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# ECC Application – P1 Introduction

National Energy Testing Institute, Inc. DBA Golden State Registry

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#### 1. Corporate Identity

Legal Entity: National Energy Testing Institute, Inc., a California General Stock Corporation

DBA: Golden State Registry ("GSR")

Business Address: 430 VILLA POINT DRIVE, NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

Office Phone: 805-201-9047 Website: www.gsregistry.org

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- Eric Jacoby - Chief Financial Officer / Secretary - eric@gsregistry.org

Note on PII: Required personal identifiers (SSN, DOB, residential address, personal phone) will be submitted in a confidential companion filing per 20 C.C.R. § 2505; public materials list only business-level information and owner names.

## 2. Ownership & Affiliations

Ownership: Jonathan Johnson — 50%; Eric Jacoby — 50%

Related entities/affiliates/former names: None reported

Note on confidentiality: Per Section 10-103.3(c)3, PII for each individual with an ownership interest is provided under separate confidential cover; only names and ownership percentages appear here.

# 3. ECC Conflict-of-Interest Prohibitions and Safeguards

Independent Identity means having no financial interest in, and not advocating or recommending the use of, any product or service as a means of gaining increased business with firms or persons specified in Section 10-103.3. Financial interest includes ownership interest, debt agreement, or employer/employee relationship (excluding under 5% of a publicly traded corporation). These definitions, together with Section 10-103.3, prohibit conflicts between ECC Providers and ECC Raters, and between Providers/Raters and builders/subcontractors.

#### **Golden State Registry Commitments:**

- 1) GSR will operate as an independent entity from ECC Raters, builders, and contractors and subcontractors installing measures subject to ECC field verification and diagnostic testing (FV&DT).
- 2) No individual employed by, or with a financial interest in, GSR will simultaneously perform or be employed by entities whose services would create a prohibited conflict under Section 10-103.3.
- 3) GSR will maintain policies to prevent conflicts and to enforce independence in accordance with Title 24, Part 1, Section 10-103.3 and the 2025 Reference Appendices.
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#### 4. Statement by Jonathan Johnson

- I, Jonathan Johnson, certify that I own 50% of National Energy Testing Institute, Inc. DBA Golden State Registry ("GSR") and I submit the following statements:
- 1) I hold no stock, shares, or private ownership stake and receive no employment income from any company whose work would present a conflict under ECC program definitions (e.g., entities performing ECC-Rater services, FV&DT, or installation of measures requiring ECC verification).
- 2) I disclose prior employment with iPermit (past-tense) for transparency. This does not create a present conflict under ECC independence requirements.
- 3) I will ensure that GSR maintains Independent Identity consistent with Section 10-103.3 and the JA1 definitions cited above.

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Name/Title: Jonathan Johnson, Chief Executive Officer

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### 5. Statement by Eric Jacoby

- I, Eric Jacoby, certify that I own 50% of National Energy Testing Institute, Inc. DBA Golden State Registry ("GSR") and I submit the following statements:
- 1) I hold no stock, shares, or private ownership stake and receive no employment income from any company whose work would present a conflict under ECC program definitions (e.g., entities performing ECC-Rater services, FV&DT, or installation of measures requiring ECC verification).
- 2) I retain no financial interest, decision-making power, or influence in Saw Mill Capital, LLC, Arcxis, iPermit, or any entity that performs work that would conflict with ECC independence rules.
- 3) Family relationships: My son, Ian Jacoby, is an employee of Arexis and serves as President of iPermit. His responsibilities do not include conducting ECC-Rater inspections or directly managing ECC-Raters. This disclosure is provided for transparency.
- 4) I will ensure that GSR maintains Independent Identity consistent with Section 10-103.3 and the JA1 definitions cited above.

Name/Title: Eric Jacoby, Chief Financial Officer / Secretary

# 6. Confidential Filing Note (Paired Submission)

Per CEC guidance, owner PII required by Section 10-103.3(c)3C will be filed in a separate confidential companion document with an Application for Confidential Designation (CEC-13). The public Exhibit A contains only business-level information and signed declarations.