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Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs

## Department of Environmental Protection

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### **BY ELECTRONIC MAIL**

Bobby Crossin  
America First Legal Foundation  
[foia@aflegal.org](mailto:foia@aflegal.org)

**Re: Public Records Request re: New York v. Trump (Massachusetts Dept. of Environmental Protection)**

Dear Mr. Crossin:

This letter responds to your public records request received by this office on December 19, 2025, seeking agency records pertaining to President Trump's January 20, 2025, Presidential Memorandum halting federal approvals for wind-energy projects.

After a reasonable search, the Department has found no records responsive to your request.

If you do not believe that MassDEP has responded to your request in accordance with the Public Records Law, you may appeal MassDEP's response to the Supervisor of Public Records within the Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth. Any such appeal must be made in writing within ninety days and comply with the requirements of 950 CMR 32.08(1). You may also file a civil action in accordance with M.G.L. c. 66, § 10A.

If you have any questions, you may reach me at [Rachel.M.Cohen@mass.gov](mailto:Rachel.M.Cohen@mass.gov).

Sincerely,

Rachel Cohen

MassDEP Records Manager