

February 9, 2023

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Mr. William Seuffert
Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
1221 Seventh Place East, Suite 350
Saint Paul, MN 55101-2147

**Re: In the Matter of the Application of Lake Wilson Solar Energy LLC for a Certificate of Need for the up to 150 MW Lake Wilson Solar and Associated Battery Storage Project in Murray County, Minnesota
MPUC Docket No. IP-7070/CN-21-791**

**In the Matter of the Application of Lake Wilson Solar Energy LLC for a Site Permit for the up to 150 MW Lake Wilson Solar and Associated Battery Storage Project in Murray County, Minnesota
MPUC Docket No. IP-7070/GS-21-792**

Dear Mr. Seuffert:

Lake Wilson Solar Energy LLC (Lake Wilson Solar or Applicant), is a Delaware limited liability company and a wholly owned subsidiary of Invenergy Solar Development North America LLC, and an affiliate of Invenergy LLC (Invenergy), and is proposing to construct and operate the Lake Wilson Solar Energy Center (Project), an up to 150 megawatt alternating current (MWac) photovoltaic (PV) solar energy generating facility (Solar Facility), and associated operation and maintenance (O&M) facility, collector lines, access roads, gen-tie line (Project Gen-Tie Line), substation (Project Substation), and an up to 95 MWac / 380-megawatt hour (MWh) battery energy storage system (BESS). The Project is planned to be constructed in Leeds Township, Murray County, Minnesota (Project).

Enclosed for filing in each of the respective dockets identified herein, please find:

1. Application of Lake Wilson Solar Energy LLC for a Certificate of Need for the up to 150 MW Lake Wilson Solar and Associated Battery Storage Project in Murray County (Docket No. IP-7070/CN-21-791), including:
 - a. Figures;
 - b. Appendix A. In accordance with Minnesota Rules, part 7829.0500, and Minn. Stat. Ch. 13, the Applicant has designated as **NONPUBLIC** certain commercially sensitive trade secret information related to the cost of the Project included in the **NONPUBLIC** version of Appendix A, which, if released, would have a detrimental effect on the Applicant by providing potential competitors, commercial parties and others with valuable information not otherwise readily ascertainable and from which these persons would obtain economic value; and
 - c. Summary of Filing.

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2. Application of Lake Wilson Solar Energy LLC for a Site Permit for the up to 150 MW Lake Wilson Solar and Associated Battery Storage Project in Murray County (Docket No. IP-7070/GS-21-792), including:
 - a. Figures;
 - b. Appendices A-L; and
3. Certificate of Service.

A copy of this filing is also being served upon the persons on the Official Service Lists of record and the general service lists, as applicable. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

FREDRIKSON & BYRON, P.A.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Alicia LaValla certifies that on the 9th day of February 2023, she served true and correct copies of the following documents by electronic filing:

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 - a. Figures;
 - b. Appendices A-L.
3. Certificate of Service

to the parties on the attached Official Service Lists of record and the general service lists as attached hereto.

Executed on: February 9, 2023

Signed: /s/ Alicia LaValla

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