FIRST SOLAR, INC. Form DEFA14A April 10, 2013

#### **UNITED STATES**

### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## **SCHEDULE 14A**

| Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of                                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| First Solar, Inc.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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