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**Via U.S. First Class Mail**

Todd Cornett, Siting Division Administrator  
Oregon Department of Energy  
550 Capitol Street NE, First Floor  
Salem, OR 97310

**Re: Preliminary Application for Site Certificate, Sunstone Solar Project**

Dear Mr. Cornett:

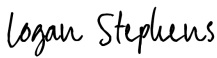
On behalf of Pine Gate Renewables, LLC, Sunstone Solar, LLC (Applicant) submits this Preliminary Application for Site Certificate (pASC) for the Sunstone Solar Project (Facility). The Applicant proposes to construct and operate the Sunstone Solar Project (Facility), a photovoltaic solar energy generation facility and related or supporting facilities in Morrow County, Oregon. The proposed Facility will be a photovoltaic solar energy generation facility with up to 1,200 megawatts (MW) of nominal and average generating capacity as defined in Oregon Revised Statute 469.300(4)(c). The Facility will generate electricity using solar panels wired in series and in parallel to form arrays, which in turn are connected to electrical infrastructure. Additionally, the Facility will also include a 1,200 MW distributed battery energy storage system for the purpose of stabilizing the solar resource.

We look forward to working with you during this application process.

If you have any questions, or require further information, please contact me at:

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Sincerely,

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