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Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting 211 Sower Boulevard P. O. Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: Notice of Intent to File Application of Mantle Rock Solar, LLC for a Certificate of Construction for: an approximately 65-Megawatt Merchant Electric Solar Generating Facility in Livingston County, Kentucky pursuant to KRS 278.700, *et seq.*, and 807 KAR 5:110

To Whom It May Concern:

Mantle Rock Solar, LLC ("Mantle Rock"), by counsel, respectfully responds to the letter from the Siting Board Staff dated March 4, 2024, related to a perceived deficiency in Mantle Rock's Notice of Intent, which indicated that the Notice of Intent filed on March 1, 2024, did not identify the name of the city and county in which the project will be located. Mantle Rock respectfully disagrees with the Staff's interpretation of the Notice. In the style of the case that is indicated in the subject matter of the Notice, it specifically states that the facility is to be located in Livingston County, Kentucky. Additionally, in paragraph (c), the Notice states, "The Mantle Rock Project is not located within the limits of any city."

Mantle Rock respectfully requests that the Staff reconsider its finding of a deficiency, or alternatively, to accept this letter as a supplement to the Notice of Intent to File Application. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need further information.

Sincerely, Sturgill, Turner, Barker & Moloney, pllc

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