FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT TO VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT (the "Amendment") is made and entered into as of the 29th day of March, 2017 (the "Effective Date"), by and between Virginia Electric and Power Company ("Company") and Jamesville Road Solar, LLC f/k/a Jamesville Pulp Mill Solar, LLC ("Operator"), who may hereinafter be referred to collectively as "Parties".

WHEREAS, the Parties have entered into an Agreement for the Sale of Electrical Output to Virginia Electric and Power Company dated December 31, 2016 (the "Agreement");

WHEREAS, as of the Effective Date, Operator has changed its corporate name; and

WHEREAS, the Parties now desire to amend the Agreement to reflect this change.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing premises, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

AMENDMENT

- 1. The Parties agree to amend the Agreement so that all references to "Jamesville Pulp Mill Solar, LLC" shall be changed to "Jamesville Road Solar, LLC".
- 2. Unless expressly changed by this Amendment, all other terms of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.
- 3. This Amendment may be executed in multiple counterparts, including facsimile or pdf counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.
- 4. This Amendment contains the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter of this Amendment and supersedes any previous understandings, commitments, or agreements, oral or written, with respect to such subject matter of this Amendment.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties acknowledge and agree to this Amendment effective as of the Effective Date.

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

Title: Authorized Representation Name: Michael S. Huge

JAMESVILLE ROAD SOLAR, LLC f/k/a JAMESVILLE PULP MILL SOLAR, LLC

By: ______ Title: Manager

Name: Kenny Habul

FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT TO VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT (the "Amendment") is made and entered into as of the 29th day of March, 2017 (the "Effective Date"), by and between Virginia Electric and Power Company ("Company") and Gliden Solar, LLC f/k/a Gliden Jehu Solar, LLC ("Operator"), who may hereinafter be referred to collectively as "Parties".

WHEREAS, the Parties have entered into an Agreement for the Sale of Electrical Output to Virginia Electric and Power Company dated December 31, 2016 (the "Agreement");

WHEREAS, as of the Effective Date, Operator has changed its corporate name; and

WHEREAS, the Parties now desire to amend the Agreement to reflect this change.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing premises, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

AMENDMENT

- 1. The Parties agree to amend the Agreement so that all references to "Gliden Jehu Solar, LLC" shall be changed to "Gliden Solar, LLC".
- 2. Unless expressly changed by this Amendment, all other terms of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.
- 3. This Amendment may be executed in multiple counterparts, including facsimile or pdf counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.
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VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER **COMPANY**

Name: M:

GLIDEN SOLAR, LLC f/k/a GLIDEN JEHU SOLAR, LLC

Title: Manager

Name: Kenny Habul

AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT TO VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

THIS AGREEMENT, effective this 9 th day of November, 2017, (the "Effective Date") by and between VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY, a Virginia public service corporation with its principal office in Richmond, Virginia, doing business in Virginia as Dominion Virginia Power, and in North Carolina as Dominion North Carolina Power, hereinafter called "Dominion North Carolina Power" or the "Company," and Edenton Solar, LLC, a North Carolina Limited Liability Company with its principal office in Cornelius, North Carolina, hereinafter called "Operator." Both Dominion North Carolina Power and Operator also are herein individually referred to as "Party" and collectively referred to as "Parties":

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") has adopted a rate schedule described in this Agreement below as **Schedule 19-FP** applicable to Qualifying Facilities (or "QF" as that term is defined in 18 C.F.R. § 292) which can provide Contracted Capacity (as defined in Schedule 19-FP) (a) up to 5000 kW from a hydroelectric generating facility, (b) up to 5000 kW from a generating facility fueled by trash or methane derived from landfills, hog waste, poultry waste, solar, wind or non-animal forms of biomass, or (c) up to 3000 kW for all other QFs;

WHEREAS Operator is the owner of Edenton Solar, LLC (the "Facility") described in the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued by the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") in Docket No. SP-5442, SUB 0 ("CPCN"); and

WHEREAS, the Facility is located in Dominion North Carolina Power's retail service area in 740 Yeopim Rd., Edenton, Chowan County, North Carolina, and the Parties hereto wish to contract pursuant to Schedule 19-FP for the sale of electrical output from such a QF to be operated by Operator.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the Parties hereto contract and agree with each other as follows:

Article 1: Parties' Purchase and Sale Obligations

Dominion North Carolina Power or its agent, assignee, or successor will purchase from Operator all of the electrical output (energy and Contracted Capacity) made available for sale from the Facility on a simultaneous purchase and sale arrangement. The Mode of Operation that the Operator elects to operate the Facility is the Firm Mode of Operation as described in Section IV.C of Schedule 19-FP, Option B.

Article 2: Term and Commercial Operations Date

This Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and, unless earlier terminated under any other provision of this Agreement, shall continue in effect for a period of 15 years from the commercial operations date ("COD"). The COD shall be the first date that all of the following conditions have been satisfied:

- (a) The Facility has been permanently constructed, synchronized with and has delivered electrical output to the Dominion North Carolina Power system and such action has been witnessed by an authorized Dominion North Carolina Power employee;
- (b) After completion of item a) above, Dominion North Carolina Power has received written notice from Operator specifying the COD and certifying that the Facility is ready to begin commercial operations as a QF;
- (c) Operator and Dominion North Carolina Power (or the PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. or other operator of the Dominion North Carolina Power transmission system, as applicable) have executed an interconnection service agreement for delivery of capacity and energy generated by the Facility onto the Company's electrical system ("Interconnection

Agreement"), a copy of which has been provided to Company;

- (d) The Facility is a QF as evidenced by Operator providing a copy of its currently effective Form 556 self-certification or formal FERC QF certification order; and
- (e) The CPCN or RPCN, as applicable, is in full force and effect.

For contract terms of 10 years or more, this Agreement may be renewed at the option of Dominion North Carolina Power in accordance with Section I of Schedule 19-FP.

Article 3: Contracted Capacity

The Facility, consisting of solar inverters, has an aggregate maximum net power production capacity (calculated in accordance with FERC Form 556) of approximately 5,000 kW alternating current ("ac"). The Facility's Contracted Capacity shall be 5,000 kW ac.

Article 4: Attachments

The following documents are attached hereto and are made a part hereof:

Exhibit A: Quarterly Status Report Contents

Exhibit B: General Terms and Conditions

Exhibit C: Schedule 19-FP

Exhibit D: Map and related written description identifying the specific location

of the Facility in the City or County designated in Article 1

Exhibit E: Evidence of QF Status on the Effective Date

Exhibit F: Copy of CPCN or RPCN, as applicable.

Article 5: Price

Payments for all energy and Contracted Capacity purchased hereunder shall be determined by the provisions for payments in Schedule 19-FP included herewith as Exhibit C and pursuant to Operator elections within such Schedule 19-FP as stated in Article 1

hereof. Payments for all energy and Contracted Capacity purchased hereunder shall be on a cents per kilowatt-hour basis.

Article 6: Operator's Pre-COD Obligations

- (a) <u>Status Report</u>. After execution of this Agreement and until the COD, Operator shall deliver a quarterly status report to the Company with the information set forth in Exhibit A. This status report shall be delivered to Dominion North Carolina Power on or before the following dates each year: January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15.
- (b) <u>Commencement of Construction</u>. The Facility will be considered to have commenced construction on the first day upon which all of the following have occurred: (1) the issuance by Operator to its construction contractor for the Facility of a written unconditional notice-to-proceed with unrestricted construction activities for the Facility; (2) the mobilization of major construction equipment and construction facilities on the Facility site; and (3) the commencement of major structural excavation and structural concrete work relating to a major component of the Facility such as a power island or the ground mounting systems for solar panels and inverters consistent with having commenced a continuous process of construction relating to the Facility. Dominion North Carolina Power shall have no obligation to accept a declaration of Commercial Operations earlier than four (4) months prior to the anticipated COD date. The anticipated COD is December 31st, 2018.

Article 7: Early Termination

- (a) <u>Defaults with No Cure Period</u>. Operator and Company agree that Operator's failure to comply with any of the following will be a material breach of this Agreement and shall result in Company's right to early termination of this Agreement upon written notice to Operator, but without being subject to a cure period, provided however, that Company shall be obligated to pay for any capacity and energy delivered by Facility prior to termination of this Agreement at the rates stated herein.
- (i) failure to commence construction of the Facility, as defined in Section 6(b), within the later of fourteen (14) months from the Effective Date of this Agreement or thirty (30) days after the Company tenders an Interconnection Agreement for execution by Operator;
- (ii) delivery or supply of electrical output to any entity other than Dominion North Carolina Power or its agent, assignee or successor;
- (iii) Operator increases the aggregate maximum net power production capacity (calculated in accordance with FERC Form 556) of the Facility above the Contracted Capacity without the prior written approval of Company;

- (iv) failure to generate and deliver any energy and capacity from the Facility for more than 180 consecutive days at any time after COD; provided, however, if such failure is due to Force Majeure as defined in Exhibit B and Operator has complied with the requirements of Exhibit B with respect to such Force Majeure, then Company may not terminate this Agreement unless the failure lasts for three hundred sixty-five consecutive days.
- (b) <u>Defaults with Cure Period</u>. Operator and Company agree that the following events if not cured by Operator within thirty days of notice from Company shall constitute a default giving Company the right to terminate this Agreement:
 - (i) failure to meet the requirements necessary to maintain QF status (formal or self-certification at the Operator's option) or revocation of its QF status (formal or self-certification, as applicable) for any reason;
 - (ii) failure to provide a status report in accordance with Section 6(a);
 - (iii) termination of the Interconnection Agreement or suspension of Operator's right to interconnect the Facility under the Interconnection Agreement unless such failure is due to a breach of the Interconnection Agreement by a party other than the Operator; or
 - (iv) failure to perform in any material way, any other obligations, which failure would not constitute an individual event of default under Section 7(a) or Section 7(c).

Notwithstanding any cure period, Company shall not be obligated to purchase any energy or Contracted Capacity under this Agreement while such default remains uncured.

(c) <u>Delay in COD.</u> Company shall have the right to terminate this Agreement if Operator fails to achieve Commercial Operations Date within thirty months from the date of a Commission Order approving the Schedule 19-FP rates filed by the Company in Docket No. E-100, Sub 140; provided, however, an Operator may be allowed additional time to begin deliveries of power to the Company if the QF facilities in question are nearly complete at the end of such thirty month period and the QF is able to demonstrate that it is making a good faith effort to complete its project in a timely manner.

Operator agrees that if this Agreement is canceled by Dominion North Carolina Power prior to the end of the initial term of this Agreement for nonperformance by the QF, then, Dominion North Carolina Power shall have all rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

Article 8: Representations and Warranties

Operator represents and warrants that it has the right to operate the Facility in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Operator further represents and warrants that all permits, approvals, and/or licenses necessary for the operation of the Facility will be obtained prior to the COD and shall be maintained throughout the Term of this Agreement. Operator shall provide such documentation and evidence of such right, permits, approvals and/or licenses as Dominion North Carolina Power may reasonably request, including without limitation air permits, leases and/or purchase agreements.

Article 9: Notices and Payments

All correspondence and payments concerning this Agreement shall be to the addresses below. Either Party may change the address by providing written notice to the other Party.

OPERATOR: Edenton Solar, LLC Attn: Adam Foodman PO Box 1395 Cornelius, NC, 28031 DOMINION POWER NORTH CAROLINA: Virginia Electric and Power Company Power Contracts (3SE) 5000 Dominion Boulevard Glen Allen, Virginia 23060-6711

Article 10: Integration of Entirety of Agreement

This Agreement is intended by the Parties as the final expression of their Agreement and is intended also as a complete and exclusive statement of the terms of their Agreement with respect to the purchase and sale of electrical output generated by the Facility. All prior written or oral understandings, offers or other communications of every kind pertaining to this Agreement are hereby abrogated and withdrawn.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused their names to appear below, signed by authorized representatives as of the date first shown above.

Edenton Solar, LLC

By: Alle /bel

Title: CEO of the Manager

Date: 11/9/2017

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

By: J. And Shill

Title: Authorized Representative

Date: 11 15 17

EXHIBIT A

The quarterly status reports required by Article 6 shall include the following information and any additional information that may be reasonably requested by Company.

- Status of financing and expected closing date
- Notification and status of any plans to change control or ownership of the project
- Site location and acreage
- EIA Plant Code
- Description of construction status
- Timeline of construction to include:
 - Start date of construction
 - Construction completion date
 - Date for start-up and testing
- Timeline for interconnection through completion
- Current interconnection status
- Status of required permits
- Notice of any changes, modifications, or assignment of CPCN, RCPN and QF Status
- Summary of anticipated design components including transformer voltages and maximum output in AC & DC
- Estimated COD

EXHIBIT B General Terms and Conditions

I - Assignments

Operator agrees not to assign this Agreement without the prior written consent of Dominion North Carolina Power, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, provided, that such assignment does not require any amendment of the terms and conditions of the Agreement, other than the notice provisions, thereof. Any attempted assignment that Dominion North Carolina Power has not approved in writing shall be null and void and ineffective for all purposes. In the event of assignment by Operator, Operator shall pay the Company within thirty (30) days of the effective date of the assignment an amount equal to the actual costs incurred by Company in connection with such assignment up to a maximum amount of \$12,000 per assignment; provided, however, assignment of this Agreement by Operator in connection with an initial financing arrangement which is finalized and for which consent of the Company is requested within nine months of the Effective Date of this Agreement shall not be subject to the payment requirement provided herein.

II - Indemnity

Operator shall indemnify and save harmless and, if requested by Dominion North Carolina Power, defend Dominion North Carolina Power, its officers, directors and employees from and against any and all losses and claims or demands for damages to real property or tangible personal property (including the property of Dominion North Carolina Power) and injury or death to persons arising out of, resulting from, or in any manner caused by the presence, operation or maintenance of any part of Operator's Facility; provided, however, that nothing herein shall be construed as requiring Operator to indemnify Dominion North Carolina Power for any injuries, deaths or damages caused by the sole negligence of Dominion North Carolina Power. Operator agrees to provide Dominion North Carolina Power written evidence of liability insurance coverage, which is specifically and solely for the Facility, prior to the operation of the Facility. Operator agrees to have Dominion North Carolina Power named as an additional insured, and shall keep such coverage current throughout the term of this Agreement.

III - QF Certification

Operator represents and warrants that its Facility meets the QF requirements established as of the Effective Date of this Agreement by the FERC's rules (18 Code of Federal Regulations Part 292), and that it will continue to meet those requirements necessary to maintain QF status throughout the term of this Agreement. Operator agrees to provide copies, at the time of submittal, of all correspondence and filings with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission relating to status of the Facility as a QF. If requested by Dominion North Carolina Power prior to May 1 of any year, Operator agrees to provide July 1 of the same year to Dominion North Carolina Power for the preceding year

sufficient for Dominion North Carolina Power to determine the Operator's continuing compliance with its QF requirements, including but not limited to:

- (a) All information required by FERC Form 556;
- (b) Copy of the Facility's currently effective FERC Form 556 or formal FERC certification, as applicable and any subsequent revisions or amendments:
- (c) Where applicable, a copy of any contract executed with a thermal host;
- (d) Where applicable, identification of the amount of each type of fuel used per month and average heating value for each type of fuel, which will be used to determine the Total Energy Input. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (e) Where applicable, identification of each of the QF's useful thermal output(s) for each month, including temperature, pressure, amount of thermal output delivered, temperature and amount of condensate returned (if applicable) and the conversion to Btus. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (f) Identification of the QF's useful power output for each month. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (g) Where applicable, drawings, heat balance diagrams and a sufficiently detailed narrative describing the delivery of useful thermal output including the location, description, and calibration data for all metering equipment used for QF calculations; and
- (h) Dominion North Carolina Power may request additional information, as needed, to monitor the QF requirements.

IV - Consequential Damages

In no event shall either Party be liable to the other for any special, indirect, incidental or consequential damages whatsoever, except that the foregoing shall not apply to any promises of indemnity or obligations to reimburse the Parties expressly set forth in this Agreement.

V - Amendments, Waivers, Severability and Headings

This Agreement, including the appendices thereto, can be amended only by agreement between the Parties in writing. The failure of either Party to insist in any one or more instances upon strict performance of any provisions of this Agreement, or to take

advantage of any of its rights hereunder, shall not be construed as a waiver of any such provisions or the relinquishment of any such right or any other right hereunder. In the event any provision of this Agreement, or any part or portion thereof, shall be held to be invalid, void or otherwise unenforceable, the obligations of the Parties shall be deemed to be reduced only as much as may be required to remove the impediment. The headings contained in this Agreement are used solely for convenience and do not constitute a part of the Agreement between the Parties hereto, nor should they be used to aid in any manner in the construction of this Agreement.

VI - Compliance with Laws

Operator covenants that it shall comply with all applicable provisions of Executive Order 11246, as amended; § 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; § 402 of the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, as amended; and implementing regulations set forth in 41 C.F.R. §§ 60.1, 60-250, and 60-741 and the applicable provisions relating to the utilization of small minority business concerns as set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637, as amended. Operator agrees that the equal opportunity clause set forth in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.4 and the equal opportunity clauses set forth in 41 C.F.R. 60-§741.5 and the clauses relating to the utilization of small and minority business concerns set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637(d) (3) and 48 C.F.R. § 52-219.9 are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement. If this Agreement has a value of more than \$500,000, Operator shall adopt and comply with a small business and small disadvantaged business subcontracting plan which shall conform to the requirements set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637(d)(6). The provisions of this section shall apply to Operator only to the extent that:

- (a) such provisions are required of Operator under existing law;
- (b) Operator is not otherwise exempt from said provisions; and
- (c) Compliance with said provisions is consistent with and not violative of 42 U.S.C. § 2000 et seq., 42 U.S.C. § 1981 et seq., or other acts of Congress.

VII - Interconnection and Operation

Operator shall be responsible for the design, installation, and operation of its Facility. Operator shall be responsible for obtaining an Interconnection Agreement.

Operator shall: (a) maintain the Facility in conformance with all applicable laws and regulations and in accordance with operating procedures; (b) obtain any governmental authorizations and permits required for the construction and operation thereof and keep all such permits and authorizations current and in effect; and (c) manage the Facility in a safe and prudent manner. If at any time Operator does not hold such authorizations and permits, Dominion North Carolina Power may refuse to accept deliveries of power hereunder.

Dominion North Carolina Power may enter Operator's premises: (a) to inspect Operator's protective devices at any reasonable time; (b) to read or test meters and metering equipment; and (c) to disconnect, without notice, the Facility if, in Dominion North Carolina Power's opinion, a hazardous condition exists and such immediate action is necessary to protect persons, or Dominion North Carolina Power facilities or other customers' facilities from damage or interference caused by Operator's Facility or lack of properly operating protective devices. Dominion North Carolina Power will endeavor to notify Operator as quickly as practicable if disconnection occurs as provided in (c) above. Any inspection of Operator's protective devices shall not impose on Dominion North Carolina Power any liabilities with respect to the operation, safety or maintenance of such devices.

VIII - Metering

Dominion North Carolina Power will meter all electrical output delivered from the Facility on the high voltage side of the step up transformer(s).

Operator agrees to pay an administrative charge to Dominion North Carolina Power to reflect all reasonable costs incurred by Dominion North Carolina Power for meter reading and billing, also referred to as metering charges. The monthly meter reading and billing charge shall change from time to time when the NCUC approves a different charge in Schedule 19-FP.

In addition, Operator agrees to pay any fees required to provide and maintain leased telephone lines required for meter reading by Dominion North Carolina Power.

IX - Billing and Payment

Dominion North Carolina Power shall read the meter in accordance with its normal meter reading schedule. Within twenty-eight (28) days thereafter, Dominion North Carolina Power shall send via mail Operator payment for energy and Contracted Capacity delivered, except if payment is made via wire transfer then payment shall be made within thirty-one (31) days thereafter. At Dominion North Carolina Power's option, (i) Dominion North Carolina Power may make such payments net of the monthly metering charges, Interconnection Facilities charges, and charges for sales of electricity to the Operator, or (ii) Dominion North Carolina Power may invoice Operator for such charges separately. Payment by Dominion North Carolina Power shall include verification showing the billing month's ending meter reading, on-peak and off-peak kWh, and the amount paid. If in any month the monthly metering and Interconnection Facilities charges are in excess of any payments due Operator, Dominion North Carolina Power shall bill Operator for the difference and Operator shall make such payment within 28 days of the invoice date. Failure by Operator to make such payments may result in disconnection of the Facility. In no event shall such disconnection relieve Operator of its obligation to pay monthly metering charges and Interconnection Facilities charges under this Agreement.

In the event that any data required for billing purposes hereunder are unavailable when required for such billing, the unavailable data shall be estimated by Dominion North Carolina Power, based upon historical data. Such billing shall be subject to any required adjustment in a subsequent billing month.

Operator agrees that Dominion North Carolina Power shall be entitled to withhold sufficient amounts due pursuant to this Agreement to offset (a) any damages to Dominion North Carolina Power resulting from any breach of this Agreement by Operator, and (b) any other amounts Operator owes Dominion North Carolina Power, including amounts arising from sales of electricity by Dominion North Carolina Power to Operator, metering charges and Interconnection Facilities charges.

In no event shall Dominion North Carolina Power be liable to Operator for any Contracted Capacity payments in excess of the amounts contracted for herein, regardless of the ultimate length of this Agreement or revisions to Schedule 19-FP or successor schedules. Operator hereby agrees to accept the Contracted Capacity payments as set forth herein as its sole and complete compensation for delivery of Contracted Capacity to Dominion North Carolina Power.

X - Force Majeure

Neither Party shall be considered in default under this Agreement or responsible to the other Party in tort, strict liability, contract or other legal theory for damages of any description for any interruption or failure of service or deficiency in the quality or quantity of service or any other failure to perform any of its obligations hereunder to the extent such failure occurs without fault or negligence on the part of that Party and is caused by factors beyond that Party's reasonable control, which by the exercise of reasonable diligence that Party is unable to prevent, avoid, mitigate or overcome, including without limitation storm, flood, lightning, earthquake, explosion, equipment failure, civil disturbance, labor dispute, act of God or public enemy, action or inaction of a court or public authority, fire, sabotage, war, explosion, curtailments, unscheduled withdrawal of facilities from operation for maintenance or repair or any other cause of similar nature beyond the reasonable control of that Party (any such event, "Force Majeure"). Solely economic hardship of either Party shall not constitute Force Majeure under this Agreement. Nor shall anything contained in this paragraph or elsewhere in this Agreement excuse Operator or Dominion North Carolina Power from strict compliance with the obligation of the Parties to comply with the terms of Article IX of this Exhibit B relating to timely payments.

Each Party shall have the obligation to operate in accordance with Good Utility Practice (as defined below) at all times and to use due diligence to overcome and remove any cause of failure to perform.

If a Party relies on the occurrence of an event of Force Majeure described above as a basis for being excused from performance of its obligations under this Agreement, then the Party relying on the Force Majeure event shall:

- a) Provide within forty-eight (48) hours written notice of such Force Majeure event or potential Force Majeure to the other Party, giving an estimate of its expected duration and the probable impact on the performance of its obligations hereunder;
- b) Exercise all reasonable efforts to continue to perform its obligations under this Agreement;
- c) Expeditiously take action to correct or cure the Force Majeure event excusing performance; provided, however, that settlement of strikes or other labor disputes will be completely within the sole discretion of the Party affected by such strike or labor dispute;
- d) Exercise all reasonable efforts to mitigate or limit damages to the other Party; and
- e) Provide prompt notice to the other Party of the cessation of the Force Majeure event giving rise to its excuse from performance. All performance obligations hereunder shall be extended by a period equal to the term of the resultant delay.

If a Party responding to a Force Majeure event has the ability to obtain, for additional expenditures, expedited material deliveries or labor production which would allow a response to the event in a manner that is above and beyond Good Utility Practice, and such a response could shorten the duration of the Force Majeure event, the Party responding to the event may, at its discretion, present the other Party with the option of funding the expenditures for expediting material deliveries or labor production in an effort to reduce the duration of the event and economic hardship. Each such opportunity will be negotiated on a case-by-case basis by the Parties.

For purposes of this Agreement, "Good Utility Practice" shall mean any of the applicable practices, methods, standards, guides or acts: required by any governmental authority, regional or national reliability council, or national trade organization, including NERC, SERC, or the successor of any of them, as they may be amended from time to time whether or not the Party whose conduct is at issue is a member thereof; otherwise engaged in or approved by a significant portion of the electric utility industry during the relevant time period which in the exercise of reasonable judgment in light of the facts known or that should have been known at the time a decision was made, could have been expected to accomplish the desired result in a manner consistent with law, regulation, good business practices, generation, transmission and distribution reliability, safety, environmental protection, economy and expediency. Good Utility Practice is intended to be acceptable practices, methods, or acts generally accepted in the region, or any other acts or practices as are reasonably necessary to maintain the reliability of the Transmission System (as defined in the Interconnection Agreement), or of the Facility, and is not intended to be limited to the optimum practices, methods, or acts to the exclusion of all others.

EXHIBIT C

Exhibit C is a copy of Schedule 19-FP.

EXHIBIT D

Exhibit D is a map and written description identifying the specific location of the Facility and is provided by the Operator.



Solar Farm Address: 740 Yeopim Rd., Edenton, NC 27932

Approximate GPS Location: 36°03'11.3"N 76°32'42.4"W

EXHIBIT E

Exhibit E is a copy of the Operator Form 556 or formal FERC certification of QF status in effect as of the Effective Date.

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Acceptance for Filing

The FERC Office of the Secretary has accepted the following electronic submission for filing (Acceptance for filing does not constitute approval of any application or self-certifying notice):

- -Accession No.: 201503105216 -Docket(s) No.: QF15-527-000
- -Filed By: O2 emc, LLC
- -Signed By: Stephen LaFleur
- -Filing Type: Qualifying Facility Application or PURPA Energy Utility Filing -Filing Desc: Form 556 of Edenton Airport Solar, LLC under QF15-527.
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EXHIBIT F

Exhibit F is the CPCN or RPCN for the Facility, as applicable.

I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY

Subject to the limitations of this Section I, this schedule is applicable to any qualifying Cogenerator or Small Power Producer (Qualifying Facility) which desires to deliver all of its net electrical output to the Company, has either (1) generating facilities designated as new capacity as defined by 18 C.F.R. § 292.304(b)(1), or (2) hydroelectric generating facilities that meet the criteria of being owned or operated by a small power producer as defined in G.S. 62-3(27a), and enters into an agreement for the sale of net electrical output to the Company (Agreement).

Unless otherwise provided by a Commission order setting forth different availability dates, this schedule is available to any Qualifying Facility (otherwise eligible pursuant to the terms hereof) that, no later than the date on which proposed rates are filed in the next biennial avoided cost proceeding after Docket No. E-100, Sub 140, (a) has obtained a certificate of public convenience and necessity for its facility from the Commission or filed a report of proposed construction with the Commission pursuant to Commission Rule R8-65, (b) has self-certified with FERC as a Qualifying Facility (QF), and (c) has submitted to the Company a duly executed "Notice of Commitment to Sell the Output of a Qualifying Facility to Dominion North Carolina Power Company ("Notice of Commitment"). The form of the Notice of Commitment can be found on the Company's website through the following link: https://www.dom.com/salestodnep. Alternatively, a QF may request a Notice of Commitment form via email to PowerContracts@dom.com.

Where the QF elects to be compensated for firm deliveries in accordance with this schedule, the amount of capacity under contract (the "Contracted Capacity") and the initial term of contract shall be limited as follows:

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I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

- A. Where the QF operates hydroelectric generating facilities that meet the criteria of being owned or operated by a small power producer as defined in G.S. 62-3(27a), or where the QF operates non-hydroelectric QFs fueled by trash or methane derived from landfills, hog waste, poultry waste, solar, wind, and non-animal forms of biomass, the amount of Contracted Capacity subject to compensation shall be no greater than 5,000 kW, and the amount of energy purchased during a given hour at rates applicable to firm deliveries shall be no greater than 5,000 kWh. The initial term of contract for such a QF shall be for a period of five, 10, or 15 years, at the option of the QF.
- B. Where the QF is not defined under Paragraph I.A., the amount of Contracted Capacity subject to compensation shall be no greater than 3,000 kW, and the amount of energy purchased during a given hour at rates applicable to firm deliveries shall be no greater than 3,000 kWh. The initial term of contract for such a QF shall be for a period of 5 years.

Where the QF elects to be compensated for firm or non-firm deliveries in accordance with this schedule, the QF must begin deliveries to the Company within thirty months of the Commission's order in Docket No. E-100, Sub 140 approving this Schedule 19-FP to retain eligibility for the rates contained in this schedule; provided, however, a QF may be allowed additional time to begin deliveries of power to the Company if the QF facilities in question are nearly complete at the end of such thirty month period and the QF is able to demonstrate that it is making a good faith effort to complete its project in a timely manner. Where the QF elects an initial contract term of 10 or more years, such contract may be renewed for subsequent term(s), at the Company's option, based on substantially the same terms and provisions and at a rate either (1) mutually agreed upon by the parties negotiating in good faith and taking into consideration the Company's then avoided cost rates and other relevant factors or (2) set by arbitration.

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I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

This schedule is not available or applicable to a QF owned by a developer, or affiliate of a developer, who sells power to the Company from another facility located within one-half mile unless: (1) each facility provides thermal energy to different, unaffiliated hosts; or (2) each facility provides thermal energy to the same host, and the host has multiple operations with distinctly different or separate thermal needs. For purposes of this paragraph, the distance between facilities shall be measured from the electrical-generating equipment of each facility.

This schedule is not available or applicable to a QF that utilizes a renewable resource, such as hydroelectric, solar, or wind power facilities, which is owned by a developer, or affiliate of a developer who is selling or will sell power to the Company from another QF using the same renewable energy resource located within one-half mile if the combined output of such renewable resource QFs will exceed 5,000 kW (ac). For purposes of this paragraph, distance between QFs shall be measured from the electrical generating equipment of each facility.

II. MONTHLY BILLING TO THE QF

All sales to the QF will be in accordance with any applicable filed rate schedule. In addition, where the QF contracts for sales to the Company, the QF will be billed a monthly charge equal to one of the following to cover the cost of meter reading and processing:

Metering required	<u>Charge</u>
One non-time-differentiated meter	\$17.24
One time-differentiated meter	\$35.55
Two time-differentiated meters	\$41.16

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III. DEFINITION OF ON- AND OFF-PEAK HOURS

A. For Option A Rates the On-Peak Hours are:

Summer

(i) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight March 31 and ending at 12:00 midnight September 30:

The on-peak hours are defined as the hours between 10:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

Non-Summer

(ii) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight September 30 and ending at 12:00 midnight March 31:

The on-peak hours are defined as those hours between 6:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., plus 4:00 p.m. through 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

B. For Option B Rates the On-Peak Hours are:

Summer

(i) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight May 31 and ending at 12:00 midnight September 30:

The on-peak hours are defined as the hours between 1:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

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III. DEFINITION OF ON- AND OFF-PEAK HOURS (Continued)

Non-Summer

(ii) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight September 30 and ending at 12:00 midnight May 31:

The on-peak hours are defined as those hours between 6:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

Note: Option B Rates and Hours are Applicable Only to QFs Electing the Firm Mode of Operation

C. Off-Peak Hours:

The off-peak hours in any month are defined as all hours not specified above as on-peak hours. All hours for the following holidays will be considered as off-peak: New Year's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, the day after Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day. When one of the above holidays falls on a Saturday, the Friday before the holiday will be considered off-peak; when the holiday falls on a Sunday, the following Monday will be considered off-peak.

IV. CONTRACT OPTIONS FOR DESIGNATING MODE OF OPERATION

The QF shall designate under contract its Mode of Operation from the following options, each of which determines the Company's method of payment.

A. <u>Non-Reimbursement Mode</u>. The QF may contract for the delivery of energy to the Company without reimbursement, designated as the Non-reimbursement Mode of Operation.

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IV. CONTRACT OPTIONS FOR DESIGNATING MODE OF OPERATION (Continued)

- B. Energy-Only, Non-time-differentiated or the Energy-Only, Time-differentiated Mode. The QF may contract for the delivery of energy-only energy to the Company (energy-only payments are not fixed for the duration of the PPA term; the rates will change with each revision of this schedule, and there is no payment for capacity to QFs selecting the energy-only option). Where the QF's generation facilities have an aggregate nameplate rating of 100 kW or less the QF may designate the energy-only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation. Regardless of nameplate rating the QF may designate the energy-only, Time-differentiated Mode of Operation.
- C. Firm Mode. The QF may contract for the delivery of both energy and capacity to the Company under Firm Mode. The level of capacity which the QF contracts to sell to the Company shall not exceed 5,000 kW, where the QF is defined under Paragraph I.A., or 3,000 kW otherwise. This capacity level, in kW, shall be referred to as the Contracted Capacity. When the QF elects to sell firm energy and capacity, the QF shall designate the Firm Mode of Operation.

V. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF ENERGY-ONLY

The QF may contract to receive payment for energy-only determined with each revision of this schedule. These rates will be based upon the QF's Mode of Operation as described below. There are no capacity payments for the QFs that contract for energy-only energy.

A. <u>Non-reimbursement Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF designates the Non-Reimbursement Mode of Operation, no payment will be made for energy delivered.

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V. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF ENERGY-ONLY (Continued)

B. <u>Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF's generation facilities have an aggregate nameplate rating of 100 kW or less and the QF designates the energy-only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation, the following rates in cents per kWh are applicable:

3.356

C. <u>Time-differentiated Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF designates the energy-only Time-differentiated Mode of Operation, the following On- and Off-peak rates in cents per kWh are applicable:

On-peak (as defined in Section III.A) 3.826 Off-peak 3.096

The rates in both B and C above will be redetermined on a biennial basis on each revision of this schedule. Further, for clarity, the Energy-only rates in C above are identical to the Variable Rates shown below in Section VI. A.

All energy purchase rates regardless of Mode of Operation will be further increased by 3.0% to account for line losses avoided by the Company.

VI. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF FIRM ENERGY

QFs designating the Firm Mode of Operation will be eligible to receive capacity payments in addition to energy rates under this Section VI – Firm Energy. The QF may contract to receive payments for firm energy based on A or B, below. Contract terms for 10 or 15 years are available only where the QF is defined under Paragraph I.A. Capacity payments to the QF will be paired with the option the QF selects for firm energy payments (e.g., if the QF selects Option A for firm energy payments, the QF will be paid Option A capacity payments).

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VI. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF FIRM ENERGY (Continued)

In lieu of fixed rates, a QF that selects the Firm Mode of Operation may contract to receive payment for time-differentiated energy at rates to be determined with each revision of this schedule. These rates in cents per kWh, which reflect the Company's estimated avoided energy cost for delivery of energy until the next biennial filing, are as shown in the price tables below under the heading Variable Rate:

A. Option A: The QF may contract to receive energy purchase payments for the delivery of firm energy based upon fixed prices, as shown below in cents per kWh:

	<u>Fixed Long-Term Rate</u>			
	Variable Rate	5-Year	10-Year	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh)	3.826	4.367	4.743	5.037
Off-peak (¢/kWh)	3.096	3.612	3.963	4.188

B. Option B: The QF may contract to receive energy purchase payments for the delivery of firm energy based upon fixed prices, as shown below in cents per kWh:

	Fixed Long-Term Rate			
	Variable Rate	5-Year	10-Year	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh)	3.826	4.412	4.802	5.124
Off-peak (¢/kWh)	3.226	3.734	4.085	4.314

Operator shall be paid for energy up to 5% above the Contracted Capacity in any hour at the then applicable energy-only rates under Schedule 19-FP except no payment shall be made for generation in excess of 5,000 kW or 3,000 kW as applicable pursuant to Section I.A. or I.B.

All energy purchase rates will be further increased by 3.0% to account for line losses avoided by the Company.

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VII. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF CAPACITY

Company purchases of capacity are applicable only where the QF elects the Firm Mode of Operation. The QF will receive payments for capacity based on Option A below if the QF selected Option A for firm energy payments. The QF will receive capacity payment based on Option B below if the QF selected Option B for firm energy payments. Capacity payments are applicable during on-peak hours only. Such QFs shall receive capacity purchase payments based on the applicable levelized capacity purchase price below, in cents per kWh, corresponding to the contract length in years. Contract terms of 10 or 15 years are available only for QFs described in Paragraph I.A.

Option A:

For hydroelectric facilities with no storage capability and no other type of generation:

	<u>Capacity Price</u>		
	<u>5-Year</u>	10-Year	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	4.351	4.515	4.665
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	2.900	3.010	3.110

For all other facilities:

	Capacity Price		
	<u>5-Year</u>	10-Year	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	2.611	2.709	2.799
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	1.740	1.806	1.866

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VII. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF CAPACITY (Continued)

Option B:

For hydroelectric facilities with no storage capability and no other type of generation:

		Capacity Price	<u>}</u>
	<u>5-Year</u>	<u>10-Year</u>	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	9.981	10.358	10.701
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	3.848	3.993	4.125

For all other facilities:

	Capacity Price		
	<u>5-Year</u>	10-Year	<u>15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	5.989	6.215	6.421
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	2.309	2.396	2.475

Payments will be made to the QF by applying the appropriate levelized capacity purchase price above to all kWh delivered to the Company during each on-peak hour, up to the 100% of the Contracted Capacity in such hour. There will be no compensation for capacity in excess of the QF's Contracted Capacity in an hour. This capacity price will be in accordance with the length of rate term for capacity sales so established in the contract.

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VIII. PROVISIONS FOR COMPANY PURCHASE OF THE QF GENERATION

- A. The QF shall own and be fully responsible for the costs and performance of the QF's:
 - 1. Generating facility in accordance with all applicable laws and governmental agencies having jurisdiction;
 - 2. Control and protective devices as required by the Company on the OF's side of the meter.
- B. The sale of power to the Company by a QF at avoided cost rates pursuant to this Schedule 19-FP does not convey ownership to the Company of the renewable energy credits or green tags associated with the QF facility.
- C. The QF is responsible for obtaining an interconnection service agreement for delivery of capacity and energy generated by its facility onto the Company's electrical system. Information on interconnection procedures for the QF's generation interconnection is provided through the Internet at the Company's website:

https://www.dom.com/library/domcom/pdfs/north-carolina-power/rates/terms-and-conditions/term24.pdf.

If the interconnection is subject to FERC jurisdiction, the interconnection will be in accordance with FERC and PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. requirements.

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IX. MODIFICATION OF RATES AND OTHER PROVISIONS HEREUNDER

The provisions of this schedule, including the rates for purchase of energy and Contracted Capacity by the Company, are subject to modification at any time in the manner prescribed by law, and when so modified, shall supersede the rates and provisions hereof. However, payments to QFs with contracts for a specified term at payments established at the time the obligation is incurred shall remain at the payment levels established in their contract.

If the QF terminates its contract to provide Contracted Capacity and energy to the Company prior to the expiration of the contract term, the QF shall, in addition to other liabilities, be liable to the Company for excess capacity and energy payments.

Such excess payments will be calculated by taking the difference between (1) the total capacity and energy payments already made by the Company to the QF and (2) capacity and energy payments calculated based on the levelized capacity and energy purchase price found in Paragraph VI and VII corresponding to the highest term option completed by the QF. These excess payments shall also include interest, from the time such excess payments were made, compounded annually at the rate equal to the Company's most current issue of long-term debt at the time of the contract's effective date.

X. TERM OF CONTRACT

The term of contract shall be such as may be mutually agreed upon but for not less than one year.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. SP-5442, SUB 0

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	ORDER AMENDING
Application of Edenton Airport Solar, LLC,)	CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC
for a Certificate of Public Convenience and)	CONVENIENCE AND
Necessity to Construct a 10-MW Solar)	NECESSITY AND
Facility in Chowan County, North Carolina)	REGISTRATION

BY THE CHAIRMAN: On October 6, 2015, the Commission issued a certificate of public convenience and necessity (CPCN), pursuant to G.S. 62-110.1(a) to Edenton Airport Solar, LLC (Applicant) for construction of a 20-MW solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located at 740 Yeopim Road, near Edenton, Chowan County, North Carolina. In addition, the Commission accepted registration of the facility as a new renewable energy facility.

On April 7, 2017, the Applicant filed a letter with the Commission requesting that the Commission amend the CPCN and registration for the facility to reduce the capacity of the facility to 10 MW.

Based upon the foregoing and the record in this docket, the Chairman finds good cause to amend the CPCN and registration to state the capacity of the facility as 10 MW.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

- 1. That the request filed by Edenton Airport Solar, LLC to amend the registration and certificate of public convenience and necessity for construction of a 20-MW solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located at 740 Yeopim Road, near Edenton, Chowan County, North Carolina, to reflect a capacity of 10 MW shall be, and is hereby, approved.
- 2. That Appendix A shall constitute the amended certificate of public convenience and necessity reflecting the reduced capacity of the facility.

3. That the CPCN previously issued to Edenton Airport Solar, LLC, in this docket shall be, and is hereby, cancelled.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 13th day of April, 2017.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Linnetta Threatt, Acting Deputy Clerk

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. SP-5442, SUB 0

Edenton Airport Solar, LLC Post Office Box 1395 Cornelius, North Carolina 28031

is hereby issued this amended

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

PURSUANT TO G.S. 62-110.1

for a 10-MW AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility

located at

740 Yeopim Road, near Edenton, Chowan County, North Carolina,

subject to all orders, rules, regulations and conditions as are now or may hereafter be lawfully made by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 13th day of April, 2017.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Linnetta Threatt, Acting Deputy Clerk

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AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT TO VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

THIS AGREEMENT, effective this 28thday of February, 2017, (the "Effective Date") by and between VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY, a Virginia public service corporation with its principal office in Richmond, Virginia, doing business in Virginia as Dominion Virginia Power, and in North Carolina as Dominion North Carolina Power, hereinafter called "Dominion North Carolina Power" or the "Company," and Davis Lane Solar, LLC, a North Carolina Limited Liability Corporation, with its principal office in Edenton, NC, hereinafter called "Operator." Both Dominion North Carolina Power and Operator also are herein individually referred to as "Party" and collectively referred to as "Parties":

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") has adopted a rate schedule described in this Agreement below as <u>Schedule 19-FP</u> applicable to Qualifying Facilities (or "QF" as that term is defined in 18 C.F.R. § 292) which can provide Contracted Capacity (as defined in Schedule 19-FP) (a) up to 5000 kW from a hydroelectric generating facility, (b) up to 5000 kW from a generating facility fueled by trash or methane derived from landfills, hog waste, poultry waste, solar, wind or non-animal forms of biomass, or (c) up to 3000 kW for all other QFs;

WHEREAS Operator is the owner of Davis Lane Solar, LLC (the "Facility") described in the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued by the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") in Docket No. SP-7139, Sub 0 ("CPCN"); and

WHEREAS, the Facility is located in Dominion North Carolina Power's retail service area in 200 Davis Lane, Edenton, Perquimans County, North Carolina, and the Parties hereto wish to contract pursuant to Schedule 19-FP for the sale of electrical output from such a QF to be operated by Operator.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the Parties hereto contract and agree with each other as follows:

Article 1: Parties' Purchase and Sale Obligations

Dominion North Carolina Power or its agent, assignee, or successor will purchase from Operator all of the electrical output (energy and Contracted Capacity) made available for sale from the Facility on an excess sale arrangement. The Mode of Operation that the Operator elects to operate the Facility is:

Non-Reimbursement Mode as described in Section IV.A of Schedule 19-FP;
Energy-Only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation as described in Section IV.B of Schedule 19-FP;
Energy-Only, Time-differentiated Mode of Operation) as described in Section IV.B of Schedule FP; or
X Firm Mode of Operation as described in Section IV.C of Schedule 19-FP
QF elects the following basis for payment for Company purchases of energy under the Firm Mode of Operation:
Option A, or
X_ Option B

Article 2: Term and Commercial Operations Date

This Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and, unless earlier terminated under any other provision of this Agreement, shall continue in effect for a period of Fifteen (15) years from the commercial operations date ("COD"). The COD shall be the first date that all of the following conditions have been satisfied:

- (a) The Facility has been permanently constructed, synchronized with and has delivered electrical output to the Dominion North Carolina Power system and such action has been witnessed by an authorized Dominion North Carolina Power employee;
- (b) After completion of item a) above, Dominion North Carolina Power has received written notice from Operator specifying the COD and certifying that the Facility is ready to begin commercial operations as a QF;
- (c) Operator and Dominion North Carolina Power (or the PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. or other

operator of the Dominion North Carolina Power transmission system, as applicable) have executed an interconnection service agreement for delivery of capacity and energy generated by the Facility onto the Company's electrical system ("Interconnection Agreement"), a copy of which has been provided to Company;

- (d) The Facility is a QF as evidenced by Operator providing a copy of its currently effective Form 556 self-certification or formal FERC QF certification order; and
- (e) The CPCN or RPCN, as applicable, is in full force and effect.

For contract terms of 10 years or more, this Agreement may be renewed at the option of Dominion North Carolina Power in accordance with Section I of Schedule 19-FP.

Article 3: Contracted Capacity

The Facility, consisting of PV solar panels and inverters, has an aggregate maximum net power production capacity (calculated in accordance with FERC Form 556) of approximately 5,000 kW alternating current ("ac"). The Facility's Contracted Capacity shall be 5,000 kW ac.

Article 4: Attachments

The following documents are attached hereto and are made a part hereof:

Exhibit A: Quarterly Status Report Contents

Exhibit B: General Terms and Conditions

Exhibit C: Schedule 19-FP

Exhibit D: Map and related written description identifying the specific

location of the Facility in the City or County designated in

Article 1

Exhibit E: Evidence of QF Status on the Effective Date

Exhibit F: Copy of CPCN or RPCN, as applicable.

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Article 5: Price

Payments for all energy and Contracted Capacity purchased hereunder shall be determined by the provisions for payments in Schedule 19-FP included herewith as Exhibit C and pursuant to Operator elections within such Schedule 19-FP as stated in Article 1 hereof. Payments for all energy and Contracted Capacity purchased hereunder shall be on a cents per kilowatt-hour basis.

Article 6: Operator's Pre-COD Obligations

- (a) <u>Status Report</u>. After execution of this Agreement and until the COD, Operator shall deliver a quarterly status report to the Company with the information set forth in Exhibit A. This status report shall be delivered to Dominion North Carolina Power on or before the following dates each year: January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15.
- (b) <u>Commencement of Construction</u>. The Facility will be considered to have commenced construction on the first day upon which all of the following have occurred: (1) the issuance by Operator to its construction contractor for the Facility of a written unconditional notice-to-proceed with unrestricted construction activities for the Facility; (2) the mobilization of major construction equipment and construction facilities on the Facility site; and (3) the commencement of major structural excavation and structural concrete work relating to a major component of the Facility such as a power island or the ground mounting systems for solar panels and inverters consistent with having commenced a continuous process of construction relating to the Facility. Dominion North Carolina Power shall have no obligation to accept a declaration of Commercial Operations earlier than four (4) months prior to the anticipated COD date. The anticipated COD is December 30, 2017.

Article 7: Early Termination

- (a) <u>Defaults with No Cure Period</u>. Operator and Company agree that Operator's failure to comply with any of the following will be a material breach of this Agreement and shall result in Company's right to early termination of this Agreement upon written notice to Operator, but without being subject to a cure period, provided however, that Company shall be obligated to pay for any capacity and energy delivered by Facility prior to termination of this Agreement at the rates stated herein.
- (i) failure to commence construction of the Facility, as defined in Section 6(b), within the later of fourteen (14) months from the Effective Date of this Agreement or thirty (30) days after the Company tenders an Interconnection Agreement for execution by Operator;
- (ii) delivery or supply of electrical output to any entity other than Dominion North Carolina Power or its agent, assignee or successor;

- (iii) Operator increases the aggregate maximum net power production capacity (calculated in accordance with FERC Form 556) of the Facility above the Contracted Capacity without the prior written approval of Company;
- (iv) failure to generate and deliver any energy and capacity from the Facility for more than 180 consecutive days at any time after COD; provided, however, if such failure is due to Force Majeure as defined in Exhibit B and Operator has complied with the requirements of Exhibit B with respect to such Force Majeure, then Company may not terminate this Agreement unless the failure lasts for three hundred sixty-five consecutive days.
- (b) <u>Defaults with Cure Period</u>. Operator and Company agree that the following events if not cured by Operator within thirty days of notice from Company shall constitute a default giving Company the right to terminate this Agreement:
 - (i) failure to meet the requirements necessary to maintain QF status (formal or self-certification at the Operator's option) or revocation of its QF status (formal or self-certification, as applicable) for any reason;
 - (ii) failure to provide a status report in accordance with Section 6(a);
 - (iii) termination of the Interconnection Agreement or suspension of Operator's right to interconnect the Facility under the Interconnection Agreement unless such failure is due to a breach of the Interconnection Agreement by a party other than the Operator; or
 - (iv) failure to perform in any material way, any other obligations, which failure would not constitute an individual event of default under Section 7(a) or Section 7(c).

Notwithstanding any cure period, Company shall not be obligated to purchase any energy or Contracted Capacity under this Agreement while such default remains uncured.

(c) <u>Delay in COD.</u> Company shall have the right to terminate this Agreement if Operator fails to achieve Commercial Operations Date within thirty months from the date of a Commission Order approving the Schedule 19-FP rates filed by the Company in Docket No. E-100, Sub 140; provided, however, an Operator may be allowed additional time to begin deliveries of power to the Company if the QF facilities in question are nearly complete at the end of such thirty month period and the QF is able to demonstrate that it is making a good faith effort to complete its project in a timely manner.

Operator agrees that if this Agreement is canceled by Dominion North Carolina Power prior to the end of the initial term of this Agreement for nonperformance by the QF,

then, Dominion North Carolina Power shall have all rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

Article 8: Representations and Warranties

Operator represents and warrants that it has the right to operate the Facility in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Operator further represents and warrants that all permits, approvals, and/or licenses necessary for the operation of the Facility will be obtained prior to the COD and shall be maintained throughout the Term of this Agreement. Operator shall provide such documentation and evidence of such right, permits, approvals and/or licenses as Dominion North Carolina Power may reasonably request, including without limitation air permits, leases and/or purchase agreements.

Article 9: Notices and Payments

All correspondence and payments concerning this Agreement shall be to the addresses below. Either Party may change the address by providing written notice to the other Party.

OPERATOR:

DOMINION NORTH CAROLINA POWER:

Davis Lane Solar, LLC 105 Davis Lane Edenton, NC 27932

Virginia Electric and Power Company Power Contracts (3SE) 5000 Dominion Boulevard Glen Allen, VA 23060-6711

Article 10: Integration of Entirety of Agreement

This Agreement is intended by the Parties as the final expression of their Agreement and is intended also as a complete and exclusive statement of the terms of their Agreement with respect to the purchase and sale of electrical output generated by the Facility. All prior written or oral understandings, offers or other communications of every kind pertaining to this Agreement are hereby abrogated and withdrawn.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused their names to appear below, signed by authorized representatives as of the date first shown above.

DAVIS LANE SOLAR, LLC

By:

Shelley D. Layden

Title:

Sole Managing Member

Date:

February 28, 2017

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

By: Mills. Appl Title: Attorised Representative

Date: 3/6/2017

EXHIBIT A

The quarterly status reports required by Article 6 shall include the following information and any additional information that may be reasonably requested by Company.

- Status of financing and expected closing date
- Notification and status of any plans to change control or ownership of the project
- Site location and acreage
- EIA Plant Code
- Description of construction status
- Timeline of construction to include:
 - Start date of construction
 - Construction completion date
 - Date for start-up and testing
- Timeline for interconnection through completion
- Current interconnection status
- Status of required permits
- Notice of any changes, modifications, or assignment of CPCN, RCPN and QF Status
- Summary of anticipated design components including transformer voltages and maximum output in AC & DC
- Estimated COD

EXHIBIT B

General Terms and Conditions

I - Assignments

Operator agrees not to assign this Agreement without the prior written consent of Dominion North Carolina Power, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, provided, that such assignment does not require any amendment of the terms and conditions of the Agreement, other than the notice provisions, thereof. Any attempted assignment that Dominion North Carolina Power has not approved in writing shall be null and void and ineffective for all purposes. In the event of assignment by Operator, Operator shall pay the Company within thirty (30) days of the effective date of the assignment an amount equal to the actual costs incurred by Company in connection with such assignment up to a maximum amount of \$12,000 per assignment; provided, however, assignment of this Agreement by Operator in connection with an initial financing arrangement which is finalized and for which consent of the Company is requested within nine months of the Effective Date of this Agreement shall not be subject to the payment requirement provided herein.

II - Indemnity

Operator shall indemnify and save harmless and, if requested by Dominion North Carolina Power, defend Dominion North Carolina Power, its officers, directors and employees from and against any and all losses and claims or demands for damages to real property or tangible personal property (including the property of Dominion North Carolina Power) and injury or death to persons arising out of, resulting from, or in any manner caused by the presence, operation or maintenance of any part of Operator's Facility; provided, however, that nothing herein shall be construed as requiring Operator to indemnify Dominion North Carolina Power for any injuries, deaths or damages caused by the sole negligence of Dominion North Carolina Power. Operator agrees to provide Dominion North Carolina Power written evidence of liability insurance coverage, which is specifically and solely for the Facility, prior to the operation of the Facility. Operator agrees to have Dominion North Carolina Power named as an additional insured, and shall keep such coverage current throughout the term of this Agreement.

III - QF Certification

Operator represents and warrants that its Facility meets the QF requirements established as of the Effective Date of this Agreement by the FERC's rules (18 Code of Federal Regulations Part 292), and that it will continue to meet those requirements necessary to maintain QF status throughout the term of this Agreement. Operator agrees to provide copies, at the time of submittal, of all correspondence and filings with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission relating to status of the Facility as a QF. If requested by Dominion North Carolina Power prior to May 1 of any year, Operator

agrees to provide July 1 of the same year to Dominion North Carolina Power for the preceding year sufficient for Dominion North Carolina Power to determine the Operator's continuing compliance with its QF requirements, including but not limited to:

- (a) All information required by FERC Form 556;
- (b) Copy of the Facility's currently effective FERC Form 556 or formal FERC certification, as applicable and any subsequent revisions or amendments;
- (c) Where applicable, a copy of any contract executed with a thermal host;
- (d) Where applicable, identification of the amount of each type of fuel used per month and average heating value for each type of fuel, which will be used to determine the Total Energy Input. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (e) Where applicable, identification of each of the QF's useful thermal output(s) for each month, including temperature, pressure, amount of thermal output delivered, temperature and amount of condensate returned (if applicable) and the conversion to Btus. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (f) Identification of the QF's useful power output for each month. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (g) Where applicable, drawings, heat balance diagrams and a sufficiently detailed narrative describing the delivery of useful thermal output including the location, description, and calibration data for all metering equipment used for QF calculations; and
- (h) Dominion North Carolina Power may request additional information, as needed, to monitor the QF requirements.

IV - Consequential Damages

In no event shall either Party be liable to the other for any special, indirect, incidental or consequential damages whatsoever, except that the foregoing shall not apply to any promises of indemnity or obligations to reimburse the Parties expressly set forth in this Agreement.

V - Amendments, Waivers, Severability and Headings

This Agreement, including the appendices thereto, can be amended only by agreement between the Parties in writing. The failure of either Party to insist in any one or more instances upon strict performance of any provisions of this Agreement, or to take advantage of any of its rights hereunder, shall not be construed as a waiver of any such provisions or the relinquishment of any such right or any other right hereunder. In the event any provision of this Agreement, or any part or portion thereof, shall be held to be invalid, void or otherwise unenforceable, the obligations of the Parties shall be deemed to be reduced only as much as may be required to remove the impediment. The headings contained in this Agreement are used solely for convenience and do not constitute a part of the Agreement between the Parties hereto, nor should they be used to aid in any manner in the construction of this Agreement.

VI - Compliance with Laws

Operator covenants that it shall comply with all applicable provisions of Executive Order 11246, as amended; § 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; § 402 of the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, as amended; and implementing regulations set forth in 41 C.F.R. §§ 60.1, 60-250, and 60-741 and the applicable provisions relating to the utilization of small minority business concerns as set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637, as amended. Operator agrees that the equal opportunity clause set forth in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.4 and the equal opportunity clauses set forth in 41 C.F.R. § 250.5 and 41 C.F.R. 60-§741.5 and the clauses relating to the utilization of small and minority business concerns set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637(d) (3) and 48 C.F.R. § 52-219.9 are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement. If this Agreement has a value of more than \$500,000, Operator shall adopt and comply with a small business and small disadvantaged business subcontracting plan which shall conform to the requirements set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637(d)(6). The provisions of this section shall apply to Operator only to the extent that:

- (a) such provisions are required of Operator under existing law;
- (b) Operator is not otherwise exempt from said provisions; and
- (c) Compliance with said provisions is consistent with and not violative of 42 U.S.C. § 2000 et seq., 42 U.S.C. § 1981 et seq., or other acts of Congress.

VII - Interconnection and Operation

Operator shall be responsible for the design, installation, and operation of its Facility. Operator shall be responsible for obtaining an Interconnection Agreement.

Operator shall: (a) maintain the Facility in conformance with all applicable laws and regulations and in accordance with operating procedures; (b) obtain any

governmental authorizations and permits required for the construction and operation thereof and keep all such permits and authorizations current and in effect; and (c) manage the Facility in a safe and prudent manner. If at any time Operator does not hold such authorizations and permits, Dominion North Carolina Power may refuse to accept deliveries of power hereunder.

Dominion North Carolina Power may enter Operator's premises: (a) to inspect Operator's protective devices at any reasonable time; (b) to read or test meters and metering equipment; and (c) to disconnect, without notice, the Facility if, in Dominion North Carolina Power's opinion, a hazardous condition exists and such immediate action is necessary to protect persons, or Dominion North Carolina Power facilities or other customers' facilities from damage or interference caused by Operator's Facility or lack of properly operating protective devices. Dominion North Carolina Power will endeavor to notify Operator as quickly as practicable if disconnection occurs as provided in (c) above. Any inspection of Operator's protective devices shall not impose on Dominion North Carolina Power any liabilities with respect to the operation, safety or maintenance of such devices.

VIII - Metering

Dominion North Carolina Power will meter all electrical output delivered from the Facility on the high voltage side of the step up transformer(s).

Operator agrees to pay an administrative charge to Dominion North Carolina Power to reflect all reasonable costs incurred by Dominion North Carolina Power for meter reading and billing, also referred to as metering charges. The monthly meter reading and billing charge shall change from time to time when the NCUC approves a different charge in Schedule 19-FP.

In addition, Operator agrees to pay any fees required to provide and maintain leased telephone lines required for meter reading by Dominion North Carolina Power.

IX - Billing and Payment

Dominion North Carolina Power shall read the meter in accordance with its normal meter reading schedule. Within twenty-eight (28) days thereafter, Dominion North Carolina Power shall send via mail Operator payment for energy and Contracted Capacity delivered, except if payment is made via wire transfer then payment shall be made within thirty-one (31) days thereafter. At Dominion North Carolina Power's option, (i) Dominion North Carolina Power may make such payments net of the monthly metering charges, Interconnection Facilities charges, and charges for sales of electricity to the Operator, or (ii) Dominion North Carolina Power may invoice Operator for such charges separately. Payment by Dominion North Carolina Power shall include verification showing the billing month's ending meter reading, on-peak and off-peak kWh, and the amount paid. If in any month the monthly metering and Interconnection Facilities charges are in excess of any payments due Operator,

Dominion North Carolina Power shall bill Operator for the difference and Operator shall make such payment within 28 days of the invoice date. Failure by Operator to make such payments may result in disconnection of the Facility. In no event shall such disconnection relieve Operator of its obligation to pay monthly metering charges and Interconnection Facilities charges under this Agreement.

In the event that any data required for billing purposes hereunder are unavailable when required for such billing, the unavailable data shall be estimated by Dominion North Carolina Power, based upon historical data. Such billing shall be subject to any required adjustment in a subsequent billing month.

Operator agrees that Dominion North Carolina Power shall be entitled to withhold sufficient amounts due pursuant to this Agreement to offset (a) any damages to Dominion North Carolina Power resulting from any breach of this Agreement by Operator, and (b) any other amounts Operator owes Dominion North Carolina Power, including amounts arising from sales of electricity by Dominion North Carolina Power to Operator, metering charges and Interconnection Facilities charges.

In no event shall Dominion North Carolina Power be liable to Operator for any Contracted Capacity payments in excess of the amounts contracted for herein, regardless of the ultimate length of this Agreement or revisions to Schedule 19-FP or successor schedules. Operator hereby agrees to accept the Contracted Capacity payments as set forth herein as its sole and complete compensation for delivery of Contracted Capacity to Dominion North Carolina Power.

X - Force Majeure

Neither Party shall be considered in default under this Agreement or responsible to the other Party in tort, strict liability, contract or other legal theory for damages of any description for any interruption or failure of service or deficiency in the quality or quantity of service or any other failure to perform any of its obligations hereunder to the extent such failure occurs without fault or negligence on the part of that Party and is caused by factors beyond that Party's reasonable control, which by the exercise of reasonable diligence that Party is unable to prevent, avoid, mitigate or overcome, including without limitation storm, flood, lightning, earthquake, explosion, equipment failure, civil disturbance, labor dispute, act of God or public enemy, action or inaction of a court or public authority, fire, sabotage, war, explosion, curtailments, unscheduled withdrawal of facilities from operation for maintenance or repair or any other cause of similar nature beyond the reasonable control of that Party (any such event, "Force Majeure"). Solely economic hardship of either Party shall not constitute Force Majeure under this Agreement. Nor shall anything contained in this paragraph or elsewhere in this Agreement excuse Operator or Dominion North Carolina Power from strict compliance with the obligation of the Parties to comply with the terms of Article IX of this Exhibit B relating to timely payments.

Each Party shall have the obligation to operate in accordance with Good Utility Practice (as defined below) at all times and to use due diligence to overcome and remove any cause of failure to perform.

If a Party relies on the occurrence of an event of Force Majeure described above as a basis for being excused from performance of its obligations under this Agreement, then the Party relying on the Force Majeure event shall:

- a) Provide within forty-eight (48) hours written notice of such Force Majeure event or potential Force Majeure to the other Party, giving an estimate of its expected duration and the probable impact on the performance of its obligations hereunder;
- b) Exercise all reasonable efforts to continue to perform its obligations under this Agreement;
- c) Expeditiously take action to correct or cure the Force Majeure event excusing performance; provided, however, that settlement of strikes or other labor disputes will be completely within the sole discretion of the Party affected by such strike or labor dispute;
- d) Exercise all reasonable efforts to mitigate or limit damages to the other Party; and
- e) Provide prompt notice to the other Party of the cessation of the Force Majeure event giving rise to its excuse from performance. All performance obligations hereunder shall be extended by a period equal to the term of the resultant delay.

If a Party responding to a Force Majeure event has the ability to obtain, for additional expenditures, expedited material deliveries or labor production which would allow a response to the event in a manner that is above and beyond Good Utility Practice, and such a response could shorten the duration of the Force Majeure event, the Party responding to the event may, at its discretion, present the other Party with the option of funding the expenditures for expediting material deliveries or labor production in an effort to reduce the duration of the event and economic hardship. Each such opportunity will be negotiated on a case-by-case basis by the Parties.

For purposes of this Agreement, "Good Utility Practice" shall mean any of the applicable practices, methods, standards, guides or acts: required by any governmental authority, regional or national reliability council, or national trade organization, including NERC, SERC, or the successor of any of them, as they may be amended from time to time whether or not the Party whose conduct is at issue is a member thereof; otherwise engaged in or approved by a significant portion of the electric utility industry during the relevant time period which in the exercise of reasonable judgment in light of the facts known or that should have been known at the time a decision was made, could have been expected to accomplish the desired result in a manner consistent with law, regulation, good business practices, generation, transmission and distribution

reliability, safety, environmental protection, economy and expediency. Good Utility Practice is intended to be acceptable practices, methods, or acts generally accepted in the region, or any other acts or practices as are reasonably necessary to maintain the reliability of the Transmission System (as defined in the Interconnection Agreement), or of the Facility, and is not intended to be limited to the optimum practices, methods, or acts to the exclusion of all others.

EXHIBIT C

Exhibit C is a copy of Schedule 19-FP.

Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION QUALIFYING FACILITIES

I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY

Subject to the limitations of this Section I, this schedule is applicable to any qualifying Cogenerator or Small Power Producer (Qualifying Facility) which desires to deliver all of its net electrical output to the Company, has either (1) generating facilities designated as new capacity as defined by 18 C.F.R. § 292.304(b)(1), or (2) hydroelectric generating facilities that meet the criteria of being owned or operated by a small power producer as defined in G.S. 62-3(27a), and enters into an agreement for the sale of net electrical output to the Company (Agreement).

Unless otherwise provided by a Commission order setting forth different availability dates, this schedule is available to any Qualifying Facility (otherwise eligible pursuant to the terms hereof) that, no later than the date on which proposed rates are filed in the next biennial avoided cost proceeding after Docket No. E-100, Sub 140, (a) has obtained a certificate of public convenience and necessity for its facility from the Commission or filed a report of proposed construction with the Commission pursuant to Commission Rule R8-65, (b) has self-certified with FERC as a Qualifying Facility (QF), and (c) has submitted to the Company a duly executed "Notice of Commitment to Sell the Output of a Qualifying Facility to Dominion North Carolina Power Company ("Notice of Commitment"). The form of the Notice of Commitment can be found on the Company's website through the following link: https://www.dom.com/salestodncp. Alternatively, a QF may request a Notice of Commitment form via email to PowerContracts@dom.com.

Where the QF elects to be compensated for firm deliveries in accordance with this schedule, the amount of capacity under contract (the "Contracted Capacity") and the initial term of contract shall be limited as follows:

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I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

- A. Where the QF operates hydroelectric generating facilities that meet the criteria of being owned or operated by a small power producer as defined in G.S. 62-3(27a), or where the QF operates non-hydroelectric QFs fueled by trash or methane derived from landfills, hog waste, poultry waste, solar, wind, and non-animal forms of biomass, the amount of Contracted Capacity subject to compensation shall be no greater than 5,000 kW, and the amount of energy purchased during a given hour at rates applicable to firm deliveries shall be no greater than 5,000 kWh. The initial term of contract for such a QF shall be for a period of five, 10, or 15 years, at the option of the QF.
- B. Where the QF is not defined under Paragraph I.A., the amount of Contracted Capacity subject to compensation shall be no greater than 3,000 kW, and the amount of energy purchased during a given hour at rates applicable to firm deliveries shall be no greater than 3,000 kWh. The initial term of contract for such a QF shall be for a period of 5 years.

Where the QF elects to be compensated for firm or non-firm deliveries in accordance with this schedule, the QF must begin deliveries to the Company within thirty months of the Commission's order in Docket No. E-100, Sub 140 approving this Schedule 19-FP to retain eligibility for the rates contained in this schedule; provided, however, a QF may be allowed additional time to begin deliveries of power to the Company if the QF facilities in question are nearly complete at the end of such thirty month period and the QF is able to demonstrate that it is making a good faith effort to complete its project in a timely manner. Where the QF elects an initial contract term of 10 or more years, such contract may be renewed for subsequent term(s), at the Company's option, based on substantially the same terms and provisions and at a rate either (1) mutually agreed upon by the parties negotiating in good faith and taking into consideration the Company's then avoided cost rates and other relevant factors or (2) set by arbitration.

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I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

This schedule is not available or applicable to a QF owned by a developer, or affiliate of a developer, who sells power to the Company from another facility located within one-half mile unless: (1) each facility provides thermal energy to different, unaffiliated hosts; or (2) each facility provides thermal energy to the same host, and the host has multiple operations with distinctly different or separate thermal needs. For purposes of this paragraph, the distance between facilities shall be measured from the electrical-generating equipment of each facility.

This schedule is not available or applicable to a QF that utilizes a renewable resource, such as hydroelectric, solar, or wind power facilities, which is owned by a developer, or affiliate of a developer who is selling or will sell power to the Company from another QF using the same renewable energy resource located within one-half mile if the combined output of such renewable resource QFs will exceed 5,000 kW (ac). For purposes of this paragraph, distance between QFs shall be measured from the electrical generating equipment of each facility.

II. MONTHLY BILLING TO THE QF

All sales to the QF will be in accordance with any applicable filed rate schedule. In addition, where the QF contracts for sales to the Company, the QF will be billed a monthly charge equal to one of the following to cover the cost of meter reading and processing:

Metering required	<u>Charge</u>
One non-time-differentiated meter	\$17.24
One time-differentiated meter	\$35.55
Two time-differentiated meters	\$41.16

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III. DEFINITION OF ON- AND OFF-PEAK HOURS

A. For Option A Rates the On-Peak Hours are:

Summer

(i) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight March 31 and ending at 12:00 midnight September 30:

The on-peak hours are defined as the hours between 10:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

Non-Summer

(ii) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight September 30 and ending at 12:00 midnight March 31:

The on-peak hours are defined as those hours between 6:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., plus 4:00 p.m. through 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

B. For Option B Rates the On-Peak Hours are:

Summer

(i) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight May 31 and ending at 12:00 midnight September 30:

The on-peak hours are defined as the hours between 1:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

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III. DEFINITION OF ON- AND OFF-PEAK HOURS (Continued)

Non-Summer

(ii) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight September 30 and ending at 12:00 midnight May 31:

The on-peak hours are defined as those hours between 6:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

Note: Option B Rates and Hours are Applicable Only to QFs Electing the Firm Mode of Operation

C. Off-Peak Hours:

The off-peak hours in any month are defined as all hours not specified above as on-peak hours. All hours for the following holidays will be considered as off-peak: New Year's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, the day after Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day. When one of the above holidays falls on a Saturday, the Friday before the holiday will be considered off-peak; when the holiday falls on a Sunday, the following Monday will be considered off-peak.

IV. CONTRACT OPTIONS FOR DESIGNATING MODE OF OPERATION

The QF shall designate under contract its Mode of Operation from the following options, each of which determines the Company's method of payment.

A. <u>Non-Reimbursement Mode</u>. The QF may contract for the delivery of energy to the Company without reimbursement, designated as the Non-reimbursement Mode of Operation.

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IV. CONTRACT OPTIONS FOR DESIGNATING MODE OF OPERATION (Continued)

- B. Energy-Only, Non-time-differentiated or the Energy-Only, Time-differentiated Mode. The QF may contract for the delivery of energy-only energy to the Company (energy-only payments are not fixed for the duration of the PPA term; the rates will change with each revision of this schedule, and there is no payment for capacity to QFs selecting the energy-only option). Where the QF's generation facilities have an aggregate nameplate rating of 100 kW or less the QF may designate the energy-only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation. Regardless of nameplate rating the QF may designate the energy-only, Time-differentiated Mode of Operation.
- C. <u>Firm Mode</u>. The QF may contract for the delivery of both energy and capacity to the Company under Firm Mode. The level of capacity which the QF contracts to sell to the Company shall not exceed 5,000 kW, where the QF is defined under Paragraph I.A., or 3,000 kW otherwise. This capacity level, in kW, shall be referred to as the Contracted Capacity. When the QF elects to sell firm energy and capacity, the QF shall designate the Firm Mode of Operation.

V. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF ENERGY-ONLY

The QF may contract to receive payment for energy-only determined with each revision of this schedule. These rates will be based upon the QF's Mode of Operation as described below. There are no capacity payments for the QFs that contract for energy-only energy.

A. <u>Non-reimbursement Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF designates the Non-Reimbursement Mode of Operation, no payment will be made for energy delivered.

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V. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF ENERGY-ONLY (Continued)

B. <u>Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF's generation facilities have an aggregate nameplate rating of 100 kW or less and the QF designates the energy-only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation, the following rates in cents per kWh are applicable:

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C. <u>Time-differentiated Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF designates the energy-only Time-differentiated Mode of Operation, the following On- and Off-peak rates in cents per kWh are applicable:

On-peak (as defined in Section III.A) 3.826 Off-peak 3.096

The rates in both B and C above will be redetermined on a biennial basis on each revision of this schedule. Further, for clarity, the Energy-only rates in C above are identical to the Variable Rates shown below in Section VI. A.

All energy purchase rates regardless of Mode of Operation will be further increased by 3.0% to account for line losses avoided by the Company.

VI. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF FIRM ENERGY

QFs designating the Firm Mode of Operation will be eligible to receive capacity payments in addition to energy rates under this Section VI – Firm Energy. The QF may contract to receive payments for firm energy based on A or B, below. Contract terms for 10 or 15 years are available only where the QF is defined under Paragraph I.A. Capacity payments to the QF will be paired with the option the QF selects for firm energy payments (e.g., if the QF selects Option A for firm energy payments, the QF will be paid Option A capacity payments).

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VI. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF FIRM ENERGY (Continued)

In lieu of fixed rates, a QF that selects the Firm Mode of Operation may contract to receive payment for time-differentiated energy at rates to be determined with each revision of this schedule. These rates in cents per kWh, which reflect the Company's estimated avoided energy cost for delivery of energy until the next biennial filing, are as shown in the price tables below under the heading Variable Rate:

A. Option A: The QF may contract to receive energy purchase payments for the delivery of firm energy based upon fixed prices, as shown below in cents per kWh:

	Fixed Long-Term Rate			
	Variable Rate	5-Year	<u>10-Year</u>	<u> 15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh)	3.826	4.367	4.743	5.037
Off-peak (¢/kWh)	3.096	3.612	3.963	4.188

B. Option B: The QF may contract to receive energy purchase payments for the delivery of firm energy based upon fixed prices, as shown below in cents per kWh:

	Fixed Long-Term Rate			
	Variable Rate	5-Year	<u>10-Year</u>	<u>15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh)	3.826	4.412	4.802	5.124
Off-peak (¢/kWh)	3.226	3.734	4.085	4.314

Operator shall be paid for energy up to 5% above the Contracted Capacity in any hour at the then applicable energy-only rates under Schedule 19-FP except no payment shall be made for generation in excess of 5,000 kW or 3,000 kW as applicable pursuant to Section I.A. or I.B.

All energy purchase rates will be further increased by 3.0% to account for line losses avoided by the Company.

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VII. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF CAPACITY

Company purchases of capacity are applicable only where the QF elects the Firm Mode of Operation. The QF will receive payments for capacity based on Option A below if the QF selected Option A for firm energy payments. The QF will receive capacity payment based on Option B below if the QF selected Option B for firm energy payments. Capacity payments are applicable during on-peak hours only. Such QFs shall receive capacity purchase payments based on the applicable levelized capacity purchase price below, in cents per kWh, corresponding to the contract length in years. Contract terms of 10 or 15 years are available only for QFs described in Paragraph I.A.

Option A:

For hydroelectric facilities with no storage capability and no other type of generation:

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	<u>5-Year</u>	<u> 10-Year</u>	<u> 15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	4.351	4.515	4.665
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	2.900	3.010	3.110
For all other facilities:			
	<u>(</u>	Capacity Price	
	5-Year	10-Year	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	2.611	2.709	2.799
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	1.740	1.806	1.866

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Capacity Price

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VII. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF CAPACITY (Continued)

Option B:

For hydroelectric facilities with no storage capability and no other type of generation:

		Capacity Price	2
	<u>5-Year</u>	10-Year	<u>15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	9.981	10.358	10.701
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	3.848	3.993	4.125

For all other facilities:

		Capacity Price	
	<u>5-Year</u>	<u>10-Year</u>	<u>15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	5.989	6.215	6.421
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	2.309	2.396	2.475

Payments will be made to the QF by applying the appropriate levelized capacity purchase price above to all kWh delivered to the Company during each on-peak hour, up to the 100% of the Contracted Capacity in such hour. There will be no compensation for capacity in excess of the QF's Contracted Capacity in an hour. This capacity price will be in accordance with the length of rate term for capacity sales so established in the contract.

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VIII. PROVISIONS FOR COMPANY PURCHASE OF THE QF GENERATION

- A. The QF shall own and be fully responsible for the costs and performance of the QF's:
 - 1. Generating facility in accordance with all applicable laws and governmental agencies having jurisdiction;
 - 2. Control and protective devices as required by the Company on the QF's side of the meter.
- B. The sale of power to the Company by a QF at avoided cost rates pursuant to this Schedule 19-FP does not convey ownership to the Company of the renewable energy credits or green tags associated with the QF facility.
- C. The QF is responsible for obtaining an interconnection service agreement for delivery of capacity and energy generated by its facility onto the Company's electrical system. Information on interconnection procedures for the QF's generation interconnection is provided through the Internet at the Company's website:

https://www.dom.com/library/domcom/pdfs/north-carolina-power/rates/terms-and-conditions/term24.pdf.

If the interconnection is subject to FERC jurisdiction, the interconnection will be in accordance with FERC and PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. requirements.

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Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION QUALIFYING FACILITIES

(Continued)

IX. MODIFICATION OF RATES AND OTHER PROVISIONS HEREUNDER

The provisions of this schedule, including the rates for purchase of energy and Contracted Capacity by the Company, are subject to modification at any time in the manner prescribed by law, and when so modified, shall supersede the rates and provisions hereof. However, payments to QFs with contracts for a specified term at payments established at the time the obligation is incurred shall remain at the payment levels established in their contract.

If the QF terminates its contract to provide Contracted Capacity and energy to the Company prior to the expiration of the contract term, the QF shall, in addition to other liabilities, be liable to the Company for excess capacity and energy payments.

Such excess payments will be calculated by taking the difference between (1) the total capacity and energy payments already made by the Company to the QF and (2) capacity and energy payments calculated based on the levelized capacity and energy purchase price found in Paragraph VI and VII corresponding to the highest term option completed by the QF. These excess payments shall also include interest, from the time such excess payments were made, compounded annually at the rate equal to the Company's most current issue of long-term debt at the time of the contract's effective date.

X. TERM OF CONTRACT

The term of contract shall be such as may be mutually agreed upon but for not less than one year.

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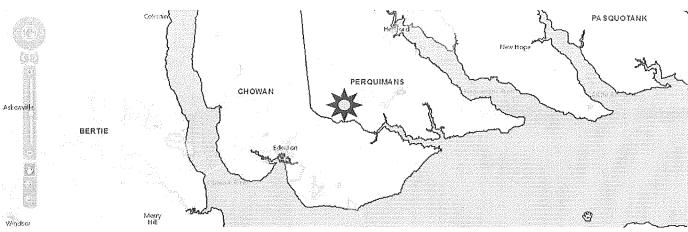
EXHIBIT D

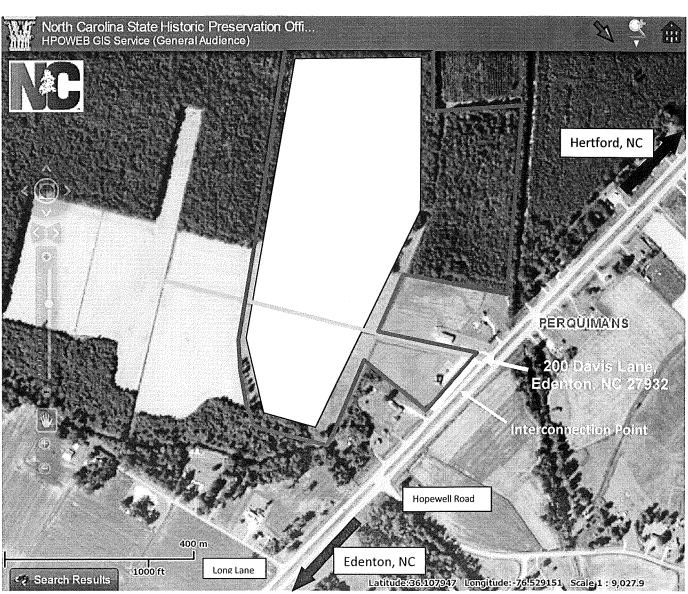
Exhibit D is a map and written description identifying the specific location of the Facility and is provided by the Operator.

Docket number SP-7139 Sub 0

R8-64 Application – Color Map

Location (911 Address): 200 Davis Lane, Edenton, NC 27932





Location: Solar PV Generator Facility is proposed to be located at 200 Davis Lane just off of US Hwy 17 in between the Town of Edenton and the Town of Hertford in Perquimans County, NC. 110 +/- acres, owned by Ralph & Cynthia Davis.

EXHIBIT E

Exhibit E is a copy of the Operator Form 556 or formal FERC certification of QF status in effect as of the Effective Date.

OR

If Facility is less than 1MW, Operator may submit the following statement as Exhibit E that the Facility qualifies as a Qualifying Facility (QF) under federal law:

Federal law exempts small power production or cogeneration facilities with net power production capacities of 1 MW or less from certain certification requirements in order to qualify as a qualifying facility ("QF" or "Qualifying Facility"). Therefore, [QF Name Here] submits the Facility is exempt from the certification requirements, but submits that the Facility qualifies as a Qualifying Facility under federal law set forth in the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (codified at 16 U.S.C. § 824a-3).

Name			
Title	 	-	

October 31, 2016

Electronic Filing Online:

Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 4325 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-4325

Re:

FERC Form 556

Docket No. SP-7139, Sub 0

Dear Chief Clerk:

Enclosed for filing is the self-certification FERC Form 556 for Davis Lane Solar, LLC in the above referenced docket SP-7139, Sub 0. Davis Lane Solar, LLC makes this filing pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(c)(1).

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or if I can be of further assistance.

With sincere regards,

Davis Lane Solar, LLC

By: Shelley D. Layden

Its: Authorized Individual

Enclosure

cc: Dominion North Carolina Power

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC

OMB Control # 1902-0075 Expiration 06/30/2019

Form 556 Certification of Qualifying Facility (QF) Status for a Small Power Production or Cogeneration Facility

1b Applicant street 105 Davis Lar			
1c City		1d State/provi	ince
Edenton		NC	
1e Postal code 27932	1f Country (if not United States)		1g Telephone number (252) 337–5900
1h Has the instant f	cility ever previously been certified as a Q	F? Yes 🔲 N	No 🛛
1i If yes, provide the	docket number of the last known QF filin	g pertaining to th	nis facility: QF
1j Under which cert	fication process is the applicant making th	nis filing?	
Notice of self-c	ertification A	pplication for Co	ommission certification (requires filing e" section on page 3)
QF status. A not notice of self-ce	elf-certification is a notice by the applicant ice of self-certification does not establish a tification to verify compliance. See the "V 3 for more information.	a proceeding, an	d the Commission does not review a
	F status is the applicant seeking for its fac	ility? (check all th	nat apply)
Qualifying sma	ll power production facility status 🔲 C	Qualifying cogene	eration facility status
11 What is the purpo	se and expected effective date(s) of this fi	ling?	
☑ Original certifi	ation; facility expected to be installed by	11/15/17 a	nd to begin operation on 12/15/17
	previously certified facility to be effective s) of change(s) below, and describe chang		laneous section starting on page 19)
☐ Name chan	ge and/or other administrative change(s)		
☐ Change in o	wnership		
☐ Change(s) a	ffecting plant equipment, fuel use, power	production capa	city and/or cogeneration thermal output
	correction to a previous filing submitted o	***************************************	
(describe the s	pplement or correction in the Miscellaneo	ous section starti	ng on page 19)
to the extent po	owing three statements is true, check the basis is sible, explaining any special circumstance	s in the Miscellar	neous section starting on page 19.
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	cility would comply with the Commission with this application is granted	's QF requiremer	nts if a petition for waiver submitted
employment	cility complies with the Commission's reg of unique or innovative technologies not ration of compliance via this form difficult	contemplated by	the structure of this form, that make

	2a Name of contact person			2b Telephone number			
	Shelley D. Layden			(252) 337-5900			
	2c Which of the following describes		•				
_	Applicant (self) 🔀 Empl	oyee, owner or partner of	applicant authori	zed to represent the applicant			
i E	Employee of a company affiliat	ted with the applicant au	thorized to represe	ent the applicant on this matter			
nat	Lawyer, consultant, or other re	presentative authorized t	o represent the ap	pplicant on this matter			
- LO	2d Company or organization name (if applicant is an individual, check here and skip to line 2e)						
Ţ	Davis Lane Solar, LLC						
Contact Information	2e Street address (if same as Applicant, check here and skip to line 3a)						
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	2f City		2g State/provi	nce			
	2h Postal code	2i Country (if not United	d States)				
چ	3a Facility name Davis Lane Solar, LLC						
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Sca	3b Street address (if a street address	s does not exist for the fac	cility, check here a	nd skip to line 3c)[∑[
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ty Identification and Location	then you must specify the latitud	de and longitude coordin	ates of the facility	our facility by checking the box in line in degrees (to three decimal places). and seconds: decimal degrees =			
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	Perquimans						
	Identify the electric utilities that are o	contemplated to transact	with the facility.				
lities	4a Identify utility interconnecting w	ith the facility					
ng Uti	4b Identify utilities providing wheel	ling service or check here	if none 🔀		0		
Transacting Utilities	4c Identify utilities purchasing the useful electric power output or check here if none DOMINION NC POWER						
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Davis Lane Solar, LLC



	6a	Describe th	ne primary energy input: (ch	neck one ma	in cate	egory and, if ap	plicable, o	one subcateg	ory)	
		Biomas	s (specify)	⊠ Re	newal	ble resources (specify)	Geoth	ermal	
			andfill gas		☐ Hy	ydro power - ri	ver	Fossil	fuel (speci	fy)
			Manure digester gas		☐ Hy	ydro power - ti	dal		Coal (not	waste)
		□ v	Nunicipal solid waste		☐ Hy	ydro power - w	ave		Fuel oil/di	esel
		□ S	ewage digester gas		⊠ So	olar - photovoli	aic		Natural ga	s (not waste)
		□ v	Vood		☐ So	olar - thermal		г,	Other foss	il fuel
			Other biomass (describe on	page 19)	□ w	ind		أبيا	(describe	on page 19)
;		☐ Waste	specify type below in line 6	b)		ther renewable lescribe on pag		Other	(describe	on page 19)
	6b	If you spec	ified "waste" as the primary	energy inp	ut in lii	ne 6a, indicate	the type o	of waste fuel	used: (che	ck one)
		☐ Wast	e fuel listed in 18 C.F.R. § 29	2.202(b) (sp	ecify o	ne of the follo	wing)			
			Anthracite culm produced	prior to July	23, 19	985				
			Anthracite refuse that has ash content of 45 percent		neat co	ontent of 6,000	Btu or les	s per pound	and has a	n average
			Bituminous coal refuse the average ash content of 25			eat content of	9,500 Btu	per pound o	r less and	has an
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Energy Input			Coal refuse produced on F BLM or that is located on r applicant shows that the la	on-Federal	or nor	n-Indian lands	outside of	BLM's jurisdi	ction, pro	
Ш	Lignite produced in association with the production of montan wax and lignite that becomes expo						es exposed			
	☐ Gaseous fuels (except natural gas and synthetic gas from coal) (describe on page							ibe on page	19)	
			Waste natural gas from ga C.F.R. § 2.400 for waste na compliance with 18 C.F.R.	tural gas; ind						
			Materials that a governme	nt agency h	as cert	ified for dispo	al by com	bustion (des	cribe on p	age 19)
		Â	Heat from exothermic read	tions (desci	ibe on	page 19)		Residual heat	(describe	on page 19)
			Used rubber tires] Plastic ma	terials	5 <u> </u>	Refinery of	f-gas	☐ Petro	oleum coke
	Other waste energy input that has little or no commercial value and exists in the absence of the facility industry (describe in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19; include a discussion lack of commercial value and existence in the absence of the qualifying facility industry)						cussion of			
The state of the s	6с	energy inp	e average energy input, calo outs, and provide the relate). For any oil or natural gas	d percentag	e of th	e total average	e annual e	nergy input t		
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			Oil-based fuels		*		Btu/h		0 %	
			Coal) Btu/h		0 %	

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Technical Facility Information

Indicate the maximum gross and maximum net electric power production capacity of the facility at the point(s) of delivery by completing the worksheet below. Respond to all items. If any of the parasitic loads and/or losses identified in lines 7b through 7e are negligible, enter zero for those lines.

7a The maximum gross power production capacity at the terminals of the individual generator(s) under the most favorable anticipated design conditions	5,000 kW
7b Parasitic station power used at the facility to run equipment which is necessary and integral to the power production process (boiler feed pumps, fans/blowers, office or maintenance buildings directly related to the operation of the power generating facility, etc.). If this facility includes non-power production processes (for instance, power consumed by a cogeneration facility's thermal host), do not include any power consumed by the non-power production activities in your reported parasitic station power.	
eported parasitic station power.	0 kW
7c Electrical losses in interconnection transformers	12.5 kW
7d Electrical losses in AC/DC conversion equipment, if any	o kW
7e Other interconnection losses in power lines or facilities (other than transformers and AC/DC conversion equipment) between the terminals of the generator(s) and the point of interconnection	
with the utility	12.5 kW
7f Total deductions from gross power production capacity = $7b + 7c + 7d + 7e$	25.0 kW
7g Maximum net power production capacity = 7a - 7f	
	4,975.0 kW

7h Description of facility and primary components: Describe the facility and its operation. Identify all boilers, heat recovery steam generators, prime movers (any mechanical equipment driving an electric generator), electrical generators, photovoltaic solar equipment, fuel cell equipment and/or other primary power generation equipment used in the facility. Descriptions of components should include (as applicable) specifications of the nominal capacities for mechanical output, electrical output, or steam generation of the identified equipment. For each piece of equipment identified, clearly indicate how many pieces of that type of equipment are included in the plant, and which components are normally operating or normally in standby mode. Provide a description of how the components operate as a system. Applicants for cogeneration facilities do not need to describe operations of systems that are clearly depicted on and easily understandable from a cogeneration facility's attached mass and heat balance diagram; however, such applicants should provide any necessary description needed to understand the sequential operation of the facility depicted in their mass and heat balance diagram. If additional space is needed, continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.

The facility is a solar photovoltaic system consisting of approximately 20,455 solar modules (330 Wp, or equivalent) with ground-mount racking attached to engineered pilings driven into the ground. The solar PV system will utilize 3 x1,667 kW central inverters (or equivalent) with necessary transformers and protection equipment to support 5 MW QF solar farm.



Information Required for Small Power Production Facility

If you indicated in line 1k that you are seeking qualifying small power production facility status for your facility, then you must respond to the items on this page. Otherwise, skip page 10.

	Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a), the power production capacity of any small power production with the power production capacity of any other small power production facilities that use the resource, are owned by the same person(s) or its affiliates, and are located at the same site, may megawatts. To demonstrate compliance with this size limitation, or to demonstrate that your from this size limitation under the Solar, Wind, Waste, and Geothermal Power Production Incen (Pub. L. 101-575, 104 Stat. 2834 (1990) as amended by Pub. L. 102-46, 105 Stat. 249 (1991)), respectively.	same energy not exceed 80 acility is exempt tives Act of 1990
	8a Identify any facilities with electrical generating equipment located within 1 mile of the electrical generating equipment of the instant facility, and for which any of the entities identified in lines 5a or 5b, or at least a 5 percent equity interest.	
e)	Check here if no such facilities exist. 🏿	
ons		Maximum net power production capacity
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tior	Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if additional spa	ice is needed
Certification of Compliance with Size Limitations	8b The Solar, Wind, Waste, and Geothermal Power Production Incentives Act of 1990 (Incentive exemption from the size limitations in 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a) for certain facilities that were certificate you seeking exemption from the size limitations in 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a) by virtue of the Inc. Yes (continue at line 8c below) No (skip lines 8c through 8e)	ied prior to 1995.
	8c Was the original notice of self-certification or application for Commission certification of the before December 31, 1994? Yes No	e facility filed on or
	8d Did construction of the facility commence on or before December 31, 1999? Yes No	
	8e If you answered No in line 8d, indicate whether reasonable diligence was exercised toward the facility, taking into account all factors relevant to construction? Yes No If you an a brief narrative explanation in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 of the construction particular, describe why construction started so long after the facility was certified) and the diligious completion of the facility.	swered Yes, provide on timeline (in
Certification of Compliance with Fuel Use Requirements	Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b), qualifying small power production facilities may use fossil for amounts, for only the following purposes: ignition; start-up; testing; flame stabilization; control prevention of unanticipated equipment outages; and alleviation or prevention of emergencies, the public health, safety, or welfare, which would result from electric power outages. The amounts of these purposes may not exceed 25 percent of the total energy input of the facility duriperiod beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy or any calendar year the	l use; alleviation or , directly affecting unt of fossil fuels ng the 12-month
Rec	9a Certification of compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b) with respect to uses of fossil fuel:	
on o Use	Applicant certifies that the facility will use fossil fuels exclusively for the purposes listed a	above.
ati Jel	9b Certification of compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b) with respect to amount of fossil fuel	used annually:
Certific with Fu	Applicant certifies that the amount of fossil fuel used at the facility will not, in aggregate percent of the total energy input of the facility during the 12-month period beginning the facility first produces electric energy or any calendar year thereafter.	

Information Required for Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 1k that you are seeking qualifying cogeneration facility status for your facility, then you must respond to the items on pages 11 through 13. Otherwise, skip pages 11 through 13.

·	Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.202(c), a cogeneration facility produces electric energy and forms of useful thermal energy (such as heat or steam) used for industrial, commercial, heating, or cooling purposes, through the sequence of energy. Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.202(s), "sequential use" of energy means the following: (1) for a topic cycle cogeneration facility, the use of reject heat from a power production process in sufficient amounts in a thermal application or process to conform to the requirements of the operating standard contained in 18 C.F. 292.205(a); or (2) for a bottoming-cycle cogeneration facility, the use of at least some reject heat from a thermal application or process for power production.						
	10a What type(s) of cogeneration technology does the facility represent? (check all that apply)						
:	☐ Topping-cycle cogeneration ☐ Bottoming-cycle cogeneration						
	10b To help demonstrate the sequential operation of the cogeneration process, and to support compliance with other requirements such as the operating and efficiency standards, include with your filing a mass and heat balance diagram depicting average annual operating conditions. This diagram must include certain items and meet certain requirements, as described below. You must check next to the description of each requirement below to certify that you have complied with these requirements.						
General Cogeneration Information	Check to certify compliance with indicated requirement	Requirement					
		Diagram must show orientation within system piping and/or ducts of all prime movers, heat recovery steam generators, boilers, electric generators, and condensers (as applicable), as well as any other primary equipment relevant to the cogeneration process.					
		Any average annual values required to be reported in lines 10b, 12a, 13a, 13b, 13d, 13f, 14a, 15b, 15d and/or 15f must be computed over the anticipated hours of operation.					
eral Co Inform		Diagram must specify all fuel inputs by fuel type and average annual rate in Btu/h. Fuel for supplementary firing should be specified separately and clearly labeled. All specifications of fuel inputs should use lower heating values.					
ene		Diagram must specify average gross electric output in kW or MW for each generator.					
9		Diagram must specify average mechanical output (that is, any mechanical energy taken off of the shaft of the prime movers for purposes not directly related to electric power generation) in horsepower, if any. Typically, a cogeneration facility has no mechanical output.					
		At each point for which working fluid flow conditions are required to be specified (see below), such flow condition data must include mass flow rate (in lb/h or kg/s), temperature (in °F, R, °C or K), absolute pressure (in psia or kPa) and enthalpy (in Btu/lb or kJ/kg). Exception: For systems where the working fluid is <i>liquid only</i> (no vapor at any point in the cycle) and where the type of liquid and specific heat of that liquid are clearly indicated on the diagram or in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19, only mass flow rate and temperature (not pressure and enthalpy) need be specified. For reference, specific heat at standard conditions for pure liquid water is approximately 1.002 Btu/ (lb*R) or 4.195 kJ/(kg*K).					
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at input to and output from each steam turbine or other expansion turbine or back-pressure turbine.					
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at delivery to and return from each thermal application.					
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at make-up water inputs.					

The standard of the continue at line 11c below. Otherwise, if the answers to both lines 11a and 11b are No, skip to line 11e below. 11c With respect to the design and operation of the facility, have any changes been implemented on or after February 2, 2006 that affect general plant operation, affect use of thermal output, and/or increase net power production capacity from the plant's capacity on February 1, 2006? 11c With respect to the design and operation of the facility, have any changes been implemented on or after February 2, 2006 that affect general plant operation, affect use of thermal output, and/or increase net power production capacity from the plant's capacity on February 1, 2006? 11c With respect to the design and operation of the facility, have any changes been implemented on or after February 2, 2006 in the plant's capacity on February 1, 2006? 11c With respect to the design and operation of February 1, 2006? 11c With respect to the the plant operation, affect use of thermal output, and/or increase net power production capacity in february 1, 2006? 11c With respect to the design and operation of February 1, 2006? 11c With septent to either line 11d below. 11c With leave a policant contend that the changes identified in line 11c are not so significant as to make the facility a "new" cogeneration facility that would be subject to the 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) cogeneration requirements? 11d Does the applicant contend that the changes identified in line 11c are not so significant as to make the facility a "new" cogeneration facility in light of these changes. Skip lines 11 the through 11j. 11d Does the applicant contend that the changes identified in line 11c are not so significant as to make the facility should not be considered a "new" cogeneration facility in light of these changes. Skip lines 11 the rough 11j. 11d Leave a policant contend that the changes identified in line 11c are not so significant as to make the facility that were initiated on or after February 2, 2006. Continue below		EPAct 2005 cogeneration facilities: The Energy Policy Act of 2005 (EPAct 2005) established a new section 210(n) of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA), 16 USC 824a-3(n), with additional requirements for any qualifying cogeneration facility that (1) is seeking to sell electric energy pursuant to section 210 of PURPA and (2) was either not a cogeneration facility on August 8, 2005, or had not filed a self-certification or application for Commission certification of QF status on or before February 1, 2006. These requirements were implemented by the Commission in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d). Complete the lines below, carefully following the instructions, to demonstrate whether these additional requirements apply to your cogeneration facility and, if so, whether your facility complies with such requirements. 11a Was your facility operating as a qualifying cogeneration facility on or before August 8, 2005? Yes No	
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Lines 11g through 11k below guide the applicant through the process of demonstrating compliance with the requirements for "fundamental use" of the facility's energy output. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Only respond to the lines on this page if the instructions on the previous page direct you to do so. Otherwise, skip this page.

18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) requires that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a qualifying facility to its host facility. If you were directed on the previous page to respond to the items on this page, then your facility is an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility that is subject to this "fundamental use" requirement.

The Commission's regulations provide a two-pronged approach to demonstrating compliance with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output. First, the Commission has established in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3) a "fundamental use test" that can be used to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Under the fundamental use test, a facility is considered to comply with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) if at least 50 percent of the facility's total annual energy output (including electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy output) is used for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes.

Second, an applicant for a facility that does not pass the fundamental use test may provide a narrative explanation of and support for its contention that the facility nonetheless meets the requirement that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a qualifying facility to its host facility.

Complete lines 11g through 11j below to determine compliance with the fundamental use test in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3). Complete lines 11g through 11j even if you do not intend to rely upon the fundamental use test to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2).

11g Amount of electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy output (net of internal generation plant losses and parasitic loads) expected to be used annually for industrial,		
commercial, residential or institutional purposes and not sold to an electric utility	<u> </u>	MWh
11h Total amount of electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy expected to be sold to an electric utility		MWh
sold to an electric utility		IVIVALI
11i Percentage of total annual energy output expected to be used for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and not sold to a utility = 100 * 11g /(11g + 11h)		0/
= 100	. 0	%

11i Is the response in line 11i greater than or equal to 50 percent?

Yes. Your facility complies with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by virtue of passing the fundamental use test provided in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3). Applicant certifies its understanding that, if it is to rely upon passing the fundamental use test as a basis for complying with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2), then the facility must comply with the fundamental use test both in the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy, and in all subsequent calendar years.

No. Your facility does not pass the fundamental use test. Instead, you must provide in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 a narrative explanation of and support for why your facility meets the requirement that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a QF to its host facility. Applicants providing a narrative explanation of why their facility should be found to comply with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) in spite of non-compliance with the fundamental use test may want to review paragraphs 47 through 61 of Order No. 671 (accessible from the Commission's QF website at www.ferc.gov/QF), which provide discussion of the facts and circumstances that may support their explanation. Applicant should also note that the percentage reported above will establish the standard that that facility must comply with, both for the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy, and in all subsequent calendar years. See Order No. 671 at paragraph 51. As such, the applicant should make sure that it reports appropriate values on lines 11g and 11h above to serve as the

relevant annual standard, taking into account expected variations in production conditions.



If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents topping-cycle cogeneration technology, then you must respond to the items on pages 14 and 15. Otherwise, skip pages 14 and 15.

The thermal energy output of a topping-cycle cogeneration facility is the net energy made available to an industrial or commercial process or used in a heating or cooling application. Pursuant to sections 292.202(c), (d) and (h) of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. §§ 292.202(c), (d) and (h)), the thermal energy output of a qualifying topping-cycle cogeneration facility must be useful. In connection with this requirement, describe the thermal output of the topping-cycle cogeneration facility by responding to lines 12a and 12b below.

12a Identify and describe each thermal host, and specify the annual average rate of thermal output made available to each host for each use. For hosts with multiple uses of thermal output, provide the data for each use in separate rows. Average annual rate of thermal output attributable to use (net of Name of entity (thermal host) Thermal host's relationship to facility; heat contained in process taking thermal output Thermal host's use of thermal output return or make-up water) Select thermal host's relationship to facility 1) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 2) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 3) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 4) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 5) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h Select thermal host's relationship to facility 6) Select thermal host's use of thermal output Btu/h

Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if additional space is needed

12b Demonstration of usefulness of thermal output: At a minimum, provide a brief description of each use of the thermal output identified above. In some cases, this brief description is sufficient to demonstrate usefulness. However, if your facility's use of thermal output is not common, and/or if the usefulness of such thermal output is not reasonably clear, then you must provide additional details as necessary to demonstrate usefulness. Your application may be rejected and/or additional information may be required if an insufficient showing of usefulness is made. (Exception: If you have previously received a Commission certification approving a specific use of thermal output related to the instant facility, then you need only provide a brief description of that use and a reference by date and docket number to the order certifying your facility with the indicated use. Such exemption may not be used if any change creates a material deviation from the previously authorized use.) If additional space is needed, continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.

Usefulness of Topping-Cycle Thermal Output

equal to 42.5%:

rm 556 Page 15 - Topping	g-Cycle Cogeneration Facilities
Applicants for facilities representing topping-cycle technology must demonstrate corcycle operating standard and, if applicable, efficiency standard. Section 292.205(a)(1) regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(a)(1)) establishes the operating standard for topping-the useful thermal energy output must be no less than 5 percent of the total energy (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(a)(2)) establishes the efficiency standard for topping-cycle cogenistallation commenced on or after March 13, 1980: the useful power output of the fathermal energy output must (A) be no less than 42.5 percent of the total energy input facility; and (B) if the useful thermal energy output is less than 15 percent of the total be no less than 45 percent of the total energy input of natural gas and oil to the facilit compliance with the topping-cycle operating and/or efficiency standards, or to demonstrate the efficiency standard based on the date that installation commenced, 13l below.	of the Commission's cycle cogeneration facilities: putput. Section 292.205(a)(2) ceration facilities for which cility plus one-half the useful c of natural gas and oil to the energy output of the facility, y. To demonstrate instrate that your facility is
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to the host(s), net of any heat contained in condensate return or make-up water	Btu/h
13b Indicate the annual average rate of net electrical energy output	kW
13c Multiply line 13b by 3,412 to convert from kW to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
13d Indicate the annual average rate of mechanical energy output taken directly off of the shaft of a prime mover for purposes not directly related to power production (this value is usually zero)	hp
13e Multiply line 13d by 2,544 to convert from hp to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
13f Indicate the annual average rate of energy input from natural gas and oil	Btu/h
13g Topping-cycle operating value = 100 * 13a / (13a + 13c + 13e)	0 %
13h Topping-cycle efficiency value = 100 * (0.5*13a + 13c + 13e) / 13f	0 %
13i Compliance with operating standard: Is the operating value shown in line 13g gr	
Yes (complies with operating standard) No (does not comply w	·
13j Did installation of the facility in its current form commence on or after March 13,	1980?
Yes. Your facility is subject to the efficiency requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.20 compliance with the efficiency requirement by responding to line 13k or 13l,	05(a)(2). Demonstrate
No. Your facility is exempt from the efficiency standard. Skip lines 13k and 13	il.
13k Compliance with efficiency standard (for low operating value): If the operating value shown in line 13h greater	
Yes (complies with efficiency standard) No (does not comply w	vith efficiency standard)

13l Compliance with efficiency standard (for high operating value): If the operating value shown in line 13g is greater than or equal to 15%, then indicate below whether the efficiency value shown in line 13h is greater than or

☐ No (does not comply with efficiency standard)

Information Required for Bottoming-Cycle Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents bottoming-cycle cogeneration technology, then you must respond to the items on pages 16 and 17. Otherwise, skip pages 16 and 17.

	The whi the cycl at le	the thermal energy output of a bottoming-cycle cogeneration facility is the energy related to the process(es) from hich at least some of the reject heat is then used for power production. Pursuant to sections 292.202(c) and (e) of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.202(c) and (e)), the thermal energy output of a qualifying bottoming-cycle cogeneration facility must be useful. In connection with this requirement, describe the process(es) from which least some of the reject heat is used for power production by responding to lines 14a and 14b below. Idla Identify and describe each thermal host and each bottoming-cycle cogeneration process engaged in by each host. For hosts with multiple bottoming-cycle cogeneration processes, provide the data for each process in separate rows. Has the energy input to Name of entity (thermal host) performing the process from augmented for purposes which at least some of the						
		reject heat is used for power production	Thermal host's relationship to facility; Thermal host's process type	production capacity? (if Yes, describe on p. 19)				
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			Select thermal host's process type					
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Usefulness of Bottoming-Cycle Thermal Output	14b Demonstration of usefulness of thermal output: At a minimum, provide a brief de identified above. In some cases, this brief description is sufficient to demonstrate usef facility's process is not common, and/or if the usefulness of such thermal output is not must provide additional details as necessary to demonstrate usefulness. Your applicat additional information may be required if an insufficient showing of usefulness is made previously received a Commission certification approving a specific bottoming-cycle p facility, then you need only provide a brief description of that process and a reference to the order certifying your facility with the indicated process. Such exemption may no changes to the process have been made.) If additional space is needed, continue in the starting on page 19.			Ilness. However, if your easonably clear, then you on may be rejected and/or . (Exception: If you have ocess related to the instant by date and docket number t be used if any material				

Bottoming-Cycle Operating and Efficiency Value Calculation

than or equal to 45%:

Yes (complies with efficiency standard)

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Applicants for facilities representing bottoming-cycle technology and for which install March 13, 1990 must demonstrate compliance with the bottoming-cycle efficiency state the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(b)) establishes the efficiency standar cogeneration facilities: the useful power output of the facility must be no less than 45 of natural gas and oil for supplementary firing. To demonstrate compliance with the best standard (if applicable), or to demonstrate that your facility is exempt from this standard installation of the facility began, respond to lines 15a, through 15h below.	andards. Section 292.205(b) of and for bottoming-cycle percent of the energy input pottoming-cycle efficiency
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15d Indicate the annual average rate of mechanical energy output taken directly off of the shaft of a prime mover for purposes not directly related to power production (this value is usually zero)	hp
15e Multiply line 15d by 2,544 to convert from hp to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
15f Indicate the annual average rate of supplementary energy input from natural gas or oil	
15g Bottoming-cycle efficiency value = 100 * (15c + 15e) / 15f	20/

15h Compliance with efficiency standard: Indicate below whether the efficiency value shown in line 15g is greater

☐ No (does not comply with efficiency standard)



Certificate of Completeness, Accuracy and Authority

Applicant must certify compliance with and understanding of filing requirements by checking next to each item below and signing at the bottom of this section. Forms with incomplete Certificates of Completeness, Accuracy and Authority will be rejected by the Secretary of the Commission.

signer identified below certifies the follow	ing: (check all items and applicable subitems)	
	g any information contained in any attached docur any information contained in the Miscellaneous se	
He or she has provided all of the requited to the best of his or her knowledge an	ired information for certification, and the provided and belief.	information is true as stated,
He or she possess full power and auth Practice and Procedure (18 C.F.R. § 38	ority to sign the filing; as required by Rule 2005(a)(5.2005(a)(3)), he or she is one of the following: (che	(3) of the Commission's Rules of eck one)
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A representative qualified to practice and Procedure (18 C.I	oractice before the Commission under Rule 2101 of F.R. § 385.2101) and who possesses authority to sig	f the Commission's Rules of In
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Your Signature	Your address	Date
Shelley D. Layden	105 Davis Lane Edenton, NC 27932	10/31/2016
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Commission Staff Use Only:		[

Miscellaneous

Use this space to provide any information for which there was not sufficient space in the previous sections of the form to provide. For each such item of information *clearly identify the line number that the information belongs to*. You may also use this space to provide any additional information you believe is relevant to the certification of your facility.

Your response below is not limited to one page. Additional page(s) will automatically be inserted into this form if the length of your response exceeds the space on this page. Use as many pages as you require.

EXHIBIT F

Exhibit F is the CPCN or RPCN for the Facility, as applicable.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. SP-7139, SUB 0

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
Application of Davis Lane Solar, LLC, for)	
a Certificate of Public Convenience and)	ORDER ISSUING CERTIFICATE
Necessity to Construct a 5-MW Solar)	
Facility in Perquimans County, North Carolina)	

BY THE COMMISSION: On January 14, 2016, Davis Lane Solar, LLC (Applicant), filed an application seeking a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to G.S. 62-110.1(a) for construction of a 5-MW_{AC} solar generating facility to be located at 200 Davis Lane, near Edenton, in Perquimans County, North Carolina. The Applicant plans to sell the electricity to Dominion North Carolina Power (DNCP).

On January 20, 2016, the Commission issued an Order Requiring Publication of Notice.

On January 28, 2016, the Applicant filed a certificate of service stating that a copy of the application and the related public notice were provided to DNCP on January 26, 2016.

On February 23, 2016, the Applicant filed an affidavit of publication from The Daily Advance (Elizabeth City, North Carolina) stating that the publication of notice was completed on February 17, 2016. No complaints have been received.

On February 26, 2016, the State Clearinghouse filed comments. Because of the nature of the comments, the cover letter indicated that no further State Clearinghouse review action by the Commission was required for compliance with the North Carolina Environmental Policy Act.

The Public Staff presented this matter to the Commission at its Regular Staff Conference on March 21, 2016. The Public Staff stated that it had reviewed the application and determined it to be in compliance with the requirements of G.S. 62-110.1(a) and Commission Rule R8-64. Therefore, the Public Staff recommended approval of the certificate for the facility.

After careful consideration, the Commission finds good cause to approve the application and issue the attached certificate for the proposed solar photovoltaic electric generating facility.

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IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

- 1. That the application of Davis Lane Solar, LLC, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity shall be, and is hereby, approved.
- 2. That Appendix A shall constitute the certificate of public convenience and necessity issued to Davis Lane Solar, LLC, for the 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 200 Davis Lane, near Edenton, in Perquimans County, North Carolina.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 22nd day of March, 2016.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Paige J. Morris, Deputy Clerk

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. SP-7139, SUB 0

Davis Lane Solar, LLC 105 Davis Lane Edenton, North Carolina 27932

is hereby issued this

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY PURSUANT TO G.S. 62-110.1

for a 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility

located

at 200 Davis Lane, near Edenton, in Perquimans County, North Carolina,

subject to all orders, rules, regulations and conditions as are now or may hereafter be lawfully made by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 22nd day of March, 2016.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Paige J. Morris, Deputy Clerk

FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE

AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT TO VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

This FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT TO VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY (this "Amendment") is entered into as of this 24 day of January, 2017 by and between COTTONWOOD SOLAR LLC ("Operator") and VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY ("Dominion North Carolina Power") (each a "Party" and collectively, the "Parties").

WHEREAS, Operator and Dominion North Carolina Power entered into the Agreement for the Sale of Electric Output to Virginia Electric and Power Company dated as of March 10, 2015, as amended (the "Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to amend the Agreement to revise the Facility's combined nameplate rating and Contracted Capacity.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and other good and valuable consideration described herein, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

- 1. <u>Definitions</u>. Unless otherwise defined in this Amendment, all capitalized terms shall have the meanings given to them in the Agreement.
- 2. <u>Amendments</u>. Article 3: Contracted Capacity shall be amended to delete both references to the number "5000" and replace them with "3000".
- 3. Entire Agreement. This Amendment, the Agreement and letters dated February 18, 2016 and March 24, 2016 relating to the impact of the delay in receipt of an Interconnection Agreement represent the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. Except as expressly set forth herein, this Amendment shall not alter, amend or modify any other terms, conditions or provisions of the Agreement, which, except as and to the extent modified herein, shall continue in full force and effect.
- 4. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Amendment may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together constitute one instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this Amendment as of the date first written above.

COTTO By:	DNWOOD SOLAR LLC	
Name:	Georg Veit	
Title: _	Manager	-

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

by.

Name: Michael S. Hupp, Jr.

Title: Authorized Representative

AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT TO VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

THIS AGREEMENT, effective this day of on, 2017, (the "Effective Date") by and between VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY, a Virginia public service corporation with its principal office in Richmond, Virginia, doing business in Virginia as Dominion Virginia Power, and in North Carolina as Dominion North Carolina Power, hereinafter called "Dominion North Carolina Power" or the "Company," and Carl Friedrich Gauss Solar LLC, a North Carolina limited liability company, with its principal office in Charlotte, North Carolina, hereinafter called "Operator." Both Dominion North Carolina Power and Operator also are herein individually referred to as "Party" and collectively referred to as "Parties":

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") has adopted a rate schedule described in this Agreement below as **Schedule 19-FP** applicable to Qualifying Facilities (or "QF" as that term is defined in 18 C.F.R. § 292) which can provide Contracted Capacity (as defined in Schedule 19-FP) (a) up to 5000 kW from a hydroelectric generating facility, (b) up to 5000 kW from a generating facility fueled by trash or methane derived from landfills, hog waste, poultry waste, solar, wind or non-animal forms of biomass, or (c) up to 3000 kW for all other QFs;

WHEREAS Operator is the owner of the [Name of Facility] (the "Facility") described in the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued by the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") in Docket No. SP-4824 ("CPCN"); and

WHEREAS, the Facility is located in Dominion North Carolina Power's retail service area in Halifax County, North Carolina, and the Parties hereto wish to contract pursuant to Schedule 19-FP for the sale of electrical output from such a QF to be operated by Operator.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the Parties hereto contract and agree with each other as follows:

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Article 1: Parties' Purchase and Sale Obligations

Dominion North Carolina Power or its agent, assignee, or successor will purchase from Operator all of the electrical output (energy and Contracted Capacity) made available for sale from the Facility on a simultaneous purchase and sale arrangement. The Mode of Operation that the Operator elects to operate the Facility is. [Operator to select Mode of Operation]:

No	on-Reimbursement Mode as described in Section IV.A of Schedule 19-FP;
	nergy-Only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation as described in ection IV.B of Schedule 19-FP;
	nergy-Only, Time-differentiated Mode of Operation) as described in Section <i>I</i> .B of Schedule FP; or
X Fi	irm Mode of Operation as described in Section IV.C of Schedule 19-FP
	QF elects the following basis for payment for Company purchases of energy under the Firm Mode of Operation:
	Option A, or
	X Option B

Article 2: Term and Commercial Operations Date

This Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and, unless earlier terminated under any other provision of this Agreement, shall continue in effect for a period of fifteen (15) years from the commercial operations date ("COD"). The COD shall be the first date that all of the following conditions have been satisfied:

- The Facility has been permanently constructed, (a) synchronized with and has delivered electrical output to the Dominion North Carolina Power system and such action has been witnessed by an authorized Dominion North Carolina Power employee;
- After completion of item a) above, Dominion North (b) Carolina Power has received written notice from Operator specifying the COD and certifying that the Facility is ready to begin commercial operations as a QF;

- (c) Operator and Dominion North Carolina Power (or the PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. or other operator of the Dominion North Carolina Power transmission system, as applicable) have executed an interconnection service agreement for delivery of capacity and energy generated by the Facility onto the Company's electrical system ("Interconnection Agreement"), a copy of which has been provided to Company;
- (d) The Facility is a QF as evidenced by Operator providing a copy of its currently effective Form 556 self-certification or formal FERC QF certification order; and
- (e) The CPCN or RPCN, as applicable, is in full force and effect.

For contract terms of 10 years or more, this Agreement may be renewed at the option of Dominion North Carolina Power in accordance with Section I of Schedule 19-FP.

Article 3: Contracted Capacity

The Facility, consisting of a PV solar generator(s), has an aggregate maximum net power production capacity (calculated in accordance with FERC Form 556) of approximately 5000 kW alternating current ("ac"). The Facility's Contracted Capacity shall be 5000 kW ac.

Article 4: Attachments

The following documents are attached hereto and are made a part hereof:

Exhibit A: Quarterly Status Report Contents

Exhibit B: General Terms and Conditions

Exhibit C: Schedule 19-FP

Exhibit D: Map and related written description identifying the specific location of the Facility in the City or County designated in Article 1

Exhibit E: Evidence of QF Status on the Effective Date

Exhibit F: Copy of CPCN or RPCN, as applicable.

Article 5: Price

Payments for all energy and Contracted Capacity purchased hereunder shall be determined by the provisions for payments in Schedule 19-FP included herewith as Exhibit C and pursuant to Operator elections within such Schedule 19-FP as stated in Article 1 hereof. Payments for all energy and Contracted Capacity purchased hereunder shall be on a cents per kilowatt-hour basis.

Article 6: Operator's Pre-COD Obligations

- (a) <u>Status Report</u>. After execution of this Agreement and until the COD, Operator shall deliver a quarterly status report to the Company with the information set forth in Exhibit A. This status report shall be delivered to Dominion North Carolina Power on or before the following dates each year: January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15.
- (b) <u>Commencement of Construction</u>. The Facility will be considered to have commenced construction on the first day upon which all of the following have occurred: (1) the issuance by Operator to its construction contractor for the Facility of a written unconditional notice-to-proceed with unrestricted construction activities for the Facility; (2) the mobilization of major construction equipment and construction facilities on the Facility site; and (3) the commencement of major structural excavation and structural concrete work relating to a major component of the Facility such as a power island or the ground mounting systems for solar panels and inverters consistent with having commenced a continuous process of construction relating to the Facility. Dominion North Carolina Power shall have no obligation to accept a declaration of Commercial Operations earlier than four (4) months prior to the anticipated COD date. The anticipated COD is February 1, 2018.

Article 7: Early Termination

- (a) <u>Defaults with No Cure Period</u>. Operator and Company agree that Operator's failure to comply with any of the following will be a material breach of this Agreement and shall result in Company's right to early termination of this Agreement upon written notice to Operator, but without being subject to a cure period, provided however, that Company shall be obligated to pay for any capacity and energy delivered by Facility prior to termination of this Agreement at the rates stated herein.
- (i) failure to commence construction of the Facility, as defined in Section 6(b), within the later of fourteen (14) months from the Effective Date of this Agreement or thirty (30) days after the Company tenders an Interconnection Agreement for execution by Operator;

- (ii) delivery or supply of electrical output to any entity other than Dominion North Carolina Power or its agent, assignee or successor;
- (iii) Operator increases the aggregate maximum net power production capacity (calculated in accordance with FERC Form 556) of the Facility above the Contracted Capacity without the prior written approval of Company;
- (iv) failure to generate and deliver any energy and capacity from the Facility for more than 180 consecutive days at any time after COD; provided, however, if such failure is due to Force Majeure as defined in Exhibit B and Operator has complied with the requirements of Exhibit B with respect to such Force Majeure, then Company may not terminate this Agreement unless the failure lasts for three hundred sixty-five consecutive days.
- (b) <u>Defaults with Cure Period</u>. Operator and Company agree that the following events if not cured by Operator within thirty days of notice from Company shall constitute a default giving Company the right to terminate this Agreement:
 - (i) failure to meet the requirements necessary to maintain QF status (formal or self-certification at the Operator's option) or revocation of its QF status (formal or self-certification, as applicable) for any reason;
 - (ii) failure to provide a status report in accordance with Section 6(a);
 - (iii) termination of the Interconnection Agreement or suspension of Operator's right to interconnect the Facility under the Interconnection Agreement unless such failure is due to a breach of the Interconnection Agreement by a party other than the Operator; or
 - (iv) failure to perform in any material way, any other obligations, which failure would not constitute an individual event of default under Section 7(a) or Section 7(c).

Notwithstanding any cure period, Company shall not be obligated to purchase any energy or Contracted Capacity under this Agreement while such default remains uncured.

(c) <u>Delay in COD.</u> Company shall have the right to terminate this Agreement if Operator fails to achieve Commercial Operations Date within thirty months from the date of a Commission Order approving the Schedule 19-FP rates filed by the Company in Docket No. E-100, Sub 140; provided, however, an Operator may be allowed additional time to begin deliveries of power to the Company if the QF facilities in question are nearly complete at the end of such thirty month period and the QF is able to demonstrate that it is making a good faith effort to complete its project in a timely manner.

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Operator agrees that if this Agreement is canceled by Dominion North Carolina Power prior to the end of the initial term of this Agreement for nonperformance by the QF, then, Dominion North Carolina Power shall have all rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

Article 8: Representations and Warranties

Operator represents and warrants that it has the right to operate the Facility in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Operator further represents and warrants that all permits, approvals, and/or licenses necessary for the operation of the Facility will be obtained prior to the COD and shall be maintained throughout the Term of this Agreement. Operator shall provide such documentation and evidence of such right, permits, approvals and/or licenses as Dominion North Carolina Power may reasonably request, including without limitation air permits, leases and/or purchase agreements.

Article 9: Notices and Payments

All correspondence and payments concerning this Agreement shall be to the addresses below. Either Party may change the address by providing written notice to the other Party.

OPERATOR:

Carl Friedrich Gauss Solar LLC 7804-C Fairview Road, #257 Charlotte, North Carolina 28226

DOMINION NORTH CAROLINA POWER:

Virginia Electric and Power Company Power Contracts (3SE) 5000 Dominion Boulevard Glen Allen, Virginia 23060-6711

Article 10: Integration of Entirety of Agreement

This Agreement is intended by the Parties as the final expression of their Agreement and is intended also as a complete and exclusive statement of the terms of their Agreement with respect to the purchase and sale of electrical output generated by the Facility. All prior written or oral understandings, offers or other communications of every kind pertaining to this Agreement are hereby abrogated and withdrawn.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused their names to appear below, signed by authorized representatives as of the date first shown above.

CARL FRIEDRICH GAUSS SOLAR LLC

By: Georg Veit

Title: Manager

Date: 01/05/2017

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER/COMPANY

Title: Allo rized Kepres tative

Date: 1/9/2017

EXHIBIT A

The quarterly status reports required by Article 6 shall include the following information and any additional information that may be reasonably requested by Company.

- Status of financing and expected closing date
- Notification and status of any plans to change control or ownership of the project
- Site location and acreage
- EIA Plant Code
- Description of construction status
- Timeline of construction to include:
 - Start date of construction
 - Construction completion date
 - Date for start-up and testing
- Timeline for interconnection through completion
- Current interconnection status
- Status of required permits
- Notice of any changes, modifications, or assignment of CPCN, RCPN and QF Status
- Summary of anticipated design components including transformer voltages and maximum output in AC & DC
- Estimated COD

EXHIBIT B General Terms and Conditions

I - Assignments

Operator agrees not to assign this Agreement without the prior written consent of Dominion North Carolina Power, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, provided, that such assignment does not require any amendment of the terms and conditions of the Agreement, other than the notice provisions, thereof. Any attempted assignment that Dominion North Carolina Power has not approved in writing shall be null and void and ineffective for all purposes. In the event of assignment by Operator, Operator shall pay the Company within thirty (30) days of the effective date of the assignment an amount equal to the actual costs incurred by Company in connection with such assignment up to a maximum amount of \$12,000 per assignment; provided, however, assignment of this Agreement by Operator in connection with an initial financing arrangement which is finalized and for which consent of the Company is requested within nine months of the Effective Date of this Agreement shall not be subject to the payment requirement provided herein.

II - Indemnity

Operator shall indemnify and save harmless and, if requested by Dominion North Carolina Power, defend Dominion North Carolina Power, its officers, directors and employees from and against any and all losses and claims or demands for damages to real property or tangible personal property (including the property of Dominion North Carolina Power) and injury or death to persons arising out of, resulting from, or in any manner caused by the presence, operation or maintenance of any part of Operator's Facility; provided, however, that nothing herein shall be construed as requiring Operator to indemnify Dominion North Carolina Power for any injuries, deaths or damages caused by the sole negligence of Dominion North Carolina Power. Operator agrees to provide Dominion North Carolina Power written evidence of liability insurance coverage, which is specifically and solely for the Facility, prior to the operation of the Facility. Operator agrees to have Dominion North Carolina Power named as an additional insured, and shall keep such coverage current throughout the term of this Agreement.

III - QF Certification

Operator represents and warrants that its Facility meets the QF requirements established as of the Effective Date of this Agreement by the FERC's rules (18 Code of Federal Regulations Part 292), and that it will continue to meet those requirements necessary to maintain QF status throughout the term of this Agreement. Operator agrees to provide copies, at the time of submittal, of all correspondence and filings with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission relating to status of the Facility as a QF. If requested by Dominion North Carolina Power prior to May 1 of any year, Operator agrees to provide July 1 of the same year to Dominion North Carolina Power for the preceding year

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sufficient for Dominion North Carolina Power to determine the Operator's continuing compliance with its QF requirements, including but not limited to:

- (a) All information required by FERC Form 556;
- (b) Copy of the Facility's currently effective FERC Form 556 or formal FERC certification, as applicable and any subsequent revisions or amendments;
- (c) Where applicable, a copy of any contract executed with a thermal host;
- (d) Where applicable, identification of the amount of each type of fuel used per month and average heating value for each type of fuel, which will be used to determine the Total Energy Input. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (e) Where applicable, identification of each of the QF's useful thermal output(s) for each month, including temperature, pressure, amount of thermal output delivered, temperature and amount of condensate returned (if applicable) and the conversion to Btus. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (f) Identification of the QF's useful power output for each month. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (g) Where applicable, drawings, heat balance diagrams and a sufficiently detailed narrative describing the delivery of useful thermal output including the location, description, and calibration data for all metering equipment used for QF calculations; and
- (h) Dominion North Carolina Power may request additional information, as needed, to monitor the QF requirements.

IV - Consequential Damages

In no event shall either Party be liable to the other for any special, indirect, incidental or consequential damages whatsoever, except that the foregoing shall not apply to any promises of indemnity or obligations to reimburse the Parties expressly set forth in this Agreement.

V - Amendments, Waivers, Severability and Headings

This Agreement, including the appendices thereto, can be amended only by agreement between the Parties in writing. The failure of either Party to insist in any one or more instances upon strict performance of any provisions of this Agreement, or to take

advantage of any of its rights hereunder, shall not be construed as a waiver of any such provisions or the relinquishment of any such right or any other right hereunder. In the event any provision of this Agreement, or any part or portion thereof, shall be held to be invalid, void or otherwise unenforceable, the obligations of the Parties shall be deemed to be reduced only as much as may be required to remove the impediment. The headings contained in this Agreement are used solely for convenience and do not constitute a part of the Agreement between the Parties hereto, nor should they be used to aid in any manner in the construction of this Agreement.

VI - Compliance with Laws

Operator covenants that it shall comply with all applicable provisions of Executive Order 11246, as amended; § 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; § 402 of the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, as amended; and implementing regulations set forth in 41 C.F.R. §§ 60.1, 60-250, and 60-741 and the applicable provisions relating to the utilization of small minority business concerns as set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637, as amended. Operator agrees that the equal opportunity clause set forth in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.4 and the equal opportunity clauses set forth in 41 C.F.R. 60-§741.5 and the clauses relating to the utilization of small and minority business concerns set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637(d) (3) and 48 C.F.R. § 52-219.9 are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement. If this Agreement has a value of more than \$500,000, Operator shall adopt and comply with a small business and small disadvantaged business subcontracting plan which shall conform to the requirements set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637(d)(6). The provisions of this section shall apply to Operator only to the extent that:

- (a) such provisions are required of Operator under existing law;
- (b) Operator is not otherwise exempt from said provisions; and
- (c) Compliance with said provisions is consistent with and not violative of 42 U.S.C. § 2000 et seq., 42 U.S.C. § 1981 et seq., or other acts of Congress.

VII - Interconnection and Operation

Operator shall be responsible for the design, installation, and operation of its Facility. Operator shall be responsible for obtaining an Interconnection Agreement.

Operator shall: (a) maintain the Facility in conformance with all applicable laws and regulations and in accordance with operating procedures; (b) obtain any governmental authorizations and permits required for the construction and operation thereof and keep all such permits and authorizations current and in effect; and (c) manage the Facility in a safe and prudent manner. If at any time Operator does not hold such authorizations and permits, Dominion North Carolina Power may refuse to accept deliveries of power hereunder.

Dominion North Carolina Power may enter Operator's premises: (a) to inspect Operator's protective devices at any reasonable time; (b) to read or test meters and metering equipment; and (c) to disconnect, without notice, the Facility if, in Dominion North Carolina Power's opinion, a hazardous condition exists and such immediate action is necessary to protect persons, or Dominion North Carolina Power facilities or other customers' facilities from damage or interference caused by Operator's Facility or lack of properly operating protective devices. Dominion North Carolina Power will endeavor to notify Operator as quickly as practicable if disconnection occurs as provided in (c) above. Any inspection of Operator's protective devices shall not impose on Dominion North Carolina Power any liabilities with respect to the operation, safety or maintenance of such devices.

VIII - Metering

Dominion North Carolina Power will meter all electrical output delivered from the Facility on the high voltage side of the step up transformer(s).

Operator agrees to pay an administrative charge to Dominion North Carolina Power to reflect all reasonable costs incurred by Dominion North Carolina Power for meter reading and billing, also referred to as metering charges. The monthly meter reading and billing charge shall change from time to time when the NCUC approves a different charge in Schedule 19-FP.

In addition, Operator agrees to pay any fees required to provide and maintain leased telephone lines required for meter reading by Dominion North Carolina Power.

IX - Billing and Payment

Dominion North Carolina Power shall read the meter in accordance with its normal meter reading schedule. Within twenty-eight (28) days thereafter, Dominion North Carolina Power shall send via mail Operator payment for energy and Contracted Capacity delivered, except if payment is made via wire transfer then payment shall be made within thirty-one (31) days thereafter. At Dominion North Carolina Power's option, (i) Dominion North Carolina Power may make such payments net of the monthly metering charges, Interconnection Facilities charges, and charges for sales of electricity to the Operator, or (ii) Dominion North Carolina Power may invoice Operator for such charges separately. Payment by Dominion North Carolina Power shall include verification showing the billing month's ending meter reading, on-peak and off-peak kWh, and the amount paid. If in any month the monthly metering and Interconnection Facilities charges are in excess of any payments due Operator, Dominion North Carolina Power shall bill Operator for the difference and Operator shall make such payment within 28 days of the invoice date. Failure by Operator to make such payments may result in disconnection of the Facility. In no event shall such disconnection relieve Operator of its obligation to pay monthly metering charges and Interconnection Facilities charges under this Agreement.

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In the event that any data required for billing purposes hereunder are unavailable when required for such billing, the unavailable data shall be estimated by Dominion North Carolina Power, based upon historical data. Such billing shall be subject to any required adjustment in a subsequent billing month.

Operator agrees that Dominion North Carolina Power shall be entitled to withhold sufficient amounts due pursuant to this Agreement to offset (a) any damages to Dominion North Carolina Power resulting from any breach of this Agreement by Operator, and (b) any other amounts Operator owes Dominion North Carolina Power, including amounts arising from sales of electricity by Dominion North Carolina Power to Operator, metering charges and Interconnection Facilities charges.

In no event shall Dominion North Carolina Power be liable to Operator for any Contracted Capacity payments in excess of the amounts contracted for herein, regardless of the ultimate length of this Agreement or revisions to Schedule 19-FP or successor schedules. Operator hereby agrees to accept the Contracted Capacity payments as set forth herein as its sole and complete compensation for delivery of Contracted Capacity to Dominion North Carolina Power.

X - Force Majeure

Neither Party shall be considered in default under this Agreement or responsible to the other Party in tort, strict liability, contract or other legal theory for damages of any description for any interruption or failure of service or deficiency in the quality or quantity of service or any other failure to perform any of its obligations hereunder to the extent such failure occurs without fault or negligence on the part of that Party and is caused by factors beyond that Party's reasonable control, which by the exercise of reasonable diligence that Party is unable to prevent, avoid, mitigate or overcome, including without limitation storm, flood, lightning, earthquake, explosion, equipment failure, civil disturbance, labor dispute, act of God or public enemy, action or inaction of a court or public authority, fire, sabotage, war, explosion, curtailments, unscheduled withdrawal of facilities from operation for maintenance or repair or any other cause of similar nature beyond the reasonable control of that Party (any such event, "Force Majeure"). Solely economic hardship of either Party shall not constitute Force Majeure under this Agreement. Nor shall anything contained in this paragraph or elsewhere in this Agreement excuse Operator or Dominion North Carolina Power from strict compliance with the obligation of the Parties to comply with the terms of Article IX of this Exhibit B relating to timely payments.

Each Party shall have the obligation to operate in accordance with Good Utility Practice (as defined below) at all times and to use due diligence to overcome and remove any cause of failure to perform.

If a Party relies on the occurrence of an event of Force Majeure described above as a basis for being excused from performance of its obligations under this Agreement, then the Party relying on the Force Majeure event shall:

- a) Provide within forty-eight (48) hours written notice of such Force Majeure event or potential Force Majeure to the other Party, giving an estimate of its expected duration and the probable impact on the performance of its obligations hereunder;
- b) Exercise all reasonable efforts to continue to perform its obligations under this Agreement;
- c) Expeditiously take action to correct or cure the Force Majeure event excusing performance; provided, however, that settlement of strikes or other labor disputes will be completely within the sole discretion of the Party affected by such strike or labor dispute;
- d) Exercise all reasonable efforts to mitigate or limit damages to the other Party; and
- e) Provide prompt notice to the other Party of the cessation of the Force Majeure event giving rise to its excuse from performance. All performance obligations hereunder shall be extended by a period equal to the term of the resultant delay.

If a Party responding to a Force Majeure event has the ability to obtain, for additional expenditures, expedited material deliveries or labor production which would allow a response to the event in a manner that is above and beyond Good Utility Practice, and such a response could shorten the duration of the Force Majeure event, the Party responding to the event may, at its discretion, present the other Party with the option of funding the expenditures for expediting material deliveries or labor production in an effort to reduce the duration of the event and economic hardship. Each such opportunity will be negotiated on a case-by-case basis by the Parties.

For purposes of this Agreement, "Good Utility Practice" shall mean any of the applicable practices, methods, standards, guides or acts: required by any governmental authority, regional or national reliability council, or national trade organization, including NERC, SERC, or the successor of any of them, as they may be amended from time to time whether or not the Party whose conduct is at issue is a member thereof; otherwise engaged in or approved by a significant portion of the electric utility industry during the relevant time period which in the exercise of reasonable judgment in light of the facts known or that should have been known at the time a decision was made, could have been expected to accomplish the desired result in a manner consistent with law, regulation, good business practices, generation, transmission and distribution reliability, safety, environmental protection, economy and expediency. Good Utility Practice is intended to be acceptable practices, methods, or acts generally accepted in the region, or any other acts or practices as are reasonably necessary to maintain the reliability of the Transmission System (as defined in the Interconnection Agreement), or of the Facility, and is not intended to be limited to the optimum practices, methods, or acts to the exclusion of all others.

Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION QUALIFYING FACILITIES

I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY

Subject to the limitations of this Section I, this schedule is applicable to any qualifying Cogenerator or Small Power Producer (Qualifying Facility) which desires to deliver all of its net electrical output to the Company, has either (1) generating facilities designated as new capacity as defined by 18 C.F.R. § 292.304(b)(1), or (2) hydroelectric generating facilities that meet the criteria of being owned or operated by a small power producer as defined in G.S. 62-3(27a), and enters into an agreement for the sale of net electrical output to the Company (Agreement).

Unless otherwise provided by a Commission order setting forth different availability dates, this schedule is available to any Qualifying Facility (otherwise eligible pursuant to the terms hereof) that, no later than the date on which proposed rates are filed in the next biennial avoided cost proceeding after Docket No. E-100, Sub 140, (a) has obtained a certificate of public convenience and necessity for its facility from the Commission or filed a report of proposed construction with the Commission pursuant to Commission Rule R8-65, (b) has self-certified with FERC as a Qualifying Facility (QF), and (c) has submitted to the Company a duly executed "Notice of Commitment to Sell the Output of a Qualifying Facility to Dominion North Carolina Power Company ("Notice of Commitment"). The form of the Notice of Commitment can be found on the Company's website through the following link: https://www.dom.com/salestodncp. Alternatively, a QF may request a Notice of Commitment form via email to PowerContracts@dom.com.

Where the QF elects to be compensated for firm deliveries in accordance with this schedule, the amount of capacity under contract (the "Contracted Capacity") and the initial term of contract shall be limited as follows:

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Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION QUALIFYING FACILITIES

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I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

- A. Where the QF operates hydroelectric generating facilities that meet the criteria of being owned or operated by a small power producer as defined in G.S. 62-3(27a), or where the QF operates non-hydroelectric QFs fueled by trash or methane derived from landfills, hog waste, poultry waste, solar, wind, and non-animal forms of biomass, the amount of Contracted Capacity subject to compensation shall be no greater than 5,000 kW, and the amount of energy purchased during a given hour at rates applicable to firm deliveries shall be no greater than 5,000 kWh. The initial term of contract for such a QF shall be for a period of five, 10, or 15 years, at the option of the QF.
- B. Where the QF is not defined under Paragraph I.A., the amount of Contracted Capacity subject to compensation shall be no greater than 3,000 kW, and the amount of energy purchased during a given hour at rates applicable to firm deliveries shall be no greater than 3,000 kWh. The initial term of contract for such a QF shall be for a period of 5 years.

Where the QF elects to be compensated for firm or non-firm deliveries in accordance with this schedule, the QF must begin deliveries to the Company within thirty months of the Commission's order in Docket No. E-100, Sub 140 approving this Schedule 19-FP to retain eligibility for the rates contained in this schedule; provided, however, a QF may be allowed additional time to begin deliveries of power to the Company if the QF facilities in question are nearly complete at the end of such thirty month period and the QF is able to demonstrate that it is making a good faith effort to complete its project in a timely manner. Where the QF elects an initial contract term of 10 or more years, such contract may be renewed for subsequent term(s), at the Company's option, based on substantially the same terms and provisions and at a rate either (1) mutually agreed upon by the parties negotiating in good faith and taking into consideration the Company's then avoided cost rates and other relevant factors or (2) set by arbitration.

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Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION **QUALIFYING FACILITIES**

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I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

This schedule is not available or applicable to a QF owned by a developer, or affiliate of a developer, who sells power to the Company from another facility located within one-half mile unless: (1) each facility provides thermal energy to different, unaffiliated hosts; or (2) each facility provides thermal energy to the same host, and the host has multiple operations with distinctly different or separate thermal needs. For purposes of this paragraph, the distance between facilities shall be measured from the electrical-generating equipment of each facility.

This schedule is not available or applicable to a QF that utilizes a renewable resource, such as hydroelectric, solar, or wind power facilities, which is owned by a developer, or affiliate of a developer who is selling or will sell power to the Company from another QF using the same renewable energy resource located within one-half mile if the combined output of such renewable resource QFs will exceed 5,000 kW (ac). For purposes of this paragraph, distance between QFs shall be measured from the electrical generating equipment of each facility.

Π. MONTHLY BILLING TO THE OF

All sales to the QF will be in accordance with any applicable filed rate schedule. In addition, where the QF contracts for sales to the Company, the QF will be billed a monthly charge equal to one of the following to cover the cost of meter reading and processing:

Metering required	<u>Charge</u>
One non-time-differentiated meter	\$17.24
One time-differentiated meter	\$35.55
Two time-differentiated meters	\$41.16

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Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION QUALIFYING FACILITIES

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III. DEFINITION OF ON- AND OFF-PEAK HOURS

A. For Option A Rates the On-Peak Hours are:

Summer

(i) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight March 31 and ending at 12:00 midnight September 30:

The on-peak hours are defined as the hours between 10:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

Non-Summer

(ii) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight September 30 and ending at 12:00 midnight March 31:

The on-peak hours are defined as those hours between 6:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., plus 4:00 p.m. through 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

B. For Option B Rates the On-Peak Hours are:

Summer

(i) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight May 31 and ending at 12:00 midnight September 30:

The on-peak hours are defined as the hours between 1:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

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Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION QUALIFYING FACILITIES

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III. DEFINITION OF ON- AND OFF-PEAK HOURS (Continued)

Non-Summer

(ii) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight September 30 and ending at 12:00 midnight May 31:

The on-peak hours are defined as those hours between 6:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

Note: Option B Rates and Hours are Applicable Only to QFs Electing the Firm Mode of Operation

C. Off-Peak Hours:

The off-peak hours in any month are defined as all hours not specified above as on-peak hours. All hours for the following holidays will be considered as off-peak: New Year's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, the day after Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day. When one of the above holidays falls on a Saturday, the Friday before the holiday will be considered off-peak; when the holiday falls on a Sunday, the following Monday will be considered off-peak.

IV. CONTRACT OPTIONS FOR DESIGNATING MODE OF OPERATION

The QF shall designate under contract its Mode of Operation from the following options, each of which determines the Company's method of payment.

A. <u>Non-Reimbursement Mode</u>. The QF may contract for the delivery of energy to the Company without reimbursement, designated as the Non-reimbursement Mode of Operation.

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IV. CONTRACT OPTIONS FOR DESIGNATING MODE OF OPERATION (Continued)

- B. Energy-Only, Non-time-differentiated or the Energy-Only, Time-differentiated Mode. The QF may contract for the delivery of energy-only energy to the Company (energy-only payments are not fixed for the duration of the PPA term; the rates will change with each revision of this schedule, and there is no payment for capacity to QFs selecting the energy-only option). Where the QF's generation facilities have an aggregate nameplate rating of 100 kW or less the QF may designate the energy-only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation. Regardless of nameplate rating the QF may designate the energy-only, Time-differentiated Mode of Operation.
- C. <u>Firm Mode</u>. The QF may contract for the delivery of both energy and capacity to the Company under Firm Mode. The level of capacity which the QF contracts to sell to the Company shall not exceed 5,000 kW, where the QF is defined under Paragraph I.A., or 3,000 kW otherwise. This capacity level, in kW, shall be referred to as the Contracted Capacity. When the QF elects to sell firm energy and capacity, the QF shall designate the Firm Mode of Operation.

V. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF ENERGY-ONLY

The QF may contract to receive payment for energy-only determined with each revision of this schedule. These rates will be based upon the QF's Mode of Operation as described below. There are no capacity payments for the QFs that contract for energy-only energy.

A. <u>Non-reimbursement Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF designates the Non-Reimbursement Mode of Operation, no payment will be made for energy delivered.

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В. Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation. Where the QF's generation

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facilities have an aggregate nameplate rating of 100 kW or less and the QF designates the energy-only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation,

the following rates in cents per kWh are applicable:

3.356

C. Time-differentiated Mode of Operation. Where the QF designates the energy-only Time-differentiated Mode of Operation, the following On- and Off-peak rates in cents per kWh are applicable:

On-peak (as defined in Section III.A) 3.826 3.096 Off-peak

The rates in both B and C above will be redetermined on a biennial basis on each revision of this schedule. Further, for clarity, the Energy-only rates in C above are identical to the Variable Rates shown below in Section VI. A.

All energy purchase rates regardless of Mode of Operation will be further increased by 3.0% to account for line losses avoided by the Company.

VI. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF FIRM ENERGY

OFs designating the Firm Mode of Operation will be eligible to receive capacity payments in addition to energy rates under this Section VI – Firm Energy. The QF may contract to receive payments for firm energy based on A or B, below. Contract terms for 10 or 15 years are available only where the QF is defined under Paragraph I.A. Capacity payments to the QF will be paired with the option the QF selects for firm energy payments (e.g., if the OF selects Option A for firm energy payments, the QF will be paid Option A capacity payments).

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VI. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF FIRM ENERGY (Continued)

In lieu of fixed rates, a QF that selects the Firm Mode of Operation may contract to receive payment for time-differentiated energy at rates to be determined with each revision of this schedule. These rates in cents per kWh, which reflect the Company's estimated avoided energy cost for delivery of energy until the next biennial filing, are as shown in the price tables below under the heading Variable Rate:

A. Option A: The QF may contract to receive energy purchase payments for the delivery of firm energy based upon fixed prices, as shown below in cents per kWh:

	Fixed Long-Term Rate			
	Variable Rate 5-Year 10-Year 15			
On-Peak (¢/kWh)	3.826	4.367	4.743	5.037
Off-peak (¢/kWh)	3.096	3.612	3.963	4.188

B. Option B: The QF may contract to receive energy purchase payments for the delivery of firm energy based upon fixed prices, as shown below in cents per kWh:

	<u>Fixed Long-Term Rate</u>			
	Variable Rate	5-Year	10-Year	<u>15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh)	3.826	4.412	4.802	5.124
Off-peak (¢/kWh)	3.226	3,734	4.085	4.314

Operator shall be paid for energy up to 5% above the Contracted Capacity in any hour at the then applicable energy-only rates under Schedule 19-FP except no payment shall be made for generation in excess of 5,000 kW or 3,000 kW as applicable pursuant to Section I.A. or I.B.

All energy purchase rates will be further increased by 3.0% to account for line losses avoided by the Company.

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VII. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF CAPACITY

Company purchases of capacity are applicable only where the QF elects the Firm Mode of Operation. The QF will receive payments for capacity based on Option A below if the QF selected Option A for firm energy payments. The QF will receive capacity payment based on Option B below if the QF selected Option B for firm energy payments. Capacity payments are applicable during on-peak hours only. Such QFs shall receive capacity purchase payments based on the applicable levelized capacity purchase price below, in cents per kWh, corresponding to the contract length in years. Contract terms of 10 or 15 years are available only for QFs described in Paragraph I.A.

Option A:

For hydroelectric facilities with no storage capability and no other type of generation:

	<u></u>	Capacity Price	
	<u>5-Year</u>	10-Year	<u>15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	4.351	4.515	4.665
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	2.900	3.010	3.110

For all other facilities:

	Capacity Price		
	<u>5-Year</u>	<u>10-Year</u>	<u>15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	2.611	2.709	2.799
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	1.740	1.806	1.866

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Option B:

For hydroelectric facilities with no storage capability and no other type of generation:

		Capacity Price	2
	<u>5-Year</u>	<u>10-Year</u>	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	9.981	10.358	10.701
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	3.848	3.993	4.125

For all other facilities:

	Capacity Price		
	<u>5-Year</u>	<u>10-Year</u>	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	5.989	6.215	6.421
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	2.309	2.396	2.475

Payments will be made to the QF by applying the appropriate levelized capacity purchase price above to all kWh delivered to the Company during each on-peak hour, up to the 100% of the Contracted Capacity in such hour. There will be no compensation for capacity in excess of the QF's Contracted Capacity in an hour. This capacity price will be in accordance with the length of rate term for capacity sales so established in the contract.

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VIII. PROVISIONS FOR COMPANY PURCHASE OF THE QF GENERATION

- A. The QF shall own and be fully responsible for the costs and performance of the QF's:
 - 1. Generating facility in accordance with all applicable laws and governmental agencies having jurisdiction;
 - 2. Control and protective devices as required by the Company on the OF's side of the meter.
- B. The sale of power to the Company by a QF at avoided cost rates pursuant to this Schedule 19-FP does not convey ownership to the Company of the renewable energy credits or green tags associated with the QF facility.
- C. The QF is responsible for obtaining an interconnection service agreement for delivery of capacity and energy generated by its facility onto the Company's electrical system. Information on interconnection procedures for the QF's generation interconnection is provided through the Internet at the Company's website:

https://www.dom.com/library/domcom/pdfs/north-carolina-power/rates/terms-and-conditions/term24.pdf.

If the interconnection is subject to FERC jurisdiction, the interconnection will be in accordance with FERC and PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. requirements.

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IX. MODIFICATION OF RATES AND OTHER PROVISIONS HEREUNDER

The provisions of this schedule, including the rates for purchase of energy and Contracted Capacity by the Company, are subject to modification at any time in the manner prescribed by law, and when so modified, shall supersede the rates and provisions hereof. However, payments to QFs with contracts for a specified term at payments established at the time the obligation is incurred shall remain at the payment levels established in their contract.

If the QF terminates its contract to provide Contracted Capacity and energy to the Company prior to the expiration of the contract term, the QF shall, in addition to other liabilities, be liable to the Company for excess capacity and energy payments.

Such excess payments will be calculated by taking the difference between (1) the total capacity and energy payments already made by the Company to the QF and (2) capacity and energy payments calculated based on the levelized capacity and energy purchase price found in Paragraph VI and VII corresponding to the highest term option completed by the QF. These excess payments shall also include interest, from the time such excess payments were made, compounded annually at the rate equal to the Company's most current issue of long-term debt at the time of the contract's effective date.

X. TERM OF CONTRACT

The term of contract shall be such as may be mutually agreed upon but for not less than one year.

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EXHIBIT C

Exhibit C is a copy of Schedule 19-FP.

EXHIBIT D

Exhibit D is a map and written description identifying the specific location of the Facility and is provided by the Operator.

BY ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION

August 1, 2016

Gail L. Mount Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 430 North Salisbury Street Raleigh, North Carolina 27603

Re:

Docket No. SP-4824, Sub 0

Carl Friedrich Gauss Solar, LLC – Amended Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity and Registration as a New Renewable Energy Facility

Dear Clerk Mount:

On December 15, 2014, applicant filed for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity and Registration for a New Renewable Energy Facility. On March 3, 2015, the Commission released an Order issuing a Certificate and Accepting Registration of the New Renewable Energy Facility. Applicant is now requesting to amend the Certificate and Registration. The location of the property line has shifted north west of the original location, location of generating assets changed, equipment changed and commercial date revised. As a result of the change in property lines and location of equipment, we understand that the Commission will issued an amended requiring Publication of Notice.

Replace the following sections of the original Application with the following:

4. Address or location of generating facility set forth in terms of local highways, streets, river, streams, or other generally known landmarks together with a map such as a county road map with the location indicated on the map.

760 Gregory Farm Road, Roanoke Rapids, NC 27839
See map of property attached as "Exhibit A". The original and amended leased property lines are marked in red. "Exhibit B" shows the location of equipment in the Amended CPCN Application.

6. A description of the buildings, structures and equipment comprising the generating facility and the manner of their operation.

The facility will consist of approximately twenty-two thousand (22,000) 315 Wp DC photovoltaic (PV) modules (or the equivalent) affixed to ground-mounted

racks. The will utilize three 1.66 MW AC inverters (or the equivalent).

- 9. The projected date on which the facility will come on line is: 10/1/17
- 11. A complete list of all federal and state licenses, permits and exemptions required for construction and operation of the generating facility and a statement of whether each has been obtained or applied for. A copy of those that have been obtained should be filed with the application; a copy of those that have not been obtained at the time of the application should be filed with the Commission as soon as they are obtained.

Attached is the latest FERC Form 556 filed for the project.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

Exhibit A

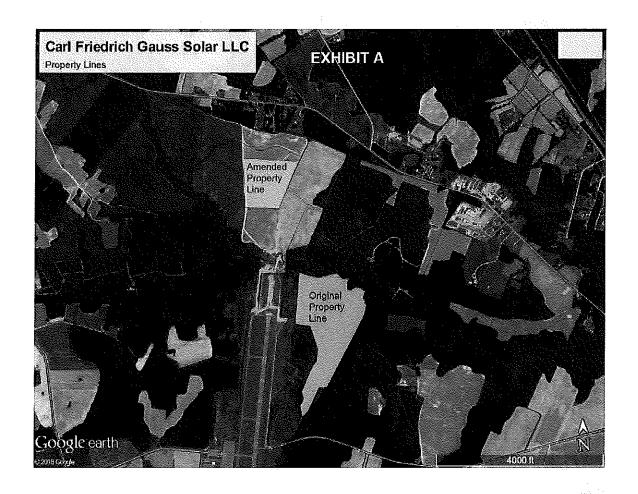


Exhibit B



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Form 556 Certification of Qualifying Facility (QF) Status for a Small Power Production or Cogeneration Facility

General

Questions about completing this form should be sent to Form556@ferc.gov. Information about the Commission's QF program, answers to frequently asked questions about QF requirements or completing this form, and contact information for QF program staffare available at the Commission's QF website, www.ferc.gov/QF. The Commission's QF website also provides links to the Commission's QF regulations (18 C.F.R. § 131.80 and Part 292), as well as other statutes and orders pertaining to the Commission's QF program.

Who Must File

Any applicant seeking QF status or recertification of QF status for a generating facility with a net power production capacity (as determined in lines 7a through 7g below) greater than 1000 kW must file a self-certification or an application for Commission certification of QF status, which includes a properly completed Form 556. Any applicant seeking QF status for a generating facility with a net power production capacity 1000 kW or less is exempt from the certification requirement, and is therefore not required to complete or file a Form 556. See 18 C.F.R. § 292.203.

How to Complete the Form 556

This form is intended to be completed by responding to the items in the order they are presented, according to the instructions given. If you need to back-track, you may need to clear certain responses before you will be allowed to change other responses made previously in the form. If you experience problems, click on the nearest help button () for assistance, or contact Commission staff at Form556@ferc.gov.

Certain lines in this form will be automatically calculated based on responses to previous lines, with the relevant formulas shown. You must respond to all of the previous lines within a section before the results of an automatically calculated field will be displayed. If you disagree with the results of any automatic calculation on this form, contact Commission staff at Form556@ferc.gov to discuss the discrepancy before filing.

You must complete all lines in this form unless instructed otherwise. Do not alter this form or save this form in a different format. Incomplete or altered forms, or forms saved in formats other than PDF, will be rejected.

How to File a Completed Form 556

Applicants are required to file their Form 556 electronically through the Commission's eFiling website (see instructions on page 2). By filing electronically, you will reduce your filing burden, save paper resources, save postage or courier charges, help keep Commission expenses to a minimum, and receive a much faster confirmation (via an email containing the docket number assigned to your facility) that the Commission has received your filing.

If you are simultaneously filing both a waiver request and a Form 556 as part of an application for Commission certification, see the "Waiver Requests" section on page 3 for more information on how to file.

Paperwork Reduction Act Notice

This form is approved by the Office of Management and Budget. Compliance with the information requirements established by the FERC Form No. 556 is required to obtain or maintain status as a QF. See 18 C.F.R. § 131.80 and Part 292. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The estimated burden for completing the FERC Form No. 556, including gathering and reporting information, is as follows: 3 hours for self-certification of a small power production facility, 8 hours for self-certifications of a cogeneration facility, 6 hours for an application for Commission certification of a small power production facility, and 50 hours for an application for Commission certification of a cogeneration facility. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the following: Information Clearance Officer, Office of the Executive Director (ED-32), Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street N.E., Washington, DC 20426 (DataClearance@ferc.gov); and Desk Officer for FERC, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503 (oira_submission@omb.eop.gov). Include the Control No. 1902-0075 in any correspondence.

Electronic Filing (eFiling)

FERC Form 556

To electronically file your Form 556, visit the Commission's QF website at www.ferc.gov/QF and click the eFiling link.

If you are eFiling your first document, you will need to register with your name, email address, mailing address, and phone number. If you are registering on behalf of an employer, then you will also need to provide the employer name, alternate contact name, alternate contact phone number and and alternate contact email.

Once you are registered, log in to eFiling with your registered email address and the password that you created at registration. Follow the instructions. When prompted, select one of the following QF-related filing types, as appropriate, from the Electric or General filing category.

Filing category	FilingTypeaslistedineFiling	Description
	(Fee) Application for Commission Cert. as Cogeneration QF	Use to submit an application for Commission certification or Commission recertification of a cogeneration facility as a QF.
	(Fee) Application for Commission Cert. as Small Power QF	Use to submit an application for Commission certification or Commission recertification of a small power production facility as a QF.
	Self-Certification Notice (QF, EG, FC)	Use to submit a notice of self- certification of your facility (cogeneration or small power production) as a QF.
Electric	Self-Recertification of Qualifying Facility (QF)	Use to submit a notice of self- recertification of your facility (cogeneration or small power production) as a QF.
	Supplemental Information or Request	Use to correct or supplement a Form 556 that was submitted with errors or omissions, or for which Commission staff has requested additional information. Do not use this filing type to report new changes to a facility or its ownership; rather, use a self- recertification or Commission recertification to report such changes.
General	(Fee) Petition for Declaratory Order (not under FPA Part 1)	Use to submit a petition for declaratory order granting a waiver of Commission QF regulations pursuantto 18 C.F.R. §§ 292.204(a) (3) and/or 292.205(c). A Form 556 is not required for a petition for declaratory order unless Commission recertification is being requested as part of the petition.

You will be prompted to submit your filing fee, if applicable, during the electronic submission process. Filing fees can be paid via electronic bank account debit or credit card.

During the eFiling process, you will be prompted to select your file(s) for upload from your computer.

Filing Fee

No filing fee is required if you are submitting a self-certification or self-recertification of your facility as a QF pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(a).

A filing fee is required if you are filing either of the following:

- (1) an application for Commission certification or recertification of your facility as a QF pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(b), or
- (2) a petition for declaratory order granting waiver pursuant to 18 C.F.R. §§ 292.204(a)(3) and/or 292.205(c).

The current fees for applications for Commission certifications and petitions for declaratory order can be found by visiting the Commission's QF website at www.ferc.gov/QF and clicking the Fee Schedule link.

You will be prompted to submit your filing fee, if applicable, during the electronic filing process described on page 2.

Required Notice to Utilities and State Regulatory Authorities

Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(a)(ii), you must provide a copy of your self-certification or request for Commission certification to the utilities with which the facility will interconnect and/or transact, as well as to the State regulatory authorities of the states in which your facility and those utilities reside. Links to information about the regulatory authorities in various states can be found by visiting the Commission's QF website at www.ferc.gov/QF and clicking the Notice Requirements link.

What to Expect From the Commission After You File

An applicant filing a Form 556 electronically will receive an email message acknowledging receipt of the filing and showing the docket number assigned to the filing. Such email is typically sent within one business day, but may be delayed pending confirmation by the Secretary of the Commission of the contents of the filing.

An applicant submitting a self-certification of QF status should expect to receive no documents from the Commission, other than the electronic acknowledgement of receipt described above. Consistent with its name, a self-certification is a certification by the applicant itself that the facility meets the relevant requirements for QF status, and does not involve a determination by the Commission as to the status of the facility. An acknowledgement of receipt of a self-certification, in particular, does not represent a determination by the Commission with regard to the QF status of the facility. An applicant self-certifying may, however, receive a rejection, revocation or deficiency letter if its application is found, during periodic compliance reviews, not to comply with the relevant requirements.

An applicant submitting a request for Commission certification will receive an order either granting or denying certification of QF status, or a letter requesting additional information or rejecting the application. Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(b)(3), the Commission must act on an application for Commission certification within 90 days of the later of the filing date of the application or the filing date of a supplement, amendment or other change to the application.

Waiver Requests

18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a)(3) allows an applicant to request a waiver to modify the method of calculation pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a)(2) to determine if two facilities are considered to be located at the same site, for good cause. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(c) allows an applicant to request waiver of the requirements of 18 C.F.R. §§ 292.205(a) and (b) for operating and efficiency upon a showing that the facility will produce significant energy savings. A request for waiver of these requirements must be submitted as a petition for declaratory order, with the appropriate filing fee for a petition for declaratory order. Applicants requesting Commission recertification as part of a request for waiver of one of these requirements should electronically submit their completed Form 556 along with their petition for declaratory order, rather than filing their Form 556 as a separate request for Commission recertification. Only the filing fee for the petition for declaratory order must be paid to cover both the waiver request and the request for recertification if such requests are made simultaneously.

 $18\,C.F.R.$ § 292.203(d)(2) allows an applicant to request a waiver of the Form 556 filing requirements, for good cause. Applicants filing a petition for declaratory order requesting a waiver under $18\,C.F.R.$ § 292.203(d)(2) do not need to complete or submit a Form 556 with their petition.

FERC Form 556 Page 4 - Instructions

Geographic Coordinates

If a street address does not exist for your facility, then line 3c of the Form 556 requires you to report your facility's geographic coordinates (latitude and longitude). Geographic coordinates may be obtained from several different sources. You can find links to online services that show latitude and longitude coordinates on online maps by visiting the Commission's QF webpage at www.ferc.gov/QF and clicking the Geographic Coordinates link. You may also be able to obtain your geographic coordinates from a GPS device, Google Earth (available free at http://earth.google.com), a property survey, various engineering or construction drawings, a property deed, or a municipal or county map showing property lines.

Filing Privileged Data or Critical Energy Infrastructure Information in a Form 556

The Commission's regulations provide procedures for applicants to either (1) request that any information submitted with a Form 556 be given privileged treatment because the information is exempt from the mandatory public disclosure requirements of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and should be withheld from public disclosure; or (2) identify any documents containing critical energy infrastructure information (CEII) as defined in 18 C.F.R. § 388.113 that should not be made public.

If you are seeking privileged treatment or CEII status for any data in your Form 556, then you must follow the procedures in 18 C.F.R. § 388.112. See www.ferc.gov/help/filing-guide/file-ceii.asp for more information.

Among other things (see 18 C.F.R. § 388.112 for other requirements), applicants seeking privileged treatment or CEII status for data submitted in a Form 556 must prepare and file both (1) a complete version of the Form 556 (containing the privileged and/or CEII data), and (2) a public version of the Form 556 (with the privileged and/or CEII data redacted). Applicants preparing and filing these different versions of their Form 556 must indicate below the security designation of this version of their document. If you are *not* seeking privileged treatment or CEII status for any of your Form 556 data, then you should not respond to any of the items on this page.

Non-Public: Applicant is seeking privileged treatment and/or CEII status for data contained in the Form 556 lines indicated below. This non-public version of the applicant's Form 556 contains all data, including the data that is redacted in the (separate) public version of the applicant's Form 556.
Public (redacted): Applicant is seeking privileged treatment and/or CEII status for data contained in the Form 556 lines indicated below. This public version of the applicants's Form 556 contains all data except for data from the lines indicated below, which has been redacted.
Privileged: Indicate below which lines of your form contain data for which you are seeking privileged treatment
Critical Energy Infrastructure Information (CEII): Indicate below which lines of your form contain data for which you are seeking CEII status

The eFiling process described on page 2 will allow you to identify which versions of the electronic documents you submit are public, privileged and/or CEII. The filenames for such documents should begin with "Public", "Priv", or "CEII", as applicable, to clearly indicate the security designation of the file. Both versions of the Form 556 should be unaltered PDF copies of the Form 556, as available for download from www.ferc.gov/QF. To redact data from the public copy of the submittal, simply omit the relevant data from the Form. For numerical fields, leave the redacted fields blank. For text fields, complete as much of the field as possible, and replace the redacted portions of the field with the word "REDACTED" in brackets. Be sure to identify above all fields which contain data for which you are seeking non-public status.

The Commission is not responsible for detecting or correcting filer errors, including those errors related to security designation. If your documents contain sensitive information, make sure they are filed using the proper security designation.

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으	760 Gregory Farm Road, R	oanoke Rapids, NC	27839		
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entification and Location	3c Geographic coordinates: If you indicated that no street address exists for your facility by checking the box in line 3b, then you must specify the latitude and longitude coordinates of the facility in degrees (to three decimal places). Use the following formula to convert to decimal degrees from degrees, minutes and seconds: decimal degrees = degrees + (minutes/60) + (seconds/3600). See the "Geographic Coordinates" section on page 4 for help. If you provided a street address for your facility in line 3b, then specifying the geographic coordinates below is optional.				
n <u>ffi</u>	East (+)			⊠ North(+)	
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S	4a Identify utility interconnecting wi	th the facility			
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	two direct owners with the largest equity interest in the facility. Full legal names of direct owners	Electric ut holdi compa	ing	If Yes, % equity interest
1	Geenex, LLC	Yes 🗍	No 🖂	9
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4		Yes	No 🗌	
5)		Yes	No 🗌	%
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6a Describe the primary energy input: (check one main category and, if applicable, one subcategory)						
	Biomass (specify)	Renewable resources (specify) Geothermal			
	☐ Landfill gas	☐ Hydro power-river	Fossil fuel (specify)			
	☐ Manure digestergas	☐ Hydro power - tidal	☐ Coal (notwaste)			
	☐ Municipal solid waste	☐ Hydro power-wave	☐ Fuel oil/diesel			
	☐ Sewage digester gas	⊠ Solar - photovoltaic	☐ Natural gas (not waste)			
T THE SAME AND A SAME	☐ Wood	☐ Solar -thermal	Other fossil fuel			
	☐ Other biomass (describe or	n page 19) Uind Other renewable resour	(describe on page 19)			
	Waste (specify type below in line	6b) (describe on page 19)	Other (describe on page 19)			
	6b Ifyou specified "waste" as the primar	y energy input in line 6a, indicate the type	of waste fuel used: (check one)			
	☐ Waste fuel listed in 18 C.F.R. § 2	292.202(b) (specify one of the following)				
	☐ Anthracite culm produce	d priorto July 23, 1985				
	Anthracite refuse that has ash content of 45 percent	san average heat content of 6,000 Btu or tor more	less per pound and has an average			
	Bituminous coal refuse th average ash content of 25	nathas an average heat content of 9,500 l 5 percentor more	3tu per pound or less and has an			
Input	determined to be waste by (BLM) or that is located or	nous coal produced on Federal lands or y the United States Department of the Int non-Federal or non-Indian lands outsid the latter coal is an extension of that dete	terior's Bureau of Land Management e of BLM's jurisdiction, provided that			
Energy Input	☐ BLM or that is located on r	Federal lands or on Indian lands that has non-Federal or non-Indian lands outside latter is an extension of that determined b	ofBLM's jurisdiction, provided that			
Ш	Lignite produced in association with the production of montan wax and lignite that becomes exposed as a result of such a mining operation					
	☐ Gaseous fuels (except nat	tural gas and synthetic gas from coal) (des	scribe on page 19)			
	,	as or oil wells (describe on page 19 how thatural gas; include with your filing any ma . § 2.400)	•			
	☐ Materials that a government	ent agency has certified for disposal by c	ombustion (describe on page 19)			
	☐ Heat from exothermic read	ctions (describe on page 19)	Residual heat (describe on page 19)			
	☐ Used rubber tires [☐ Plastic materials ☐ Refinery	off-gas Petroleum coke			
	Other waste energy input that has little or no commercial value and exists in the absence of the qualifying facility industry (describe in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19; include a discussion of the fuel's lack of commercial value and existence in the absence of the qualifying facility industry)					
		llculated on a calendar year basis, in tern of percentage of the total average annual fuel, use lower heating value (18 C.F.R. § 2	lenergy input to the facility (18 C.F.R.§			
	Fuel	Annual average energy	Percentage of total			
	Natural gas	input for specified fuel	annualenergyinput			
	Oil-based fuels	0 Btu/h				
	Coal					
1		0 Btu/h	0 %			

Indicate the maximum gross and maximum net electric power production capacity of the facility at the point(s) of delivery by completing the worksheet below. Respond to all items. If any of the parasitic loads and/or losses identified in lines 7b through 7e are negligible, enter zero for those lines.

3 3.3	
7a The maximum gross power production capacity at the terminals of the individual generator(s) under the most favorable anticipated design conditions	5,010 kW
7b Parasitic station power used at the facility to run equipment which is necessary and integral to the power production process (boiler feed pumps, fans/blowers, office or maintenance buildings directly related to the operation of the power generating facility, etc.). If this facility includes non-power production processes (for instance, power consumed by a cogeneration facility's thermal host), do not include any power consumed by the non-power production activities in your	
reported parasitic station power.	o kW
7c Electrical losses in interconnection transformers	5 kW
7d Electrical losses in AC/DC conversion equipment, if any	o kW
7e Other interconnection losses in power lines or facilities (other than transformers and AC/DC conversion equipment) between the terminals of the generator(s) and the point of interconnection with the utility	5 kW
7f Total deductions from gross power production capacity = 7b + 7c + 7d + 7e	
7. Total additions from group portor production departs 170 170 170 170 170	10.0 kW
7g Maximum net power production capacity = 7a - 7f	
	5,000.0 kW

7h Description of facility and primary components: Describe the facility and its operation. Identify all boilers, heat recovery steam generators, prime movers (any mechanical equipment driving an electric generator), electrical generators, photovoltaic solar equipment, fuel cell equipment and/or other primary power generation equipment used in the facility. Descriptions of components should include (as applicable) specifications of the nominal capacities for mechanical output, electrical output, or steam generation of the identified equipment. For each piece of equipment identified, clearly indicate how many pieces of that type of equipment are included in the plant, and which components are normally operating or normally in standby mode. Provide a description of how the components operate as a system. Applicants for cogeneration facilities do not need to describe operations of systems that are clearly depicted on and easily understandable from a cogeneration facility's attached mass and heat balance diagram; however, such applicants should provide any necessary description needed to understand the sequential operation of the facility depicted in their mass and heat balance diagram. If additional space is needed, continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.

The facility is a fixed tilt, ground mounted solar photovoltaic system consisting of approximately 22,000 panels 315W PV modules and will utilize three (3) 1666 kw inverters.



Information Required for Small Power Production Facility

If you indicated in line 1k that you are seeking qualifying small power production facility status for your facility, then you must respond to the items on this page. Otherwise, skip page 10.

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	Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a), the power production capacity of any small power production facility, together with the power production capacity of any other small power production facilities that use the same energy resource, are owned by the same person(s) or its affiliates, and are located at the same site, may not exceed 80 megawatts. To demonstrate compliance with this size limitation, or to demonstrate that your facility is exempt from this size limitation under the Solar, Wind, Waste, and Geothermal Power Production Incentives Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101-575, 104 Stat. 2834 (1990) as amended by Pub. L. 102-46, 105 Stat. 249 (1991)), respond to lines 8a through 8e below (as applicable).						
	8a Identify any facilities with electrequipment of the instant facility, and at least a 5 percent equity interest.			-			
മ	Check here if no such facilities exist.	\boxtimes					
Jertification of Compliance with Size Limitations	Facility location (cityorcounty,state)	Root docket# (ifany)	Common owner(s)	Maximum net power production capacity			
atic	1)	QF -		kW			
SE	2)	QF -		kW			
ot E Li	3)	 QF -		kW			
tification with Size	Checkhere and continue in the	- — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	starting on page 19 if additiona	Ispaceisneeded			
S	Are you seeking exemption from the Yes (continue at line 8c below 8c Was the original notice of self-content before December 31, 1994? Yes 8d Did construction of the facility content before In the facility, taking into account all fact a brief narrative explanation in the Marticular, describe why construction toward completion of the facility.	ertification or application No	No (skip lines 8c through 8c thro	of the facility filed on or No ward the completion of u answered Yes, provide truction timeline (in			
Certification of Compliance with Fuel Use Requirements	Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b), amounts, for only the following purp prevention of unanticipated equipm the public health, safety, or welfare, used for these purposes may not experiod beginning with the date the fa	oses: ignition; start-up ent outages; and allevi which would result fror ceed 25 percent of the	testing; flame stabilization; co ation or prevention of emergen n electric power outages. The total energy input of the facility	ntrol use; alleviation or cies, directly affecting amount of fossil fuels during the 12-month			
ot Re	9a Certification of compliance with 1	8C.F.R.§292.204(b)v	rithrespect to uses of fossil fuel:				
ion (Use	⊠ Applicantcertifiesthatthefa	cility will use fossil fuels	exclusively for the purposes list	ted above.			
cat lel	9b Certification of compliance with 1	8C.F.R.§292.204(b)	vithrespecttoamountoffossilf	uelusedannually:			
Certifi with Fu	Applicant certifies that the a percent of the total energy in facility first produces electric	nput of the facility durir					

Information Required for Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 1k that you are seeking qualifying cogeneration facility status for your facility, then you must respond to the items on pages 11 through 13. Otherwise, skip pages 11 through 13.

		energy (such use of energy cycle cogene thermal appl 292.205(a);	nasheators y. Pursuant eration facil ication or pi or (2) for a b	steam) used for industrial, to 18 C.F.R. § 292.202(s) ity, the use of reject heat ocess to conform to the re	on facility produces electric energy and forms of useful thermal commercial, heating, or cooling purposes, through the sequential, "sequential use" of energy means the following: (1) for a topping-from a power production process in sufficient amounts in a equirements of the operating standard contained in 18 C.F.R. § ation facility, the use of at least some reject heat from a thermal
		10a Whattyr	pe(s)ofcog	eneration technology doe	es the facility represent? (checkall that apply)
		То	pping-cycle	cogeneration	Bottoming-cycle cogeneration
		other re balance meet ce	quirements ediagramde ertain requir	such as the operating ar epicting average annual c	on of the cogeneration process, and to support compliance with ad efficiency standards, include with your filing a mass and heat operating conditions. This diagram must include certain items and low. You must check next to the description of each requirement these requirements.
		Checkto complian			
		indicated re			Requirement
eral	nc			heat recovery steam ger	entation within system piping and/or ducts of all prime movers, nerators, boilers, electric generators, and condensers (as ny other primary equipment relevant to the cogeneration
	eratic				ues required to be reported in lines 10b, 12a, 13a, 13b, 13d, 13f, must be computed over the anticipated hours of operation.
General	Cogeneration Information	[for supplementary firing	I fuel inputs by fuel type and average annual rate in Btu/h. Fuel should be specified separately and clearly labeled. All uts should use lower heating values.
]	Diagram must specify av	rerage gross electric output in kWorMWforeach generator.
	Cide 4000.]	off of the shaft of the prin	erage mechanical output (that is, any mechanical energy taken ne movers for purposes not directly related to electric power rer, if any. Typically, a cogeneration facility has no mechanical
	T TOTAL TOTA]	below), such flow condit temperature (in °F, R, °C or kJ/kg). Exception: For point in the cycle) and we indicated on the diagram flow rate and temperatur	working fluid flow conditions are required to be specified (see ion data must include mass flow rate (in lb/h or kg/s), or K), absolute pressure (in psia or kPa) and enthalpy (in Btu/lb or systems where the working fluid is liquid only (no vapor at any here the type of liquid and specific heat of that liquid are clearly nor in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19, only mass e (not pressure and enthalpy) need be specified. For reference, I conditions for pure liquid water is approximately 1.002 Btu/
]		orking fluid flow conditions at input to and output from each pansion turbine or back-pressure turbine.
]	Diagram must specify w thermal application.	orking fluid flow conditions at delivery to and return from each
			Para	Diagram must specify w	orking fluid flow conditions at make-up water inputs.

	EPAct 2005 cogeneration facilities: The Energy Policy Act of 2005 (EPAct 2005) established a new section 210(n) of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA), 16 USC 824a-3(n), with additional requirements for any qualifying cogeneration facility that (1) is seeking to sell electric energy pursuant to section 210 of PURPA and (2) was either not a cogeneration facility on August 8, 2005, or had not filed a self-certification or application for Commission certification of QF status on or before February 1, 2006. These requirements were implemented by the Commission in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d). Complete the lines below, carefully following the instructions, to demonstrate whether these additional requirements apply to your cogeneration facility and, if so, whether your facility complies with such requirements.	
	11a Was your facility operating as a qualifying cogeneration facility on or before August 8, 2005? Yes No	-
7	11b Was the initial filing seeking certification of your facility (whether a notice of self-certification or an application for Commission certification) filed on or before February 1, 2006? Yes No	•
	If the answer to either line 11a or 11b is Yes, then continue at line 11c below. Otherwise, if the answers to both lines 11a and 11b are No, skip to line 11e below.	
EPAct 2005 Requirements for Fundamental Use of Energy Output from Cogeneration Facilities	11c With respect to the design and operation of the facility, have any changes been implemented on or after February 2, 2006 that affect general plant operation, affect use of thermal output, and/or increase net power production capacity from the plant's capacity on February 1, 2006?	
me n F	Yes(continueatline11dbelow)	
s tor Fundam ogeneration	No. Your facility is not subject to the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) at this time. However, it may be subject to to these requirements in the future if changes are made to the facility. At such time, the applicant would need to recertify the facility to determine eligibility. Skip lines 11d through 11j.	
s tor ogei	11d Does the applicant contend that the changes identified in line 11c are not so significant as to make the facility a "new" cogeneration facility that would be subject to the 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) cogeneration requirements?	•
ements from C	Yes. Provide in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 a description of any relevant changes made to the facility (including the purpose of the changes) and a discussion of why the facility should not be considered a "new" cogeneration facility in light of these changes. Skip lines 11e through 11j.	
output from	No. Applicant stipulates to the fact that it is a "new" cogeneration facility (for purposes of determining the applicability of the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)) by virtue of modifications to the facility that were initiated on or after February 2, 2006. Continue below at line 11e.	
o ≥	11e Will electric energy from the facility be sold pursuant to section 210 of PURPA?	6
ctzooc	Yes. The facility is an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility. You must demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by continuing at line 11f below.	
of E	No. Applicant certifies that energy will <i>not</i> be sold pursuant to section 210 of PURPA. Applicant also certifies its understanding that it must recertify its facility in order to determine compliance with the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) <i>before</i> selling energy pursuant to section 210 of PURPA in the future. Skip lines 11f through 11j.	
	11f Is the net power production capacity of your cogeneration facility, as indicated in line 7g above, less than or equal to 5,000 kW?	•
	Yes, the net power production capacity is less than or equal to 5,000 kW. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(4) provides a rebuttable presumption that cogeneration facilities of 5,000 kW and smaller capacity comply with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Applicant certifies its understanding that, should the power production capacity of the facility increase above 5,000 kW, then the facility must be recertified to (among other things) demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Skip lines 11g through 11j.	
	No, the net power production capacity is greater than 5,000 kW. Demonstrate compliance with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by continuing on the next page at line 11g.	

of Energy Output from Cogeneration Facilities (continued)

EPAct 2005 Requirements for Fundamental Use

Lines 11g through 11k below guide the applicant through the process of demonstrating compliance with the requirements for "fundamental use" of the facility's energy output. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Only respond to the lines on this page if the instructions on the previous page direct you to do so. Otherwise, skip this page.

18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) requires that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is residential.

18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) requires that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a qualifying facility to its host facility. If you were directed on the previous page to respond to the items on this page, then your facility is an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility that is subject to this "fundamental use" requirement.

The Commission's regulations provide a two-pronged approach to demonstrating compliance with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output. First, the Commission has established in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3) a "fundamental use test" that can be used to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Under the fundamental use test, a facility is considered to comply with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) if at least 50 percent of the facility's total annual energy output (including electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy output) is used for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes.

Second, an applicant for a facility that does not pass the fundamental use test may provide a narrative explanation of and support for its contention that the facility nonetheless meets the requirement that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a qualifying facility to its host facility.

Complete lines 11g through 11j below to determine compliance with the fundamental use test in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3). Complete lines 11g through 11j even if you do not intend to rely upon the fundamental use test to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2).

11g Amount of electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy output (net of internal	
generation plant losses and parasitic loads) expected to be used annually for industrial,	
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commercial, residential or institutional purposes and not sold to an electric utility	MWh
11h Total amount of electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy expected to be	
sold to an electric utility	MWh
11i Percentage of total annual energy output expected to be used for industrial,	
commercial, residential or institutional purposes and not sold to a utility	
= 100 * 11g /(11g + 11h)	0 %

11j Is the response in line 11i greater than or equal to 50 percent?

Yes. Your facility complies with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by virtue of passing the fundamental use test
provided in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3). Applicant certifies its understanding that, if it is to rely upon passing
the fundamental use test as a basis for complying with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2), then the facility must
 comply with the fundamental use test both in the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first
produces electric energy, and in all subsequent calendar years.

No. Your facility does not pass the fundamental use test. Instead, you must provide in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 a narrative explanation of and support for why your facility meets the requirement that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a QF to its host facility. Applicants providing a narrative explanation of why their facility should be found to comply with 18 C F R § 292 205(d)(2) in spite of non-compliance with the fundamental use test may want to

QF to its host facility. Applicants providing a narrative explanation of why their facility should be found to comply with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) in spite of non-compliance with the fundamental use test may want to review paragraphs 47 through 61 of Order No. 671 (accessible from the Commission's QF website at www.ferc.gov/QF), which provide discussion of the facts and circumstances that may support their explanation. Applicant should also note that the percentage reported above will establish the standard that that facility must comply with, both for the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy, and in all subsequent calendar years. See Order No. 671 at paragraph 51. As such, the applicant should make sure that it reports appropriate values on lines 11g and 11h above to serve as the relevant annual standard, taking into account expected variations in production conditions.

Information Required for Topping-Cycle Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents topping-cycle cogeneration technology, then you must respond to

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	The thermal energy output of a topping-cycle cogeneration facility is the net energy made available to an industrial or commercial process or used in a heating or cooling application. Pursuant to sections 292.202(c), (d) and (h) of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. §§ 292.202(c), (d) and (h)), the thermal energy output of a qualifying topping-cycle cogeneration facility must be useful. In connection with this requirement, describe the thermal output of the topping-cycle cogeneration facility by responding to lines 12a and 12b below.					
	12a	÷	mal host, and specify the annual average rate of the osts with multiple uses of thermal output, provide	•		
	**************************************	Name of entity (thermal host) taking thermal output	Thermal host's relationship to facility; Thermal host's use of thermal output	Average annual rate of thermal output attributable to use (net of heat contained in process return or make-up water)		
			Select thermal host's relationship to facility			
	1)		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h		
	0)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility			
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ycl	۵۱		Select thermal host's relationship to facility			
O T	3)		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h		
juic Du	4)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility			
Usefulness of Topping-Cycle Thermal Output			Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h		
] 	5)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility			
i i) 		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h		
ess he	6)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility			
Ē F			Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h		
sefi	Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if additional space is needed					
Ϋ́	ther How not app is m out date used	mal output identified above. In sever, if your facility's use of them reasonably clear, then you must plication may be rejected and/or a ade. (Exception: If you have prevout related to the instant facility, to and docket number to the order	thermal output: At a minimum, provide a brief desome cases, this brief description is sufficient to denal output is not common, and/or if the usefulness provide additional details as necessary to demonst additional information may be required if an insufficiously received a Commission certification approviden you need only provide a brief description of the certifying your facility with the indicated use. Such deviation from the previously authorized use.) If an starting on page 19.	monstrate usefulness. s of such thermal output is rate usefulness. Your cient showing of usefulness ing a specific use of thermal hat use and a reference by ch exemption may not be		

Applicants for facilities representing topping-cycle technology must demonstrate compliance with the topping-cycle operating standard and, if applicable, efficiency standard. Section 292.205(a)(1) of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(a)(1)) establishes the operating standard for topping-cycle cogeneration facilities: the useful thermal energy output must be no less than 5 percent of the total energy output. Section 292.205(a)(2) (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(a)(2)) establishes the efficiency standard for topping-cycle cogeneration facilities for which installation commenced on or after March 13, 1980: the useful power output of the facility plus one-half the useful thermal energy output must (A) be no less than 42.5 percent of the total energy input of natural gas and oil to the facility; and (B) if the useful thermal energy output is less than 15 percent of the total energy output of the facility, be no less than 45 percent of the total energy input of natural gas and oil to the facility. To demonstrate compliance with the topping-cycle operating and/or efficiency standards, or to demonstrate that your facility is exempt from the efficiency standard based on the date that installation commenced, respond to lines 13a through 13l below.

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents *both* topping-cycle and bottoming-cycle cogeneration technology, then respond to lines 13a through 13l below considering only the energy inputs and outputs attributable to the topping-cycle portion of your facility. Your mass and heat balance diagram must make clear which mass and energy flow values and system components are for which portion (topping or bottoming) of the cogeneration system.

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13a Indicate the annual average rate of useful thermal energy output made availab	le
to the host(s), net of any heat contained in condensate return or make-up water	Btu/h
13b Indicate the annual average rate of net electrical energy output	
	kW
13c Multiply line 13b by 3,412 to convert from kW to Btu/h	o Btu/h
13d Indicate the annual average rate of mechanical energy output taken directly of of the shaft of a prime mover for purposes not directly related to power production (this value is usually zero)	f hp
13e Multiply line 13d by 2,544 to convert from hp to Btu/h	110
The Multiply line rod by 2,044 to convert norm to blam	0 Btu/h
13f Indicate the annual average rate of energy input from natural gas and oil	O Dani
	Btu/h
13g Topping-cycle operating value = 100 * 13a / (13a + 13c + 13e)	
	0 %
13h Topping-cycle efficiency value = 100*(0.5*13a+13c+13e)/13f	0 %
13i Compliance with operating standard: Is the operating value shown in line 13g g	reater than or equal to 5%?
Yes (complies with operating standard) No (does not comply	with operating standard)
13j Did installation of the facility in its current form commence on or after March 13,	1980?
Yes. Your facility is subject to the efficiency requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.2 compliance with the efficiency requirement by responding to line 13k or 13l,	
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13k Compliance with efficiency standard (for low operating value): If the operating than 15%, then indicate below whether the efficiency value shown in line 13h greate	=
Yes (complies with efficiency standard) No (does not comply)	with efficiency standard)
13I Compliance with efficiency standard (for high operating value): If the operating greater than or equal to 15%, then indicate below whether the efficiency value show equal to 42.5%:	
Yes (complies with efficiency standard) No(does not comply)	with efficiency standard)

Information Required for Bottoming-Cycle Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents bottoming-cycle cogeneration technology, then you must respond to the items on pages 16 and 17. Otherwise, skip pages 16 and 17.

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wh the cyc	ich at least some of the reject hea Commission's regulations (18 C.F de cogeneration facility must be u	oming-cycle cogeneration facility is the energy relate at is then used for power production. Pursuant to see F.R. § 292.202(c) and (e)), the thermal energy output iseful. In connection with this requirement, describe and for power production by responding to lines 14a	ctions 292.202(c) and (e) of of a qualifying bottoming- the process(es) from which
148	host. For hosts with multiple b	mal host and each bottoming-cycle cogeneration pro ottoming-cycle cogeneration processes, provide the	
	Name of entity (thermal host) performing the process from which at least some of the reject heat is used for power production	Thermal host's relationship to facility; Thermal host's process type	Has the energy input to the thermal host been augmented for purposes of increasing power production capacity? (if Yes, describe on p. 19)
		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	Yes No
1)		Select thermal host's process type	
~~~~~		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	Yes No
2)		Select thermal host's process type	
3)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	Yes No
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idei faci mus ado pres faci to ti cha	ntified above. In some cases, this ility's process is not common, and st provide additional details as ne ditional information may be require viously received a Commission ce lility, then you need only provide a he order certifying your facility w	thermal output: At a minimum, provide a brief description is sufficient to demonstrate usefuln l/or if the usefulness of such thermal output is not recessary to demonstrate usefulness. Your application red if an insufficient showing of usefulness is made. Partification approving a specific bottoming-cycle process and a reference by ith the indicated process. Such exemption may not leade.) If additional space is needed, continue in the land.	ess. However, if your asonably clear, then you amay be rejected and/or (Exception: If you have cess related to the instant date and docket number be used if any material

than or equal to 45%:

Yes (complies with efficiency standard)

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Applicants for facilities representing bottoming-cycle technology and for which instated March 13, 1990 must demonstrate compliance with the bottoming-cycle efficiency stated the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(b)) establishes the efficiency stated cogeneration facilities: the useful power output of the facility must be no less than 4 of natural gas and oil for supplementary firing. To demonstrate compliance with the standard (if applicable), or to demonstrate that your facility is exempt from this standard installation of the facility began, respond to lines 15a through 15h below.	ndards. Section 292.205(b) of andard for bottoming-cycle 5 percent of the energy input bottoming-cycle efficiency
If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents <i>both</i> topping-cycle and bottom technology, then respond to lines 15a through 15h below considering only the ener attributable to the bottoming-cycle portion of your facility. Your mass and heat balan which mass and energy flow values and system components are for which portion of (topping or bottoming).	gy inputs and outputs ce diagram must make clear
15a Did installation of the facility in its current form commence on or after March 13,	1980?
Yes. Your facility is subject to the efficiency requirement of 18 C.F.R. § 292.20 with the efficiency requirement by responding to lines 15b through 15h below	v. ´
No. Your facility is exempt from the efficiency standard. Skip the rest of page	17.
15b Indicate the annual average rate of net electrical energy output	kW
15c Multiply line 15b by 3,412 to convert from kW to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
<b>15d</b> Indicate the annual average rate of mechanical energy output taken directly off of the shaft of a prime mover for purposes not directly related to power production (this value is usually zero)	hp
15e Multiply line 15d by 2,544 to convert from hp to Btu/h	o Btu/h
15f Indicate the annual average rate of supplementary energy input from natural gas or oil	
15g Bottoming-cycle efficiency value = 100*(15c+15e)/15f	Dam

15h Compliance with efficiency standard: Indicate below whether the efficiency value shown in line 15g is greater

No (does not comply with efficiency standard)

Commission Staff Use Only:

### Certificate of Completeness, Accuracy and Authority

Applicant must certify compliance with and understanding of filing requirements by checking next to each item below and signing at the bottom of this section. Forms with incomplete Certificates of Completeness, Accuracy and Authority will be rejected by the Secretary of the Commission.

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Your Signature	Your address	Date
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Audit Notes		

#### Miscellaneous

Use this space to provide any information for which there was not sufficient space in the previous sections of the form to provide. For each such item of information *clearly identify the line number that the information belongs to.* You may also use this space to provide any additional information you believe is relevant to the certification of your facility.

Your response below is not limited to one page. Additional page(s) will automatically be inserted into this form if the length of your response exceeds the space on this page. Use as many pages as you require.

The following revisions were made:

- 1. 3 c location of the Facility
- 2. 7 a and 7 g Reduced size of project
- 3. 7 h Lowered number of panels and inverter to match size reduction
- 4. 8a Removed project

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#### **EXHIBIT E**

Exhibit E is a copy of the Operator Form 556 or formal FERC certification of QF status in effect as of the Effective Date.

OR

If Facility is less than 1MW, Operator may submit the following statement as Exhibit E that the Facility qualifies as a Qualifying Facility (QF) under federal law:

Federal law exempts small power production or cogeneration facilities with net power production capacities of 1 MW or less from certain certification requirements in order to qualify as a qualifying facility ("QF" or "Qualifying Facility"). Therefore, [QF Name Here] submits the Facility is exempt from the certification requirements, but submits that the Facility qualifies as a Qualifying Facility under federal law set forth in the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (codified at 16 U.S.C. § 824a-3).

Name	 ,		
Title			

### EXHIBIT F

Exhibit F is the CPCN or RPCN for the Facility, as applicable.

### STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. SP-4824, SUB 0

#### BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
Application of Carl Friedrich Gauss Solar	)	
LLC, for a Certificate of Public Convenience	)	ORDER ISSUING
and Necessity to Construct a 5-MW Solar	)	AMENDED CERTIFICATE
Facility in Halifax County, North Carolina	)	

BY THE COMMISSION: On March 3, 2015, the Commission issued an order granting a certificate of public convenience and necessity for Carl Friedrich Gauss Solar LLC (Applicant), for construction of a 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located at 760 Gregory Farm Road, Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, North Carolina.

On August 2, 2016, the Applicant filed an amendment to its application stating that the proposed facility's property line has shifted northwest of the original location, the location of the generating assets has changed, equipment has changed, and the commercial operation date has changed.

On August 3, 2016, the Commission issued an Amended Order Requiring Publication of Notice.

On September 15, 2016, the Applicant filed a certificate of service stating that a copy of the Application and the related public notice were provided to Dominion North Carolina Power on August 9, 2016.

On September 19, 2016, the State Clearinghouse filed comments. Because of the nature of the comments, the cover letter indicated that no further State Clearinghouse review action by the Commission was required for compliance with the North Carolina Environmental Policy Act.

On September 20, 2016, the Applicant filed an affidavit of publication from The Daily Herald (Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina) stating that the publication of notice was completed on August 31, 2016. No complaints have been received.

On October 7, 2016, the Applicant filed additional information confirming that it has a current site control agreement in place with the property owner.

The Public Staff presented this matter to the Commission at its Regular Staff Conference on October 17, 2016. The Public Staff stated that it had reviewed the

amendment and determined it to be in compliance with the requirements of G.S. 62-110.1(a) and Commission Rule R8-64. Therefore, the Public Staff recommended approval of the certificate for the facility.

After careful consideration, the Commission finds good cause to approve the amended application and issue the requested certificate for the proposed solar photovoltaic electric generating facility.

#### IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

- 1. That the application filed by Carl Friedrich Gauss Solar LLC, for an amended certificate of public convenience and necessity shall be, and is hereby, approved.
- 2. That Appendix A shall constitute the amended certificate of public convenience and necessity issued to Carl Friedrich Gauss Solar LLC, for the 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located at 760 Gregory Farm Road, Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, North Carolina.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 18th day of October, 2016.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk

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### STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. SP-4824, SUB 0

Carl Friedrich Gauss Solar LLC 7804-C Fairview Road, #257 Charlotte, North Carolina 28226

is hereby issued this

# AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY PURSUANT TO G.S. 62-110.1

for a 5-MWAC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility

located

at 760 Gregory Farm Road, Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, North Carolina,

subject to all orders, rules, regulations and conditions as are now or may hereafter be lawfully made by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the <u>18th</u> day of October, 2016.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk

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# AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT TO VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

THIS AGREEMENT, effective this 23 day of May, 2017, (the "Effective Date") by and between VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY, a Virginia public service corporation with its principal office in Richmond, Virginia, doing business in Virginia as Dominion Energy Virginia, and in North Carolina as Dominion Energy North Carolina, hereinafter called "Dominion Energy North Carolina" or the "Company," and Camden Dam Solar, LLC, a North Carolina limited liability company, with its principal office in Mooresville, North Carolina, hereinafter called "Operator." Both Dominion Energy North Carolina and Operator also are herein individually referred to as "Party" and collectively referred to as "Parties":

#### **RECITALS**

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") has adopted a rate schedule described in this Agreement below as <u>Schedule 19-FP</u> applicable to Qualifying Facilities (or "QF" as that term is defined in 18 C.F.R. § 292) which can provide Contracted Capacity (as defined in Schedule 19-FP) (a) up to 5000 kW from a hydroelectric generating facility, (b) up to 5000 kW from a generating facility fueled by trash or methane derived from landfills, hog waste, poultry waste, solar, wind or non-animal forms of biomass, or (c) up to 3000 kW for all other QFs;

WHEREAS Operator is the owner of Camden Dam Solar, LLC (the "Facility") described in the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity issued by the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") in Docket No. SP-4230, Sub 1 ("CPCN"); and

WHEREAS, the Facility is located in Dominion Energy North Carolina's retail service area at the intersection of Highway 343 and Mill Dam Road in Camden, Camden County, North Carolina, and the Parties hereto wish to contract pursuant to Schedule 19-FP for the sale of electrical output from such a QF to be operated by Operator.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the Parties hereto contract and agree with each other as follows:

#### Article 1: Parties' Purchase and Sale Obligations

Dominion Energy North Carolina or its agent, assignee, or successor will purchase from Operator all of the electrical output (energy and Contracted Capacity) made available for sale from the Facility on an excess sale arrangement. The Mode of Operation that the Operator elects to operate the Facility is:

	Non-Reimbursement Mode as described in Section IV.A of Schedule 19-FP;
	Energy-Only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation as described in Section IV.B of Schedule 19-FP;
<u></u>	Energy-Only, Time-differentiated Mode of Operation as described in Section IV.B of Schedule FP;
	Firm Mode of Operation as described in Section IV.C and Section VII, Option A of Schedule 19-FP; or
<u>X</u> _	Firm Mode of Operation as described in Section IV.C and Section VII, Option B of Schedule 19-FP

#### **Article 2: Term and Commercial Operations Date**

This Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and, unless earlier terminated under any other provision of this Agreement, shall continue in effect for a period of fifteen (15) years from the commercial operations date ("COD"). The COD shall be the first date that all of the following conditions have been satisfied:

- (a) The Facility has been permanently constructed, synchronized with and has delivered electrical output to the Dominion Energy North Carolina system and such action has been witnessed by an authorized Dominion Energy North Carolina employee;
- (b) After completion of item a) above, Dominion Energy North Carolina has received written notice from Operator specifying the COD and certifying that the Facility is ready to begin commercial operations as a QF;
- (c) Operator and Dominion Energy North Carolina (or the PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. or other operator of the Dominion Energy North Carolina transmission system, as applicable) have executed an interconnection service agreement for delivery of capacity and energy generated by the Facility onto the Company's electrical system ("Interconnection Agreement"), a copy of which has been provided to Company;

- (d) The Facility is a QF as evidenced by Operator providing a copy of its currently effective Form 556 self-certification or formal FERC QF certification order; and
- (e) The CPCN or RPCN, as applicable, is in full force and effect.

For contract terms of 10 years or more, this Agreement may be renewed at the option of Dominion Energy North Carolina in accordance with Section I of Schedule 19-FP.

#### **Article 3: Contracted Capacity**

The Facility, consisting of PV solar generators, has an aggregate maximum net power production capacity (calculated in accordance with FERC Form 556) of approximately 5,000 kW alternating current ("ac"). The Facility's Contracted Capacity shall be 5,000 kW ac.

#### **Article 4: Attachments**

The following documents are attached hereto and are made a part hereof:

Exhibit A: Quarterly Status Report Contents

Exhibit B: General Terms and Conditions

Exhibit C: Schedule 19-FP

Exhibit D: Map and related written description identifying the specific location of the

Facility in the City or County designated in Article 1

Exhibit E: Evidence of QF Status on the Effective Date

Exhibit F: Copy of CPCN or RPCN, as applicable.

## * Article 5: Price

Payments for all energy and Contracted Capacity purchased hereunder shall be determined by the provisions for payments in Schedule 19-FP included herewith as Exhibit C and pursuant to Operator elections within such Schedule 19-FP as stated in Article 1 hereof. Payments for all energy and Contracted Capacity purchased hereunder shall be on a cents per kilowatt-hour basis.

### **Article 6: Operator's Pre-COD Obligations**

(a) <u>Status Report</u>. After execution of this Agreement and until the COD, Operator shall deliver a quarterly status report to the Company with the information set forth in Exhibit A. This status report shall be delivered to Dominion Energy North Carolina on or before the following dates each year: January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15.

(b) <u>Commencement of Construction</u>. The Facility will be considered to have commenced construction on the first day upon which all of the following have occurred: (1) the issuance by Operator to its construction contractor for the Facility of a written unconditional notice-to-proceed with unrestricted construction activities for the Facility; (2) the mobilization of major construction equipment and construction facilities on the Facility site; and (3) the commencement of major structural excavation and structural concrete work relating to a major component of the Facility such as a power island or the ground mounting systems for solar panels and inverters consistent with having commenced a continuous process of construction relating to the Facility. Dominion Energy North Carolina shall have no obligation to accept a declaration of Commercial Operations earlier than four (4) months prior to the anticipated COD date. The anticipated COD is November 10, 2017.

#### **Article 7: Early Termination**

- (a) <u>Defaults with No Cure Period</u>. Operator and Company agree that Operator's failure to comply with any of the following will be a material breach of this Agreement and shall result in Company's right to early termination of this Agreement upon written notice to Operator, but without being subject to a cure period, provided however, that Company shall be obligated to pay for any capacity and energy delivered by Facility prior to termination of this Agreement at the rates stated herein.
  - (i) failure to commence construction of the Facility, as defined in Section 6(b), within the later of fourteen (14) months from the Effective Date of this Agreement or thirty (30) days after the Company tenders an Interconnection Agreement for execution by Operator;
  - (ii) delivery or supply of electrical output to any entity other than Dominion Energy North Carolina or its agent, assignee or successor;
  - (iii) Operator increases the aggregate maximum net power production capacity (calculated in accordance with FERC Form 556) of the Facility above the Contracted Capacity without the prior written approval of Company;
  - (iv) failure to generate and deliver any energy and capacity from the Facility for more than 180 consecutive days at any time after COD; provided, however, if such failure is due to Force Majeure as defined in Exhibit B and Operator has complied with the requirements of Exhibit B with respect to such Force Majeure, then Company may not terminate this Agreement unless the failure lasts for three hundred sixty-five consecutive days.
- (b) <u>Defaults with Cure Period</u>. Operator and Company agree that the following events if not cured by Operator within thirty days of notice from Company shall constitute a default giving Company the right to terminate this Agreement:
  - (i) failure to meet the requirements necessary to maintain QF status (formal or self-certification at the Operator's option) or revocation of its QF status (formal or self-certification, as applicable) for any reason;

- (ii) failure to provide a status report in accordance with Section 6(a);
- (iii) termination of the Interconnection Agreement or suspension of Operator's right to interconnect the Facility under the Interconnection Agreement unless such failure is due to a breach of the Interconnection Agreement by a party other than the Operator; or
- (iv) failure to perform in any material way, any other obligations, which failure would not constitute an individual event of default under Section 7(a) or Section 7(c).

Notwithstanding any cure period, Company shall not be obligated to purchase any energy or Contracted Capacity under this Agreement while such default remains uncured.

(c) <u>Delay in COD</u>. Company shall have the right to terminate this Agreement if Operator fails to achieve Commercial Operations Date within thirty months from the date of a Commission Order approving the Schedule 19-FP rates filed by the Company in Docket No. E-100, Sub 140; provided, however, an Operator may be allowed additional time to begin deliveries of power to the Company if the QF facilities in question are nearly complete at the end of such thirty month period and the QF is able to demonstrate that it is making a good faith effort to complete its project in a timely manner.

Operator agrees that if this Agreement is canceled by Dominion Energy North Carolina prior to the end of the initial term of this Agreement for nonperformance by the QF, then, Dominion Energy North Carolina shall have all rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

#### Article 8: Representations and Warranties

Operator represents and warrants that it has the right to operate the Facility in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Operator further represents and warrants that all permits, approvals, and/or licenses necessary for the operation of the Facility will be obtained prior to the COD and shall be maintained throughout the Term of this Agreement. Operator shall provide such documentation and evidence of such right, permits, approvals and/or licenses as Dominion Energy North Carolina may reasonably request, including without limitation air permits, leases and/or purchase agreements.

#### **Article 9: Notices and Payments**

All correspondence and payments concerning this Agreement shall be to the addresses below. Either Party may change the address by providing written notice to the other Party.

OPERATOR:

DOMINION ENERGY NORTH CAROLINA:

Camden Dam Solar, LLC c/o SunEnergyl

Virginia Electric and Power Company

c/o SunEnergy1 192 Raceway Drive Power Contracts (3SE) 5000 Dominion Boulevard

Mooresville, NC 28117

Glen Allen, Virginia 23060-6711

#### **Article 10: Integration of Entirety of Agreement**

This Agreement is intended by the Parties as the final expression of their Agreement and is intended also as a complete and exclusive statement of the terms of their Agreement with respect to the purchase and sale of electrical output generated by the Facility. All prior written or oral understandings, offers or other communications of every kind pertaining to this Agreement are hereby abrogated and withdrawn.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused their names to appear below, signed by authorized representatives as of the date first shown above.

CAMDEN DAM SOLAR, LLC

By:

setto

Title: Kenny Habul, Manager

Date: 5 23 17

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

Title: Anthorized Representative

Date: 5/26/17

#### EXHIBIT A

The quarterly status reports required by Article 6 shall include the following information and any additional information that may be reasonably requested by Company.

- Status of financing and expected closing date
- Notification and status of any plans to change control or ownership of the project
- Site location and acreage
- EIA Plant Code
- Description of construction status
- Timeline of construction to include:
  - Start date of construction
  - Construction completion date
  - Date for start-up and testing
- Timeline for interconnection through completion
- Current interconnection status
- Status of required permits
- Notice of any changes, modifications, or assignment of CPCN, RCPN and QF Status
- Summary of anticipated design components including transformer voltages and maximum output in AC & DC
- Estimated COD

# EXHIBIT B General Terms and Conditions

#### I - Assignments

Operator agrees not to assign this Agreement without the prior written consent of Dominion Energy North Carolina, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, provided, that such assignment does not require any amendment of the terms and conditions of the Agreement, other than the notice provisions, thereof. Any attempted assignment that Dominion Energy North Carolina has not approved in writing shall be null and void and ineffective for all purposes. In the event of assignment by Operator, Operator shall pay the Company within thirty (30) days of the effective date of the assignment an amount equal to the actual costs incurred by Company in connection with such assignment up to a maximum amount of \$12,000 per assignment; provided, however, assignment of this Agreement by Operator in connection with an initial financing arrangement which is finalized and for which consent of the Company is requested within nine months of the Effective Date of this Agreement shall not be subject to the payment requirement provided herein.

#### II - Indemnity

Operator shall indemnify and save harmless and, if requested by Dominion Energy North Carolina, defend Dominion Energy North Carolina, its officers, directors and employees from and against any and all losses and claims or demands for damages to real property or tangible personal property (including the property of Dominion Energy North Carolina) and injury or death to persons arising out of, resulting from, or in any manner caused by the presence, operation or maintenance of any part of Operator's Facility; provided, however, that nothing herein shall be construed as requiring Operator to indemnify Dominion Energy North Carolina for any injuries, deaths or damages caused by the sole negligence of Dominion Energy North Carolina. Operator agrees to provide Dominion Energy North Carolina written evidence of liability insurance coverage, which is specifically and solely for the Facility, prior to the operation of the Facility. Operator agrees to have Dominion Energy North Carolina named as an additional insured, and shall keep such coverage current throughout the term of this Agreement.

#### III - QF Certification

Operator represents and warrants that its Facility meets the QF requirements established as of the Effective Date of this Agreement by the FERC's rules (18 Code of Federal Regulations Part 292), and that it will continue to meet those requirements necessary to maintain QF status throughout the term of this Agreement. Operator agrees to provide copies, at the time of submittal, of all correspondence and filings with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission relating to status of the Facility as a QF. If requested by Dominion Energy North Carolina prior to May 1 of any year, Operator agrees to provide July 1 of the same year to Dominion Energy North Carolina for the preceding year sufficient for Dominion Energy North Carolina to determine the Operator's continuing compliance with its QF requirements, including but not limited to:

- (a) All information required by FERC Form 556;
- (b) Copy of the Facility's currently effective FERC Form 556 or formal FERC certification, as applicable and any subsequent revisions or amendments;
  - (c) Where applicable, a copy of any contract executed with a thermal host;
- (d) Where applicable, identification of the amount of each type of fuel used per month and average heating value for each type of fuel, which will be used to determine the Total Energy Input. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (e) Where applicable, identification of each of the QF's useful thermal output(s) for each month, including temperature, pressure, amount of thermal output delivered, temperature and amount of condensate returned (if applicable) and the conversion to Btus. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (f) Identification of the QF's useful power output for each month. These values should be verifiable by auditing supporting documentation;
- (g) Where applicable, drawings, heat balance diagrams and a sufficiently detailed narrative describing the delivery of useful thermal output including the location, description, and calibration data for all metering equipment used for QF calculations; and
- (h) Dominion Energy North Carolina may request additional information, as needed, to monitor the QF requirements.

#### IV - Consequential Damages

In no event shall either Party be liable to the other for any special, indirect, incidental or consequential damages whatsoever, except that the foregoing shall not apply to any promises of indemnity or obligations to reimburse the Parties expressly set forth in this Agreement.

### V - Amendments, Waivers, Severability and Headings

This Agreement, including the appendices thereto, can be amended only by agreement between the Parties in writing. The failure of either Party to insist in any one or more instances upon strict performance of any provisions of this Agreement, or to take advantage of any of its rights hereunder, shall not be construed as a waiver of any such provisions or the relinquishment of any such right or any other right hereunder. In the event any provision of this Agreement, or any part or portion thereof, shall be held to be invalid, void or otherwise unenforceable, the obligations of the Parties shall be deemed to be reduced only as much as may be required to remove the impediment. The headings contained in this Agreement are used solely for convenience and do not constitute a part of the Agreement between the Parties hereto, nor should they be used to aid in any manner in the construction of this Agreement.

#### VI - Compliance with Laws

Operator covenants that it shall comply with all applicable provisions of Executive Order 11246, as amended; § 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; § 402 of the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, as amended; and implementing regulations set forth in 41 C.F.R. §§ 60.1, 60-250, and 60-741 and the applicable provisions relating to the utilization of small minority business concerns as set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637, as amended. Operator agrees that the equal opportunity clause set forth in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.4 and the equal opportunity clauses set forth in 41 C.F.R. § 250.5 and 41 C.F.R. 60-§741.5 and the clauses relating to the utilization of small and minority business concerns set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637(d) (3) and 48 C.F.R. § 52-219.9 are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement. If this Agreement has a value of more than \$500,000, Operator shall adopt and comply with a small business and small disadvantaged business subcontracting plan which shall conform to the requirements set forth in 15 U.S.C. § 637(d)(6). The provisions of this section shall apply to Operator only to the extent that:

- (a) Such provisions are required of Operator under existing law;
- (b) Operator is not otherwise exempt from said provisions; and
- (c) Compliance with said provisions is consistent with and not violative of 42 U.S.C. § 2000 et seq., 42 U.S.C. § 1981 et seq., or other acts of Congress.

VII - Interconnection and Operation

Operator shall be responsible for the design, installation, and operation of its Facility. Operator shall be responsible for obtaining an Interconnection Agreement.

Operator shall: (a) maintain the Facility in conformance with all applicable laws and regulations and in accordance with operating procedures; (b) obtain any governmental authorizations and permits required for the construction and operation thereof and keep all such permits and authorizations current and in effect; and (c) manage the Facility in a safe and prudent manner. If at any time Operator does not hold such authorizations and permits, Dominion Energy North Carolina may refuse to accept deliveries of power hereunder.

Dominion Energy North Carolina may enter Operator's premises: (a) to inspect Operator's protective devices at any reasonable time; (b) to read or test meters and metering equipment; and (c) to disconnect, without notice, the Facility if, in Dominion Energy North Carolina's opinion, a hazardous condition exists and such immediate action is necessary to protect persons, or Dominion Energy North Carolina facilities or other customers' facilities from damage or interference caused by Operator's Facility or lack of properly operating protective devices. Dominion Energy North Carolina will endeavor to notify Operator as quickly as practicable if disconnection occurs as provided in (c) above. Any inspection of Operator's protective devices shall not impose on Dominion Energy North Carolina any liabilities with respect to the operation, safety or maintenance of such devices.

#### VIII - Metering

Dominion Energy North Carolina will meter all electrical output delivered from the Facility on the high voltage side of the step up transformer(s).

Operator agrees to pay an administrative charge to Dominion Energy North Carolina to reflect all reasonable costs incurred by Dominion Energy North Carolina for meter reading and billing, also referred to as metering charges. The monthly meter reading and billing charge shall change from time to time when the NCUC approves a different charge in Schedule 19-FP.

In addition, Operator agrees to pay any fees required to provide and maintain leased telephone lines required for meter reading by Dominion Energy North Carolina.

#### IX - Billing and Payment

Dominion Energy North Carolina shall read the meter in accordance with its normal meter reading schedule. Within twenty-eight (28) days thereafter, Dominion Energy North Carolina shall send via mail Operator payment for energy and Contracted Capacity delivered, except if payment is made via wire transfer then payment shall be made within thirty-one (31) days thereafter. At Dominion Energy North Carolina's option, (i) Dominion Energy North Carolina may make such payments net of the monthly metering charges, Interconnection Facilities charges, and charges for sales of electricity to the Operator, or (ii) Dominion Energy North Carolina may invoice Operator for such charges separately. Payment by Dominion Energy North Carolina shall include verification showing the billing month's ending meter reading, on-peak and off-peak kWh, and the amount paid. If in any month the monthly metering and Interconnection Facilities charges are in excess of any payments due Operator, Dominion Energy North Carolina shall bill Operator for the difference and Operator shall make such payment within 28 days of the invoice date. Failure by Operator to make such payments may result in disconnection of the Facility. In no event shall such disconnection relieve Operator of its obligation to pay monthly metering charges and Interconnection Facilities charges under this Agreement.

In the event that any data required for billing purposes hereunder are unavailable when required for such billing, the unavailable data shall be estimated by Dominion Energy North Carolina, based upon historical data. Such billing shall be subject to any required adjustment in a subsequent billing month.

Operator agrees that Dominion Energy North Carolina shall be entitled to withhold sufficient amounts due pursuant to this Agreement to offset (a) any damages to Dominion Energy North Carolina resulting from any breach of this Agreement by Operator, and (b) any other amounts Operator owes Dominion Energy North Carolina, including amounts arising from sales of electricity by Dominion Energy North Carolina to Operator, metering charges and Interconnection Facilities charges.

In no event shall Dominion Energy North Carolina be liable to Operator for any Contracted Capacity payments in excess of the amounts contracted for herein, regardless of the ultimate length of this Agreement or revisions to Schedule 19-FP or successor schedules. Operator hereby agrees to accept the Contracted Capacity payments as set forth herein as its sole and complete compensation for delivery of Contracted Capacity to Dominion Energy North Carolina.

#### X - Force Majeure

Neither Party shall be considered in default under this Agreement or responsible to the other Party in tort, strict liability, contract or other legal theory for damages of any description for any interruption or failure of service or deficiency in the quality or quantity of service or any other failure to perform any of its obligations hereunder to the extent such failure occurs without fault or negligence on the part of that Party and is caused by factors beyond that Party's reasonable control, which by the exercise of reasonable diligence that Party is unable to prevent, avoid, mitigate or overcome, including without limitation storm, flood, lightning, earthquake, explosion, equipment failure, civil disturbance, labor dispute, act of God or public enemy, action or inaction of a court or public authority, fire, sabotage, war, explosion, curtailments, unscheduled withdrawal of facilities from operation for maintenance or repair or any other cause of similar nature beyond the reasonable control of that Party (any such event, "Force Majeure"). Solely economic hardship of either Party shall not constitute Force Majeure under this Agreement. Nor shall anything contained in this paragraph or elsewhere in this Agreement excuse Operator or Dominion Energy North Carolina from strict compliance with the obligation of the Parties to comply with the terms of Article IX of this Exhibit B relating to timely payments.

Each Party shall have the obligation to operate in accordance with Good Utility Practice (as defined below) at all times and to use due diligence to overcome and remove any cause of failure to perform.

If a Party relies on the occurrence of an event of Force Majeure described above as a basis for being excused from performance of its obligations under this Agreement, then the Party relying on the Force Majeure event shall:

- a) Provide within forty-eight (48) hours written notice of such Force Majeure event or potential Force Majeure to the other Party, giving an estimate of its expected duration and the probable impact on the performance of its obligations hereunder;
- b) Exercise all reasonable efforts to continue to perform its obligations under this Agreement;
- c) Expeditiously take action to correct or cure the Force Majeure event excusing performance; provided, however, that settlement of strikes or other labor disputes will be completely within the sole discretion of the Party affected by such strike or labor dispute;
  - d) Exercise all reasonable efforts to mitigate or limit damages to the other Party; and

e) Provide prompt notice to the other Party of the cessation of the Force Majeure event giving rise to its excuse from performance. All performance obligations hereunder shall be extended by a period equal to the term of the resultant delay.

If a Party responding to a Force Majeure event has the ability to obtain, for additional expenditures, expedited material deliveries or labor production which would allow a response to the event in a manner that is above and beyond Good Utility Practice, and such a response could shorten the duration of the Force Majeure event, the Party responding to the event may, at its discretion, present the other Party with the option of funding the expenditures for expediting material deliveries or labor production in an effort to reduce the duration of the event and economic hardship. Each such opportunity will be negotiated on a case-by-case basis by the Parties.

For purposes of this Agreement, "Good Utility Practice" shall mean any of the applicable practices, methods, standards, guides or acts: required by any governmental authority, regional or national reliability council, or national trade organization, including NERC, SERC, or the successor of any of them, as they may be amended from time to time whether or not the Party whose conduct is at issue is a member thereof; otherwise engaged in or approved by a significant portion of the electric utility industry during the relevant time period which in the exercise of reasonable judgment in light of the facts known or that should have been known at the time a decision was made, could have been expected to accomplish the desired result in a manner consistent with law, regulation, good business practices, generation, transmission and distribution reliability, safety, environmental protection, economy and expediency. Good Utility Practice is intended to be acceptable practices, methods, or acts generally accepted in the region, or any other acts or practices as are reasonably necessary to maintain the reliability of the Transmission System (as defined in the Interconnection Agreement), or of the Facility, and is not intended to be limited to the optimum practices, methods, or acts to the exclusion of all others.

### EXHIBIT C

Exhibit C is a copy of Schedule 19-FP.

# Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION QUALIFYING FACILITIES

#### I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY

Subject to the limitations of this Section I, this schedule is applicable to any qualifying Cogenerator or Small Power Producer (Qualifying Facility) which desires to deliver all of its net electrical output to the Company, has either (1) generating facilities designated as new capacity as defined by 18 C.F.R. § 292.304(b)(1), or (2) hydroelectric generating facilities that meet the criteria of being owned or operated by a small power producer as defined in G.S. 62-3(27a), and enters into an agreement for the sale of net electrical output to the Company (Agreement).

Unless otherwise provided by a Commission order setting forth different availability dates, this schedule is available to any Qualifying Facility (otherwise eligible pursuant to the terms hereof) that, no later than the date on which proposed rates are filed in the next biennial avoided cost proceeding after Docket No. E-100, Sub 140, (a) has obtained a certificate of public convenience and necessity for its facility from the Commission or filed a report of proposed construction with the Commission pursuant to Commission Rule R8-65, (b) has self-certified with FERC as a Qualifying Facility (QF), and (c) has submitted to the Company a duly executed "Notice of Commitment to Sell the Output of a Qualifying Facility to Dominion North Carolina Power Company ("Notice of Commitment"). The form of the Notice of Commitment can be found on the Company's website through the following link: <a href="https://www.dom.com/salestodncp.">https://www.dom.com/salestodncp.</a>. Alternatively, a QF may request a Notice of Commitment form via email to PowerContracts@dom.com.

Where the QF elects to be compensated for firm deliveries in accordance with this schedule, the amount of capacity under contract (the "Contracted Capacity") and the initial term of contract shall be limited as follows:

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#### I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

- A. Where the QF operates hydroelectric generating facilities that meet the criteria of being owned or operated by a small power producer as defined in G.S. 62-3(27a), or where the QF operates non-hydroelectric QFs fueled by trash or methane derived from landfills, hog waste, poultry waste, solar, wind, and non-animal forms of biomass, the amount of Contracted Capacity subject to compensation shall be no greater than 5,000 kW, and the amount of energy purchased during a given hour at rates applicable to firm deliveries shall be no greater than 5,000 kWh. The initial term of contract for such a QF shall be for a period of five, 10, or 15 years, at the option of the QF.
- B. Where the QF is not defined under Paragraph I.A., the amount of Contracted Capacity subject to compensation shall be no greater than 3,000 kW, and the amount of energy purchased during a given hour at rates applicable to firm deliveries shall be no greater than 3,000 kWh. The initial term of contract for such a QF shall be for a period of 5 years.

Where the QF elects to be compensated for firm or non-firm deliveries in accordance with this schedule, the QF must begin deliveries to the Company within thirty months of the Commission's order in Docket No. E-100, Sub 140 approving this Schedule 19-FP to retain eligibility for the rates contained in this schedule; provided, however, a QF may be allowed additional time to begin deliveries of power to the Company if the QF facilities in question are nearly complete at the end of such thirty month period and the QF is able to demonstrate that it is making a good faith effort to complete its project in a timely manner. Where the QF elects an initial contract term of 10 or more years, such contract may be renewed for subsequent term(s), at the Company's option, based on substantially the same terms and provisions and at a rate either (1) mutually agreed upon by the parties negotiating in good faith and taking into consideration the Company's then avoided cost rates and other relevant factors or (2) set by arbitration.

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#### I. APPLICABILITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

This schedule is not available or applicable to a QF owned by a developer, or affiliate of a developer, who sells power to the Company from another facility located within one-half mile unless: (1) each facility provides thermal energy to different, unaffiliated hosts; or (2) each facility provides thermal energy to the same host, and the host has multiple operations with distinctly different or separate thermal needs. For purposes of this paragraph, the distance between facilities shall be measured from the electrical-generating equipment of each facility.

This schedule is not available or applicable to a QF that utilizes a renewable resource, such as hydroelectric, solar, or wind power facilities, which is owned by a developer, or affiliate of a developer who is selling or will sell power to the Company from another QF using the same renewable energy resource located within one-half mile if the combined output of such renewable resource QFs will exceed 5,000 kW (ac). For purposes of this paragraph, distance between QFs shall be measured from the electrical generating equipment of each facility.

#### II. MONTHLY BILLING TO THE QF

All sales to the QF will be in accordance with any applicable filed rate schedule. In addition, where the QF contracts for sales to the Company, the QF will be billed a monthly charge equal to one of the following to cover the cost of meter reading and processing:

Metering required		<u>Charge</u>
One non-time-differentiated meter		\$17.24
One time-differentiated meter		\$35.55
Two time-differentiated meters	4	\$41.16

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#### III. DEFINITION OF ON- AND OFF-PEAK HOURS

A. For Option A Rates the On-Peak Hours are:

#### Summer

(i) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight March 31 and ending at 12:00 midnight September 30:

The on-peak hours are defined as the hours between 10:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

#### Non-Summer

(ii) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight September 30 and ending at 12:00 midnight March 31:

The on-peak hours are defined as those hours between 6:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., plus 4:00 p.m. through 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

B. For Option B Rates the On-Peak Hours are:

#### Summer

(i) For the periods, beginning at 12:00 midnight May 31 and ending at 12:00 midnight September 30:

The on-peak hours are defined as the hours between 1:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

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#### III. DEFINITION OF ON- AND OFF-PEAK HOURS (Continued)

#### Non-Summer

(ii) For the periods beginning at 12:00 midnight September 30 and ending at 12:00 midnight May 31:

The on-peak hours are defined as those hours between 6:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays considered as off-peak.

Note: Option B Rates and Hours are Applicable Only to QFs Electing the Firm Mode of Operation

#### C. Off-Peak Hours:

The off-peak hours in any month are defined as all hours not specified above as on-peak hours. All hours for the following holidays will be considered as off-peak: New Year's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, the day after Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day. When one of the above holidays falls on a Saturday, the Friday before the holiday will be considered off-peak; when the holiday falls on a Sunday, the following Monday will be considered off-peak.

#### IV. CONTRACT OPTIONS FOR DESIGNATING MODE OF OPERATION

The QF shall designate under contract its Mode of Operation from the following options, each of which determines the Company's method of payment.

A. <u>Non-Reimbursement Mode</u>. The QF may contract for the delivery of energy to the Company without reimbursement, designated as the Non-reimbursement Mode of Operation.

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# IV. CONTRACT OPTIONS FOR DESIGNATING MODE OF OPERATION (Continued)

- B. Energy-Only, Non-time-differentiated or the Energy-Only, Time-differentiated Mode. The QF may contract for the delivery of energy-only energy to the Company (energy-only payments are not fixed for the duration of the PPA term; the rates will change with each revision of this schedule, and there is no payment for capacity to QFs selecting the energy-only option). Where the QF's generation facilities have an aggregate nameplate rating of 100 kW or less the QF may designate the energy-only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation. Regardless of nameplate rating the QF may designate the energy-only, Time-differentiated Mode of Operation.
- C. <u>Firm Mode</u>. The QF may contract for the delivery of both energy and capacity to the Company under Firm Mode. The level of capacity which the QF contracts to sell to the Company shall not exceed 5,000 kW, where the QF is defined under Paragraph I.A., or 3,000 kW otherwise. This capacity level, in kW, shall be referred to as the Contracted Capacity. When the QF elects to sell firm energy and capacity, the QF shall designate the Firm Mode of Operation.

#### V. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF ENERGY-ONLY

The QF may contract to receive payment for energy-only determined with each revision of this schedule. These rates will be based upon the QF's Mode of Operation as described below. There are no capacity payments for the QFs that contract for energy-only energy.

A. <u>Non-reimbursement Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF designates the Non-Reimbursement Mode of Operation, no payment will be made for energy delivered.

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#### V. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF ENERGY-ONLY (Continued)

B. <u>Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF's generation facilities have an aggregate nameplate rating of 100 kW or less and the QF designates the energy-only, Non-time-differentiated Mode of Operation, the following rates in cents per kWh are applicable:

3.356

C. <u>Time-differentiated Mode of Operation</u>. Where the QF designates the energy-only Time-differentiated Mode of Operation, the following On- and Off-peak rates in cents per kWh are applicable:

On-peak (as defined in Section III.A) 3.826 Off-peak 3.096

The rates in both B and C above will be redetermined on a biennial basis on each revision of this schedule. Further, for clarity, the Energy-only rates in C above are identical to the Variable Rates shown below in Section VI. A.

All energy purchase rates regardless of Mode of Operation will be further increased by 3.0% to account for line losses avoided by the Company.

#### VI. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF FIRM ENERGY

QFs designating the Firm Mode of Operation will be eligible to receive capacity payments in addition to energy rates under this Section VI – Firm Energy. The QF may contract to receive payments for firm energy based on A or B, below. Contract terms for 10 or 15 years are available only where the QF is defined under Paragraph I.A. Capacity payments to the QF will be paired with the option the QF selects for firm energy payments (e.g., if the QF selects Option A for firm energy payments, the QF will be paid Option A capacity payments).

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#### VI. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF FIRM ENERGY (Continued)

In lieu of fixed rates, a QF that selects the Firm Mode of Operation may contract to receive payment for time-differentiated energy at rates to be determined with each revision of this schedule. These rates in cents per kWh, which reflect the Company's estimated avoided energy cost for delivery of energy until the next biennial filing, are as shown in the price tables below under the heading Variable Rate:

A. Option A: The QF may contract to receive energy purchase payments for the delivery of firm energy based upon fixed prices, as shown below in cents per kWh:

	Fixed Long-Term Rate			
	Variable Rate	5-Year	10-Year	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh)	3.826	4.367	4.743	5.037
Off-peak (¢/kWh)	3.096	3.612	3.963	4.188

B. Option B: The QF may contract to receive energy purchase payments for the delivery of firm energy based upon fixed prices, as shown below in cents per kWh:

	Fixed Long-Term Rate			
	Variable Rate	5-Year	<u>10-Year</u>	<u>15-Year</u>
On-Peak (¢/kWh)	3.826	4.412	4.802	5.124
Off-peak (¢/kWh)	3.226	3.734	4.085	4.314

Operator shall be paid for energy up to 5% above the Contracted Capacity in any hour at the then applicable energy-only rates under Schedule 19-FP except no payment shall be made for generation in excess of 5,000 kW or 3,000 kW as applicable pursuant to Section I.A. or I.B.

All energy purchase rates will be further increased by 3.0% to account for line losses avoided by the Company.

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#### VII. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF CAPACITY

Company purchases of capacity are applicable only where the QF elects the Firm Mode of Operation. The QF will receive payments for capacity based on Option A below if the QF selected Option A for firm energy payments. The QF will receive capacity payment based on Option B below if the QF selected Option B for firm energy payments. Capacity payments are applicable during on-peak hours only. Such QFs shall receive capacity purchase payments based on the applicable levelized capacity purchase price below, in cents per kWh, corresponding to the contract length in years. Contract terms of 10 or 15 years are available only for QFs described in Paragraph I.A.

#### Option A:

For hydroelectric facilities with no storage capability and no other type of generation:

	5-Year	Capacity Price 10-Year	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	4.351	4.515	4.665
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	2.900	3.010	3.110
For all other facilities:			
	· ·	Capacity Price	
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	<u>5-Year</u> 2.611	10-Year 2.709	15-Year 2.799
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	1.740	1.806	1.866

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#### VII. PAYMENT FOR COMPANY PURCHASES OF CAPACITY (Continued)

#### **Option B:**

For hydroelectric facilities with no storage capability and no other type of generation:

	5-Year	Capacity Price 10-Year	15-Year
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	9.981	10.358	10.701
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	3.848	3.993	4.125
For all other facilities:			
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Summer	<u>5-Year</u> 5.989	Capacity Price 10-Year 6.215	15-Year 6.421
On-Peak (¢/kWh) Non-summer	2.309	2.396	2.475

Payments will be made to the QF by applying the appropriate levelized capacity purchase price above to all kWh delivered to the Company during each on-peak hour, up to the 100% of the Contracted Capacity in such hour. There will be no compensation for capacity in excess of the QF's Contracted Capacity in an hour. This capacity price will be in accordance with the length of rate term for capacity sales so established in the contract.

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#### VIII. PROVISIONS FOR COMPANY PURCHASE OF THE QF GENERATION

- A. The QF shall own and be fully responsible for the costs and performance of the QF's:
  - 1. Generating facility in accordance with all applicable laws and governmental agencies having jurisdiction;
  - 2. Control and protective devices as required by the Company on the QF's side of the meter.
- B. The sale of power to the Company by a QF at avoided cost rates pursuant to this Schedule 19-FP does not convey ownership to the Company of the renewable energy credits or green tags associated with the QF facility.
- C. The QF is responsible for obtaining an interconnection service agreement for delivery of capacity and energy generated by its facility onto the Company's electrical system. Information on interconnection procedures for the QF's generation interconnection is provided through the Internet at the Company's website:

https://www.dom.com/library/domcom/pdfs/north-carolina-power/rates/terms-and-conditions/term24.pdf.

If the interconnection is subject to FERC jurisdiction, the interconnection will be in accordance with FERC and PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. requirements.

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# Schedule 19 - FP POWER PURCHASES FROM COGENERATION AND SMALL POWER PRODUCTION QUALIFYING FACILITIES

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#### IX. MODIFICATION OF RATES AND OTHER PROVISIONS HEREUNDER

The provisions of this schedule, including the rates for purchase of energy and Contracted Capacity by the Company, are subject to modification at any time in the manner prescribed by law, and when so modified, shall supersede the rates and provisions hereof. However, payments to QFs with contracts for a specified term at payments established at the time the obligation is incurred shall remain at the payment levels established in their contract.

If the QF terminates its contract to provide Contracted Capacity and energy to the Company prior to the expiration of the contract term, the QF shall, in addition to other liabilities, be liable to the Company for excess capacity and energy payments.

Such excess payments will be calculated by taking the difference between (1) the total capacity and energy payments already made by the Company to the QF and (2) capacity and energy payments calculated based on the levelized capacity and energy purchase price found in Paragraph VI and VII corresponding to the highest term option completed by the QF. These excess payments shall also include interest, from the time such excess payments were made, compounded annually at the rate equal to the Company's most current issue of long-term debt at the time of the contract's effective date.

#### X. TERM OF CONTRACT

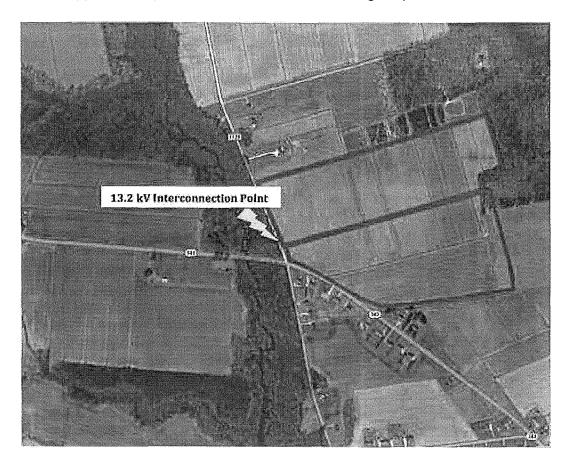
The term of contract shall be such as may be mutually agreed upon but for not less than one year.

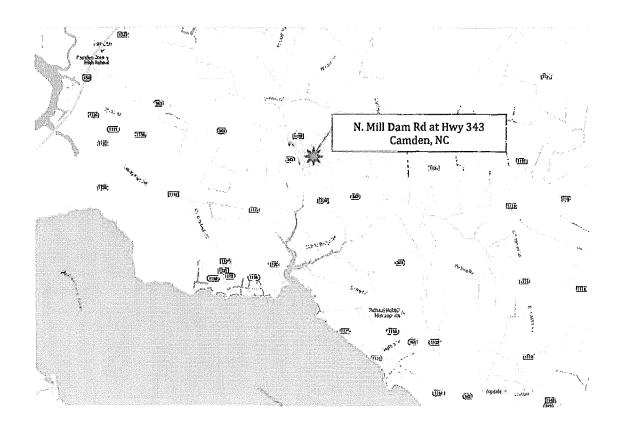
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## EXHIBIT D

Exhibit D is a map and written description identifying the specific location of the Facility and is provided by the Operator.

Location of Site: Approximately at 122 North Mill Dam Road at Highway 343, Camden, NC 27921





#### EXHIBIT E

Exhibit E is a copy of the Operator Form 556 or formal FERC certification of QF status in effect as of the Effective Date.

OR

If Facility is less than 1MW, Operator may submit the following statement as Exhibit E that the Facility qualifies as a Qualifying Facility (QF) under federal law:

Federal law exempts small power production or cogeneration facilities with net power production capacities of 1 MW or less from certain certification requirements in order to qualify as a qualifying facility ("QF" or "Qualifying Facility"). Therefore, [QF Name Here] submits the Facility is exempt from the certification requirements, but submits that the Facility qualifies as a Qualifying Facility under federal law set forth in the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (codified at 16 U.S.C. § 824a-3).

Name		 	
Title			

### FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC

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Form 556 Certification of Qualifying Facility (QF) Status for a Small Power Production or Cogeneration Facility

### General

Questions about completing this form should be sent to Form556@ferc.gov. Information about the Commission's QF program, answers to frequently asked questions about QF requirements or completing this form, and contact information for QF program staff are available at the Commission's QF website, www.ferc.qov/QF. The Commission's QF website also provides links to the Commission's QF regulations (18 C.F.R. § 131.80 and Part 292), as well as other statutes and orders pertaining to the Commission's QF program.

#### Who Must File

Any applicant seeking QF status or recertification of QF status for a generating facility with a net power production capacity (as determined in lines 7a through 7g below) greater than 1000 kW must file a self-certification or an application for Commission certification of QF status, which includes a properly completed Form 556. Any applicant seeking QF status for a generating facility with a net power production capacity 1000 kW or less is exempt from the certification requirement, and is therefore not required to complete or file a Form 556. See 18 C.F.R. § 292.203.

### How to Complete the Form 556

This form is intended to be completed by responding to the items in the order they are presented, according to the instructions given. If you need to back-track, you may need to clear certain responses before you will be allowed to change other responses made previously in the form. If you experience problems, click on the nearest help button ( ) for assistance, or contact Commission staff at Form556@ferc.gov.

Certain lines in this form will be automatically calculated based on responses to previous lines, with the relevant formulas shown. You must respond to all of the previous lines within a section before the results of an automatically calculated field will be displayed. If you disagree with the results of any automatic calculation on this form, contact Commission staff at Form556@ferc.gov to discuss the discrepancy before filing.

You must complete all lines in this form unless instructed otherwise. Do not alter this form or save this form in a different format. Incomplete or altered forms, or forms saved in formats other than PDF, will be rejected.

# How to File a Completed Form 556

Applicants are required to file their Form 556 electronically through the Commission's eFiling website (see instructions on page 2). By filing electronically, you will reduce your filing burden, save paper resources, save postage or courier charges, help keep Commission expenses to a minimum, and receive a much faster confirmation (via an email containing the docket number assigned to your facility) that the Commission has received your filing.

If you are simultaneously filing both a waiver request and a Form 556 as part of an application for Commission certification, see the "Waiver Requests" section on page 3 for more information on how to file.

## Paperwork Reduction Act Notice

This form is approved by the Office of Management and Budget. Compliance with the information requirements established by the FERC Form No. 556 is required to obtain or maintain status as a QF. See 18 C.F.R. § 131.80 and Part 292. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The estimated burden for completing the FERC Form No. 556, including gathering and reporting information, is as follows: 3 hours for self-certification of a small power production facility, 8 hours for self-certifications of a cogeneration facility, 6 hours for an application for Commission certification of a small power production facility, and 50 hours for an application for Commission certification of a cogeneration facility. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the following: Information Clearance Officer, Office of the Executive Director (ED-32), Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street N.E., Washington, DC 20426 (<u>DataClearance@ferc.qov</u>); and Desk Officer for FERC, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503 (oira submission@omb.eop.gov). Include the Control No. 1902-0075 in any correspondence.

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# Electronic Filing (eFiling)

To electronically file your Form 556, visit the Commission's QF website at www.ferc.gov/QF and click the eFiling link.

If you are eFiling your first document, you will need to register with your name, email address, mailing address, and phone number. If you are registering on behalf of an employer, then you will also need to provide the employer name, alternate contact name, alternate contact phone number and alternate contact email.

Once you are registered, log in to eFiling with your registered email address and the password that you created at registration. Follow the instructions. When prompted, select one of the following QF-related filing types, as appropriate, from the Electric or General filing category.

Filing category	Filing Type as listed in eFiling	Description	
	(Fee) Application for Commission Cert. as Cogeneration QF	Use to submit an application for Commission certification or Commission recertification of a cogeneration facility as a QF.	
	(Fee) Application for Commission Cert. as Small Power QF	Use to submit an application for Commission certification or Commission recertification of a small power production facility as a QF.	
Self-Certification Notice (QF, EG, FC)		Use to submit a notice of self- certification of your facility (cogeneration or small power production) as a QF.	
Electric	Self-Recertification of Qualifying Facility (QF)	Use to submit a notice of self- recertification of your facility (cogeneration or small power production) as a QF.	
	Supplemental Information or Request	Use to correct or supplement a Form 556 that was submitted with errors or omissions, or for which Commission staff has requested additional information. Do <i>not</i> use this filing type to report new changes to a facility or its ownership; rather, use a self-recertification or Commission recertification to report such changes.	
General	(Fee) Petition for Declaratory Order (not under FPA Part 1)	Use to submit a petition for declaratory order granting a waiver of Commission QF regulations pursuant to 18 C.F.R. §§ 292.204(a) (3) and/or 292.205(c). A Form 556 is not required for a petition for declaratory order unless Commission recertification is being requested as part of the petition.	

You will be prompted to submit your filing fee, if applicable, during the electronic submission process. Filing fees can be paid via electronic bank account debit or credit card.

During the eFiling process, you will be prompted to select your file(s) for upload from your computer.

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### Filing Fee

No filing fee is required if you are submitting a self-certification or self-recertification of your facility as a QF pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(a).

A filing fee is required if you are filing either of the following:

- (1) an application for Commission certification or recertification of your facility as a QF pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(b), or
- (2) a petition for declaratory order granting waiver pursuant to 18 C.F.R. §§ 292.204(a)(3) and/or 292.205(c).

The current fees for applications for Commission certifications and petitions for declaratory order can be found by visiting the Commission's QF website at <a href="https://www.ferc.gov/QF">www.ferc.gov/QF</a> and clicking the Fee Schedule link.

You will be prompted to submit your filing fee, if applicable, during the electronic filing process described on page 2.

## Required Notice to Utilities and State Regulatory Authorities

Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(a)(ii), you must provide a copy of your self-certification or request for Commission certification to the utilities with which the facility will interconnect and/or transact, as well as to the State regulatory authorities of the states in which your facility and those utilities reside. Links to information about the regulatory authorities in various states can be found by visiting the Commission's QF website at <a href="https://www.ferc.gov/QF">www.ferc.gov/QF</a> and clicking the Notice Requirements link.

## What to Expect From the Commission After You File

An applicant filing a Form 556 electronically will receive an email message acknowledging receipt of the filing and showing the docket number assigned to the filing. Such email is typically sent within one business day, but may be delayed pending confirmation by the Secretary of the Commission of the contents of the filing.

An applicant submitting a self-certification of QF status should expect to receive no documents from the Commission, other than the electronic acknowledgement of receipt described above. Consistent with its name, a self-certification is a certification by the applicant itself that the facility meets the relevant requirements for QF status, and does not involve a determination by the Commission as to the status of the facility. An acknowledgement of receipt of a self-certification, in particular, does not represent a determination by the Commission with regard to the QF status of the facility. An applicant self-certifying may, however, receive a rejection, revocation or deficiency letter if its application is found, during periodic compliance reviews, not to comply with the relevant requirements.

An applicant submitting a request for Commission certification will receive an order either granting or denying certification of QF status, or a letter requesting additional information or rejecting the application. Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.207(b)(3), the Commission must act on an application for Commission certification within 90 days of the later of the filing date of the application or the filing date of a supplement, amendment or other change to the application.

### Waiver Requests

18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a)(3) allows an applicant to request a waiver to modify the method of calculation pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a)(2) to determine if two facilities are considered to be located at the same site, for good cause. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(c) allows an applicant to request waiver of the requirements of 18 C.F.R. §§ 292.205(a) and (b) for operating and efficiency upon a showing that the facility will produce significant energy savings. A request for waiver of these requirements must be submitted as a petition for declaratory order, with the appropriate filing fee for a petition for declaratory order. Applicants requesting Commission recertification as part of a request for waiver of one of these requirements should electronically submit their completed Form 556 along with their petition for declaratory order, rather than filing their Form 556 as a separate request for Commission recertification. Only the filing fee for the petition for declaratory order must be paid to cover both the waiver request and the request for recertification if such requests are made simultaneously.

18 C.F.R. § 292.203(d)(2) allows an applicant to request a waiver of the Form 556 filing requirements, for good cause. Applicants filing a petition for declaratory order requesting a waiver under 18 C.F.R. § 292.203(d)(2) do not need to complete or submit a Form 556 with their petition.

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### Geographic Coordinates

If a street address does not exist for your facility, then line 3c of the Form 556 requires you to report your facility's geographic coordinates (latitude and longitude). Geographic coordinates may be obtained from several different sources. You can find links to online services that show latitude and longitude coordinates on online maps by visiting the Commission's QF webpage at <a href="https://earth.google.com">www.ferc.gov/QF</a> and clicking the Geographic Coordinates link. You may also be able to obtain your geographic coordinates from a GPS device, Google Earth (available free at <a href="https://earth.google.com">https://earth.google.com</a>), a property survey, various engineering or construction drawings, a property deed, or a municipal or county map showing property lines.

# Filing Privileged Data or Critical Energy Infrastructure Information in a Form 556

The Commission's regulations provide procedures for applicants to either (1) request that any information submitted with a Form 556 be given privileged treatment because the information is exempt from the mandatory public disclosure requirements of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and should be withheld from public disclosure; or (2) identify any documents containing critical energy infrastructure information (CEII) as defined in 18 C.F.R. § 388.113 that should not be made public.

If you are seeking privileged treatment or CEII status for any data in your Form 556, then you must follow the procedures in 18 C.F.R. § 388.112. See <a href="https://www.ferc.gov/help/filing-guide/file-ceii.asp">www.ferc.gov/help/filing-guide/file-ceii.asp</a> for more information.

Among other things (see 18 C.F.R. § 388.112 for other requirements), applicants seeking privileged treatment or CEII status for data submitted in a Form 556 must prepare and file both (1) a complete version of the Form 556 (containing the privileged and/or CEII data), and (2) a public version of the Form 556 (with the privileged and/or CEII data redacted). Applicants preparing and filing these different versions of their Form 556 must indicate below the security designation of this version of their document. If you are *not* seeking privileged treatment or CEII status for any of your Form 556 data, then you should not respond to any of the items on this page.

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The eFiling process described on page 2 will allow you to identify which versions of the electronic documents you submit are public, privileged and/or CEII. The filenames for such documents should begin with "Public", "Priv", or "CEII", as applicable, to clearly indicate the security designation of the file. Both versions of the Form 556 should be unaltered PDF copies of the Form 556, as available for download from <a href="https://www.ferc.gov/QF">www.ferc.gov/QF</a>. To redact data from the public copy of the submittal, simply omit the relevant data from the Form. For numerical fields, leave the redacted fields blank. For text fields, complete as much of the field as possible, and replace the redacted portions of the field with the word "REDACTED" in brackets. Be sure to identify above all fields which contain data for which you are seeking non-public status.

The Commission is not responsible for detecting or correcting filer errors, including those errors related to security designation. If your documents contain sensitive information, make sure they are filed using the proper security designation.

## FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC

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Form 556 Certification of Qualifying Facility (QF) Status for a Small Power Production or Cogeneration Facility

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1c City		1d State/provi	ince		
Mooresville		North Car	colina		
<b>1e</b> Postal code 28117	1f Country (if not United States)		<b>1g</b> Telephone number 704–662–0375		
1h Has the instant fa	cility ever previously been certified as a C	PF? Yes N	No 🔀		
1i If yes, provide the	docket number of the last known QF filin	g pertaining to th	nis facility: QF -		
1j Under which certi	fication process is the applicant making t	his filing?			
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<b>1k</b> What type(s) of QF status is the applicant seeking for its facility? (check all that apply)					
🔀 Qualifying sma	l power production facility status 🔲 🤇	Qualifying cogene	eration facility status		
What is the purpose and expected effective date(s) of this filing?  Original certification; facility expected to be installed by 12/31/15 and to begin operation on 12/31/15					
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Supplement or correction to a previous filing submitted on					
(describe the supplement or correction in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19)					
	1m If any of the following three statements is true, check the box(es) that describe your situation and complete the form to the extent possible, explaining any special circumstances in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.				
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	<b>2a</b> Name of contact person  Kenny Habul			<b>2b</b> Telephone number 704–332–0675	
	<b>2c</b> Which of the following describes	the contact person's relati	onship to the app	l plicant? (check one)	1
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L C				ent the applicant on this matter	
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nfor	Camden Mill Dam Road Solar	• •	ii, check here and	i skip to line ze/	
Contact Information	<b>2e</b> Street address (if same as Applica	ant, check here and skip to	line 3a)⊠		V
S	2f City		2g State/provi	nce	
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and Location	3a Facility name  Camden Mill Dam Road Sol  3b Street address (if a street address	does not exist for the faci		nd skip to line 3c)⊠ ur facility by checking the box in line 3b,	
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5a Direct ownership as of effective date or operation date: Identify all direct owners of the facility holding at least 10 percent equity interest. For each identified owner, also (1) indicate whether that owner is an electric utility, as defined in section 3(22) of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C. 796(22)), or a holding company, as defined in section 1262(8) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005 (42 U.S.C. 16451(8)), and (2) for owners which are electric utilities or holding companies, provide the percentage of equity interest in the facility held by that owner. If no direct owners hold at least 10 percent equity interest in the facility, then provide the required information for the two direct owners with the largest equity interest in the facility. Electric utility or If Yes. holding % equity Full legal names of direct owners company interest 1) Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC Yes ☐ No 🖂 2) No 🗌 Yes 🗌 No 🗌 No  $\square$ Yes 🗍 No 🗌 No 🗌 Yes 🗌 No 🗀 No  $\square$ Ownership and Operation Yes 🗌 No 🗍 Yes No 🗌 Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if additional space is needed 5b Upstream (i.e., indirect) ownership as of effective date or operation date: Identify all upstream (i.e., indirect) owners of the facility that both (1) hold at least 10 percent equity interest in the facility, and (2) are electric utilities, as defined in section 3(22) of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C. 796(22)), or holding companies, as defined in section 1262(8) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005 (42 U.S.C. 16451(8)). Also provide the percentage of equity interest in the facility held by such owners. (Note that, because upstream owners may be subsidiaries of one another, total percent equity interest reported may exceed 100 percent.) Check here if no such upstream owners exist. % equity Full legal names of electric utility or holding company upstream owners interest 1 10) Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if additional space is needed **5c** Identify the facility operator Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC

	6a	Describe th	he primary energy input: (ch	neck one ma	in c	ategory and, if applicable,	one subcate	egory)	
		Biomas	ss (specify)	⊠ Re	nev	vable resources (specify)	☐ Geof	thermal	
		<u> </u>	andfill gas			Hydro power - river	Foss	il fuel (spec	ify)
		□ N	Manure digester gas			Hydro power - tidal		] Coal (not	waste)
			Municipal solid waste			Hydro power - wave		] Fuel oil/d	iesel
			Sewage digester gas		$\boxtimes$	Solar - photovoltaic		] Natural g	as (not waste)
		□ V	Wood			Solar - thermal	<b></b>	Other fos	sil fuel
			Other biomass (describe on	page 19)		Wind		^J (describe	on page 19)
		☐ Waste	(specify type below in line 6	b)		Other renewable resource (describe on page 19)	Othe	er (describe	on page 19)
	6b	If you spec	cified "waste" as the primary	energy inpu	ıt in	line 6a, indicate the type	of waste fue	el used: (che	eck one)
		☐ Wast	e fuel listed in 18 C.F.R. § 29	2.202(b) (spe	ecify	one of the following)			
			Anthracite culm produced	prior to July	23,	1985			
			Anthracite refuse that has ash content of 45 percent		eat	content of 6,000 Btu or le	ss per poun	d and has a	n average
			Bituminous coal refuse tha average ash content of 25				per pound	or less and	has an
nput		Top or bottom subbituminous coal produced on Federal lands or on Indian lands that has been determined to be waste by the United States Department of the Interior's Bureau of Land Management (BLM) or that is located on non-Federal or non-Indian lands outside of BLM's jurisdiction, provided that the applicant shows that the latter coal is an extension of that determined by BLM to be waste					anagement ovided that		
Energy Input		Coal refuse produced on Federal lands or on Indian lands that has been determined to be waste by the BLM or that is located on non- Federal or non-Indian lands outside of BLM's jurisdiction, provided that applicant shows that the latter is an extension of that determined by BLM to be waste							
ш		Lignite produced in association with the production of montan wax and lignite that becomes exposed as a result of such a mining operation							
		☐ Gaseous fuels (except natural gas and synthetic gas from coal) (describe on page 19)							
		Waste natural gas from gas or oil wells (describe on page 19 how the gas meets the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 2.400 for waste natural gas; include with your filing any materials necessary to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 2.400)							
			Materials that a governme	nt agency ha	is ce	ertified for disposal by com	bustion (de	escribe on p	age 19)
			Heat from exothermic read	tions (descri	be o	on page 19)	Residual he	at (describe	e on page 19)
			Used rubber tires	] Plastic ma	teria	als Refinery of	ff-gas	☐ Petr	oleum coke
		facilit	r waste energy input that ha ty industry (describe in the l of commercial value and exi	Miscellaneou	ıs se	ection starting on page 19;	include a d	iscussion o	
	6с	energy inp	e average energy input, calo outs, and provide the related ). For any oil or natural gas t	d percentage	of	the total average annual e	nergy input		
			Fuel			average energy or specified fuel	Percentage annual ene		
			Natural gas			0 Btu/h		0 %	
			Oil-based fuels			0 Btu/h		0 %	
			Coal			0 Btu/h		0 %	

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Indicate the maximum gross and maximum net electric power production capacity of the facility at the point(s) of delivery by completing the worksheet below. Respond to all items. If any of the parasitic loads and/or losses identified in lines 7b through 7e are negligible, enter zero for those lines.

lines 76 through 7e are negligible, enter zero for those lines.	
<b>7a</b> The maximum gross power production capacity at the terminals of the individual generator(s) under the most favorable anticipated design conditions	5,000 kW
<b>7b</b> Parasitic station power used at the facility to run equipment which is necessary and integral to the power production process (boiler feed pumps, fans/blowers, office or maintenance buildings directly related to the operation of the power generating facility, etc.). If this facility includes non-power production processes (for instance, power consumed by a cogeneration facility's thermal host), do not include any power consumed by the non-power production activities in your	
reported parasitic station power.	0 <b>kW</b>
7c Electrical losses in interconnection transformers	50 <b>kW</b>
7d Electrical losses in AC/DC conversion equipment, if any	o <b>kW</b>
<b>7e</b> Other interconnection losses in power lines or facilities (other than transformers and AC/DC conversion equipment) between the terminals of the generator(s) and the point of interconnection with the utility	50 <b>kW</b>
7f Total deductions from gross power production capacity = 7b + 7c + 7d + 7e	100.0 <b>kW</b>
<b>7g</b> Maximum net power production capacity = 7a - 7f	
	4.900.0 <b>kW</b>

Phescription of facility and primary components: Describe the facility and its operation. Identify all boilers, heat recovery steam generators, prime movers (any mechanical equipment driving an electric generator), electrical generators, photovoltaic solar equipment, fuel cell equipment and/or other primary power generation equipment used in the facility. Descriptions of components should include (as applicable) specifications of the nominal capacities for mechanical output, electrical output, or steam generation of the identified equipment. For each piece of equipment identified, clearly indicate how many pieces of that type of equipment are included in the plant, and which components are normally operating or normally in standby mode. Provide a description of how the components operate as a system. Applicants for cogeneration facilities do not need to describe operations of systems that are clearly depicted on and easily understandable from a cogeneration facility's attached mass and heat balance diagram; however, such applicants should provide any necessary description needed to understand the sequential operation of the facility depicted in their mass and heat balance diagram. If additional space is needed, continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.

This system is a single N-S axis tracking, ground-mounted solar photovoltaic facility comprised of approximately 23,334 PV modules and will utilize four (4) 1.5 MW inverters dialed down to 1.25 MW each. The entire project will be securely fenced.



# Information Required for Small Power Production Facility

If you indicated in line 1k that you are seeking qualifying small power production facility status for your facility, then you must respond to the items on this page. Otherwise, skip page 10.

		Market Control of the
	Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a), the power production capacity of any small pow with the power production capacity of any other small power production facilities resource, are owned by the same person(s) or its affiliates, and are located at the samegawatts. To demonstrate compliance with this size limitation, or to demonstrate from this size limitation under the Solar, Wind, Waste, and Geothermal Power Prod (Pub. L. 101-575, 104 Stat. 2834 (1990) as amended by Pub. L. 102-46, 105 Stat. 249 through 8e below (as applicable).	that use the same energy ame site, may not exceed 80 te that your facility is exempt action Incentives Act of 1990
	<b>8a</b> Identify any facilities with electrical generating equipment located within 1 mi equipment of the instant facility, and for which any of the entities identified in line at least a 5 percent equity interest.	
e U	Check here if no such facilities exist.	
oliano ons	Facility location Root docket # (city or county, state) (if any) Common owner(	Maximum net power s) production capacity
m atić	1) QF -	kW
غ <del>ن</del> ك	2) QF -	kW
of Lii	3) QF -	kW
rtior Size	Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if a	dditional space is needed
Certification of Compliance with Size Limitations	8b The Solar, Wind, Waste, and Geothermal Power Production Incentives Act of 19 exemption from the size limitations in 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a) for certain facilities that Are you seeking exemption from the size limitations in 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(a) by viring Yes (continue at line 8c below)	at were certified prior to 1995. tue of the Incentives Act?
	<b>8c</b> Was the original notice of self-certification or application for Commission certification before December 31, 1994? Yes No	
	8d Did construction of the facility commence on or before December 31, 1999?	Yes No
	<b>8e</b> If you answered No in line 8d, indicate whether reasonable diligence was exercithe facility, taking into account all factors relevant to construction? Yes No a brief narrative explanation in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 of the particular, describe why construction started so long after the facility was certified) toward completion of the facility.	If you answered Yes, provide e construction timeline (in
Certification of Compliance with Fuel Use Requirements	Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b), qualifying small power production facilities may amounts, for only the following purposes: Ignition; start-up; testing; flame stabilized prevention of unanticipated equipment outages; and alleviation or prevention of the public health, safety, or welfare, which would result from electric power outage used for these purposes may not exceed 25 percent of the total energy input of the period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy or any calculates.	ention; control use; alleviation or emergencies, directly affecting es. The amount of fossil fuels e facility during the 12-month
of C Rec	9a Certification of compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b) with respect to uses of for	ossil fuel:
on c Use	Applicant certifies that the facility will use fossil fuels exclusively for the pur	poses listed above.
icati uel I	<b>9b</b> Certification of compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.204(b) with respect to amount	
Certif with F	Applicant certifies that the amount of fossil fuel used at the facility will not, percent of the total energy input of the facility during the 12-month period facility first produces electric energy or any calendar year thereafter.	

# Information Required for Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 1k that you are seeking qualifying cogeneration facility status for your facility, then you must respond to the items on pages 11 through 13. Otherwise, skip pages 11 through 13.

	energy (such as heat or suse of energy. Pursuant cycle cogeneration facilithermal application or p 292.205(a); or (2) for a boapplication or process for a What type(s) of cog	22.202(c), a cogeneration facility produces electric energy and forms of useful thermal steam) used for industrial, commercial, heating, or cooling purposes, through the sequential to 18 C.F.R. § 292.202(s), "sequential use" of energy means the following: (1) for a toppingty, the use of reject heat from a power production process in sufficient amounts in a rocess to conform to the requirements of the operating standard contained in 18 C.F.R. § ottoming-cycle cogeneration facility, the use of at least some reject heat from a thermal or power production.  The eneration technology does the facility represent? (check all that apply)  The ecogeneration is set the energy and forms of useful thermal forms of useful thermal energy and forms of useful the sequential that apply is cogeneration.
	10b To help demonstration other requirements balance diagram demeet certain requirements	te the sequential operation of the cogeneration process, and to support compliance with s such as the operating and efficiency standards, include with your filing a mass and heat epicting average annual operating conditions. This diagram must include certain items and ements, as described below. You must check next to the description of each requirement at you have complied with these requirements.
	Check to certify compliance with indicated requirement	Requirement
ration ۱		Diagram must show orientation within system piping and/or ducts of all prime movers, heat recovery steam generators, boilers, electric generators, and condensers (as applicable), as well as any other primary equipment relevant to the cogeneration process.
genel natior		Any average annual values required to be reported in lines 10b, 12a, 13a, 13b, 13d, 13f, 14a, 15b, 15d and/or 15f must be computed over the anticipated hours of operation.
General Cogeneration Information		Diagram must specify all fuel inputs by fuel type and average annual rate in Btu/h. Fuel for supplementary firing should be specified separately and clearly labeled. All specifications of fuel inputs should use lower heating values.
ene		Diagram must specify average gross electric output in kW or MW for each generator.
· ·		Diagram must specify average mechanical output (that is, any mechanical energy taken off of the shaft of the prime movers for purposes not directly related to electric power generation) in horsepower, if any. Typically, a cogeneration facility has no mechanical output.
		At each point for which working fluid flow conditions are required to be specified (see below), such flow condition data must include mass flow rate (in lb/h or kg/s), temperature (in °F, R, °C or K), absolute pressure (in psia or kPa) and enthalpy (in Btu/lb or kJ/kg). Exception: For systems where the working fluid is <i>liquid only</i> (no vapor at any point in the cycle) and where the type of liquid and specific heat of that liquid are clearly indicated on the diagram or in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19, only mass flow rate and temperature (not pressure and enthalpy) need be specified. For reference, specific heat at standard conditions for pure liquid water is approximately 1.002 Btu/ (lb*R) or 4.195 kJ/(kg*K).
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at input to and output from each steam turbine or other expansion turbine or back-pressure turbine.
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at delivery to and return from each thermal application.
		Diagram must specify working fluid flow conditions at make-up water inputs.

	EPAct 2005 cogeneration facilities: The Energy Policy Act of 2005 (EPAct 2005) established a new section 210(n) of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA), 16 USC 824a-3(n), with additional requirements for any qualifying cogeneration facility that (1) is seeking to sell electric energy pursuant to section 210 of PURPA and (2) was either not a cogeneration facility on August 8, 2005, or had not filed a self-certification or application for Commission certification of QF status on or before February 1, 2006. These requirements were implemented by the Commission in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d). Complete the lines below, carefully following the instructions, to demonstrate whether these additional requirements apply to your cogeneration facility and, if so, whether your facility complies with such requirements.	
	11a Was your facility operating as a qualifying cogeneration facility on or before August 8, 2005? Yes No	C
	<b>11b</b> Was the initial filing seeking certification of your facility (whether a notice of self-certification or an application for Commission certification) filed on or before February 1, 2006? Yes No	Ū
e s	If the answer to either line 11a or 11b is Yes, then continue at line 11c below. Otherwise, if the answers to both lines 11a and 11b are No, skip to line 11e below.	
ntal Us acilitie	<b>11c</b> With respect to the design and operation of the facility, have any changes been implemented on or after February 2, 2006 that affect general plant operation, affect use of thermal output, and/or increase net power production capacity from the plant's capacity on February 1, 2006?	Ü
ner n Fa	Yes (continue at line 11d below)	
Act 2005 Requirements for Fundamental Use Energy Output from Cogeneration Facilities	No. Your facility is not subject to the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) at this time. However, it may be subject to to these requirements in the future if changes are made to the facility. At such time, the applicant would need to recertify the facility to determine eligibility. Skip lines 11d through 11j.	
s for l oger	11d Does the applicant contend that the changes identified in line 11c are not so significant as to make the facility a "new" cogeneration facility that would be subject to the 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) cogeneration requirements?	C
ements from C	Yes. Provide in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 a description of any relevant changes made to the facility (including the purpose of the changes) and a discussion of why the facility should not be considered a "new" cogeneration facility in light of these changes. Skip lines 11e through 11j.	
Require utput 1	No. Applicant stipulates to the fact that it is a "new" cogeneration facility (for purposes of determining the applicability of the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)) by virtue of modifications to the facility that were initiated on or after February 2, 2006. Continue below at line 11e.	
05 l y 0	11e Will electric energy from the facility be sold pursuant to section 210 of PURPA?	Ü
t 200 nerg	Yes. The facility is an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility. You must demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by continuing at line 11f below.	
EPAc of E	No. Applicant certifies that energy will <i>not</i> be sold pursuant to section 210 of PURPA. Applicant also certifies its understanding that it must recertify its facility in order to determine compliance with the requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d) <i>before</i> selling energy pursuant to section 210 of PURPA in the future. Skip lines 11f through 11j.	
	11f Is the net power production capacity of your cogeneration facility, as indicated in line 7g above, less than or equal to 5,000 kW?	Ú
	Yes, the net power production capacity is less than or equal to 5,000 kW. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(4) provides a rebuttable presumption that cogeneration facilities of 5,000 kW and smaller capacity comply with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Applicant certifies its understanding that, should the power production capacity of the facility increase above 5,000 kW, then the facility must be recertified to (among other things) demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Skip lines 11g through 11j.	
	No, the net power production capacity is greater than 5,000 kW. Demonstrate compliance with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by continuing on the next page at line 11g.	

# EPAct 2005 Requirements for Fundamental Use of Energy Output from Cogeneration Facilities (continued)

Lines 11g through 11k below guide the applicant through the process of demonstrating compliance with the requirements for "fundamental use" of the facility's energy output. 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Only respond to the lines on this page if the instructions on the previous page direct you to do so. Otherwise, skip this page.

18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) requires that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a qualifying facility to its host facility. If you were directed on the previous page to respond to the items on this page, then your facility is an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility that is subject to this "fundamental use" requirement.

The Commission's regulations provide a two-pronged approach to demonstrating compliance with the requirements for fundamental use of the facility's energy output. First, the Commission has established in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3) a "fundamental use test" that can be used to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2). Under the fundamental use test, a facility is considered to comply with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) if at least 50 percent of the facility's total annual energy output (including electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy output) is used for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes.

Second, an applicant for a facility that does not pass the fundamental use test may provide a narrative explanation of and support for its contention that the facility nonetheless meets the requirement that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a qualifying facility to its host facility.

Complete lines 11g through 11j below to determine compliance with the fundamental use test in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3). Complete lines 11g through 11j even if you do not intend to rely upon the fundamental use test to demonstrate compliance with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2).

11g Amount of electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy output (net of internal	
generation plant losses and parasitic loads) expected to be used annually for industrial,	
commercial, residential or institutional purposes and not sold to an electric utility	MWh
11h Total amount of electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical energy expected to be	
sold to an electric utility	MWh
11i Percentage of total annual energy output expected to be used for industrial,	
commercial, residential or institutional purposes and not sold to a utility	
= 100 * 11g /(11g + 11h)	0 %

11j Is the response in line 11i greater than or equal to 50 percent?

Yes. Your facility complies with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) by virtue of passing the fundamental use test provided in 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(3). Applicant certifies its understanding that, if it is to rely upon passing the fundamental use test as a basis for complying with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2), then the facility must comply with the fundamental use test both in the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy, and in all subsequent calendar years.

No. Your facility does not pass the fundamental use test. Instead, you must provide in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 a narrative explanation of and support for why your facility meets the requirement that the electrical, thermal, chemical and mechanical output of an EPAct 2005 cogeneration facility is used fundamentally for industrial, commercial, residential or institutional purposes and is not intended fundamentally for sale to an electric utility, taking into account technological, efficiency, economic, and variable thermal energy requirements, as well as state laws applicable to sales of electric energy from a QF to its host facility. Applicants providing a narrative explanation of why their facility should be found to comply with 18 C.F.R. § 292.205(d)(2) in spite of non-compliance with the fundamental use test may want to review paragraphs 47 through 61 of Order No. 671 (accessible from the Commission's QF website at www.ferc.gov/QF), which provide discussion of the facts and circumstances that may support their explanation. Applicant should also note that the percentage reported above will establish the standard that that facility must comply with, both for the 12-month period beginning with the date the facility first produces electric energy, and in all subsequent calendar years. See Order No. 671 at paragraph 51. As such,

the applicant should make sure that it reports appropriate values on lines 11g and 11h above to serve as the

relevant annual standard, taking into account expected variations in production conditions.



thermal output

# Information Required for Topping-Cycle Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents topping-cycle cogeneration technology, then you must respond to the items on pages 14 and 15. Otherwise, skip pages 14 and 15.

The thermal energy output of a topping-cycle cogeneration facility is the net energy made available to an industrial or commercial process or used in a heating or cooling application. Pursuant to sections 292.202(c), (d) and (h) of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. §§ 292.202(c), (d) and (h)), the thermal energy output of a qualifying topping-cycle cogeneration facility must be useful. In connection with this requirement, describe the thermal output of the topping-cycle cogeneration facility by responding to lines 12a and 12b below.

12a Identify and describe each thermal host, and specify the annual average rate of thermal output made available to each host for each use. For hosts with multiple uses of thermal output, provide the data for each use in separate rows.
Average annual rate of

	Name of entity (thermal host) taking thermal output	Thermal host's relationship to facility; Thermal host's use of thermal output	attributable to use (net of heat contained in process return or make-up water)
1)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	
''		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	™ Btu/h
2)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	
		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h
3)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	
3)		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h
4)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	
4)		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h
5)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	
3)		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h
61		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	
6)		Select thermal host's use of thermal output	Btu/h

Check here and continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if additional space is needed

12b Demonstration of usefulness of thermal output: At a minimum, provide a brief description of each use of the thermal output identified above. In some cases, this brief description is sufficient to demonstrate usefulness. However, if your facility's use of thermal output is not common, and/or if the usefulness of such thermal output is not reasonably clear, then you must provide additional details as necessary to demonstrate usefulness. Your application may be rejected and/or additional information may be required if an insufficient showing of usefulness is made. (Exception: If you have previously received a Commission certification approving a specific use of thermal output related to the instant facility, then you need only provide a brief description of that use and a reference by date and docket number to the order certifying your facility with the indicated use. Such exemption may not be used if any change creates a material deviation from the previously authorized use.) If additional space is needed, continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.

Usefulness of Topping-Cycle Thermal Output

Applicants for facilities representing topping-cycle technology must demonstrate compliance with the topping-cycle operating standard and, if applicable, efficiency standard. Section 292.205(a)(1) of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(a)(1)) establishes the operating standard for topping-cycle cogeneration facilities: the useful thermal energy output must be no less than 5 percent of the total energy output. Section 292.205(a)(2) (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(a)(2)) establishes the efficiency standard for topping-cycle cogeneration facilities for which installation commenced on or after March 13, 1980: the useful power output of the facility plus one-half the useful thermal energy output must (A) be no less than 42.5 percent of the total energy input of natural gas and oil to the facility; and (B) if the useful thermal energy output is less than 15 percent of the total energy output of the facility, be no less than 45 percent of the total energy input of natural gas and oil to the facility. To demonstrate compliance with the topping-cycle operating and/or efficiency standards, or to demonstrate that your facility is
compliance with the topping-cycle operating and/or efficiency standards, or to demonstrate that your facility is exempt from the efficiency standard based on the date that installation commenced, respond to lines 13a through 13l below.

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents *both* topping-cycle and bottoming-cycle cogeneration technology, then respond to lines 13a through 13l below considering only the energy inputs and outputs attributable to the topping-cycle portion of your facility. Your mass and heat balance diagram must make clear which mass and energy flow values and system components are for which portion (topping or bottoming) of the cogeneration system.

cogeneration system.	
13a Indicate the annual average rate of useful thermal energy output made available	
to the host(s), net of any heat contained in condensate return or make-up water	Btu/h
13b Indicate the annual average rate of net electrical energy output	Ng.
	kW
13c Multiply line 13b by 3,412 to convert from kW to Btu/h	
	0 Btu/h
13d Indicate the annual average rate of mechanical energy output taken directly off	
of the shaft of a prime mover for purposes not directly related to power production	
(this value is usually zero)	hp
13e Multiply line 13d by 2,544 to convert from hp to Btu/h	· ·
	0 Btu/h
13f Indicate the annual average rate of energy input from natural gas and oil	
3 37 1	Btu/h
<b>13g</b> Topping-cycle operating value = 100 * 13a / (13a + 13c + 13e)	
	0 %
<b>13h</b> Topping-cycle efficiency value = 100 * (0.5*13a + 13c + 13e) / 13f	
	0 %
13i Compliance with operating standard: Is the operating value shown in line 13g gre	eater than or equal to 5%?
	•
Yes (complies with operating standard) No (does not comply wi	th operating standard)
13j Did installation of the facility in its current form commence on or after March 13, 1	980?
Yes. Your facility is subject to the efficiency requirements of 18 C.F.R. § 292.20	5(a)(2). Demonstrate
compliance with the efficiency requirement by responding to line 13k or 13l, a	
l .	
No. Your facility is exempt from the efficiency standard. Skip lines 13k and 13l.	
13k Compliance with efficiency standard (for low operating value): If the operating va	alue shown in line 13a is less
than 15%, then indicate below whether the efficiency value shown in line 13h greater	
Yes (complies with efficiency standard) No (does not comply wi	th efficiency standard)
13I Compliance with efficiency standard (for high operating value): If the operating va	alue shown in line 13a is
greater than or equal to 15%, then indicate below whether the efficiency value shown equal to 42.5%:	
Yes (complies with efficiency standard) No (does not comply wi	th officional standard
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# Information Required for Bottoming-Cycle Cogeneration Facility

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents bottoming-cycle cogeneration technology, then you must respond to the items on pages 16 and 17. Otherwise, skip pages 16 and 17.

	whi the cycl at le	e thermal energy output of a bottoming-cycle cogeneration facility is the energy related to the process(es) from ich at least some of the reject heat is then used for power production. Pursuant to sections 292.202(c) and (e) of Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.202(c) and (e)), the thermal energy output of a qualifying bottoming-le cogeneration facility must be useful. In connection with this requirement, describe the process(es) from which east some of the reject heat is used for power production by responding to lines 14a and 14b below.  A Identify and describe each thermal host and each bottoming-cycle cogeneration process engaged in by each host. For hosts with multiple bottoming-cycle cogeneration processes, provide the data for each process in separate rows.  Has the energy input to					
		Name of entity (thermal host) performing the process from which at least some of the reject heat is used for power production	Thermal host's relationship to facility; Thermal host's process type	the thermal host been augmented for purposes of increasing power production capacity? (if Yes, describe on p. 19)			
	1)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	Yes No			
			Select thermal host's process type				
<u>e</u>	2)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	Yes No			
5			Select thermal host's process type				
<del>б</del>	3)		Select thermal host's relationship to facility	Yes No			
ë t	ļ .		Select thermal host's process type				
on Ut		Check here and continue in the	ne Miscellaneous section starting on page 19 if addit	ional space is needed			
Usefulness of Bottoming-Cycle Thermal Output	14b Demonstration of usefulness of thermal output: At a minimum, provide a brief description of each process identified above. In some cases, this brief description is sufficient to demonstrate usefulness. However, if your facility's process is not common, and/or if the usefulness of such thermal output is not reasonably clear, then you must provide additional details as necessary to demonstrate usefulness. Your application may be rejected and/or additional information may be required if an insufficient showing of usefulness is made. (Exception: If you have previously received a Commission certification approving a specific bottoming-cycle process related to the instant facility, then you need only provide a brief description of that process and a reference by date and docket number to the order certifying your facility with the indicated process. Such exemption may not be used if any material changes to the process have been made.) If additional space is needed, continue in the Miscellaneous section starting on page 19.						
			<b>N</b>				

# Bottoming-Cycle Operating and Efficiency Value Calculation

Applicants for facilities representing bottoming-cycle technology and for which installation commenced on or after March 13, 1990 must demonstrate compliance with the bottoming-cycle efficiency standards. Section 292.205(b) of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 292.205(b)) establishes the efficiency standard for bottoming-cycle cogeneration facilities: the useful power output of the facility must be no less than 45 percent of the energy input of natural gas and oil for supplementary firing. To demonstrate compliance with the bottoming-cycle efficiency standard (if applicable), or to demonstrate that your facility is exempt from this standard based on the date that installation of the facility began, respond to lines 15a through 15h below.

If you indicated in line 10a that your facility represents *both* topping-cycle and bottoming-cycle cogeneration technology, then respond to lines 15a through 15h below considering only the energy inputs and outputs attributable to the bottoming-cycle portion of your facility. Your mass and heat balance diagram must make clear which mass and energy flow values and system components are for which portion of the cogeneration system (topping or bottoming).

15a Did installation of the facility in its current form commence on or after March 13, 1980?

Yes. Your facility is subject to the efficiency requirement of 18 C.F.R. § 292.205 with the efficiency requirement by responding to lines 15b through 15h below	(b). Demonstrate compliance v.
No. Your facility is exempt from the efficiency standard. Skip the rest of page	17.
15b Indicate the annual average rate of net electrical energy output	x ₅ kW
<b>15c</b> Multiply line 15b by 3,412 to convert from kW to Btu/h	0 Btu/h
<b>15d</b> Indicate the annual average rate of mechanical energy output taken directly off of the shaft of a prime mover for purposes not directly related to power production (this value is usually zero)	qd
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# EXHIBIT F

Exhibit F is the CPCN or RPCN for the Facility, as applicable.

#### STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. SP-4230, SUB 0

#### BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
Application of Camden Mill Dam Road	)	
Solar, LLC, for a Certificate of Public	)	RECOMMENDED ORDER
Convenience and Necessity to Construct	)	GRANTING CERTIFICATE
a 5-MW Solar Facility in Camden County,	)	
North Carolina	)	

HEARD: Thursday, December 11, 2014, at 7:00 p.m. in the Camden County

Courthouse, 117 North Carolina Highway 343 S., Camden, NC 27921

BEFORE: Hearing Examiner Dan Conrad

#### APPEARANCES:

For Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC:

Charlotte A. Mitchell, Law Office of Charlotte Mitchell, P.O. Box 26212, Raleigh, NC 27611

CONRAD, HEARING EXAMINER: On September 5, 2014, as amended September 29, 2014, Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC (Applicant), filed an application seeking a certificate of public convenience and necessity (CPCN) pursuant to G.S. 62-110.1(a) for construction of a 5-MW solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located at the intersection of Highway 343 and Mill Dam Road in Camden, Camden County, North Carolina. The Applicant plans to sell the electricity to Dominion North Carolina Power (DNCP).

On September 10, 2014, the Commission issued an Order Requiring Publication of Notice. On October 10, 2014, due to the September 29, 2014 amendment to the application, the Commission issued an Amended Order Requiring Publication of Notice requiring the Applicant to (1) publish notice of the application in the manner required by G.S. 62-82(a) and file an affidavit of publication with the Commission, and (2) mail a copy of the application and notice to the electric utility to which the Applicant plans to sell and distribute the electricity and file a signed and verified certificate of service that the application and notice have been provided to the utility.

On October 14, 2014, the Applicant filed an affidavit of publication stating that it had published notice as required in the Daily Advance on September 13, 23, and 30, 2014, and October 6, 2014.

On October 17, 2014, a letter of complaint was filed in this docket by Maria Clarke.

On November 13, 2014, based upon the complaints and the record herein, the Commission issued an Order Scheduling Hearing, setting this docket for hearing on this date, at this time, and in this place, and establishing a procedural schedule to pre-file direct expert testimony and to allow for intervenors to participate in the Docket.

On November 14, 2014, the Applicant filed an affidavit of publication stating that it had republished notice as required by the Amended Order Requiring Publication of Notice in the Daily Advance on October 17, 24, and 31, 2014, and November 7, 2014.

Also on November 14, 2014 a complaint was filed in this docket by David Tanner.

On November 21, 2014, the Applicant filed the direct testimony and exhibits of Bradley Fite.

On December 3, 2014, the Applicant filed an affidavit of publication stating that it had published the notice of the hearing in the Daily Advance on November 28, 2014, as required by the Commission's Order Scheduling Hearing.

On December 11, 2014, the matter came on for hearing as ordered. The Applicant presented the testimony and exhibits of Bradley Fite. Eight public witnesses testified regarding the proposed facility.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. In compliance with G.S. 62-110.1(a) and Commission Rules R8-64, the Applicant filed with the Commission an application for a CPCN authorizing construction of a 5-MW solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located at the intersection of Highway 343 and Mill Dam Road in Camden, Camden County, North Carolina.
- 2. The Applicant plans sell electricity to DNCP. The Applicant intends to produce renewable energy certificates (RECs) that can be used to satisfy the State's Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard (REPS) and to self-certify as a qualifying facility (QF) with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC).
- 3. The Applicant has demonstrated the need for the proposed facility based on the public benefits of solar powered generation and State and federal policy encouraging private investment in renewable energy.
- 4. The Applicant has demonstrated that construction of the facility is in the public convenience based on the economic benefits of the proposed facility and State and federal policy encouraging private investment in renewable energy.
- 5. No party presented evidence that the application was not prepared and filed in accordance with G.S. 62-110.1(a) or was deficient in any manner.

6. It is reasonable and appropriate to grant the requested CPCN subject to the condition that the Applicant comply with all local zoning and permitting requirements and receive all necessary local approvals.

#### DISCUSSION OF EVIDENCE AND CONCLUSIONS

The evidence in support of the findings of fact is found in the direct testimony and exhibits of the Applicant witness Bradley Fite, and the application filed on September 5, 2014, as amended September 29, 2014.

At the December 11, 2014 hearing, eight public witnesses testified regarding the facility. Roger Schaub testified that he was opposed to the proposed facility. Mr. Schaub cited concerns with the setting of the facility in a rural area, aesthetic concerns, environmental concerns regarding run-off and battery acid, and glare concerns as the basis of his opposition. Mr. Schaub further testified that the proposed facility could entice, through the prospect of stealing copper wiring, a criminal element to the area. Maria Clarke testified that she was opposed to the proposed facility. Ms. Clarke cited noise and lighting concerns during construction, aesthetic concerns, glare concerns, environmental and health concerns, and aesthetic concerns as the basis of her opposition. Ms. Clarke introduced a petition entitled "Petition to Stop Solar Farm on North Mill Dam Road" signed by 140 individuals as well as several documents regarding potential health hazards of solar facilities as exhibits with her testimony.

David Tanner testified that he was opposed to the proposed facility. Mr. Tanner stated that the zoning of the area was not compatible for a generating facility and cited economic concerns, environmental concerns, concerns regarding road construction and emergency access, decommissioning concerns, noise concerns, and aesthetic concerns as the basis for his opposition. Cheryl Douglas testified that she was in opposition to the proposed facility. Ms. Douglas cited property values, aesthetics, economic concerns, and dependable capacity concerns as the basis for her objection. Ms. Douglas also stated that increased notice requirements should be implemented. Michael Stratton testified that he was opposed to the proposed facility. Mr. Stratton stated that solar facilities were not hurricane proof and expressed concerns regarding property values, environmental hazards, glare to Coast Guard operations, fire safety, and decommissioning as the basis for his opposition. Walter Douglas testified that he was in opposition to the proposed facility. Mr. Douglas cited property value concerns, concern that the facility is not in line with the Camden County economic development plan, concerns over the notification, and decommissioning concerns as the basis for his opposition. Allen Clarke testified that he was in opposition to the proposed facility. Mr. Clarke stated that the zoning on the property where the proposed facility is to be located is zoned as residential and that residential zones, according to the Code of Ordinances for Camden County, are intended to secure for the persons who reside there "a comfortable, healthy, safe and pleasant environment in which to live sheltered from incompatible and disruptive activity." Susan Bundy testified that she was in opposition to the proposed facility. Ms. Bundy expressed concern over the lack of attendance from community leaders and County Commissioners. Ms. Bundy cited decommissioning concerns, glare concerns, environmental concerns, fire and safety concerns, and economic concerns as the basis for her opposition.

Bradley Fite testified on behalf of the Applicant. Mr. Fite testified that the Applicant proposes to develop a 5-MW solar PV facility. The application, sponsored as an exhibit by witness Fite, states that the Applicant intends to sell the electrical output to DNCP. Mr. Fite testified that the Facility is anticipated to produce 11,970,000 kWh of emissions-free power each year. The Facility will generate RECs that can be used to satisfy the North Carolina REPS. Specifically, Mr. Fite testified that the Facility is anticipated to generate 11,970 RECs annually. The application also states that the Applicant intends to self-certify as a QF with the FERC. The Public Utility Regulatory Policy Act of 1978 established federal policy that the electrical output from QFs be purchased. Additionally, the REPS, passed by the General Assembly as S.L. 2007-397, established State policy that the State's investor owned utilities, electric membership corporations and municipalities obtain a certain percentage of their electricity from renewable energy resources, of which solar energy is one of the qualifying resources. S.L. 2007-397 declares it to be the public policy of the State to promote the development of renewable energy through the implementation of the REPS and to encourage private investment in renewable energy.

In response to the concerns raised by the public witnesses and questions from the Hearing Examiner, Mr. Fite testified that applying for and securing the CPCN is the first step in the development process and that prior to beginning construction of the Facility, the Applicant must secure any and all necessary land use approvals and environmental permits, including local zoning changes and stormwater permits, for the project. In addition, Mr. Fite testified that during its tenure of developing solar generating facilities in North Carolina, the company has worked with neighbors to minimize impacts to the surrounding area both during the construction process and later when facilities are operational. Mr. Fite testified that the Applicant will offer fire and emergency response training to the local law enforcement and fire departments. Mr. Fite testified that ordinances are in place that would require an unoperational facility to be removed within 18 months. Mr. Fite testified that no construction would take place outside of the hours of 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. and that lighting is generally only used at night during the construction phase to prevent vandalism and secure the site.

The Public Staff's recommendation filed with the Commission on January 27, 2015, noted the public witness testimony in opposition to the facility. The Public Staff stated that "with regard to the concerns raised by public witnesses over compatibility with existing land uses, health impacts, decommissioning, and what type of buffers, if any, are appropriate for the site, the Public Staff believes that these concerns are more appropriately addressed through the local permitting process." The Public Staff noted that the Commission has in the past determined that these types of issues are best settled through the exercise of local zoning authority and stated its recommendation that such a policy apply to this facility. The Public Staff recommended that the Commission approve the application and issue the requested CPCN.

No party asserted that the application was not prepared and filed in accordance with G.S. 62-110.1(a) or was deficient in any manner.

The majority of the testimony against the Facility regarded the appropriateness of the site. The Commission's April 24, 2008 Order in Docket No. SP-231, Sub 0, stated, regarding local authority over the siting of facilities, that:

[S]uch decisions are, in most instances, best left to the local community through the exercise of its zoning authority rather than made by the Commission. Local governing bodies are, generally speaking, in a better position than the Commission to make local land use planning decisions (so long as those decisions do not operate to thwart controlling State policy).

Additional concerns regarding property values and environmental safety were also raised. No credible evidence was provided to support claims that the facility posed an environmental threat. The Commission's June 29, 2004 Order in Docket P-100, Sub 711, stated, regarding the Commission's authority to assess monetary damages, that "[w]hile the Commission has a duty to enforce its rules and orders, it has long been recognized that the Commission does not have the power to render a judgment for compensatory damages."

The Hearing Examiner concludes that in this particular instance the siting decision is best left to the local community and the local zoning process, the Facility should be subject to the local zoning authority. However, the Hearing Examiner notes that this would not preclude the Commission from considering similar issues regarding the appropriateness of a site in future proceedings and making a different conclusion. The Commission will address such concerns on a case-by-case basis. After careful consideration of the entire record in this proceeding, based on federal and State policy and the demonstrated economic benefits of such facilities, the Hearing Examiner finds that construction of the proposed 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility is in the public interest and justified by the public convenience and necessity as required by G.S. 62-110.1.

#### IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

- 1. That the application filed by Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity shall be, and is hereby, approved;
- 2. That Appendix A shall constitute the certificate of public convenience and necessity issued to Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC, for construction of a 5-MW solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located at the intersection of Highway 343 and Mill Dam Road in Camden, Camden County, North Carolina; and

3. That the facility shall be constructed in strict accordance with all applicable laws and regulations, including any local and county zoning ordinances.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the _10th day of March, 2015.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Hail L. Mount
Gail L. Mount, Chief Clerk

#### STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. SP-4230, SUB 0

Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC 192 Raceway Dr., Mooresville, NC 28117

is hereby issued this

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY PURSUANT TO G.S. 62-110.1

for a 5-MW_{AC} a solar photovoltaic facility

to be located at the intersection of Highway 343 and Mill Dam Road in Camden, Camden County, North Carolina

subject to all orders, rules, regulations and conditions as are now or may hereafter be lawfully made by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the __10th day of March, 2015.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Hail L. Mount

Gail L. Mount, Chief Clerk



# **NORTH CAROLINA**

# Department of the Secretary of State

#### To all whom these presents shall come, Greetings:

I, Elaine F. Marshall, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify the following and hereto attached to be a true copy of

#### ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT

OF

#### CAMDEN MILL DAM ROAD SOLAR, LLC

#### WHICH CHANGED ITS NAME TO

CAMDEN DAM SOLAR, LLC

the original of which was filed in this office on the 5th day of December, 2016.





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Elaine I. Marshall

Secretary of State

State of North Carolina
Department of the Secretary of State

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# Limited Liability Company AMENDMENT OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

Pursuant to §57D-2-22 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, the undersigned limited liability company hereby submits the following Articles of Amendment for the purpose of amending its Articles of Organization.

1.	The name of the limited liability company is: Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC
2.	The text of each amendment adopted is as follows (attach additional pages if necessary):
	Please change the name to:
	Camden Dam Solar, LLC
3.	(Check either a or b, whichever is applicable)
	AThe amendment(s) was (were) duly adopted by the majority vote of the organizers of the limited liability company prior to the identification of initial members of the limited liability company.
	B. X The amendment(s) was (were) duly adopted by the unanimous vote of the members of the limited liability company or was (were) adopted as otherwise provided in the limited liability company's Articles of Organization or a written operating agreement.
4.	These articles will be effective upon filing, unless a date and/or time is specified:
This 1	the 5th day of December , 20 16 .
	Camden Mill Dam Road Solar, LLC
	Name of Limited Liability Company  Life Company  Signature
	Kenny Habul, Manager, Company Official  Type or Print Name and Title

#### NOTES:

1. Filing fee is \$50. This document must be filed with the Secretary of State. CORPORATIONS DIVISION P. O. BOX 29622 (Revised January 2014)

RALEIGH, NC 27626-0622 (Form L-17) Dominion Energy North Carolina 5000 Dominion Boulevard Glen Allen, VA 23060 DominionEnergy.com



#### VIA EMAIL AND US MAIL

July 12, 2017

Mr. Georg Veit Manager Azalea Solar LLC 7804-C Fairview Road, #257 Charlotte, NC 28226

RE: TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT FOR THE SALE OF ELECTRICAL OUTPUT AZALEA SOLAR, LLC

Dear Mr. Veit:

Reference is made to that Agreement for the Sale of Electrical Output between Virginia Electric and Power Company ("Company") and Azalea Solar LLC ("Operator") dated March 10, 2015 (the "Agreement"). On July 10, 2017 Operator notified Company that Operator no longer plans to pursue the Azalea Solar Facility and requested termination of the Agreement. The Parties now desire to terminate the Agreement.

Therefore, notwithstanding any provision in the Agreement to the contrary, each Party agrees that effective as of the date first set forth above upon the execution hereof by each of the Parties hereto (the "Termination Effective Date") the Agreement shall be terminated in its entirety and shall not be of any further force and effect. Upon the Termination Effective Date neither Party shall have any further rights or obligations under or relating to the Agreement whether relating to periods of time before, on, or after the Termination Effective Date.

This letter agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of each of the Parties hereto and each of their permitted successors or permitted assigns. Any capitalized terms used in this letter agreement that are not otherwise defined shall have the meanings given to such terms in the Agreement. The Parties are entering into this letter agreement, for consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, to memorialize the termination of the Agreement. This letter agreement may be executed in separate counterparts, including without limitation by facsimile, which together will constitute the same agreement.

Please indicate your agreement with the terms of this letter agreement by signing below.

Very truly yours,

Virginia Electric and Power Company

Michael S. Hupp, Jr.

Authorized Representative

ACKNOWLEDGED AND AGREED as of the date first set forth above:

Azalea Solar, LLC

Name:

By:

Title:

cc: Mr. Juergen Fehr