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Re: **Petition No. 1042: Somers Solar Center, LLC Petition for a Declaratory Ruling that No Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is Required for the Construction and Operation of a 5.0 MWac Solar Photovoltaic Project located at 458 & 488 South Road, Somers, Connecticut – Request for Extension of Time**

Dear Ms. Bachman:

On March 25, 2014 the Connecticut Siting Council ("Council") requested that Somers Solar Center, LLC ("SSC") respond to certain questions regarding SSC's revised Development and Management Plan ("D&M Plan") no later than April 10, 2014. Subsequently, in response to a request from SSC, the Council extended this deadline to April 24, 2014. SSC hereby respectfully requests a further extension of time to submit SSC's responses until *May 8, 2014*.

As a result of unexpected personal matters, SSC has been delayed in gathering all of the information necessary to fully respond to the interrogatories, and this extension of time will allow SSC to finish compiling the appropriate information in order to most completely answer the Council's questions.

To the extent the granting of such extension of time affects the Council's ability to review and rule upon SSC's revised D&M Plan within the regulatory timeframe of 60 days, SSC hereby grants the Council a corresponding extension of time.

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Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or require additional information. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Joey Lee Miranda

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