

**BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application for Certification	:	
As an Ohio Renewable Energy Resource Generating	:	Case No. 15-1963-EL-REN
Facility for the John Eichelberger Residence	:	
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In the Matter of the Application for Certification	:	
As an Ohio Renewable Energy Resource Generating	:	Case No. 14-2210-EL-REN
Facility for Eichelberger	:	
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**REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION**  
SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF THE STAFF OF  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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**CASE HISTORY**

SRECTrade, characterized as an authorized representative of John Eichelberger (Applicant), filed an application for certification of a renewable energy resource facility on December 9, 2015. The name of the facility is Eichelberger, John Residence - J Eichelberger, located at 4343 Selma Road, Springfield, OH 45502. According to the application, the facility is a 10.08 kilowatt solar photovoltaic system. This roof-mounted system consists of 32 solar panels and was placed in-service in December 2014.

Under the Commission's sixty day auto approval process, the facility was certified effective February 8, 2016, and assigned the Ohio certification number of 16-SPV-OH-GATS-0053.

**STAFF REVIEW**

During a review of its records, Staff observed that the facility certified in case no. 15-1963-EL-REN appeared to be a duplicate of the facility certified in case no. 14-2210-EL-REN. Both cases pertain to a 10.08 kilowatt solar installation at the residence of Mr. John Eichelberger, located at 4343 Selma Road, Springfield, OH, 457502.

The application in case no. 14-2210-EL-REN was filed on December 15, 2015. It was certified with an effective date of February 14, 2015, and assigned the Ohio certification number of 15-SPV-OH-GATS-0080.

Staff contacted the Applicant. On behalf of the Applicant, Mr. James Groeber of Ohio Solar Electric, LLC, the installer of Mr. Eichelberger's solar array confirmed the duplication by letter filed in this proceeding on March 3, 2016.

Staff reviewed the information on PJM EIS' Generation Attributes Tracking System (GATS) and confirmed that the facility certified in case 15-1963-EL-REN was not registered while 14-2210-EL-REN is registered. Therefore, with the facility registered only once on GATS, there has not been any double counting for this single solar facility.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Because the facility certified in case no. 15-1963-EL-REN is a duplicate of the facility certified in 14-2210-EL-REN, one of these certificates should be revoked. As the certificate granted in 14-2210-EL-REN is currently registered with GATS, Staff recommends that it be retained and that the certificate issued in case no. 15-1963-EL-REN be revoked.

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