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June 17, 2025

PARTIES OF RECORD

Energy and Environment Cabinet

Re: CASE NO. 2025-00151

Notice is given to all parties that the enclosed letter to Governor Beshear requesting ad hoc appointment has been filed into the record of this proceeding.

If you have any comments you would like to make regarding the contents of the document, please do so within five days of receipt of this letter. If you have any questions, please contact Nicole Carr, Staff Attorney, at (502) 782-3259 or Nicole.Carr@ky.gov.

Sincerely,

Linda C. Bridwell, PE **Executive Director**

On behalf of

The Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting

Enclosure





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Hon. Governor Andy Beshear 700 Capitol Avenue, Suite 100 Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

Re: Siting Board Case No. 2025-00151

Dear Governor Beshear:

As the Chair of the Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC), I also serve as the Chair of the Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting (Siting Board). Therefore, it is my duty to inform you that, on May 19, 2025, the Siting Board received a Notice of Intent from Exie Solar, LLC requesting a certificate to construct an approximately 150-megawatt merchant electric solar generation facility in Green County, Kentucky.

The five permanent members of the Siting Board are the Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Commissioner of the PSC; the Secretary of the Energy and Environment Cabinet (or her designee);¹ and the Secretary of the Economic Development Cabinet (or his designee).²

In accordance with KRS 278.702(1)(d), I am requesting that you please make the requisite appointments to the Siting Board for this matter. I have enclosed a copy of the Notice of Intent in this matter that should help inform who may be appointed.

Any questions regarding this case may be directed either to me or Nicole Carr, Staff Attorney, at (502) 782-3259. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Siriqerely,

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Enclosure Notice of Intent

² Secretary Jeff Noel has designated Jansen Hammock as his designee for this matter.



¹ Secretary Rebecca W. Goodman has designated John S. Lyons as her designee for this matter.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE KENTUCKY STATE BOARD ON ELECTRIC GENERATION AND TRANSMISSION SITING

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF EXIE SOLAR, LLC)	
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONSTRUCTION FOR)	
AN APPROXIMATELY 150 MEGAWATT MERCHANT)	
ELECTRIC SOLAR GENERATING FACILITY AND)	Case No. 2025-00151
NONREGULATED ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION LINE)	
IN GREEN COUNTY, KENTUCKY)	

Exie Solar, LLC Notice of Intent to File Application

Exie Solar, LLC ("Applicant" or "Exie"), hereby submits its Notice of Intent to file an application for a Certificate to Construct an approximately 150 megawatt ("MW") merchant electric solar generating facility and nonregulated transmission line in Green County, Kentucky ("Project"), pursuant to KRS 278.700, *et seq.*, 807 KAR 5:110, and other applicable law. In support of its Notice of Intent, Applicant states as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:110, Section 2(2)(a), the name and address of the person who intends to file the application is Exie Solar, LLC, 8400 Normandale Lake Blvd., Suite 1200, Bloomington, MN 55437. Applicant's telephone number is (270) 949-8123 and its email address is exiesolar@nationalgridrenewables.com.
- 2. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:110, Section 2(2)(b), the proposed Project will be capable of generating up to approximately 150 MW of electricity from a solar array covering a total of approximately 1,800 acres. The Project will connect to the Summershade to Greene County 161 kV line via a nonregulated electric transmission line from the Project substation located within the Project footprint.
- 3. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:110, Section 2(2)(c), the Project is proposed to be located in unincorporated Green County, Kentucky, near the City of Greensburg. The Project has a street

address of 2969 Liletown Road, Greensburg, Kentucky 42743. Its latitude/longitude coordinates are 37.148036 and -85.585355. No portion of the Project is located within the boundaries of any municipality.

- 4. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:110, Section 2(2)(d), there is no planning or zoning commission with jurisdiction over the site.
- 5. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:110, Section 2(2)(e), there are no local setback requirements applicable to the site.
- 6. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:110, Section 2(2)(f) and KRS 278.704(4), Applicant will request a deviation from the setback requirements established in KRS 278.704(2).

Dated this 19th day of May 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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