

# THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
THANE THOMPSON FOR CERTIFICATION  
AS AN ELIGIBLE OHIO RENEWABLE  
ENERGY RESOURCE GENERATING  
FACILITY.

CASE NO. 16-872-EL-REN

## FINDING AND ORDER

Entered in the Journal on March 21, 2018

### I. SUMMARY

{¶ 1} The Commission finds that Certificate No. 16-SPV-OH-GATS-0407 should be revoked, and this case should be dismissed and closed of record.

### II. DISCUSSION

{¶ 2} On April 26, 2016, Sol Systems, Inc., on behalf of Thane Thompson (Applicant), filed an application for certification of a renewable energy resource facility. The name of the facility is Thompson-Thane-OH-PV-8.28kW Residence (Facility), located at 7442 Kingstonview Court, Cincinnati, OH 45255. According to the application, the facility is an 8.28 kilowatt solar photovoltaic system.

{¶ 3} Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-40-04(F)(2), provides for automatic approval of an application for certification as an eligible Ohio renewable energy resource generating facility, unless the Commission suspends the application within sixty days. Applicant received automatic approval on May 17, 2016, and the Facility was assigned Certificate No. 16-SPV-OH-GATS-0407.

{¶ 4} On May 10, 2017, Applicant filed a request for the revocation of Certificate No. 16-SPV-OH-GATS-0407, as the Facility has already been certificated in another proceeding.

{¶ 5} On September 10, 2017, Staff filed its Review and Recommendation of the application. In its report, Staff states that the Facility certified in this proceeding appeared to be a duplicate certificate of the facility certified in Case No. 12-2361-EL-REN. Staff reports

that it contacted the Applicant and his representative and confirmed that Certificate No. 16-SPV-OH-GATS-0407 was a duplicate of Certificate No. 12-SPV-OH-GATS-1344 issued in Case No. 12-2361-EL-REN. Staff further reports that the Applicant has replaced two SRECs that were assigned to the GATS ID No. NON131533 and because these SRECs should have never been assigned, Sol Systems transferred two new SRECs to its PJM-EIS Holding Account on April 13, 2017, as a substitution. Staff further reports that GATS administrators deactivated GATS ID No. NON131533 on May 10, 2017. Staff argues that there is only one 8.28 kilowatt solar array installation at the resident of Thane Thompson, located at 7442 Kingstonview Court, Cincinnati, Ohio 45255, and therefore, there should be only one certificate for the solar array. (See Staff Review and Recommendation.)

{¶ 6} The Commission agrees with Staff's recommendation and finds Applicant's request to revoke the duplicate Certificate No. 16-SPV-OH-GATS-0407 is reasonable and should be granted.

### III. ORDER

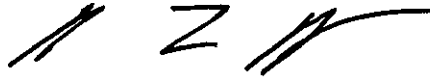
{¶ 7} It is, therefore,

{¶ 8} ORDERED, That Applicant's request to revoke the Certificate No. 16-SPV-OH-GATS-0407 be granted. It is, further,

{¶ 9} ORDERED, That Case No. 16-872-EL-REN be dismissed. It is, further,

{¶ 10} ORDERED, That a copy of this Finding and Order be served upon all parties of the record.

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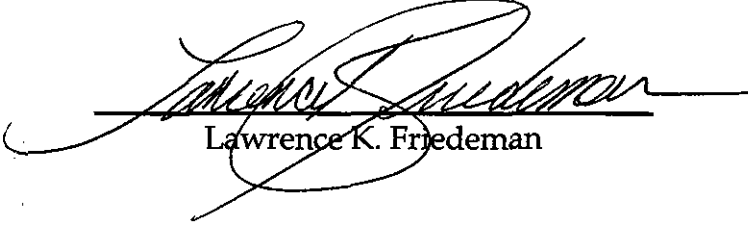
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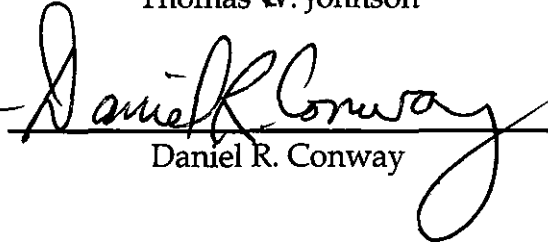
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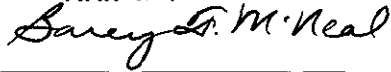


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