

**GOVERNMENT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS  
OF THE UNITED STATES**

*Public Services Commission*

<b>IN RE:</b>	)	
	)	Docket No. 621
<b>THE APPROVAL AND INTERCONNECTION</b>	)	Order No. <u>26</u> /2014
<b>OF RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECT OF THE</b>	)	
<b>VIRGIN ISLANDS WATER AND POWER AUTHORITY</b>	)	
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**ORDER**

**WHEREAS**, on October 3, 2012, the Virgin Islands Public Services Commission (hereinafter "the Commission" or "PSC") received an application from Tibbar Energy, USVI, LLC (hereinafter "Tibbar") for certification of a qualified small power generation facility for a biomass (Agricultural Energy Crop) to renewable energy project in the United States Virgin Islands; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 17, 2012, Gerogetown Consulting Group, the Commission's technical consultants, submitted a report on the qualified facility application of Tibbar; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 18, 2012, the Commission met in regular session and deemed that Tibbar's application was complete and in compliance with Chapter 2 of Title 30 of the Virgin Islands Code; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 11, 2013, the Commission **APPROVED** Tibbar's application in Order No. 23/2013, Docket 611; and

**WHEREAS**, Tibbar and the the Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority (hereinafter "the Authority" or "WAPA") have subsequently negotiated the terms of an interconnection agreement and a Power Purchase Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 13, 2013, the Authority petitioned the Commission for approval of a Power Purchase Agreement between the Authority and Tibbar for the purchase of electric energy for the territory of the Virgin Islands through the development of a renewable energy project; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 19, 2013, the Commission met in regular session at its both offices on St. Thomas and St. Croix; and

**WHEREAS**, after review of the application and deliberation, the Commission voted to continue this matter at the next meeting, to permit time for the PSC's staff and consultants to

review the case and documents supporting the assumptions used in the development of avoided cost information and report back to the Commission; and

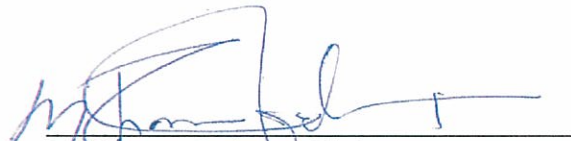
**NOW THEREFORE**, the Commission hereby **ORDERS** that:

1. This matter is continued at its next scheduled meeting, to permit time for the PSC's staff and consultants to review the case and documents supporting the assumptions used in the development of avoided cost information; and
2. PSC's staff and consultants are to report back to the Commission.

*So Ordered.*

For the Commission

Date: January 27, 2014



M. Thomas Jackson, Chairman