

Power Plant Approval 26097-D02-2020

Appendix 1 to Decision 26097-D01-2020

November 30, 2020

Three Nations Energy GP Inc.
Time Extension to Construct Fort Chipewyan
Solar Generation Facility (Phase 2) Power Plant

Proceeding 26097
Application 26097-A001

Three Nations Energy GP Inc. (3NE), pursuant to Approval 24857-D02-2020,¹ has approval to construct and operate a 2.27-megawatt solar power plant designated as the Fort Chipewyan Solar Generation Facility (Phase 2) Power Plant, located in the Fort Chipewyan area. The construction completion date for the power plant was stipulated to be on or before November 30, 2020.

3NE, by Application 26097-A001, registered on November 19, 2020, applied to the Alberta Utilities Commission for approval to extend the completion date of the power plant to March 31, 2021.

The Commission, pursuant to sections 11 and 19 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act*, approved the application in Decision 26097-D01-2020,² and granted to 3NE an approval to construct and operate the power plant, subject to the provisions of *Hydro and Electric Energy Act* and the *Alberta Utilities Commission Act*, any regulations made under the acts, any orders under the acts, the Commission rules made pursuant to the *Alberta Utilities Commission Act*, and the following terms and conditions:

1. The power plant shall be located in the southeast quarter of Section 33 and the southwest quarter of Section 34, Township 112, Range 7, west of the Fourth Meridian, as further described in Application 24857-A001.
2. The power plant shall consist of approximately 5,760 photovoltaic modules with inverter/transformer stations, with a total generating capability of 2.27 megawatts (direct current), and as further described in Application 24857-A001.
3. 3NE shall submit a post-construction monitoring survey report to Alberta Environment and Parks (AEP) and the Commission within 13 months of the project becoming operational, and on or before the same date every subsequent year for which AEP requires surveys, pursuant to Subsection 3(3) of Rule 033: *Post-approval Monitoring Requirements for Wind and Solar Power Plants*.

¹ Power Plant Approval 24857-D02-2020, Proceeding 24857, Application 24857-A001, January 15, 2020.

² Decision 26097-D01-2020: Three Nations Energy GP Inc. – Fort Chipewyan Solar Generation Facility (Phase 2) Time Extension, Proceeding 26097, Application 26097-A001, November 30, 2020.

4. Unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, construction of the power plant shall be completed by March 31, 2021.
5. 3NE shall notify the Commission within 30 days of completing the power plant.
6. 3NE shall obtain Commission approval prior to making any substantive changes to the power plant or substantially varying the design or specifications of the power plant from what was stated in the application or what the Commission has approved.
7. This approval is not transferable unless approved by the Commission.

Approval 24857-D02-2020 is rescinded.

The Commission may cancel or suspend this approval, in whole or in part, in accordance with Section 41 of the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act* or may review this approval, in whole or in part, upon its own motion or upon an application by an interested party, in accordance with Section 10 of the *Alberta Utilities Commission Act*.

The Commission may, within 30 days of the date of this approval and without notice, correct typographical, spelling and calculation errors and other similar types of errors and post the corrected approval on its website.

Alberta Utilities Commission

(original signed by)

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