

STATE OF INDIANA

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

**VERIFIED PETITION OF SOUTHERN INDIANA GAS AND ELECTRIC)
COMPANY d/b/a VECTREN ENERGY DELIVERY OF INDIANA, INC.,)
FOR: (1) AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT, OWN AND OPERATE A)
SOLAR ENERGY PROJECT AND A FINDING THAT SUCH PROJECT)
CONSTITUTES A CLEAN ENERGY PROJECT PURSUANT TO IND.)
CODE CH. 8-1-8.8; (2) ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC)
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF) CAUSE NO. 45086
THE SOLAR ENERGY PROJECT PURSUANT TO IND. CODE CH. 8-1-)
8.5; AND (3) AUTHORITY TO TIMELY RECOVER COSTS INCURRED)
DURING CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF THE PROJECT IN)
ACCORDANCE WITH IND. CODE § 8-1-8.5-6.5 AND IND. CODE § 8-1-)
8.8-11.)**

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Alliance Coal, LLC ("Alliance"), by counsel, pursuant to 170 I.A.C. 1-1.1-11, respectfully petitions for leave to intervene in the above-captioned cause. In support, Alliance states:

1. Alliance is a diversified coal supplier and marketer operating eight underground mining complexes in five states including Indiana. Alliance operates a coal loading terminal on the Ohio River at Mt. Vernon, Indiana and owns several mining and coal transportation facilities in the service territory of Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company, d/b/a Vectren Energy Delivery of Indiana, Inc. ("Vectren").

2. Three of Alliance's subsidiaries (Gibson County Coal, LLC, Matrix Design Group, LLC, and Mt. Vernon Transfer Terminal, LLC) are Vectren customers. Additionally, Alliance has served as a coal supplier to Vectren. If granted, Vectren's petition in this proceeding will impact Alliance's rates, business and its prospects for providing future coal supply to Vectren. As such, Alliance has a substantial interest in the proceeding.

3. This Petition to Intervene is being filed more than five (5) days prior to the evidentiary hearing on the merits in this cause.

4. The interests of Alliance will not be adequately represented by any other party in this proceeding, and Alliance's participation in this proceeding should not unduly broaden the issues or result in an unreasonable delay.


5. Alliance's intervention is for the purpose of responding to issues raised by the parties in this proceeding regarding Vectren's request and data in support thereof to self-build a facility to meet Vectren's anticipated load as described in Vectren's petition and testimony.

6. Alliance's counsel, to whom service of all papers should be made, is:

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WHEREFORE, Alliance respectfully requests that its Petition to Intervene be granted and for all other appropriate relief.

Respectfully submitted,



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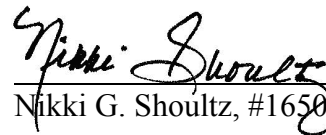
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Petition to Intervene has been served upon the following counsel electronically or via regular mail this 13th day of August, 2018:

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