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July 5, 2016

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street, 2nd Floor, Room-N201
Harrisburg, PA 17120

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**RE: Letter Petition of Direct Energy Business, LLC for Continuation of 5%
Reduction in Security Requirements; Docket No. A-110025**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Please accept this Letter Petition on behalf of Direct Energy Business, LLC ("Direct Energy") to renew its required level of financial security at the reduced level of 5%. Direct Energy's current required level of financial security was initially approved by the Commission through its Secretarial Letter dated October 5, 2015 at the above referenced docket number. This request is made consistent with the directives of the Secretarial Letter issued on April 8, 2016 at Docket No. M-2013-2393141.

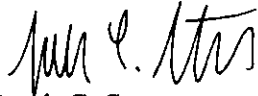
Please find the following information and documentation in support of Direct Energy's Letter Petition:

- 1) Direct Energy's gross receipts in Pennsylvania for the four most-recent quarters attached hereto as Appendix A (**CONFIDENTIAL**); and
- 2) Direct Energy is current with its tax liabilities to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and is providing the Tax Status Letter from the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue attached hereto as Appendix B (**CONFIDENTIAL**).

Enclosed please find a verification attesting to the truthfulness of facts set forth in Direct Energy's request. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$350.00 for the required filing fee for this Letter Petition. The statutory advocates, the Commission's Bureau of Investigation & Enforcement, the Office of Attorney General, the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue and pertinent electric distribution companies have been served with a copy of this Letter Petition as evidenced by the enclosed Certificate of Service.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Sarah C. Stoner

Enclosures

cc: Stephen Jakab, Bureau of Technical Utility Services (with appendices)
Certificate of Service (without appendices)

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VERIFICATION

I, Diana Burckhart, state that I am a Senior Specialist, Government and Regulatory Affairs for Direct Energy Services, LLC. I hereby verify that I am authorized to and do make this Verification for Direct Energy Business, LLC, and that the facts set forth in the foregoing Letter Petition are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that I expect to be able to prove the same at any hearing in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

6/28/16
Date



Diana Burckhart
Senior Specialist - Government and Regulatory Affairs
Direct Energy Services, LLC

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that this day I served a copy of Direct Energy's Letter Petition for Continuation in 5% Reduction in Security Requirements upon the persons listed below in the manner indicated in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code Section 1.54.

Via First Class Mail

Office of Consumer Advocate
555 Walnut Street
5th Floor Forum Place
Harrisburg, PA 17101-1923

Manager Energy Acquisition
PECO Energy Company
2301 Market Street
Philadelphia, PA 19101-8699

Office of Attorney General
Office of Consumer Protection
14th Floor Strawberry Square
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Legal Department
Attn: Paul Russell
PPL
Two North Ninth Street
Allentown, PA 18108-1179

Office of Small Business Advocate
Commerce Building, Suite 202
300 North Second Street
Harrisburg, PA 17101

UGI Utilities, Inc.
Attn: Rates Dept. – Choice Coordinator
2525 N. 12th Street, Suite 360
Post Office Box 12677
Reading, PA 19612-2677

Legal Department
West Penn Power d/b/a Allegheny Power
800 Cabin Hill Drive
Greensburg, PA 15601-1689

Director of Customer Energy Services
Orange and Rockland Company
390 West Route 59
Spring Valley, NY 10977-5300

Regulatory Affairs
Duquesne Light Company
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Pittsburgh, PA 15219

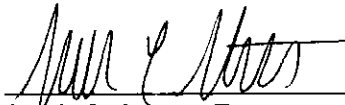
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Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
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Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

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Legal Department
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Reading, PA 19612

Pennsylvania Department of Revenue
Bureau of Compliance
Fourth and Walnut Streets
First Floor, Strawberry Square
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Citizens' Electric Company
Attn: EGS Coordination
1775 Industrial Boulevard
Lewisburg, PA 17837

Wellsboro Electric Company
Attn: EGS Coordination
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