

Between

Renewable Energy Assurance Ltd (“REAL”)

and

Green Solar World Limited (“the Code Member”)

CONSENT ORDER

(This document is a summary of the original Consent Order)

Terms of Consent Order

The RECC Executive, on behalf of REAL, invited the Code Member to agree to a Consent Order on the following terms:

From the date on which the Consent Order is signed by the Code Member:

1. *The Code Member agrees that where it enters into any sub-contract agreement(s) to carry out the installation work for any contract which falls within the scope of the [Renewable Energy Consumer Code (“the Code”)], it will only enter into such sub-contract agreement(s) where the sub-contractor is:*
 - a. *A member of a Chartered Trading Standards Institute approved Code; and*
 - b. *MCS accredited for the relevant technology being installed.*

Since the Code’s requirements in relation to sub-contracting may change in the future, by signing this Consent Order the Code Member confirms that it will also comply with the Code’s requirements, as amended from time to time, in relation to sub-contracting.

The Code Member further agrees that:

2. *The Code Member will not generate MCS certificates using its own MSC user account, for installation work completed under any sub-contract agreement(s) for contracts which fall within the scope of the Code, where another business holds the consumer’s contract.*

The Code Member signed the Consent Order on **13 January 2017** and agreed to all terms.

Summary of information received

The Code Member was invited to agree to the Consent Order as the following information had been received from the sources identified below.

Issue	Source	Code Breaches
1. Code Member generated MCS certificates using its own MCS user account for contracts held by another business	Audit on 3 June 2016	Code Section 2.4
2. Code Member sub-contracted to carry out installations for businesses which were not MCS certified	Audit on 3 June 2016	Section 6.1.1
3. Code Member brought the Code into disrepute	Audit on 3 June 2016	Section 4

The information received gave the RECC Executive reasonable grounds to consider that provisions of the Code had been breached. The RECC Executive considers that a) generating MCS certificates for contracts held another company, b) carrying out installation works under subcontracts for businesses who are not MCS certified and/or members of a Chartered Trading Standards Institute approved Code, and c) bringing the Code into disrepute are serious breaches of the Code.

Review of the Code Member's Response

The Code Member was given an opportunity to respond to the information received. The response indicated that the Code Member now understands the Code's requirements regarding sub-contracting and the Code Member further assured the RECC Executive that it would not continue to carry out work contrary to the Code's sub-contracting requirements.

Following a review of the Code Member's response, and the other information available to it, the RECC Executive considered that a Consent Order requiring the Code Member to take certain action and to desist from taking certain action was necessary in order to ensure the Code Member's future compliance with the Code. The request for the Code Member to agree to the Consent Order was made in accordance with clauses 7.5.2 and 8 of the Bye-Laws.