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**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

September 8, 2017

In the Matter of the Application of  
Richfield Solar Energy LLC for a  
Certificate of Public Convenience and  
Necessity to Construct a 50.0 MW  
Solar Photovoltaic Generating Facility  
in Dorchester County, Maryland

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Case No. 9457

David W. Beugelmans  
Gordon Feinblatt LLC  
233 East Redwood Street  
Baltimore, Maryland 21202-3332

Dear Mr. Beugelmans:

The Public Service Commission (“Commission”) has reviewed the Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a 50.0 MW Solar Photovoltaic Generating Facility in Dorchester County, Maryland filed on September 6, 2017 by Richfield Solar Energy LLC (“Richfield Solar” or “Applicant”). Richfield Solar is proposing to construct a 50.0 MW solar generating facility involving a limit of disturbance of approximately 340 acres on seven parcels located in Dorchester County, Maryland. The Application indicates that this project will have minimal environmental impact and will provide significant economic benefits to the State.

After review of the Application, the Commission hereby docket the matter as Case No. 9457, sets the matter for hearing, and delegates the matter to the Public Utility Law Judge Division to conduct the proceedings.

By Direction of the Commission,

*/s/ David J. Collins*

David J. Collins  
Executive Secretary

cc: Terry J. Romine, Chief Public Utility Law Judge