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Mr. Rob Oglesby  
Executive Director  
California Energy Commission  
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Subject: Application for Confidential Designation for the  
Blythe Solar Power Project (09-AFC-6); Cultural Resources

Dear Mr. Oglesby:

Blythe Solar, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly owned subsidiary of NextEra Energy Resourced LLC, is the owner of the Blythe Solar Power Project (Blythe Solar) (09-AFC-6). Blythe Solar, LLC requests that the information described below be designated confidential pursuant to a Application for Confidential Designation under Title 20, Division 2, Chapter 7, Article 2, Section 2505(a)(4) of the California Code of Regulations (CCR).

In support of its application for Confidential Designation, Blythe Solar, LLC, provides the following information:

Applicant: Blythe Solar, LLC  
Address: 700 Universe Boulevard  
June Beach, FL 33408

This Application for Confidential Designation covers cultural resource informational documents titled here as:

REVISED CULTURAL RESOURCES MONITORING AND MIGITATION  
PLAN FOR THE MODIFIED BLYTHE SOLAR POWER PROJECT  
RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

This plan is requested to be submitted under confidential cover per the a letter from the California Energy Commission received on October 26, 2009, which states

*“Any subsequent submittals related to archaeological resources can be deemed confidential as specified in this letter without the need for a new application under California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 2505 (a)(1)(G) and 2505 (a)(4), if you file a certification under penalty of perjury that the new information is substantially similar to the information granted confidentiality by the determination.”*

As previously noted, this information is being submitted under 20 CCR 2505(a)(4), which states in pertinent part:

*“[a]n applicant ... seeking a confidential designation for information that is substantially similar to information ... for which an application for confidential*

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*designation was granted by the Executive Director pursuant to subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section, the new application need contain only a certification, executed under penalty of perjury, stating that the information submitted is substantially similar to the previously submitted information and that all the facts and circumstances relevant to confidentiality remain unchanged.”*

The California Public Records Act provides for the nondisclosure of archaeological site information and reports. (Gov. Code, sec. 6254.10.) The Public Records Act also recognizes the confidentiality principles of federal law. (Gov. Code, sec. 6254(k)). The Archaeological Resources Protection Act establishes a clear, national legal policy that all types of archaeological, paleontological resource site locations must be kept confidential in order to preserve them.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the information contained in this Application for Confidential Designation is substantially similar to the previously submitted cultural resource information and that all the facts and circumstances relevant to confidentiality remain unchanged. Additionally, I certify that all of the information provided is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and I, archaeologist with the AECOM, am authorized to make the application and certification on behalf of the applicant.

Respectfully Submitted,



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