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<b>Docket Number:</b>	21-IEPR-02
<b>Project Title:</b>	Electricity Resource Plans
<b>TN #:</b>	239769
<b>Document Title:</b>	Direct Energy Business, LLC's Application for Confidential Designation - Resource Supply Filing
<b>Description:</b>	Confidentiality Declaration of Barbara Farmer requesting that certain data contained with in the 2021 IEPR Resource filing of Direct Energy Business, LLC be held confidential as it is proprietary and confidential in nature. Exposure of this data can and will expose Direct Energy Business, LLC's market position and provide competitors an unfair market advantage.
<b>Filer:</b>	Barbara Farmer
<b>Organization:</b>	Direct Energy Business, LLC
<b>Submitter Role:</b>	Applicant
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**DECLARATION OF BARBARA FARMER  
IN SUPPORT OF CLAIMS OF CONFIDENTIALITY  
FOR THE 21-IEPR-02 SUPPLY FORECAST OF  
DIRECT ENERGY BUSINESS, LLC**

I, **Barbara Farmer**, declare as follows:

1. I am employed by **Direct Energy** in the position of **Regulatory Licensing and Reporting Analyst**.
2. I have reviewed, or caused to be reviewed, the **21-IEPR-02 Supply Forecast** filing of **Direct Energy Business, LLC**.
3. The statements in this declaration are based on my knowledge, information or belief.
4. I am authorized to make this declaration on behalf of **Direct Energy Business, LLC**.
5. Per Title 20, California Code of Regulations, section(a)(4), Direct Energy submits this request for Confidential Treat for data contained in the 21-IEPR-02 Filing for Direct Energy Business, LLC. Applicant is seeking a confidential designation for information that is substantially similar to information that was previously deemed confidential by the Commission pursuant to Section 2508, and for which an application for confidential designation was granted by the Executive Director pursuant to subdivision (a)(3)(A) .
6. The information submitted in 21-IEPR-02 is substantially similar to the previously submitted IEPR reports and all the facts and

circumstances relevant to confidentiality remain unchanged.

7. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Dated this **17<sup>th</sup> day of September 2021** at Houston, TX.

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