## ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing (the "Public Hearing") pursuant to Section 859-a(2) of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York (the "Act") will be held by the St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") on the 13th day of June, 2023 at 10:00 a.m., local time, in-person at the Town of Oswegatchie, Town Hall, 51 State Street (Meeting Room), Heuvelton, New York and via Zoom meeting. Instructions on how to join the Zoom meeting or how to attend in-person are posted on the Agency's website at <a href="www.slcida.com">www.slcida.com</a>. Members of the public may attend by viewing and commenting on the Project and the benefits to be granted to the Company (as defined below) by the Agency during the Public Hearing by logging into the Zoom meeting:

Topic: 2023-0613\_Public Hearing – Pivot Solar NY 10, LLC Time: June 13, 2023 10:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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PIVOT SOLAR NY 10 LLC, a New York limited liability company (the "Company"), has submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which Application is on file at the office of the Agency, which Application requested that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") consisting of: (A) the acquisition of a sub-leasehold interest in an approximately 33 acre parcel of land, being a portion of a 85.8 acre parcel of land, located at 5986 County Route 6, Town of Oswegatchie, St. Lawrence County, New York 13669 (the "Land"); (B) the construction on the Land of an approximately 33 acre 5.0 MWac ground-mounted photovoltaic solar energy system including panels, racking, inverters, electrical cables, grid interconnection, site preparation, access roads and any other required improvements (the "Improvements"); and (C) the acquisition and installation therein and thereon of related fixtures, machinery, equipment and other tangible personal property (collectively, the "Equipment" and, together with the Land and Improvements, the "Facility"), and (D) the sub sub-lease of the Issuer's interest in the Facility back to the Company pursuant to a project/leaseback agreement.

The Company will own a leasehold interest in the Facility from the current owner through a long-term lease. The Agency will acquire an interest in the Facility. The financial assistance contemplated by the Agency will consist generally of the exemption from taxation expected to be claimed by the Company as a result of the Agency taking an interest in, possession or control (by lease, license or otherwise) of the Facility, or of the Company acting as the agent of the Agency, consisting of (i) an exemption from mortgage recording taxes and (ii) an exemption from general real property taxation with respect to the Facility, which exemption shall be offset, in whole or in part, by contractual payments in lieu of taxes (the "PILOT") by the Company for the benefit of the affected tax jurisdictions.

A representative of the Agency will be at the above stated place and time to hear all persons with views in favor of or opposed to either the location or nature of the Facility, or the proposed financial assistance being contemplated by the Agency. At the hearing, all persons will have the opportunity to review the application for financial assistance filed by the Company with the Agency and an analysis of the costs and benefits of the proposed Project. In addition, at, or prior to, such hearing, interested parties may submit to the Agency written materials pertaining to such matters. Such materials may be submitted to the Agency at 19 Commerce Lane, Suite 1, Canton, New York 13617, or at <a href="mailto:rwilliams@slcida.com">rwilliams@slcida.com</a> and must be received no later than 10:00 am on day prior to Public Hearing. Written statements provided to the Agency regarding the project will also become part of the record of public hearing. A transcript of the public hearing will be made available at a later date.

Please check the meeting information posted on the Agency website (<u>www.slcida.com</u>) to access instructions to join the meeting and to find copies of the application and the cost benefit analysis.

DATED: May 19, 2023 ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY