

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

In the Matter of the Application of Horus Kentucky 1)
LLC for a Construction Certificate to Construct a) Case No. 2020-00417
Merchant Electric Generating Facility)

NOTICE OF FILING

COMES NOW Horus Kentucky 1 LLC (hereinafter, the “Applicant”) , by counsel, and pursuant to the Siting Board’s March 5, 2020, Order approving form of notice, hereby files the relevant documents. **Exhibit 1** to this Notice is a copy of the Notice of the Public Meeting as published in the *Franklin Favorite* on March 11, 2021. **Exhibit 2** to this Notice is a copy of the information sent to adjacent property owners that was mailed on March 10, 2021. The actual notice is page 5 of **Exhibit 2**.

As the *Franklin Favorite* inadvertently omitted a portion of the registration information from the Notice of Public meeting in its March 11, 2021 notice (See **Exhibit 1**), out of an abundance of caution, the Applicant has arranged for an additional notice be published on March 18, 2021 as attached hereto as **Exhibit 3**. Further, the Applicant has arranged for fliers to be posted at the location of the meeting as of March 12, 2021 with precise registration information, (a copy of which has been attached hereto as **Exhibit 4**), and the Applicant has further coordinated with the staff of the meeting location to ensure any individuals inquiring regarding the meeting will be instructed to contact the Applicant directly and have been provided with the necessary information to do so.

HORUS KENTUCKY 1 LLC

Respectfully submitted,



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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF KY }
COUNTY OF SIMPSON } SS

Bobbie Fisher, being duly sworn, says:

That she is Accounting Clerk of the Franklin Favorite, a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Franklin, Simpson County, KY; that the publication, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in the said newspaper on the following dates:

March 11, 2021

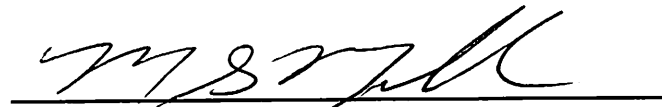
That said newspaper was regularly issued and circulated on those dates.

SIGNED:



Accounting Clerk

Subscribed to and sworn to me this 18th day of March 2021.



Melanie Miller, , Simpson County, KY

My commission expires: September 26, 2023

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Horus Kentucky 1 LLC, (Horus Kentucky) is proposing to construct and operate a 69.3 MW solar energy project in Simpson County, Kentucky. The proposed Horus Kentucky project will be located within a project area of approximately 550 acres situated at Tyree Chapel Road, Franklin, Simpson County, Kentucky, with a latitude and longitude of 36° 40' 6.65" North and 86° 32' 37.86" West. A public meeting to inform the community about the project and to answer questions about the project will take place on March 25, 2021 between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. in the Meeting Room of the Simpson County History Center located at 207 North College Street, Franklin, KY 42134. Due to the ongoing global pandemic, this meeting will be conducted in compliance with guidance from U.S. Centers for Disease Control and guidelines from the Office of the Governor intended to reduce the potential spread of COVID-19. Attendance at this meeting will be limited to allow social distancing, and pre-registration will be required. Per the executive order of the Governor, all in-person attendees will be required to correctly wear masks that will potentially prevent the spread of illness. Seating in the room will be set up to allow social distancing for the duration of the meeting, and attendees will be asked to not move the seats, this due to the meeting being held indoors, in an enclosed space. Hand sanitizer and masks will be available on-site for attendees. Horus Kentucky will make a large-scale (24 inches by 36 inches or larger) layout map of the proposed solar facility, which otherwise would have been made available to the public for inspection at a public meeting, available to the public by displaying the map in the entrance to the History Center on the day of the public meeting. Due to the extraordinary circumstances of this time, the meeting also will be made available for public participation through a digital "virtual" meeting. The digital meeting will be available through a "live" virtual platform (such as Microsoft Teams), which can be accessed through a web browser, and will also be accessible through a call-in number. Given the on-going public health situation and limited attendance cap intended to limit the potential spread of COVID-19, Horus Kentucky strongly encourages participation in this meeting virtually and via the call-in option. Pre-registration will also be required for participation in the virtual meeting and the call-in meeting. Registration is free of charge.

Exhibit 1

Horus Kentucky 1, LLC

March 10, 2021

Dear Simpson County Property Owner,

My name is Braden Houston, and I am writing to provide you with some information about the Horus Kentucky 1 Solar Project. The Horus Kentucky 1 Solar Project is a 69.3 MW solar project to be developed by Horus Renewables, a division of Opdenenergy, in Simpson County.

We are excited to bring this project to Simpson County and believe the project will have a positive impact on the Simpson County community. The project is an estimated \$80 million dollar project that will create approximately 100 jobs during construction. We will also hire several technicians and maintenance employees for the project's regular operation and maintenance for the life of the project, which we expect to extend for 30 to 40 years, once construction is complete. The Horus Kentucky 1 Project will pay local taxes, which will go to Simpson County to support local schools, first responders and roads.

We have an experienced team that has developed renewable energy projects all over the world. Enclosed is a brochure that provides more information about the project and our company. I am also enclosing a map showing the project area, and an announcement for a public meeting about the project that will be happening on March 25, 2021 from 6-8 p.m.

We are excited to invest in your community and look forward to meeting many of you.

If you have any questions about the Horus Kentucky 1 Project, I encourage you to email me at bhouston@opdenenergy.com or to call me at (617) 530-0029.

Sincerely,



Braden Houston
Managing Director - Solar Development
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Enclosures

Exhibit 2

Horus Kentucky 1 LLC

Project Description



Horus Kentucky 1 “Franklin”

Project Overview

- Located near the town of **Franklin, Kentucky**, Horus Kentucky 1, LLC is a 90 MW DC/69.3 MW AC Solar Project (“the Project”) being developed by Horus Renewables Corporation (“Horus”)
- Horus is a division of **Opdeenergy**, a Spanish multinational company with a 15-year track record in the development, construction and investment in renewable energy assets
- The Project has been awarded a fifteen-year Power Purchase Agreement (“**PPA**”) in December of 2019 through a Request for Proposals initiated by the **Tennessee Valley Authority** (“TVA”)
- Very few other solar investments of this scale available in **Kentucky**

Technical Details

- **Location:** Simpson County, Kentucky
- **Total Capacity:** 90.0 MW DC/ 69.3 MW AC
- **Annual Production:** 160,725 MWh (P50)
- **PV Technology:** Single Axis Trackers
- **Environmental:** Environmental (NEPA) Studies in progress
- **Permitting:** Conditional Use Permit in progress; Project complies with all local ordinance.
- **Land:** Two land lease agreements of 307 acres & 250 acres, secured for 41 years

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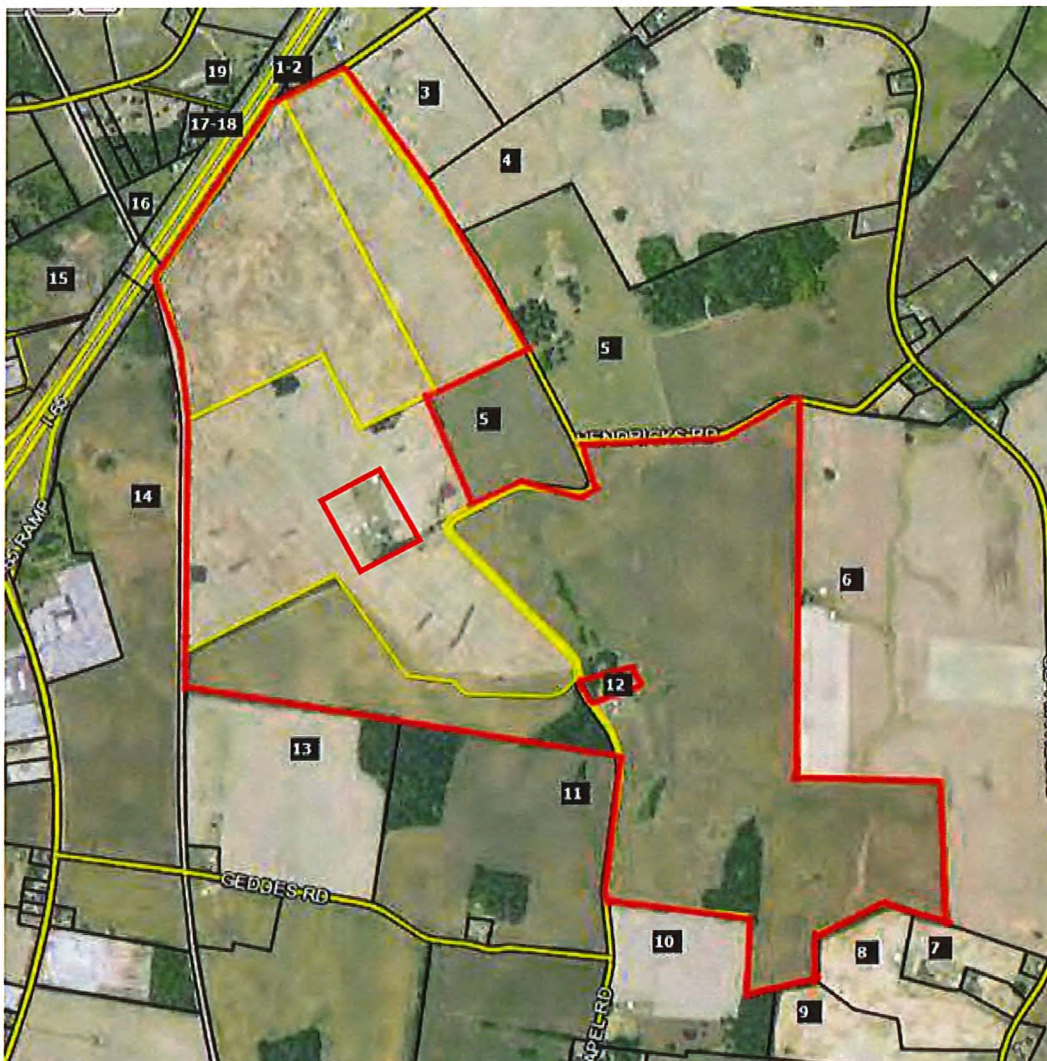
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To register, please email bhouston@opdenenergy.com or call Braden Houston, Senior Director of Solar Development, at 617-530-0029. The proposed photovoltaic solar project will consist of 550 acres of solar photovoltaic panels and associated racking, 22 inverters, associated wiring and balance of system, and a substation transformer. The power generated by the project will be linked to the electric transmission grid via the Tennessee Valley Authority's L5402 – 161kv transmission line near the City of Franklin in Simpson County, Kentucky. Anyone with questions about the March 25, 2021 public meeting or Horus Kentucky may request information by emailing Braden Houston at bhouston@opdenenergy.com or calling 617-530-0029.

The proposed solar farm is proposed to be constructed on approximately 547.60-acre portion of a 592.06-acre assemblage of land located on Tyree Chapel Road, Franklin, Simpson County, Kentucky, shown on the tax parcel map below.

Tax Parcel Map



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**Regarding the construction of a solar farm
in Franklin, Kentucky**

Simpson County Historical Society Event Room

207 North College Street

March 25th, 2021

6:00 – 8:00 PM

or

REGISTER TO PARTICIPATE ONLINE:

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Exhibit 4