



**NORTH CAROLINA
PUBLIC STAFF
UTILITIES COMMISSION**

November 24, 2015

Ms. Gail L. Mount, Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
4325 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4325

Re: Docket No. SP-5152, Sub 0 - ESA Henderson 2, LLC
Application to Register a New Renewable Energy Facility
1.99-MW_{AC} Solar Photovoltaic Facility at 611 Bear Pond Road, Henderson, NC

Dear Ms. Mount:

The Public Staff – Electric Division has completed its review of the Registration Statement for a New Renewable Energy Facility filed by ESA Henderson 2, LLC, on February 12, 2015, in the above-referenced docket pursuant to Commission Rule R8-66. As a result of our review, we recommend that the Registration Statement be considered complete and that the facility be considered a new renewable energy facility.

I certify that a copy of this letter has been served on the individual(s) shown below by e-mail. If necessary, please contact me at Jay.Lucas@psncuc.nc.gov or at (919) 733-0882.

If the applicant has any questions regarding the Commission's review of the application or the order on acceptance of the Registration Statement, he or she should contact Mr. Dan Conrad of the Commission Staff at (919) 733-0835 or DConrad@ncuc.net.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jay B. Lucas".

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