



**Avian Data Summary**  
**Attachment for the Cape Wind Energy Project DEIS Review and Comment**  
**October 19, 2005**

| <b>Avian Risk Category</b>                  | <b>Status of 3-year recommendation for avian studies</b>   | <b>Mass Audubon provided studies (submitted and posted on MAS web site)</b> | <b>Mass Audubon will provide</b>   | <b>Date of aerial and boat surveys conducted by Applicant (not sorted in DEIS by risk category)</b>  |
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| Roseate Terns Staging Period (Aug. – Sept.) | Yes, combination of Mass Audubon and applicant data  | 2002 <sup>1</sup><br>2003 <sup>1</sup><br>2004 <sup>1</sup>                 | All studies provided   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• March 17 – April 18, 2002</li> <li>• May 1 – August 30, 2002</li> <li>• September 25, 2002 – February 21, 2003</li> <li>• March 19 – June 2, 2003</li> <li>• June 16 – August 29, 2003</li> <li>• September 15, 2003 – February 27, 2004</li> </ul> |
| Roseate Terns – Nesting Season (May – July) | Yes, combination of Mass Audubon and applicant data  | 2003 <sup>1</sup><br>2004 <sup>1</sup>                                      | All studies provided   |  |
| Winter Sea Ducks (Dec. – Mar.)              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not met yet. Mass Audubon expects to begin third year of surveys in November 2005</li> <li>• Daytime surveys only; need to be supplemented with nighttime surveys.</li> </ul> | Winter 2003-2004 <sup>2</sup>   | Winter 2004 – 2005 <sup>2</sup> study in October 2005<br>Winter 2005 – 2006 study in June 2006 |  |
| Migratory Passerines                        | No, and no indication the applicant will meet this standard  | None <sup>3</sup>   | None <sup>3</sup>  | Radar studies<br>May 2002<br>September 2002<br>September 15, 2005  |

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<sup>2</sup> Funded by the Island Foundation, Foundation M, and USFWS Sea Duck Joint Venture Program

<sup>3</sup> No funding available