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**Secretary Aida Camacho
New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
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Dear Ms. Camacho

My name is Paul Aliseo, President of Lighton Industries Inc., a New Jersey based electrical contracting firm headquartered in Toms River. Lighton was established in 1980 and employs over 45 employees full time inhouse staff which at times ramps up to 70-80 employees which are made up of local union of IBEW electricians.

Lighton has constructed over 112 general solar projects consisting of ground mounted, roof mounted, canopy mounted & floating system along with Battery Storage Systems adding up to over 120MW of solar installed.

Lighton has worked with PSE&G Solar 4 All® Program since its inception in 2010 constructing 11 solar facilities throughout New Jersey. working with the PSE&G Solar 4 All® Program, has allowed Lighton to offer employment to approximately 30-40 additional Local Union IBEW employees.

With all this being said I am advocating for PSE&G's continued role in expanding solar in New Jersey. PSE&G has proven to be a stabile partner, which is critical for firms like Lighton that operate in New Jersey.

The Solar 4 All® portfolio includes solar on landfills, brownfields, rooftops, parking lots, ground mounts and utility pole attached installations. The landfill and brownfield projects, in addition to providing clean, renewable power, have the added benefit of turning unproductive properties into clean, renewable energy power plants. PSE&G has developed 12 solar farms on landfill and brownfield sites that cover more than 260 acres and nearly 263,000 solar panels that generate annually enough clean energy to power over 14,000 New Jersey homes.



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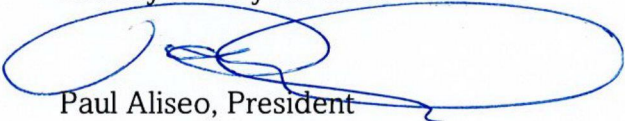
Governor Murphy and the State Legislature have set a target of 12.2GW of installed solar capacity by 2030, and 17.2GW by 2035, which is roughly triple the state's current annual installed solar capacity over the past five years. From my experience, the state could have no better partner than PSE&G as it embarks on this clean energy journey.

PSE&G's experience in solar is crucial if the state is to achieve its targets and address the most underserved segments of the solar market.

For these reasons, I am advocating for utility involvement, and the PSE&G Solar 4 All® Program, to be part of the State's effort to expand solar and share the benefits of solar with all in New Jersey.

I appreciate the opportunity to provide my comments in support of PSE&G's role in expanding solar in New Jersey.

Thank you for your time.



Paul Aliseo, President