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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to write a letter of recommendation for Solar Development, Inc (SDI) on behalf of the Reclamation District 108 (RD108).

The RD108 renewable energy plan called for the replacement of its PGE power source with a PhotoVoltaic (PV) solar system. RD108 requires over 900,000 KWH annually to operate irrigation pumps at Sycamore Slough Pumping Plant in Yolo County, California. RD108 sought a solar farm solution that would require a minimum use of productive farmland and could be installed within a narrow time window of 60 days. The installation window was restricted to avoid conflict with giant garter snake habitat construction windows and to ensure completion prior to the arrival of wet weather.

SDI installed a solar system size of 386.4 KW (DC) that generates about 812,000 kwh annually. It was composed of 30 dual axis Meca trackers to minimize the use of farm lands, with 56 Trina Solar 230 Watt PV modules on each tracker (total of 1,680 modules), a 333 KW Advanced Energy inverter, and a full web based monitoring system by Draker Laboratories.

RD108 was most impressed with the technical competence and tenacity of the SDI staff in completing this project. SDI met the challenge of a very short construction period (45days), including elevation of the entire project to deal with a 15 foot potential flood elevation.

SDI responded calmly and professionally to all emergencies, did not cut any corners, and was committed to delivering a quality product. With regards to product quality, their system design has exceeded the predicted power generation specifications.

I highly recommend SDI as a competent and reliable solar provider that will place your interest as a first priority, and will deliver a high quality product with great professionalism.

I will be pleased to answer any questions you may have about SDI.

Sincerely yours,

Lewis Bair

General Manager