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Ms. Tonowa Troupe, Secretary
Ohio Power Siting Board
180 E. Broad Street, 11th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: OPSB Case No. 20-0972-EL-BGN
Pre-Application Notification Letter
Yellowbud Solar, LLC

Dear Ms. Troupe:

Pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4906-3-03(A), Yellowbud Solar, LLC (“Yellowbud” or the “Applicant”) a subsidiary of Geronimo Energy, a National Grid Company, files this Pre-Application Notification Letter regarding its proposed up to 274 MW solar electric generating facility in Deerfield and Union Townships, Ross County, Ohio and Deercreek and Wayne Townships, Pickaway County, Ohio (the Yellowbud Solar Project) with the Ohio Power Siting Board.

As shown on the attached map, the proposed Yellowbud Solar Project will be located on approximately 2,040 acres of privately owned land near the intersection of Lutz Road and Ebenhack Road. The purpose of the project will be to generate electricity and interconnect with the regional transmission grid to supply the region with power. Construction of the facility is scheduled to commence as early as the second quarter of 2021. The project is scheduled to be in service by the end of 2022.

A web-based virtual public informational meeting regarding the Yellowbud Solar Project is scheduled to be held beginning at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 22, 2020. The web-based virtual public information meeting can be accessed via the Yellowbud Solar Project website at <https://geronimoenergy.com/yellowbud/>. Following the web-based virtual public meeting, beginning at 8:00 p.m., Yellowbud will host a phone-based public meeting. Information regarding the public information meeting will also be available at the Yellowbud Solar Project website.

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The Applicant has requested, and been granted, a waiver from Ohio Adm.Code 4906-3-03(B) regarding the requirement to conduct a public information meeting in the area in which the project will be located. At this time, the Applicant does not anticipate requesting any additional waivers.

Please contact me at 614-464-5462 or William Risse, Permitting Specialist, Geronimo Energy at wrisse@geronimoenergy.com or 952-300-9476 with any questions.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Michael J. Settineri

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