

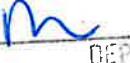
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17 **IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

18 **IN AND FOR CARSON CITY**

19 VOTE SOLAR,

Case No.: *25000204-B*

20 Petitioner,

Dept. No.: *I*

21 vs.

22 THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
23 OF NEVADA,

**VOTE SOLAR'S PETITION FOR
JUDICIAL REVIEW**

24 Respondent.

25 **Parties of Record Below:**

26 Nev. Power Co. and Sierra Pacific Power
27 Co. d/b/a NV Energy; Nev. Attorney
28 General's Bureau of Consumer Protection;
Regulatory Operations Staff of the Public
Utilities Comm'n; Solar Energy Indus.
Assoc; Caesars Enter. Serv.; Fed. Exec.
Agencies; Google LLC; MGM Resorts Intl.;
Nev. Solar Assoc.; Nev. Workers for Clean
and Affordable, Nevadans for Clean
Affordable Reliable Energy (NCARE); NV
Cogen 1 & 2, Smart Energy Alliance;
S.Nev. Gaming Group,; S. Nev. Water
Auth.; The Kroger Co.; Vote Solar;
Walmart, Inc.; Wynn Las Vegas LLC

1 Pursuant to NRS 703.373, Petitioner Vote Solar, by and through undersigned counsel,
2 respectfully petitions this Court for judicial review of the following Orders issued by
3 Respondent the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada (“Commission”), in its consolidated
4 regulatory Docket Nos. 25-02016 and 25-03006 (collectively, “the Orders”):

5 • The Commission’s Order on Reconsideration and Modified Final Order, dated
6 on November 20, 2025, which can be found at <https://bit.ly/Nov2025Order> and
7 <https://bit.ly/Nov2025ModOrder>.

8 • The Commission’s Final Order, dated on September 16, 2025, which can be
9 found at <https://bit.ly/Sept2025Order>.

10 In support of this Petition, Vote Solar states as follows:

11 1. Vote Solar is a non-profit grassroots organization working to foster economic
opportunity, promote energy independence, and fight climate change by making solar a
mainstream energy resource in Nevada and across the United States. Vote Solar is a party of
record to the proceedings below in Docket Nos. 25-02016 and 25-03006 in which the
15 Commission issued the Orders.

16 2. Vote Solar exhausted its administrative remedies by timely filing a petition for
reconsideration of the Commission’s initial September 16, 2025 Order. Thus, Vote Solar is
18 “entitled to judicial review” of the Orders under NRS 703.373(1).

19 3. Venue is appropriate in this Court under NRS 703.373(2).

20 4. This Petition for Review is timely filed within 30 days of the Commission’s
November 20, 2025, Order on Reconsideration and Modified Final Order, which constitutes the
22 Commission’s final action in this matter. NRS 703.373(3).

23 5. Through the Orders, the Commission has unlawfully (1) instituted 15-minute net
metering in lieu of the monthly net metering required by statute in the service territory of Sierra
25 Pacific Power Company and (2) imposed a monthly demand charge for residential customers of
26 Nevada Power Company that is prohibited by NRS 704.085.

27 6. Vote Solar requests that the Court set aside the Orders, in whole or in part,
28 because Vote Solar’s substantial rights, and the substantial rights of its members, have been

1 prejudiced. The Commission's final decisions in these proceedings, as reflected in the Orders,
2 are:

3 (a) In violation of constitutional or statutory provisions;
4 (b) In excess of the statutory authority of the Commission;
5 (c) Made upon unlawful procedure;
6 (d) Affected by other error of law;
7 (e) Clearly erroneous in view of the reliable, probative and substantial evidence on the
8 whole record; and/or
9 (f) Arbitrary or capricious or characterized by abuse of discretion.

10 *See NRS 703.373(11).*

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1 WHEREFORE, Vote Solar respectfully requests that this Court review the Orders, the
2 record of the proceedings under review, and evidence concerning any procedural irregularities
3 and grant the following relief:

4 1. Enter an order vacating and setting aside the Orders, in whole or in part; and
5 2. Grant such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

7 **NRCP 7.1 DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

8 Petitioner Vote Solar, by and through undersigned counsel, hereby states that it has no 3
9 parent corporation and there is no publicly held corporation owning 10% or more of its stock.

11 **AFFIRMATION Pursuant to NRS 239B.030**

12 The undersigned hereby affirms that this Petition for Judicial Review does not contain
13 the social security number of any person, and acknowledges that upon filing any additional
14 documents, an affirmation will be provided only if the document does contain personal
15 information.

16 Dated: *November 26, 2025*

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