



February 5, 2024

Michael Belikoff Somerset Solar, LLC AES Clean Energy 2180 South 1300 East, Suite 600 Salt Lake City, UT 84106 somersetsolar@aes.com

RE: Matter No. 22-00026 - NOTICE OF COMPLETE APPLICATION Executive Law § 94-c Permit Application of Somerset Solar, LLC, for the proposed Somerset Solar Facility, located in the Town of Somerset, Niagara County, New York (125 MW Solar Facility)

Dear Michael Belikoff:

Based upon review of the above Permit Application submitted by Somerset Solar, LLC (Applicant), the Office of Renewable Energy Siting (Office or ORES) has determined that the application submitted by the Applicant on April 7, 2023, as amended and supplemented on August 17, 2023, December 7, 2023, and January 23, 2024 is complete.

This letter constitutes Notice of Complete Application pursuant to 19 NYCRR § 900-4.1(g). A copy of this notice is being posted on the Office's website through the Document Matter Management (DMM) system. A copy of this notice will also be served via regular mail upon the chief executive officer of each municipality in which any portion of the proposed facility is located, and any person who has previously expressed in writing an interest in receiving such notification.

No later than sixty (60) days following the date of this letter, the Office will publish on its website through the DMM system a draft siting permit for public comment or a statement of intent to deny this Permit Application in compliance with 19 NYCRR § 900-8.1(a).

cc: Party List and persons listed in 19 NYCRR \S 900-4.1(g)(2) and (3)