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Sep 16, 2014 - Finnish firm Poyry PLC (HEL:POY1V) said today it had won an engineering services contract from Energy Absolute PCL (BKK:EA) for a 130-MW direct current (DC) solar project in Thailand's northern province of Lampang.

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The renewable engineering consultancy will offer technical assistance during the construction of the EA Solar Lampang photovoltaic (PV) project and will also be monitoring its operations once the plant is completed later this year.

The project will consist of some 424,800 solar panels installed on a mounting structure with a single-axis tracking system. It will be able to generate about 207 GWh of electricity per year.

Poyry did not say how much the contract is worth. It noted that EA Solar Lampang will be the largest PV plant in Asia that incorporates a tracking system.

Last month, the Bangkok Post cited Energy Absolute's CFO, Amorn Saphaweekul, as saying that the company intends to pour about THB 46 billion (USD 1.49bn/EUR 1.15) into 570 MW of renewable energy projects in the next three years, including 180 MW of solar parks.

(THB 10 = USD 0.310/EUR 0.240)

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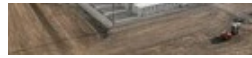
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