

NOTICE OF A PROPOSED CHANGE TO AN APPROVED RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECT (REA No. 5525-A32HG6)

For the Southgate Solar Project
By Southgate Solar LP

Project Name: Southgate Solar Project
IESO Reference Number: F-003961-SPV-KC3-510
Project Location: Within the Township of Southgate in the County of Grey
Dated at the Township of Southgate this 4th day of August, 2016

Southgate Solar LP was issued a Renewable Energy Approval on November 6, 2015 in respect of the Southgate Solar Project. Information with respect to the decision on this project can be viewed on the Environmental Registry by searching 012-4349.

Southgate Solar LP is proposing to make a change to the project and the project itself is subject to the provisions of the *Environmental Protection Act (Act)* Part V.0.1 and Ontario Regulation 359/09 (Regulation). This notice must be distributed in accordance with section 32.2 of the Regulation. This notice is being distributed to make the public aware of a proposed change to the project.

Project Description and Proposed Changes:

Pursuant to the Act and Regulation, the project in respect of which the Renewable Energy Approval was issued, is a Class 3 Solar Facility. An application has been made to the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change to change the project and alter the terms and conditions of the existing Renewable Energy Approval. The proposed changes consist of a reduction in the overall footprint of the project within the permitted project location boundary, specifically:

- Reduction in the total number of project components, including solar panels, racking, piles, MV Stations, and access roads, resulting in an overall reduction in project footprint;
- Reconfiguration of area and location of temporary construction laydown areas;
- Reconfiguration of project components including internal access roads, solar panels, and MV Stations resulting in a revised *Stormwater Management Report*;
- Reduction in the total number of MV stations and reconfiguration of MV Stations, DSTATCOM and Line Reactor resulting in a revised *Noise Study Report*.

If approved with these changes, the facility would continue to have a total nameplate capacity of up to 50 MW. The project location, taking the change into account, is described in the map below.

Documents for Public Inspection:

Southgate Solar LP has been required to update the supporting documents that are required to form part of the application or which must be otherwise submitted to the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change available to the public (titled *Modifications Document to REA Number 5525-A32HG6*). An electronic copy of the draft supporting documents will be made available for public inspection on during the week of August 1, 2016 on the project website at: <http://www.samsungrenewableenergy.ca/southgate>.

Project Contacts and Information:

To learn more about the project proposal or to communicate concerns, please contact:

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The proposed site for the project is located on lands within the Township of Southgate in the County of Grey.