Project name: Project Cider Borrower: CIDER SOLAR ACQUISITIONCO LLC Borrower's Shareholder: Greenbacker Renewable Energy Company Sector: Power Generation Country: USA Financial Product: Project Finance Equator Principles category: B

## **Project description**

The Project regards the construction and operation of Hecate Energy Cider Solar LLC ("Cider" or the "Project"), a 500 MW solar farm in Genesee County, New York. Once constructed the Project will be the largest solar project in New York State

## Summary of Key Environmental Impacts and Risks

The project has been developing in a Designated Country. The Environmental and Social due diligence by the independent consultant assigns a Category B, since while the project has environmental impacts, they are largely contained to the project construction/phase, and the Borrower is required through its authorizations and other permits to implement mitigation measures, as indicated in the ESDD, to reduce the level of significance of these impacts to a relatively low level, and to report on the compliance to regulatory agencies.