



# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

## CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

April 16, 2024

John A. Soltesz III  
Assistant General Counsel  
NJR Clean Energy Ventures III Corporation  
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1557** – LSE Hercules LLC (NJR Clean Energy Ventures III Corporation) Declaratory Ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the construction, maintenance and operation of a 4-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 95, 105 and 113 Raffia Road, Enfield, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection. **Compliance with Condition Nos. 2 and 5.**

Dear Attorney Soltesz:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated April 15, 2024 regarding compliance with Condition Nos. 2 and 5 of the Declaratory Ruling issued by the Council on April 14, 2023 for the above-referenced facility. The correspondence includes a copy of the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) Stormwater Permit and the spill response contractor contact information for the Spill Prevention Control Plan, in accordance with Condition Nos. 2 and 5, respectively.

Therefore, the Council acknowledges that Condition Nos. 2 and 5 have been satisfied. This acknowledgment applies only to the conditions satisfied by the April 15, 2024 correspondence.

Please be advised that deviations from the standards established by the Council in the Declaratory Ruling are enforceable under the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes §16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman  
Executive Director

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c. Service List dated March 14, 2024



April 15, 2024

Attorney Melanie Bachman  
Executive Director  
Connecticut Siting Council  
10 Franklin Square  
New Britain, CT 06051

Re: PETITION NO. 1557 – LSE Hercules LLC petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, Notice of Commencement of Construction Activities in Connection with the Raffia Farm Solar Project.

Dear Attorney Bachman:

In accordance with Conditions #2 and #5 of the Connecticut Siting Council’s Declaratory Ruling of Petition 1557 (dated April 14, 2023), LSE Hercules, LLC (“LSE”) hereby submits the Stormwater Permit issued by the Connecticut Department of Energy Environmental Protection and the contact phone number and the spill response contractor contacts/phone numbers for the Spill Prevention Control Plan:

Global Remediation Services, Inc. 24/7 Emergency Response Line (508) 828-1005

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

*John A. Soltesz III*

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NJR Clean Energy Ventures III Corporation



## **Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance**

### **Notice of Permit Authorization**

March, 05 2024

Matthew McDavitt  
New Jersey Resources Clean Energy Ventures III  
1415 Wyckoff Rd  
Wall Township, NJ 07727-3940

Subject: General Permit Registration for the Discharge of Stormwater and Dewatering  
Wastewaters from Construction Activities  
Application NO.: 202400322

Matthew McDavitt:

The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Water Permitting and Enforcement Division of the Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance, has completed the review of the Raffia Rd Solar (located at 95 Raffia Rd, ENFIELD) registration for the **General Permit for the Discharge of Stormwater and Dewatering Wastewaters from Construction Activities, effective 12/31/2020, modified 11/25/2022 (general permit)**. The project is compliant with the requirements of the general permit and the discharge(s) associated with this project is (are) authorized to commence as of the date of this letter. Permit No. GSN004025 has been assigned to authorize the stormwater discharge(s) from this project.

Questions can be emailed to [deep.stormwater@ct.gov](mailto:deep.stormwater@ct.gov).