STATE OF VERMONT PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Case No. 21-3587-NMP

Petition of Norwich Upper Loveland Solar, LLC for a certificate of public good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. §§ 248 and 8010, authorizing the installation and operation of a 500 kW (AC) group net-metering solar electric generation system in Norwich, Vermont

<u>VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE'S RESPONSE</u> TO LAURENCE & SHELLEY UFFORD'S MOTION TO INTERVENE

On January 3, 2022, Laurence and Shelley Ufford ("Intervenors") filed a motion to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding. The Vermont Department of Public Service does not oppose the intervention, but notes that the concerns expressed by Intervenors appear to be limited to the natural environment and natural resources criteria under 30 V.S.A. § 248(b)(5) which are outside the areas of the Department's expertise.

DATED at Montpelier, Vermont this 1st day of February, 2022.

Respectfully Submitted,

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE

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