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Ms. Barcy F. McNeal, Secretary Ohio Power Siting Board Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

Re: Case No. 17-774-EL-BGN, In the Matter of the Application of Vinton Solar Energy LLC for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need to Construct a Solar-Powered Electric Generation Facility in Vinton County, Ohio.

Responses to Second Set of Interrogatories from Staff of the Ohio Power Siting Board

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Attached please find Vinton Solar Energy LLC's ("Applicant") responses to the Second Set of Interrogatories from the staff of the Ohio Power Siting Board ("OPSB Staff"), which were provided to the Applicant on October 18, 2017. The Applicant provided these responses to OPSB Staff on October 26, 2017.

We are available, at your convenience, to answer any questions you may have.

Respectfully submitted,

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# BEFORE THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD

In the Matter of the Application of Vinton Solar	)	
Energy LLC for a Certificate of Environmental	)	Case No: 17-774-EL-BGN
Compatibility and Public Need to Construct a Solar-	)	
Powered Electric Generation Facility in Vinton	)	
County, Ohio.	,	

# VINTON SOLAR ENERGY LLC'S RESPONSES TO THE SECOND SET OF INTERROGATORIES FROM THE STAFF OF THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD

On July 5, 2017, as supplemented on August 16, 2017, Vinton Solar Energy LLC ("Applicant") filed an application ("Application") with the Ohio Power Siting Board ("OPSB") proposing to construct a solar-powered electric generation facility in Vinton County, Ohio ("Project").

On October 18, 2017, the Staff of the OPSB ("OPSB Staff") provided the Applicant with OPSB Staff's Second Set of Interrogatories. Now comes the Applicant providing the following responses to the Second Set of Interrogatories from the OPSB Staff.

## 1. How many residences are within 1,000 feet of the project area?

**Response:** There are 46 residences within 1,000 feet of the Project area. However, there are only 11 residences within 1,000 feet of the fence that will enclose the facility.

### 2. Of those residences, how many are within 100 feet of the project area?

**Response:** There are 8 residences within 100 feet of the Project area. None of these residences are within 100 feet of the fence that will enclose the facility.

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3. Based on current lay-out, what is the estimated distance of the nearest residence to an above ground solar array facility?

**Response:** The closest residence is 444 feet from the fence enclosing the facility.

Respectfully submitted,

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