

APPENDIX A

CONFLICT OF INTEREST CERTIFICATION AND DISCLOSURE FORM

As defined in the Pedernales Electric Cooperative, Inc. Conflict of Interest Policy (Policy), the undersigned Official states:

1. I affirm that I have received or have access to, have read, and understand the most current version of the Policy;
2. I agree to comply with the Policy;
3. Based upon my good faith belief, to the best of my knowledge, and except as disclosed below, I certify that I currently comply with the Policy;
4. I disclose in the space provided below the following information or facts regarding any Potential Conflict or any actual income, employment, compensation, Conflicting Interest Transaction, Business Opportunity, or pecuniary benefit, or other information or fact that could impact my compliance with the Policy. (If you have no Potential or actual information or facts to disclosure, state "None to Disclose" in the space provided below.)

- Board Director, BitNile Metaverse, Inc (formerly
EcoArk Holdings)

→ Publicly traded company with subsidiaries
involved in energy and bitcoin mining

5. Upon discovering any information or fact regarding any Potential Conflict or any actual income, employment, compensation, Conflicting Interest Transaction, Business Opportunity, or pecuniary benefit, or other information or fact, that could impact my compliance, or another Official's compliance, with the Policy, I agree to disclose this information or fact to the Cooperative's Board President or Chief Executive Officer; and

Upon not complying with the Policy, I agree to any sanction, disqualification, removal, or other action taken under the Policy, consistent with law and the Cooperative Bylaws.

Printed Name of Official: Emily Pataki

Position of Official: Board Director D 2

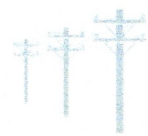
Date: June 16, 2023

Signature of Official: Emily Pataki

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Affirmation
Directors' Code of Conduct

I, the undersigned, have received, and will comply with PEC's Directors' Code of Conduct. I have had the opportunity to ask questions and understand PEC's Directors' Code of Conduct.

Emily L Pataki
Signature

Emily Pataki
Printed name

June 16, 2023
Date

PEDERNALES ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Director Affirmation

Emily Pataki
Signature

June 16, 2023
Date

Emily Pataki
Print Name

STATE OF TEXAS §
 §
COUNTY OF BLANCO §

This instrument was acknowledged before me on June 16, 2023
by Emily Pataki.

Susanne G. Greeneth
Signature

Legal Assistant 2
Title
Notary Public, State of Texas

My commission expires: May 28, 2025

