

STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Case No. 19-2179-PET

Petition of Chelsea Solar, LLC for relief from standard-offer contract milestone	
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Order entered: 07/03/2019

NOTICE AND REQUEST FOR RESPONSES

On June 25, 2019, Chelsea Solar, LLC (“Chelsea”), petitioned the Vermont Public Utility Commission (the “Commission”) for relief from a milestone contained in Chelsea’s June 20, 2013, standard-offer contract. This is Chelsea’s fourth request for an extension of the operational deadline in its standard-offer contract. The most recent amendment to that milestone extended the deadline to August 31, 2019.¹ Chelsea requests that the contract’s operational deadline be extended to a date one year after the final, non-appealable conclusion of all litigation related to its installation and operation of a second 2.0 MW solar electric generation project on Apple Hill in Bennington, Vermont.

On June 12, 2019, the Commission denied Chelsea’s petition for a certificate of public good for the Willow Road project in Case No. 17-5024-PET without prejudice to Chelsea’s further amendment of the project consistent with its decision.²

Chelsea states it has promptly filed its notice of appeal to the Vermont Supreme Court of the Commission’s June 12, 2019 order.


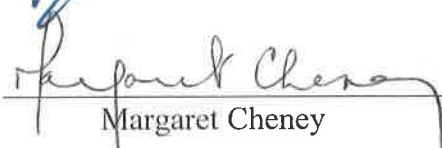

Notice of Chelsea’s extension request is being provided to the parties in Case No. 17-5024-PET, to VEPP Inc., and to persons who have requested to receive notice of standard-offer program proceedings. Responses to Chelsea’s request must be filed with the Commission by no later than July 16, 2019.

SO ORDERED.

¹ *Petition of Chelsea Solar, LLC for relief from standard-offer contract milestone*, Case No. 17-4695-PET, Order of 3/15/18 at 5.


² *Petition of Chelsea Solar LLC, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 248, for a certificate of public good authorizing the installation and operation of the “Willow Road Project,” a 2.0 MW solar electric generation facility on Willow Road in Bennington, Vermont*, Case No. 17-5024-PET, Order of 6/12/19.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 3rd day of July, 2019

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Filed: July 3, 2019

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