## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE KENTUCKY STATE BOARD ON ELECTRIC GENERATION AND TRANSMISSION SITING

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF GOLDEN	)	
SOLAR, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF	)	
CONSTRUCTION FOR AN APPROXIMATELY 100	)	CASE NO.
MEGAWATT MERCHANT ELECTRIC SOLAR	)	2020-00243
GENERATING FACILITY IN CALDWELL	)	
COUNTY, KENTUCKY	)	

## SITING BOARD STAFF'S POST-HEARING REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO GOLDEN SOLAR, LLC

Golden Solar, LLC (Golden Solar), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001E, is to file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested is due on January 23, 2023. The Siting Board directs Golden Solar to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085<sup>1</sup> regarding filings with the Commission. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.

Each response shall include the question to which the response is made and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Case No. 2020-00085, Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19 (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Golden Solar shall make timely amendment to any prior response if Golden Solar obtains information that indicates the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which Golden Solar fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Golden Solar shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, Golden Solar shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001E, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Provide the affected systems studies completed by Midcontinent Independent System Operation, Inc. (MISO) and the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA).

2. Provide the most recent site plan.

3. Provide the number of acres out of the total 1,870 acre project area that will be developed.

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4. Provide a chart with the distance between non-participating residences and the solar panels, the inverters, and project substation.

5. Provide Golden Solar's traffic management plan for construction and deliveries going to the site that will avoid negative impacts on the community, specifically the school zone on Marion Road.

6. Provide the types of jobs for construction and operation used in the Jobs and Economic Development Impact (JEDI) modeling.

7. Confirm the habit study requested by the United States Department of Fish and Wildlife (Fish and Wildlife) regarding the grey bat was provided. If it has not been provided to Fish and Wildlife, provide proof that the habitat study was conducted and confirmation that it will be provided to Fish and Wildlife.

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DATED JAN 13 2023

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