

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

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

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. SP-5434, SUB 0)	
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In the Matter of)	
Application of Johannes Gutenberg Solar,)	
LLC, for a Certificate of Public Convenience)	ORDER TRANSFERRING
and Necessity to Construct a 79.9-MW Solar)	CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC
Array in Northampton County, North Carolina)	CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY
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DOCKET NO. E-22, SUB 548)	
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In the Matter of)	
Application by Virginia Electric and Power)	
Company, d/b/a Dominion Energy North)	
Carolina, and Johannes Gutenberg Solar,)	
LLC, to Transfer the Certificate of Public)	
Convenience and Necessity to Construct a)	
79.9-MW Solar Array in Northampton County,)	
North Carolina)	

BY THE COMMISSION: On August 7, 2017, in Docket No. SP-5434, Sub 0, the Commission issued a certificate of public convenience and necessity (CPCN) to Johannes Gutenberg Solar, LLC (Gutenberg Solar), for the construction of a 79.9 MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility (Gutenberg Facility) in Northampton County, North Carolina.

On October 11, 2017, Gutenberg Solar and Virginia Electric and Power Company, d/b/a Dominion Energy North Carolina (DENC) (collectively, Applicants), filed a verified joint notice and request for approval of the transfer of the CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility to DENC based on an Asset Purchase Agreement (APA) executed by Applicants.

On December 8, 2017, the Commission issued an order approving the transfer of the CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility from Gutenberg Solar to DENC, subject to certain conditions specified in the order. In addition, the Commission issued a CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility to DENC. On February 2, 2018, at the request of Applicants, the Commission issued an amended order cancelling the CPCN issued to DENC, reinstating the CPCN issued to Gutenberg Solar, and directing Applicants to notify the Commission when the APA was final and the CPCN was to be transferred to DENC.

On June 28, 2019, DENC filed a verified Notice and Motion informing the Commission that the APA was finalized on June 27, 2019, and requesting that the CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility be transferred to DENC effective that date.

Based on the foregoing and the record, the Commission finds good cause to transfer the CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility from Gutenberg Solar to DENC effective June 27, 2019. Further, the Commission finds good cause to cancel the CPCN issued to Gutenberg Solar, and to close Docket No. SP-5434, Sub 0.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

1. That the transfer of the CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility from Gutenberg Solar to DENC shall be, and is hereby, approved.
2. That the CPCN for the Gutenberg Facility is hereby transferred to DENC effective June 27, 2019.
3. That Appendix A shall constitute the CPCN issued to DENC for the Gutenberg Facility.
4. That the CPCN issued to Gutenberg Solar shall be, and is hereby, cancelled.
5. That the Chief Clerk shall close Docket No. SP-5434, Sub 0.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 9th day of July, 2019.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk

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Virginia Electric and Power Company
d/b/a Dominion Energy North Carolina
120 Tredegar Street, RS-2
Richmond, Virginia 23219

is hereby issued this

**CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY
PURSUANT TO N.C. GEN. STAT. § 62-110.1**

for a 79.9 MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic generating facility

to be located

east and west of Cornwallis Road (SR-1301) within an approximately 1.5 mile radius of
the intersection of Cornwallis Road and NC Highway 186 in an unincorporated area of
Garysburg Township Extra Territorial Jurisdiction,
Northampton 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.

The effective date of this certificate shall be June 27, 2019.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION,

This the 9th day of July, 2019.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Janice H. Fulmore, Deputy Clerk