

February 27, 2009

Ms. Melissa Jones Executive Director California Energy Commission 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

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Subject: Application for Confidential Designation 08-AFC-12 San Joaquin Solar 1 LLC and San Joaquin Solar 2 LLC Fresno County, California URS Project No. 27658031

Dear Ms. Jones:

In accordance with the provisions of Title 20, California Code of Regulations, Section 2505 *et seq.*, San Joaquin Solar1 LLC and San Joaquin Solar 2 LLC requests confidential designation for the letter submitted to the San Joaquin Air Pollution Control District dated Feb 26, 2009 associated with the San Joaquin Solar1 and San Joaquin Solar 2 Project (08-AFC-12).

I hereby attest, under penalty of perjury, that the contents of this submittal are truthful and accurate to the best of my knowledge. San Joaquin Solar 1 LLC and San Joaquin Solar 2 LLC are special purpose entities, each created to develop, construct, own, and operate one solar thermal hybrid power generation. plant and supply the electrical output to PG&E under a 20-year power purchase agreement. Martifer Renewables Solar Thermal LLC is the parent of both San Joaquin Solar 1 LLC and San Joaquin Solar 2 LLC.

Dated this 27th day of February, 2009.

Sincerely,

Kent Larsen VP Project Manager

## APPLICATION FOR CONFIDENTIAL DESIGNATION

(Title 20 Cal. Code. Regs., § 2505 et seq.)

TO: ENERGY COMMISSION EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, MS-39

ENERGY COMMISSION CONTRACT/DOCKET NO. (IF APPLICABLE): 08-AFC-12

APPLICANT: San Joaquin Solar 1 LLC San Joaquin Solar 2 LLC

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ADDRESS: <u>Martifer Renewables Solar Thermal LLC</u> 12555 High Bluff Drive, Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92130

1(a). Title, date, and description (including number of pages) of the information or data for which you request confidential designation. Information or data seeking a designation of confidentiality must be included with this application.

<u>Confidential letter to San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District (SJVAPCD)</u> <u>dated February 26, 2009 regarding the Authority to Construct Application for San</u> <u>Joaquin Solar 1&2. 2 pages hardcopy</u>

1(b). Specify the part(s) of the information or data for which you request confidential designation.

Applicant requests that the ERC information including the timing of control and transfer to the SJVAPCD and all other information included with this document be designated as confidential.

2. State and justify the length of time the Energy Commission should keep the information or data confidential.

The information should be kept confidential through the end term of the agreement to protect the Applicant and project's economic/financial trade secrets identified in the materials. Public disclosure of the proposed timing of ERC purchase would impact market cost and availability.

3(a). State the provision(s) of the Public Records Act (Gov. Code, § 6250 et seq.) or other law that allows the Energy Commission to keep the information or data confidential, and explain why the provision(s) apply to that material.

The information includes data used to calculate the costs of obtaining emissions offsets which are exempted from disclosure by sections 6254.7(f), 6254.11 of the Public Records Act, respectively [Cal. Govt. Code Sections 6254.7(f) and 6254.11].

3(b). Discuss the public interest in nondisclosure of the material submitted for a confidential designation. If the material contains trade secrets or its disclosure would otherwise cause loss of a competitive advantage, please

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state how it would be lost, the value of the information to the applicant and the ease or difficulty with which the information could be legitimately acquired or duplicated by others.

The material contains trade secrets and its disclosure would cause a loss of the Applicant's competitive advantage. Public disclosure of the Applicants schedule to purchase Emission Reduction Credits would impact market cost and availability of the purchasable ERCs.

4. State whether the information or data can be disclosed if it is aggregated with other information or masked to conceal certain portions (including but not limited to the identity of the applicant). State the degree of aggregation or masking required. If the data cannot be disclosed even if aggregated or masked, explain why.

The ERC information cannot be masked or aggregated with other information because masking will still reveal sensitive information of the Applicant's ERC strategy.

5. State how the material is kept confidential by the applicant and whether it has even been disclosed to a person other than an employee of the applicant. If it has, explain the circumstances under which disclosure occurred.

The material contained within the Confidential Supplemental Information has not been disclosed by the Applicant to anyone other than the Applicant's employees or agents, the SJVAPCD and the Commission Staff. Applicant cannot certify, however, that documents prepared under the direction of others have not been revealed to others.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the information contained in this application for confidential designation is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge and that I am authorized to make the application and certification on behalf of the applicant.

Dated:	Feb 27, 2009
Signed:	Runralh
Name (print or type):	Anne Runnalls
Title: (print or type)	Project Manager
Representing:	URS Corporation Americas

Include additional signature blocks if there are multiple partners in the project with shared responsibilities for making the request.