# STATE OF INDIANA

# INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

**VERIFIED JOINT PETITION OF FOWLER** ) **RIDGE IV WIND FARM LLC AND PATTERN** ) **ENERGY GROUP LP FOR APPROVAL OF** ) THE TRANSFER OF THE FRANCHISE, ) WORKS, OR SYSTEM OF FOWLER RIDGE IV ) WIND FARM LLC TO PATTERN ENERGY ) **GROUP LP AND FOR CONTINUED** ) **DECLINATION OF THE COMMISSION'S** ) JURISDICTION OVER FOWLER RIDGE IV ) WIND FARM, LLC AND THE PORTIONS OF ) THE POWER GENERATING FACILITY ) TRANSFERRED TO PATTERN ENERGY ) **PURSUANT TO INDIANA CODE 8-1-2.5-5** )

**CAUSE NO. 44438** 

## FOWLER RIDGE IV WIND FARM LLC'S 2019 ANNUAL REPORT

This Annual Report is provided as directed by the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission's Order issued November 20, 2007, in Cause No. 43338 and the transfer Cause No. 44438. A Notice of Consummation of Transfer was filed in this Cause on November 14, 2008, which imputed this reporting requirement onto Fowler Ridge II Wind Farm LLC ("Fowler Ridge II") for the 350 MW of the Fowler Ridge Wind Farm that was transferred to Fowler Ridge II. In Cause No. 43747, the Commission granted the transfer of operational control of 150 MW of Fowler Ridge II to Dominion Fowler Ridge Wind II, LLC ("Dominion Fowler II"). In Cause No. 43986, the LLC membership interests in Dominion Fowler II were transferred to BP Wind Energy North America Inc. ("BPWENA"). BPWENA renamed the project company Fowler Ridge IV Wind Farm LLC ("Fowler Ridge IV").

In Cause No. 44438, the LLC membership interests owned by BPWENA in Fowler Ridge IV were transferred to the then Pattern Energy Group LP, now known as Pattern Energy Group One LP. This Report provides the required information to the extent such information is known and available.

#### (1) Any changes in the information provided in the Initial or Quarterly Reports.

There was no Initial Report filed in this Cause because it was not required; however, the First Quarter Report was filed on April 29, 2011, and there are no changes to the information contained in that report. Fowler Ridge IV assumed the reporting obligations of Dominion Fowler II in this Cause. Information that would have been required in an Initial Report was provided to the Commission as part of the case-in-chief in this Cause. As a result of corporate restructurings at the holding company level, as of April 29, 2020, the membership interests in Fowler Ridge IV continue to be held by Fowler Ridge IV Holdings LLC, which is now an indirect subsidiary of a newly formed partnership, Pattern Energy Group LP.

# (2) Any Reports of Interconnection System Impact Studies not previously submitted to the Commission.

The Interconnection System Impact Study provided for Fowler Ridge II in Cause No. 43443 is applicable to Fowler Ridge IV.

# (3) Copy of the Large Generator Interconnection Agreement as filed with FERC.

The Interconnection Service Agreement provided for Fowler Ridge II in Cause No. 43443 is applicable to Fowler Ridge IV.

# (4) Notice of the establishment of an independent financial instrument, including its form and final amount.

Fowler Ridge IV has established independent financial instruments to cover the Power Purchase Agreements.

## (5) Achievement of construction milestones described in Appendix B of the Large Generator Interconnection Agreement and such events as the procurement of major equipment, the receipt of major permits material to the construction and operation of the Facility, construction start-up, initial energization and commercial operation.

The project has completed construction and entered into commercial operation in Q4 2015.

(6) When commercial operation is achieved, the nameplate capacity; term and identity of a purchaser for any contracts then existing for utility sales; contingency plans (if any) detailing response plans to emergency conditions as required by state or local units of government; the interconnecting transmission owner and/or PJM or Midwest ISO; and the Facility's certified (or accredited) dependable capacity rating.

The nameplate capacity of the project is 149.5 MW with offtake by Amazon Web Services through a wholesale contract connected to the PJM system.

## **VERIFICATION**

I hereby affirm under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing representations are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

# Fowler Ridge IV Wind Farm LLC

Signed:

Title: Amy Smolen, Authorized Signatory

Dated: April 30, 2020

[A notarized verification page will be filed once the public health emergency brought on by the COVID-19 pandemic passes]

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing was electronically delivered this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2020, to the following:

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