January 27, 2022

## Via Electronic Mail

Attn: Melanie Bachman, Esq. Executive Director and Staff Attorney Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Notification of Change of Ownership

Dear Ms. Bachman:

This correspondence is in response to the Connecticut Siting Council's ("CSC") January 25, 2022 letter requesting clarification as to the ownership of the following six solar projects (collectively the "Solar Projects"):

- 1. Burlington Solar One, LLC ("BSO") Docket No. 497
- 2. Torrington Solar One, LLC ("TSO") Petition No. 1407
- 3. Watertown Solar One, LLC ("WSO") Petition No. 1417
- 4. Bristol Solar One, LLC ("Bristol") Petition No. 1421
- 5. Southington Solar One, LLC ("SSO") Petition No. 1424
- 6. East Windsor Solar One, LLC ("EWSO") Petition No. 1426

As provided in previous correspondence, DG Connecticut Solar III, LLC ("DG III"), an affiliate of NextEra Energy Resources, LLC ("NEER"), is now the owner and operator of the Solar Projects and will continue to ensure compliance with the terms, limitations, and conditions contained in each applicable CSC Decision and Order.

For clarification, and as more specifically provided below, a VCP LLC d/b/a Verogy ("Verogy") affiliate sold the membership interests in the six entities above (BSO, TSO, WSO, Bristol, SSO and EWSO) to affiliates of NEER. Per mutual agreement, Verogy, through its affiliate, has continued to provide development and construction support for the Solar Projects after the purchases, including responsibility for filing any Development and Management plan requirements. Therefore, in terms of notification, please continue to include contacts for both DG III (Tim Garcia), as the owner, and Verogy (Lee Hoffman), as the developer and EPC. Once the Solar Projects are complete the main contact will be DG III. DG III will notify the CSC when that occurs for each of the Solar Projects. All bills for the Solar Project should be sent to the DG III contact, Tim Garcia.

On December 3, 2021, the six individual project entities were merged into DG III, with DG III the surviving entity. DG III's most recent notifications to the CSC were intended to advise of that merger and request transfer to DG III since the individual project entities no longer exist. See attached certifications of merger.

The CSC correspondence also specifically requests information related to requirements in each of the Solar Projects' respective CSC Decision and Order. DG III addresses each of these in turn:

DG Connecticut Solar III, LLC

1. Docket No. 497. Burlington Solar One, LLC Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance and operation of a 3.5-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at Lot 33, Prospect Street, Burlington, Connecticut and associated electrical interconnection.

On August 13, 2021, an affiliate of Verogy assigned 100% of the membership interests in Burlington Solar One, LLC ("BSO") to DG III. On December 3, 2021, BSO was merged into DG III, with DG III as the surviving entity. Therefore, pursuant to Condition No. 10 of the CSC Certificate and in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. §16-50k(b), DG III is requesting transfer of the Certificate to DG III. To DG III's knowledge, DG III is current with payment to the CSC for any annual assessments or invoices and DG III agrees to comply with the terms, limitations and conditions in the Certificate.

2. Petition No. 1407 -- DG Connecticut Solar II, LLC declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 1.975-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility on an approximately 66.4 acre parcel located generally south of East Pearl Road and east of Torringford Street (Route 183) in Torrington, Connecticut and associated electrical interconnection.

On September 15, 2020, an affiliate of Verogy assigned 100% of the membership interests in Torrington Solar One, LLC ("TSO") to DG Connecticut Solar II, LLC. On May 25, 2021, TSO was assigned to DG III. Finally, on December 3, 2021, TSO was merged into DG III, with DG III as the surviving entity. Therefore, pursuant to Condition No. 10 of the CSC Declaratory Ruling and in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. §16-50k(b), DG III is requesting transfer of the Declaratory Ruling to DG III. To DG III's knowledge, DG III is current with payment to the CSC for any annual assessments or invoices and DG III agrees to comply with the terms, limitations and conditions in the Declaratory Ruling.

3. Petition No. 1417 – DG Connecticut Solar II, LLC declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 1.975 megawatt AC solar photovoltaic generating facility located at 669 Platt Road, Watertown, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection

On December 11, 2020, an affiliate of Verogy assigned 100% of the membership interests in Watertown Solar One, LLC ("WSO") to DG Connecticut Solar II, LLC. On May 25, 2021, WSO was assigned to DG III. Finally, on December 3, 2021, WSO was merged into DG III, with DG III as the surviving entity. Therefore, pursuant to Condition No. 6 of the CSC Declaratory Ruling and in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. §16-50k(b), DG III is requesting transfer of the Declaratory Ruling to DG III. To DG III's knowledge, DG III is current with payment to the CSC for any annual assessments or invoices and DG III agrees to comply with the terms, limitations and conditions in the Declaratory Ruling.

4. Petition No. 1421 -- Bristol Solar One, LLC declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 3.25 megawatt AC solar photovoltaic generating facility located at 399 Hill Street, Bristol, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

On November 16, 2020, an affiliate of Verogy assigned 100% of the membership interests in Bristol Solar One, LLC ("Bristol") to DG Connecticut Solar II, LLC. On May 25, 2021, Bristol was assigned to DG III. Finally, on December 3, 2021, Bristol was merged into DG III, with DG III as the surviving entity. Therefore, pursuant to Condition No. 6 of the CSC Declaratory Ruling and in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. §16-50k(b), DG III is requesting transfer of the Declaratory Ruling to DG III. To DG III's knowledge, DG III is current with payment to the CSC for any annual assessments or invoices and DG III agrees to comply with the terms, limitations and conditions in the Declaratory Ruling.

5. Petition No. 1424 – DG Connecticut Solar III, LLC declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 4.725-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 1012 East Street, Southington, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

On July 20, 2021, an affiliate of Verogy assigned 100% of the membership interests in Southington Solar One, LLC ("SSO") to DG III. On December 3, 2021, SSO was merged into DG III with DG III as the surviving entity. Therefore, pursuant to Condition No. 15 of the CSC Decision and Order and in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. §16-50k(b), DG III is requesting transfer of the Declaratory Ruling to DG III. To DG III's knowledge, DG III is current with payment to the CSC for any annual assessments or invoices and DG III agrees to comply with the terms, limitations and conditions in the Declaratory Ruling.

6. Petition No. 1426 -- DG Connecticut Solar III, LLC Declaratory Ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 4.9-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located west of the Ellington town boundary at 341 East Road, East Windsor, and associated electrical interconnection

On May 19, 2021, an affiliate of Verogy assigned 100% of the membership interests in East Windsor Solar One, LLC ("EWSO") to DG III. On December 3, 2021, EWSO was merged into DG III, with DG III as the surviving entity. Therefore, pursuant to Condition No. 8 of the CSC Decision and Order and in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. §16-50k(b), DG III is requesting transfer of the Declaratory Ruling to DG III. To DG III's knowledge DG III is current with payment to the CSC for any annual assessments or invoices and DG III agrees to comply with the terms, limitations and conditions in the Declaratory Ruling.

As noted in recent correspondence related to EWSO, DG III is in agreement with the information provided by Verogy's counsel, Mr. Hoffman, on January 21, 2022, and regrets not directly or clearly stating as much previously.

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DG III takes these matters seriously and sincerely apologizes for any confusion surrounding the purchase and merger of entities and the current ownership of the Solar Projects, including any perception of a lack of response by DG III. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned or Tim Garcia.

Thank you for your consideration,

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Enclosures