

## Poster Presenter Agreement & Copyright Release

By my signed acceptance of the terms and conditions of this agreement and release, and in consideration of the Canadian Wind Energy Association (**CanWEA**) providing me with the opportunity to present my work in a poster format at the conference, I accept the invitation of CanWEA to present my work in a poster format at the CanWEA 2010 Conference and Exhibition to be held November 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2010 in Montreal, Quebec, and agree to abide by the terms and conditions set forth below.

1. I agree that the poster session is designed to provide an opportunity to learn and discuss business and technology issues, and are not intended to sell products or services.
2. If I am unable to submit a poster in the required format, I will notify CanWEA in writing not less than 30 days prior to the scheduled conference. I further agree to meet all the deadlines as indicated in the Poster Guidelines, including but not limited to: attending the Poster Reception.
3. I understand that CanWEA intends to publish and distribute my conference poster in the conference proceedings (**the work**) and that such work will be made available to all attendees after the conference and for sale.
4. I grant CanWEA a perpetual licence to: (1) copy, reproduce, publish and distribute the work in all print and other formats (including but not limited to online publication via CanWEA's Web site, and distribution at future CanWEA programs and conferences); (2) reprint the work for distribution; and (3) make the work available for purchase and distribution after the conference.
5. In granting this consent licence and release, I acknowledge and agree that CanWEA shall be under no obligation to pay me for delivery of any service I perform as a result of this agreement, or for the permission/licence that I have granted to CanWEA to reproduce, publish and distribute the work as set forth above.
6. By signing this agreement, I further represent and warrant that except as noted below: (1) I am the author and owner of the work and all rights in and to all portions of the work; (2) the work is original; (3) the work does not violate or infringe on any personal or property rights of others, whether common law or statutory; (4) the work contains nothing libellous or otherwise contrary to law; and (5) I am authorized and empowered to enter into this agreement.



7. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless CanWEA, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers from any and all claims of copyright infringement made against CanWEA and arising out of the work and my poster presentation of the work at the conference. I further represent and warrant that if the work contains material from other works protected by copyright that such other works have been used with the written consent of the copyright owner and that I have provided (or are simultaneously providing) CanWEA with copies of all such required written author consents.
8. I acknowledge that I have read this consent and release prior to agreeing to it and that I understand its contents. I understand that CanWEA is relying on this agreement and release and that my release and consent are irrevocable.
9. CanWEA agrees to provide me with appropriate authorship credit and acknowledgment each time it publishes or republishes the work, and to require authorized sub-licensees if any, to also provide appropriate authorship credit and acknowledgments. CanWEA is authorized to use my name and likeness, prior to, during and after the conference to advertise and publicize the conference and any use of the work.
10. CanWEA understands and agrees that the above grant of rights does not constitute a transfer of copyright and that I remain free to present the work or revised versions thereof elsewhere.

AGREED AND ACCEPTED:

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Speaker/Author Signature (Electronic Signature or Typed)

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Speaker/Author Printed Name

Date:

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