

## microFIT PRESCRIBED FORM: Consent of Host Member to disclose personal information

To be completed if the Applicant includes a **Farm Co-operative**

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<b>TO:</b>	ONTARIO POWER AUTHORITY (the "OPA")
<b>LEGAL NAME OF APPLICANT(S):</b>	

**Each member of the Farm Co-operative that will host a microFIT Project (the "Host Member") must complete this Consent.**

**Capitalized terms not defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the microFIT Rules, Version 2.0 and the Eligible Participant Schedule, Version 2.0, as applicable.**

1. To ensure the integrity and proper operation of the microFIT Program, the OPA, the LDC(s) and the Ministry of Energy, and certain other Ontario government ministries require certain information about the Host Member and the proposed microFIT Project that is submitted in an Application and the microFIT Contract (if applicable).
2. The OPA, the LDC(s) and Ontario government ministries may need to obtain certain information, such as property identification information, property zoning or other land use information, and information to establish that the Host Member satisfies the requirements to be a Host Member, from third parties to confirm information provided by the Applicant or Supplier, as applicable, and to otherwise ensure the integrity of the microFIT Program and compliance with the terms of the microFIT Contract.
3. The OPA, the LDC(s) and Ontario government ministries may disclose information collected to each other and may collect information from one another for the purpose of the proper operation and management of the microFIT Program or the management of the microFIT Contracts.
4. The information on the Host Member that may be collected, used and possibly disclosed (for the purposes set forth herein), include without limitation, the Host Member's name, address, contact details (phone number, email address, for example), property ownership details, facility location, microFIT Program eligibility characteristics and details supporting the microFIT Project's compliance with the requirements under the Eligible Participant Schedule. Information that will be collected, used or shared will be limited to that which the OPA reasonably believes to be necessary to ensure proper management of the Application, the microFIT Contract, the microFIT Rules and the Eligible Participant Schedule (as applicable) and the integrity and proper operation of the microFIT Program, including without limitation, microFIT Program analysis, assessments, reporting, administrative, operational or planning purposes or for purposes of public awareness of the microFIT Program or similar programs for alternative electricity generation, electricity conservation or electricity generation technology, use or operations.
5. In addition, the OPA, the LDC(s) and Ontario government ministries may need to obtain certain information, such as property ownership information, relevant Property Identification Numbers, and property zoning or other land use information to establish compliance with the Eligible Participant Schedule and to otherwise ensure the integrity of the microFIT Program, the Application and the microFIT Contract (as applicable). To facilitate proper municipal and land use planning, the OPA and the LDC(s) may disclose details of the Application including the proposed facility's location and project size to the municipality(ies) in which the microFIT Project is to be located, or if the microFIT Project is to be located on "reserve lands" or "special reserves" as set out in the *Indian Act* (Canada) to the "band council" for such reserve in which the microFIT Project is situated.
6. The undersigned:
  - a. is a Host Member with respect to the Applicant(s), and holds, solely or together with one or more Eligible Participants, all legal and beneficial title to the property on which the microFIT Project is located;
  - b. acknowledges the collection, use and disclosure/sharing of information as set forth herein;
  - c. consents to such collection, use and disclosure/sharing of information as described in this Consent (together with the terms set out in the OPA's Privacy Policy which can be accessed on the OPA's website: <http://www.powerauthority.on.ca/privacy-policy>) and to being contacted by the OPA, the LDC(s) or Ontario government ministries for verification purposes or other purposes associated with the Application, microFIT Contract and microFIT Rules; and

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- d. waives any claim, defence or other action against the OPA, the LDC(s), the Government of Ontario (and all of the Ministries therein) as well as the municipality(ies) to which the information is shared, as a result of or related to the collection, use or disclosure and sharing of such information as provided herein or as otherwise set forth in the OPA's Privacy Policy.

**DATED** the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

By:

Signature

Name:	
Address:	
Phone Number:	
Email Address:	