generation
- 32 wind, hydro, solar, and biomass/biogas facilities with a generation capacity of nearly 1,000 MW
- Among the largest retail electricity suppliers to commercial and industrial customers in the U.S.
- A Top 5 wind operator in Canada
- #2 Local Distribution Company in Mexico serving 400,000 customers, with a large and growing gas pipeline business and 3 cogeneration plants

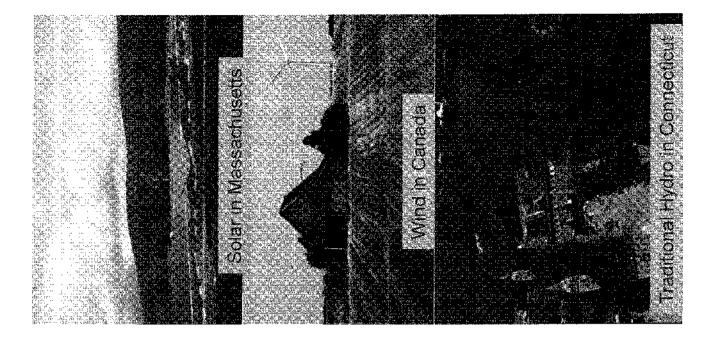


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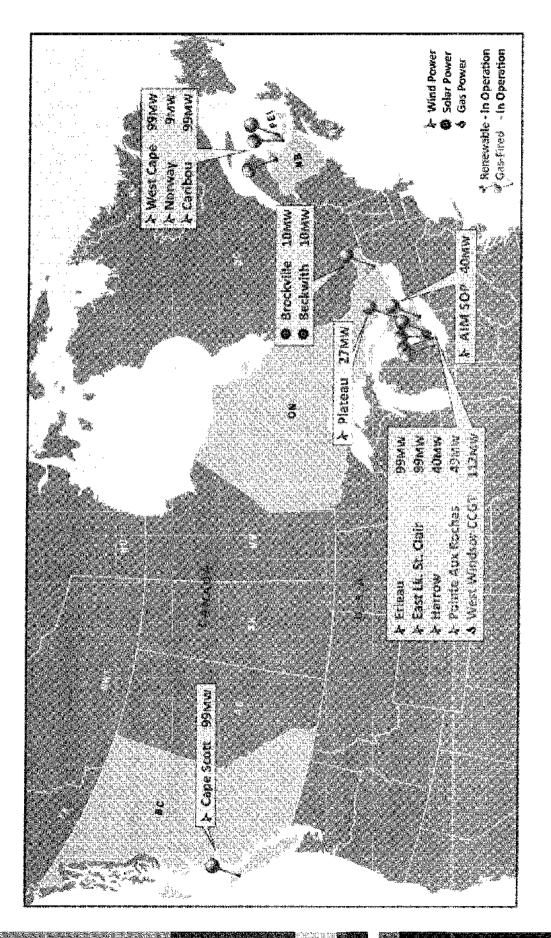
The North American renewable portfolio consists of 32 wind, solar, hydro, and biomass assets, with a capacity of close to 1,000 MW.

Additionally, two pumped hydro storage operations have another 1,153 MW of capacity.

- Wind Operations
- 10 facilities, 660 MW
- Hydro Operations
- 12 facilities, 173 MW
- Pumped Hydro Storage Operations
- 2 facilities, 1,153 MW
- Solar Operations
- 3 facilities, 22 MW
- Biomass/Biogas Operations
- 7 facilities, 117 MW



GDF Suez Canada Inc.: Projects in Operation



# GDF SUEZ Canada Inc.: Staffing Changes

Lynn Byrd has replaced Mike Crawley as President of GDF SUEZ Canada Inc.

Bonnie Hiltz has replaced David Timm as Government Relations and Regulatory Affairs Advisor Rob Maitland has been hired as the Director of Business Development

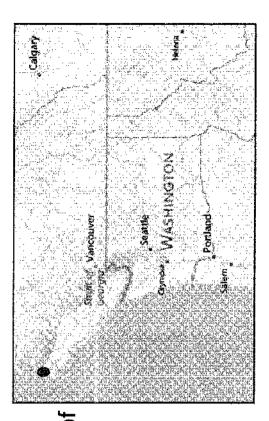
## GDF SUEZ Canada Inc. in BC

- call. International Power Canada (later GDF SUEZ) purchased the project from Cape Scott 1 was awarded a contract for 99MW under the 2008 clean energy Sea Breeze in 2010.
- Actively pursuing other project opportunities, including natural gas, wind and hydro in Kitimat, Prince Rupert and Terrace regions
- Closely monitoring upcoming decisions on Site C and LNG facilities, as well as other opportunities for renewable energy projects.

## Cape Scott 2 Expansion

### **Background**

- Began exploring expansion at the request of the Ministry in 2012
- BC Hydro passed board resolution to negotiate EPA in 2012
- Assumed all development costs post 2012
- Agreement with Rupert Peace to purchase the project upon EPA signing
- Lengthy and technical negotiations with BC Hydro ensued over connection line.
  Agreement finally reached for feasible connection



## Cape Scott 2 Expansion

### **Current Status**

- PPA amendment with BC Hydro finalized
- Interconnection agreement finalized
- Financing for the expansion had been secured with JBIC

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- Halted development and cancelled financing upon recent decision not to proceed
- Summary of project costs of \$5.5M sent to Ministry staff July 31, 2014

### **Next Steps**

■ Discussion of costs and alternatives

From:

McNeil, Kevin MEM:EX

Sent:

Tuesday, August 19, 2014 2:42 PM

To:

Wieringa, Paul MEM:EX

Subject:

FW: GDF Meeting Request - September 4th

Do you know what this would be about?

----Original Message----

From: Steve Kukucha [mailto:skukucha@wazuku.ca]

Sent: Wednesday, August 13, 2014 7:32 PM

To: McNeil, Kevin MEM:EX

Cc: Steve Kukucha

Subject: GDF Meeting Request - September 4th

Les,

Would you be in a position to meet with Rob Maitland and Bonnie Hiltz from GDF Suez on September 4th in the afternoon between Noon and 3:00 PM?

Hook forward to hearing from you Les.

Stephen Kukucha Wazuku Advisory Group skukucha@wazuku.ca 778-688-5857 Page 20 to/à Page 38

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