

GOVERNMENT OF PUERTO RICO  
PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATORY BOARD  
PUERTO RICO ENERGY BUREAU



IN RE: REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATION CEN  
JUNCOS SOLAR, LLC

CASE NO.: NEPR-CT-2019-0003

**SUBJECT:** Informative Filing and Motion for  
Modification of Filing Fee.

**RESOLUTION**

On December 10, 2020 the Energy Bureau of the Puerto Rico Public Service Regulatory Board ("Energy Bureau") issued a Resolution ("December 10 Resolution") through which it certified CEN Juncos Solar, LLC ("CEN Juncos Solar") as an Electric Service Company, under Regulation 8701.<sup>1</sup>

On December 17, 2020, Renewable Energy Alternatives, LLC ("REA") filed a document titled *Informative Filing and Motion for Modification of Filing Fee* ("Motion") in this docket. Through its Motion, REA states that between the time CEN Juncos Solar filed a request for certification and the issuance of said certification by the Energy Bureau, the project owned by CEN Juncos Solar was subject to a transaction under which its ownership was split into two companies, CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC, for purposes related to the step down in the value of the federal investment tax credits.<sup>2</sup>

As a result of the transaction, REA states CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC share similar corporate structures and that REA became the managing member of the holding companies that own each of CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC.<sup>3</sup> As a result, REA states that it manages and administers the project, including customer and contractual matters. REA argues that it is the entity offering energy generation services for sale in Puerto Rico through distributed generators. Therefore, REA states that the Energy Bureau should certify REA, instead of CEN Juncos Solar or CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC, as an electric service company under Regulation 8701.

As part of its Motion, REA included (i) an updated Personal Information form, and (ii) a Request for Certification Form, through which it requests to amend the certification granted to CEN Juncos Solar. Also, REA requests to be exempted from the filing fee of a

<sup>1</sup> Amendment to Regulation No. 8618, on Certifications, Annual Fees and Operational Plans of Electric Service Companies in Puerto Rico, February 5, 2016.

<sup>2</sup> Motion, p. 2.

<sup>3</sup> CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC owned the portion of the project that had yet to commence construction by the end of 2019. See Motion, p. 2.



request to amend certification, established in Section 3.07 of Regulation 8701. REA argues that the payment of the fee would be too onerous considering that the amendment would essentially consist of modifying the person holding the certification with no substantial changes to the project.

Upon review of the Motion, the Energy Bureau **DETERMINES** that additional information is required to evaluate REA's request to amend the certification granted to CEN Juncos Solar. To that effect, REA must provide the following information, and/or related documents:


1. A description and evidence of each project which REA indicates it the project originally owner by CEN Juncos Solar has been divided into.
2. Information and evidence of the creation and authorization to do business in Puerto Rico of holding company that owns CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC and evidence of such ownership of both companies.
3. Evidence of the transfer of the ownership of both projects to the holding company.
4. Evidence that authorizes REA to be the managing member of the mentioned holding company. Specifically provide evidence which grants REA the responsibility to manage and operate the projects owned by CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC.
5. Evidence of the responsibilities granted to REA by the holding company.
6. Evidence of the similar corporate structure shared by CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC.
7. Evidence of any transaction entered between REA, CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC, and the mentioned holding company that sustains any ownership modifications of the project and through which REA became the entity that manages and administers the projects.
8. A detailed description of the responsibilities of each entity, REA, CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC, and the holding company in the provision of electric service in Puerto Rico.
9. A detailed description of the relationship between REA, CEN Juncos Solar and CEN Juncos Solar II, LLC.


The Energy Bureau **GRANTS** REA a term of thirty (30) days, from the notification of this Resolution, to provide the required information. This term may be extended upon request.

Be it notified and published.



  
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Chairman

  
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#### CERTIFICATION

I-certify that the majority of the members of the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau has so agreed on January 8, 2021. I also certify on January 8, 2021 a copy of the Resolution was notified by electronic mail sent to joaquin@cleanenergyx.com, cfl@mcvpr.com and ivc@mcvpr.com. I also certify this is a true and exact copy of the Resolution issued by the Puerto Rico Energy Bureau and I have proceeded with the filing this Resolution.

-I sign this in San Juan, Puerto Rico, today, January 8, 2021.

  
Wanda I. Cordero Morales  
Clerk

