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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

July 12, 2023

The Honorable Paula Cofrancesco First Selectperson Town of Bethany Town Hall 40 Peck Road Bethany, CT 06524-3338 pcofrancesco@bethany-ct.com

RE: **PETITION NO. 1583** – TRITEC Americas, LLC notice of election to waive exclusion from Connecticut Siting Council jurisdiction, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §16-50k(e), and petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 0.999-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at Parcel Nos. 113-1 and 113-1-A, 428 Bethmour Road, Bethany, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

Dear First Selectperson Cofrancesco:

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §16-50k(e), the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of a notice of election to waive exclusion from Council jurisdiction and a petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, to construct, maintain and operate a 0.999-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility in the Town of Bethany.

In accordance with Section 16-50j-40 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, on or about July 11, 2023, written notice of the intent to file the petition for a declaratory ruling was provided to the Council, the property owner of record, abutting property owners and the chief elected official of the municipality in which the proposed solar facility will be located.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding the above-referenced petition for a declaratory ruling, please feel free to call me at 860-827-2951 or submit written comments to the Council by August 10, 2023.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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