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**Pod Generating Group
Awarded Additional Ontario Solar Power Supply Contracts**

Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Canada, December 7th, 2007 – Pod Generating Group, a developer of utility-scale solar power generating facilities, today announced the award of four Renewable Energy Standard Offer Contracts with the Ontario Power Authority (OPA). The four new 10 megawatt (MW) solar projects will be located in the city of Sault Ste. Marie in Northern Ontario near Pod Generating Group's first two 10 MW facilities and will connect to local utility PUC Distribution, Inc.

"As a result of our government's efforts to develop cleaner energy for Ontarians, today's announcement will bring the largest solar farm in Canada to Sault Ste. Marie," said David Oraziotti, Member of Provincial Parliament. "Pod Generating Group should be commended for their innovative renewable energy project and I look forward to continuing to work with the company to create additional economic development opportunities for our community."

Steve Butland, former Minister of Parliament for Sault Ste. Marie, former Mayor of Sault Ste. Marie and leading proponent of renewable energy in the city, commented, "Should the momentum of this initiative continue, it shall establish Sault Ste. Marie as a model for North American cities in alternative energies".

"The additional four solar units, each 10 MW in size, that the Pod Generating Group will be installing increases the amount of solar powered electricity that will be connected to the PUC Distribution grid to 60 MW. This will be the largest amount of solar power connected to a distribution network in Canada." said Brian Curran, CEO of PUC Distribution, Inc. "PUC Distribution will be working closely with the Pod Generating Group to ensure the solar units can be connected on schedule to the electrical grid."

For each of the four new 10MW solar facilities, Pod Generating Group was awarded a 20 year power purchase agreement (PPA) under the OPA's Renewable Energy Standard Offer Program (RESOP). Together, the four new facilities and the two already under development in Sault Ste. Marie represent an investment of over \$300 million dollars and will be built, maintained and owned by Pod Generating Group. Local jobs will be created for construction, operations and maintenance of the new solar facilities, which are scheduled to be operational by end of 2009. Pod Generating Group's six solar facilities will provide power for up to 21,000 Ontario homes, generating their peak power during the middle of the day, a time of highest demand on the local power grid.

David Livingston, CEO of Pod Generating Group, commented, "As a team, we continue to be impressed by Ontario's commitment to develop clean, renewable power generation. The solar power facilities that we are putting into operation in Sault Ste. Marie are showing what a dedicated group of individuals can do to meet the environmental challenges facing Canada and the world."

Glen Martin, President and Chief Operating Officer of Pod Generating Group and a native of Sault Ste. Marie, added, "Pod Generating Group is looking forward to working with the Honourable Gerry Phillips, Ontario's new Minister of Energy, and key member of Premier Dalton McGuinty's new cabinet, to create a province-wide renewable power generation network and establish the Province of Ontario as a leading light in the area of solar power."

"The announcement today by the Pod Generating Group is important news not only for our community but Northern Ontario and the entire province," said Tom Vair, Executive Director, Sault Ste. Marie Innovation Centre. "The approval for an additional 40MW of solar power presents tremendous opportunities for the deployment and further advancement of solar technology. We look forward to continuing our work with Pod Generating Group as they advance on this, and future projects in Ontario."

Development Sault Ste. Marie, a division of the Sault Ste. Marie Economic Development Corporation, continues to be part of a great team working directly with Pod Generating Group on this solar initiative. "We are extremely excited in this solar announcement as we continue to strive towards being the leaders in alternative energy", says John Febbraro, Director of Industrial Marketing. "This 40 MW addition to the 20 MW announced a few months ago makes this the largest solar energy project to date in Canada and by far clearly establishes Sault Ste. Marie as a world leader in energy diversification. Development Sault Ste. Marie will continue to work closely with Pod Generating Group to ensure their requirements continue to be addressed."

About Pod Generating Group

Pod Generating Group is one of Canada's leading independent utility-scale solar power generators. Based in Sault Ste. Marie, Pod Generating Group is dedicated to working with local communities to develop clean and renewable power for all Ontarians.

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