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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
Washington, D.C. 20426

**Re: North Lancaster Ranch LLC
Docket No. EG16-__-000**

Dear Secretary Bose:

Pursuant to Section 366.7 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (the "Commission") regulations, 18 C.F.R. § 366.7, please find enclosed a notice of self-certification of exempt wholesale generator ("EWG") status submitted for filing by North Lancaster Ranch LLC. This filing has been mailed on this date to the California Public Utilities Commission.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions regarding this notice.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Jennifer L. Mersing

Jennifer L. Mersing
Counsel for North Lancaster Ranch LLC

cc: California Public Utilities Commission

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

North Lancaster Ranch LLC)

Docket No. EG16-__-000

**NOTICE OF SELF-CERTIFICATION OF
EXEMPT WHOLESALE GENERATOR STATUS**

Pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005 (“PUHCA 2005”)¹ and Section 366.7 of the regulations of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (the “Commission”), 18 C.F.R. § 366.7, North Lancaster Ranch LLC (“Applicant”) hereby submits this Notice of Self-Certification as an Exempt Wholesale Generator (“EWG”) (“Notice”), as defined in Section 366.1 of the Commission’s regulations, 18 C.F.R. § 366.1.

I. COMMUNICATIONS

Communications with regard to this Notice should be addressed to:

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II. DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT

Applicant owns and will operate a 20 MWac solar photovoltaic (“solar PV”) powered electricity generating facility under development in Lancaster, Los Angeles County, California (the “Facility”). The Facility will interconnect with the Southern California Edison Company (“SCE”) system at the Antelope Substation within the California Independent System Operator Corp. balancing authority area. The Facility has an executed power purchase agreement with SCE under which the Applicant will sell all of the Facility’s output to SCE. Applicant will own

¹ Pub. L. No. 109-58, 119 Stat. 594, § 1266 (Aug. 8, 2005).

and operate the Facility and sell all of its output exclusively at wholesale. The Facility is expected to begin generating test energy in December 2016. Applicant's sole business is owning and operating the Facility.

Applicant is a subsidiary of FTP Power LLC, a Delaware limited liability company.

III. REPRESENTATIONS

The Commission's regulations require that an EWG be engaged directly, or indirectly through one or more affiliates, and exclusively in the business of owning and/or operating one or more eligible facilities and selling electric energy at wholesale.² Consistent with the Commission's regulations, Applicant makes the following representations to certify that it satisfies the requirements for EWG status:

A. Applicant is a Delaware limited liability company that owns and will operate a 20 MWac solar-powered electricity generating facility located in Lancaster, Los Angeles County, California.

B. Applicant will be engaged directly, or indirectly through one of its affiliates, and exclusively in the business of owning or operating, or both owning and operating, all or part of one or more "eligible facilities" and selling electric energy at wholesale. Applicant may engage in activities incidental to the sale of electric energy, consistent with Commission precedent.³

² See 18 C.F.R. §§ 366.7 and 366.1 (2014). Section 366.1 incorporates Sections 32(a)(2) through (4), and Sections 32(b) through (d) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, 15 U.S.C. §§ 79z-5a(a)(2)-(4), 79z-5b(b)-(d) ("PUHCA 1935"), for purposes of establishing or determining whether an entity qualifies for EWG status.

³ The Commission's precedent provides that an EWG applicant may engage in certain activities associated with the development and acquisition of as-yet-unidentified eligible facilities and/or EWGs, including due diligence, project design review and development, preparation of bid proposals, application for permits and/or regulatory approvals, negotiation of agreements to sell electricity at wholesale, negotiation of contractual commitments with lenders and equity investors, negotiation of contractual commitments with governmental authorities and other project participants, and other such activities as may be required to achieve financial closing on an eligible facility and/or EWG. *Southern Elec. Wholesale Generators, Inc.*, 66 FERC ¶ 61,264 (1994); *Entergy Power Asia Ltd.*, 67 FERC ¶ 61, 342 (1994).

C. The Facility constitutes an “eligible facility” as defined in Section 32(a)(2) of PUHCA 1935, 15 U.S.C. § 79z-5a(a)(2), which is incorporated by reference in Section 366.1 of the Commission’s regulations, 18 C.F.R. § 366.1. Applicant’s sales of electric generation produced by the Facility will be exclusively at wholesale. The Facility will include no transmission or distribution facilities other than those limited interconnection facilities necessary to effect wholesale sales of electric energy, consistent with Commission precedent construing the definition of “eligible facility” under Section 32(a)(2) of PUHCA 1935.

D. Applicant will not make retail or foreign sales of power.

E. No rate or charge for, or in connection with, the construction of the Facility, or for electric energy produced thereby, was in effect under the laws of any state as of October 24, 1992. Therefore, no determination or certification by any state commission pursuant to Section 32(c) of PUHCA 1935 is required prior to certification of Applicant as an EWG.

F. There are, and will be, no lease arrangements involving the Facility under which Applicant is the lessor. No portion of the Facility is, or will be, owned or operated by an electric utility company that is an affiliate or an associate company of Applicant, as those terms are defined in the Commission’s regulations.⁴ Accordingly, no issue under Section 32(d) of PUHCA 1935, 15 U.S.C. § 79z-5a(d), arises.

G. Applicant has on this day mailed a copy of this Notice of Self-Certification to the California Public Utilities Commission, which is the state regulatory authority of the state in which the Facility is located.

H. Pursuant to Section 366.7 of the Commission’s regulations, attached to this filing as Attachment A is a signed subscription certification by a representative legally authorized to bind Applicant, attesting to the facts and representations in this Notice, which demonstrate eligibility for EWG status.

⁴ The terms “Electric Utility Company,” “Affiliate” and “Associate Company” are defined in 18 C.F.R. § 366.1.

IV. CONCLUSION

Based upon the facts, representations and statements set forth herein, Applicant respectfully requests that the Commission accept this notice of self-certification of EWG status.

DATED: September 12, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Jennifer L. Mersing _____
Jennifer L. Mersing
Counsel for North Lancaster Ranch LLC

ATTACHMENT A

SUBSCRIPTION CERTIFICATION

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

North Lancaster Ranch LLC

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Docket No. EG16-__-000

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, and as an officer of FTP Power LLC, certify that I have read the foregoing Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status being filed by North Lancaster Ranch LLC for a determination of exempt wholesale generator status and know the contents thereof; and the facts and representations set forth in the attached certification of exempt wholesale generator status are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I possess the full power and authority to sign this filing.

DATED: September __, 2016



Ryan Creamer, Chief Executive Officer

ATTACHMENT B

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I hereby certify that foregoing Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status of North Lancaster Ranch LLC was served on the 12th of September, 2016, upon the following:

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