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March 27, 2019

Melanie Bachman  
Executive Director/Staff Attorney  
Connecticut Siting Council  
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**Re: Petition 1313 – Petition of DWW Solar II, LLC for a Declaratory Ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is Required for a 26.4 Megawatt AC Solar Photovoltaic Electric Generating Facility in Simsbury, Connecticut**

Dear Ms. Bachman:

On behalf of my client, DWW Solar II, LLC (“DWW”), enclosed please find an original and 15 copies of this letter and a March 27, 2019 letter from the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Water Permitting and Enforcement Division of the Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance (“CTDEEP”) relating to DWW’s Project that is the subject of this Petition. As you can see from the attached letter, CTDEEP has completed its review of DWW’s Project and has determined that the Project, “is compliant with the requirements” of the General Permit for the Discharge of Stormwater and Dewatering Wastewaters from Construction Activities. DWW has been assigned Permit No. GSN003423 in connection with the Project.

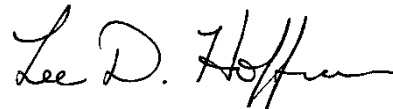
Accordingly, DWW revises its March 12, 2019 response to the Council’s Interrogatory Number 6 and states as follows:

- Q6. Has the General Permit for the Discharge of Stormwater and Dewatering Wastewaters from Construction Activities been filed with DEEP? What is its current status?
- A6. **The General Permit for the Discharge of Stormwater and Dewatering Wastewaters from Construction Activities was filed with DEEP on January 15, 2019, and received by the DEEP on January 17, 2019. The Project has had discussions with staff from the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection regarding DWW’s filing. DEEP informed DWW that DWW is compliant with the requirements of the General Permit and assigned Permit No. GSN003423 to the Project. A copy of that letter is attached.**

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If you have any questions concerning this submittal, please contact the undersigned at your convenience. I certify that copies of this submittal have been submitted to the Service List for this Petition, including the Towns of Granby and Simsbury.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lee D. Hoffman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "L" and "H".

Lee D. Hoffman

Enclosure



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**Notice of Permit Authorization**

March, 27 2019

Aileen Kenney  
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Subject: General Permit Registration for the Discharge of Stormwater and Dewatering  
Wastewaters from Construction Activities  
Application NO.: 201900813

Aileen Kenney:

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 Tobacco Valley Solar (located at County Road & Hoskins Road, Simsbury) registration for the **General Permit for the Discharge of Stormwater and Dewatering Wastewaters from Construction Activities, effective 10/1/13 (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. GSN003423 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).