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Ms. M. Lynn Jarvis, Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
Dobbs Building
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Raleigh, North Carolina 27603

Re: Docket No. SP-5434, Sub 0
Docket No. E-22, Sub 548
*Notice of Acquisition and Motion for Transfer of Certificate of Public
Convenience and Necessity*

Dear Ms. Jarvis:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced dockets please find Dominion Energy North Carolina's *Notice of Acquisition and Motion for Transfer of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity*.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter, and feel free to contact me with any questions.

Very truly yours,

/s/Andrea R. Kells

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Enclosure

cc: Gina Holt
Tim R. Dodge

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. SP-5434, SUB 0
DOCKET NO. E-22, SUB 548

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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| In the Matter of | |
| Application of Johannes Gutenberg Solar, LLC, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a 79.9-MW Solar Array in Northampton County, North Carolina |) NOTICE OF ACQUISITION AND MOTION FOR TRANSFER OF CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY |

Pursuant to Rule R1-7 of the Rules and Regulations of the North Carolina Utilities Commission (“Commission”) and Ordering Paragraph 6 of the Commission’s *Amendment to Order Approving Transfer of Certificates Subject to Conditions* issued on February 22, 2018, in the above-captioned dockets (“Order”), Virginia Electric and Power Company, d/b/a Dominion Energy North Carolina (“DENC” or the “Company”), hereby notifies the Commission that the Company’s acquisition of the rights and assets of the 79.9 MW (AC) solar photovoltaic (PV) electric generating facility (“Gutenberg Facility” or “Facility”) previously owned by Johannes Gutenberg Solar, LLC (“Gutenberg Solar”) has been consummated, and requests by motion (“Motion”), that the Commission issue an order transferring the certificate of public convenience and necessity (“CPCN”) for the Gutenberg Facility to DENC effective as of June 27, 2019. In support of this Motion, the Company states as follows:

1. On October 11, 2017, the Company, Gutenberg Solar, and Pecan Solar, LLC (“Pecan Solar” and together with DENC and Gutenberg Solar, “Applicants”) filed a verified joint notice and request for Commission approval to transfer the CPCNs for the

Gutenberg Facility and a 74.9 MW solar PV electric generating facility owned by Pecan Solar (the “Pecan Facility”) to DENC.

2. On December 8, 2017, the Commission issued an *Order Approving Transfer of Certificates Subject to Conditions* (“Transfer Order”), which approved the transfers of the CPCNs to DENC, with certain conditions recommended by the North Carolina Utilities Commission—Public Staff. With the Transfer Order, the Commission also cancelled the CPCNs previously issued to Gutenberg and Pecan, and issued new CPCNs for the facilities to DENC.

3. On December 14, 2017, the Applicants filed a joint motion to amend the Commission’s Transfer Order. The Applicants explained that their intent was that Gutenberg Solar remain the holder of the CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility until the acquisition of that facility by DENC is consummated in early-to-mid 2019, and that Pecan Solar remain the holder of the CPCN for the Pecan Facility until the acquisition of that facility by DENC is consummated in early-to-mid 2018. Therefore, the Applicants requested that the Commission amend the Transfer Order to return the CPCNs to Gutenberg Solar and Pecan Solar until the acquisitions by DENC had occurred.

4. On February 2, 2018, the Commission issued its Order reinstating the CPCN to Gutenberg Solar and cancelling the CPCN issued to DENC. The Commission also directed the Company to file a motion informing the Commission of the date on which DENC’s acquisition of each facility is consummated, and requesting a transfer of the CPCN for each facility to DENC.

5. Consistent with this directive, with this Motion the Company provides notice to the Commission that DENC’s acquisition of the Gutenberg Facility was

consummated on June 27, 2019, and requests that the Commission issue an order transferring the CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility to the Company effective as of that date.

WHEREFORE, Dominion Energy North Carolina respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order transferring to DENC the CPCN previously issued to Gutenberg Solar, LLC in Docket No. SP-5434, Sub 0, with such transfer effective as of June 27, 2019.

Respectfully submitted, this the 28th day of June, 2019.

/s/Andrea R. Kells

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In the Matter of
Application of Johannes Gutenberg Solar,)
LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience)
and Necessity to Construct a 79.9-MW Solar)
Array in Northampton County, North)
Carolina)
VERIFICATION

I, Keith Windle, Vice President – Business Development for Virginia Electric and Power Company, verify that the contents of the Notice of Acquisition and Motion for Transfer of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, submitted on June 28, 2019, in the above-captioned proceedings are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I am duly authorized to act on behalf of Virginia Electric and Power Company.

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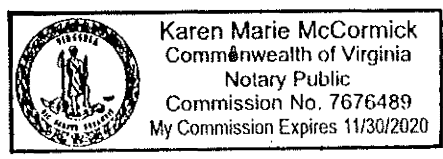
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA)
City of Richmond)

to wit:

The foregoing instrument was sworn to and acknowledged before me this 28
day of May, 2019.

Karen Marie McCormick
Notary Public

My registration number is 7676489 and my commission expires:
November 30, 2020



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Notice of Acquisition and Motion for Transfer of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, as filed in Docket Nos. SP-5434, Sub 0 and E-22, Sub 548, was served via electronic delivery or mailed, first-class, postage prepaid, upon all parties of record.

This, the 28th day of June, 2019.

/s/Kristin M. Athens

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