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RE: Albion Power Company Recommendation

This letter is written to recommend Albion Power Company as a premium solar installer with an exceptional track record of residential and commercial property owner satisfaction. Albion's unique business model is well-conceived to provide a quality workforce and ensure system performance, aesthetics, and longevity. As a complete clean-technology construction company, Albion Power's skill set extends to residential LEED projects, solar hot water systems, roof integration, photovoltaic laminate, ground mounts, and electrical service upgrades. In my opinion, Albion Power Company is one of the most experienced and trustworthy solar integrators in the United States.

In 2009, Albion Power Company completed the solar installation of 2,800 kW (2.8 MW) for SolarNet/SES at four Foster's Wine Estates - Asti, Beringer, Etude, and Stag's Leap. The 1.34MW array at Beringer is the largest total solar energy system in the U.S. wine industry. Cumulatively, this Foster's project is one of the largest deployments of PV in California. Using 12,900 solar modules from Sharp, the four installations combined will produce 3.8 million kilowatt hours (kWh) of renewable electricity per year. When this 2.8 MW project was in full production, Albion Power Company provided a proficient workforce of 55 skilled employees coordinated on multiple sites. Their staff is a valuable resource with a great deal of solar industry experience.

As Executive VP of the largest distributor of Sharp solar modules in the United States, I have known Albion Power President Charles Adams for nearly a decade. His experience in the industry ranges from selling San Francisco residential solar systems in the early 2000s to managing some of the most exciting solar installations in the country by decade's end - i.e. AT&T (1.2 MW), Fetzer Vineyards (900 kW), Microsoft (475 kW), Department of Energy; Washington D.C. (200 kW). Charles' aptitude for organizational management and customer communication is exceptional.

With 45 years of experience manufacturing solar modules, Sharp is a global leader in the technology, providing systems to power more homes and businesses than any other solar manufacturer in the world. We are committed to a partnership with Albion Power Company and its customers to support high-quality material availability to meet important project deadlines.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions about Albion Power Company.

Best regards,

Daniel

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