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April 10, 2025

PARTIES OF RECORD

Re: CASE NO. 2025-00064

Notice is given to all parties that the attached letter requesting ad hoc appointment for Summer Shade Solar, LLC has been filed into the record of this proceeding.

If you have any comments you would like to make regarding the contents of the document, please do so within five days of receipt of this letter. If you have any questions, please contact Nicole Carr, Staff Attorney, at (502) 782-3259.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Linda C. Bridwell".

Linda C. Bridwell, PE
Executive Director

On behalf of

The Kentucky State Board on Electric
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March 25, 2025

Hon. Governor Andy Beshear
700 Capitol Avenue, Suite 100
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

Re: Siting Board Case No. 2025-00064

Dear Governor Beshear:

As the Chair of the Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC), I also serve as the Chair of the Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting (Siting Board). Therefore, it is my duty to inform you that, on March 14, 2025, the Siting Board received a Notice of Intent from Summer Shade Solar, LLC requesting a certificate to construct an approximately 106-megawatt merchant electric solar generation facility in Metcalfe County, Kentucky.

The five permanent members of the Siting Board are the Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Commissioner of the PSC; the Secretary of the Energy and Environment Cabinet (or her designee);¹ and the Secretary of the Economic Development Cabinet (or his designee).²

In accordance with KRS 278.702(1)(d), I am requesting that you please make the requisite appointments to the Siting Board for this matter. I have enclosed a copy of the Notice of Intent in this matter that should help inform who may be appointed.

Any questions regarding this case may be directed either to me or Nicole Carr, Staff Attorney, at (502) 502-782-3259. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Angie Hatton
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¹ Secretary Rebecca W. Goodman has designated John S. Lyons as her designee for this matter.

² Secretary Jeff Noel has designated Jansen Hammock as his designee for this matter.



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March 14, 2025

Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting
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Re: Notice of Intent to File Application of Summer Shade Solar, LLC for a Certificate of Construction for an approximately 106-Megawatt Merchant Electric Solar Generating Facility in Metcalfe County, Kentucky pursuant to KRS 278.700, *et seq.*, and 807 KAR 5:110
Case No. 2025-00064

To Whom It May Concern:

Summer Shade Solar, LLC (“Summer Shade”) hereby submits for filing this Notice of Intent to file an application for a Certificate of Construction for an approximately 106 MW solar facility (“Summer Shade Project”).

- a. The name, address and telephone number of the person who intends to file the application is:

Summer Shade Solar LLC
500 Sansome Street, Suite 500
San Francisco, CA 94111
Phone: (270) 681-5058
Attention: Aubree Muse, Development Manager
Email: aubree.muse@candelarenewables.com

- b. The proposed construction is briefly described as follows:

The facility will be located on approximately 737 acres inside fencing and consist of solar panels and associated racking (approximately 106 MW), inverters, electric equipment, project substation and transformer, utility switching station, transmission line, underground electrical connection lines, and a battery storage system and related equipment.

- c. The proposed Summer Shade Project will be located to the west of State Highway 163 (KY-163) and near Summer Shade Road and Apple Grove Road. The latitude and longitude are approximately 36°51'25"N, 85°41'45"W. The Summer Shade Project is not located within the limits of any city. It will be located in Metcalfe County.
- d. There is no planning commission with jurisdiction over this site.
- e. There are no setback requirements established by a planning and zoning commission.
- f. There are no schools, hospitals, or nursing home facilities within 2,000 feet of the project. Nevertheless, there are a few residential neighborhoods within 2,000 feet of the project. Accordingly, the applicant will request a deviation from the setback requirements found in KRS 278.704(2).

Thank you for accepting this Notice of Intent to File Application. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need further information.

Sincerely,
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