#### **ENFORCEABLE UNDERTAKING**

## Renewable Energy (Electricity) Act 2000

#### Section 154Q

Undertaking to the Regulator given for the purposes of paragraph 154Q (1)(a) of the Renewable Energy (Electricity) Act 2000

by

P & N PTY LTD (trading name EURO SOLAR)

ACN: 130 845 199

### Glossary

1. In this Undertaking, unless the contrary intention appears, the definitions in section 5 of the Act, regulation 3 of the Regulations, and this clause apply:

"Act" means the Renewable Energy (Electricity) Act 2000;

"CEC" means Clean Energy Council;

"Certificate" means renewable energy certificate;

"REC Registry" means the public registry of information maintained by the Regulator in accordance with Part 13 of the Act which is published at <a href="http://www.rec-registry.gov.au">http://www.rec-registry.gov.au</a>;

"Regulations" means the Renewable Energy (Electricity) Regulations 2001;

"Regulator" means the Clean Energy Regulator;

"small generation unit" has the same meaning as it has under the Act.

"STCs" means small-scale technology certificates.

### 2. Person Giving Undertaking:

This undertaking is given to the Regulator by P & N Pty Ltd (trading name EURO SOLAR) for the purposes of section 154Q of the Act.

#### Parties:

- 3. The Regulator is a statutory agency with responsibility for administering and enforcing the Act and Regulations.
- 4. P & N Pty Ltd is a duly incorporated company engaged in trade or commerce in Australia.
- 5. P & N is an agent for the creation of certificates.

6. P & N Pty Ltd is a registered person under Part 2, Division 2 of the Act.

# The Creation of Certificates

- 7. Under the Act, registered persons can create certificates for energy generated from certain renewable sources.
- 8. The Regulations specify a number of conditions which must be satisfied before certificates can be created in respect of a small generation unit.
- 9. Where a registered person wishes to claim a multiplier for certificates, regulations 20AA and 20AAA of the Regulations, set out further conditions which must be satisfied.
- 10. The multiplier number depends on the date of installation or on the details of the contract for installation of the small generation unit.
- 11. Certificates are created in a registry known as the REC Registry.

# Improper Creation of Certificates by P & N Solar Pty Ltd

- 12. P & N Solar Pty Ltd claimed the multiplier for 508 installations where it did not have the required installation contracts to support its claim.
- 13. As a result 15,044 STCs were improperly created.

## Acknowledgements

- 14. P & N Pty Ltd acknowledges the basis on which the Regulator has formed its conclusion is valid and that the matter requires immediate attention.
- 15. P & N Pty Ltd acknowledges that:
  - the Regulator will make this Undertaking publicly available, including publishing it on the Regulator's website;
  - the Regulator and Officials of the Regulator will, from time to time, make public reference to this Undertaking and the circumstances giving rise to this Undertaking; and
  - c. this Undertaking in no way derogates from the rights and remedies available to any other person arising from any conduct of Solar Storage.

### **Undertaking**

16. Under paragraph 154Q (1) (d) of the Act, the Regulator may accept a written undertaking given by a person that the person will surrender one or more certificates under section 28A, to compensate the creation of one or more certificates that the person was not entitled to create.

- 17. P & N Solar Pty Ltd hereby undertakes to surrender 15,044 STCs by way of the following instalments:
  - By 31 October 2013 5000 STCs;
  - 15 November 2013 2,500 STCs;
  - 17 December 2013 2,500 STCs;
  - 17 Janaury 2014 2,500 STCs; and
  - 17 February 2014 2,544 STCs.

# **Commencement of Undertaking**

- 18. This undertaking comes into effect when:
  - a. the undertaking is executed by P & N Pty Ltd; and
  - **b.** the Regulator accepts the undertaking so executed by P & N Solar Pty Ltd.

# **Executed by**

P & N Pty Ltd (ACN: 130 845 199) by its authorised officers pursuant to s 127(1) of the  $\it Corporations Act 2001$ 

**Prashant Patel** 

Director

This ... 25 day of September 2013

ACCEPTED BY THE REGULATOR PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 154Q (1)(a) OF THE RENEWABLE ENERGY (ELECTRICITY) ACT 2000.

**Andrew Livingston** 

Delegate of the Regulator

This ...... day of September 2013.