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12 April 2022

## Attention: Mr Wright

Beaufort West Local Municipality Technical Services Department 112 Donkin Street, Beaufort West 6970

Dear Mr Wright

## RE: REQUEST FOR CONFIRMATION OF WATER AVAILABILITY AND MUNICIPAL SERVICES FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A SOLAR ENERGY FACILITY LOCATED NEAR BEAUFORT WEST, WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE.

The Rosenia PV project (including associated grid connection), is proposed to be developed on the Remaining Extent of the Farm 423, approximately 12 km South East of Beaufort West in the Western Cape (see Annexure A - Locality Map). The project is to be developed as a stand-alone project by **Salsola PV (Pty) Ltd** (the "Project Company"), a special purpose vehicle ("SPV") established for the sole purpose of developing, owning and operating the facility.

The Project Company intends to bid the project in response to the Department of Mineral Resources and Energy's (DMRE) request for qualification and proposals (the "RFP") for Bidding Window 6 of the Renewable Energy Independent Power Producer Procurement Program (REIPPPP). It is a requirement of the REIPPPP RFP that the Project Company submit a letter from the relevant service provider confirming availability of service delivery for the project.

## This letter therefore constitutes a request to the Beaufort West Local Municipality to provide Rosenia PV (Pty) Ltd with a non-binding confirmation letter confirming capacity to supply the necessary municipal (in this case bulk water and sewage) services.

The confirmation letter will be non-binding. Should the Salsola PV (Pty) Ltd be selected as a preferred bidder in the REIPPPP, we will reach out to the Beaufort West Local Municipality at that stage to enter into a formal service level agreement.

To this end Rosenia PV would like to request that the non-binding letter confirm:

- a) Water Supply Capacity:
  - **16 000 m<sup>3</sup>** in total over the 18 month construction period:
    - $\circ$  6 750 m<sup>3</sup> potable water for sanitation; and
    - $\circ$  9 250 m<sup>3</sup> potable OR recycled water for construction process;
  - 5 000 m<sup>3</sup> per annum for the 20 year operational lifespan of the facility
    - $\circ$  1 095 m<sup>3</sup> potable water for sanitation;
    - $\circ$  3 364 m<sup>3</sup> potable water for module cleaning; and
    - $\circ$  541 m<sup>3</sup> for road maintenance and irrigation purposes.

b) Treatment of Sewage:

The project company will contract a registered company to store and collect the sewage from site and dispose of it at the municipal treatment facility. This letter should include:

- Name of sewage treatment facility
- Capacity that the sewage treatment facility can accommodate
- Location of the sewage treatment facility;
- c) The disposal of solid waste generated from the construction activities:
  - Could you please provide the following details for disposal of waste such as concrete, scrap metal, wooden pallets/ packaging and general waste produced by construction crew, etc.
  - The location of the dump site;
  - The name and licence number of the dump site; and
  - The capacity that the dump site can take it is estimated that the project would generate 50m<sup>3</sup> of solid waste per month during the construction phase of 12 18 months duration

We trust that you will find this request for the non-binding water confirmation letter in order. Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned or Peter Smith (082 300 6497) should you have any queries in this regard.

Yours Sincerely,

Peter Smith For and on behalf of Salola PV (Pty) Ltd Annexure A – Locality Map

## Annexure A Locality Map

