COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE KENTUCKY ELECTRIC GENERATION AND

TRANSMISSION SITING BOARD

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF MT OLIVE) CREEK SOLAR, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF) CONSTRUCTION FOR AN APPROXIMATELY) 60 MEGAWATT MERCHANT ELECTRIC) SOLAR GENERATING FACILITY IN RUSSELL) COUNTY, KENTUCKY PURSUANT TO KRS) 278.700 AND 807 KAR 5:110.)

Case No. 2020-00226

MOTION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT

Comes now Mt Olive Creek Solar, LLC ("MOC Solar"), by and through counsel, pursuant to KRS 61.878 and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13, and seeks confidential treatment for certain information filed in response to the Kentucky Electric Generation and Transmission Siting Board ("Siting Board")'s June 8, 2021 Requests for Information.

The Siting Board's requests numbers 18a and 18b ask for details about and copies of the leases executed between MOC Solar and property owners. MOC Solar is seeking protection of personal information contained in the leases under 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10)(a)(7); and financial information contained in the leases under KRS 61.878(1)(c)(1).

Specifically, MOC Solar is seeking protection of phone numbers and email addresses for landowners that have executed leases with MOC Solar. Per 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10)(a)(7), the address, phone number, or email address of an individual who is not a party and has not requested to be a party should be redacted and kept confidential. MOC Solar has redacted the address and email address for the landowners, but not the physical address. The physical addresses have already been made public through the nature of requesting siting approval.

MOC Solar is also requesting confidential protection of the financial information contained in the leases, specifically the payments made to landowners. Per KRS 61.878(1)(c)(1) records confidentially disclosed to the Siting Board that are generally recognized as confidential or proprietary, which if disclosed would permit an unfair competitive advantage, should be deemed as confidential and protected from public disclosure. If the payments made to landowners were divulged it would place MOC Solar at a competitive disadvantage.

Per 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13(a)(2)(2), requests that this information be kept confidential for a period of five (5) years from the date of the order granting this motion.

Wherefore, Mt Olive Creek Solar, LLC respectfully requests the above referenced information be granted the appropriate status and protections due such confidential information.

Respectfully submitted,

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