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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

April 17, 2024

Rosemary Carroll Vice President Manchester Advocates for Responsible Solar Development 21 Brookview Circle Manchester, CT 06040 rdcarroll01@yahoo.com

RE: **PETITION NO. 1609** – 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 250 Carter Street, Manchester, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection. **Request for Intervenor Status.**

Dear Rosemary Carroll:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your letter of April 17, 2024, requesting Intervenor status under Connecticut General Statutes (C.G.S.) §4-177a and §16-50n for the Manchester Advocates for Responsible Solar Development in Petition No. 1609.

Your request will be placed on the next available meeting agenda, a copy of which will be sent to you. Your attendance is welcome but is not required. You will be notified of the Council's determination immediately thereafter.

While your request is pending, information regarding Party/Intervenor Status may be accessed on the Council's website at the following link: <u>https://portal.ct.gov/CSC/Public-Participation/Public-Participation-Information-Links</u>.

All documents filed to date are available at the Council's office or on our website under pending matters.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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c: Service List, dated January 26, 2024



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INTERVENOR STATUS REQUEST FORM

Dock	et/Petition No.:	Town/City	Date:	
1609		Manchester	04/17/2024	
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1. M	Manner in which intervenor's participation is in the interests of justice and will not impair the orderly conduct of the proceedings.			

Manchester Advocates for Responsible Solar Development (MARSD) is a voluntary organization that supports the siting of solar facilities at appropriate locations. MARSD believes that the adverse environmental consequences that would result from the construction and operation of the Facility would be felt by the citizenry of Manchester and the State of Connecticut more generally but most especially by the members of MARSD and other residents living close to the Facility. The participation of MARSD in this proceeding would give voice to those who would bear the greatest burden if the Facility is approved.

2. Manner and extent to which intervenor proposes to participate:

MARSD will submit testimony and evidence and will conduct cross examination of witnesses showing that this facility will cause significant adverse environmental effects.

3. Statutory authority for intervenor request:

MARSD's statutory authority to become intervenor is pursuant to CGS Sections 4-177a(b), 16-50n, and 22a-120.

4. Nature of evidence intervenor intends to present:

MARSD plans to submit evidence that the Project would cause substantial adverse environmental effects.

Copies of this request are required to be electronically mailed to all participants on the service list of a **pending** matter, which can be found on our website in Pending Matters under the appropriate docket or petition number

Signature

Rosemary Carroll, Vice President/ Secretary of MARSD

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Date: April 17, 2024