

## STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION



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## RE: DEP APPLICATION # L-008688-33-N-N, LOWELL TANNERY HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT

To Kleinschmidt Associates:

Your application for KEI (USA) Power Management, Inc. (KEI) for water quality certification of the Lowell Tannery Hydroelectric Project (Project) was received at the Department of Environmental Protection on July 29, 2024, and found to be acceptable for processing on August 7, 2024. Your application has been given the above- referenced number; please use this number in any correspondence related to this application.

Acceptance of the application does not preclude the Department from requesting additional information and analysis during processing.

The Project will now be examined to determine whether a certification can be issued. The statutory deadline for the Department to reach a final decision on your application is July 28, 2025.

Please feel free to contact me at (207) 219-9563 or via email at <u>Laura.Paye@maine.gov</u> if you have any questions regarding this project.

Sincerely,

Laura Paye Hydropower Coordinator Bureau of Land Resources

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