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FROM: Melanie Bachman, Executive Director *MAB*

RE: **PETITION NO. 1589** – USS Somers Solar, LLC petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 3.0-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 360 Somers Road, Ellington, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-40, the Connecticut Siting Council hereby solicits your written comments on the above-referenced petition. Your response on or before September 22, 2023 would be appreciated.

You may access the petition and other documents for this proceeding on our website at [portal.ct.gov/csc](http://portal.ct.gov/csc) under the link “Pending Matters.”

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