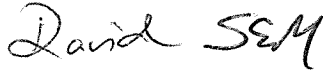


STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Inter-Department Communication

DATE: May 31, 2013
AT (OFFICE): NHPUC



FROM: David Goyette, Utility Analyst III

SUBJECT: DM 13-027 Twin Cities Power, LLC d/b/a Town Square Energy
Extension of Application Period for Registration as a Competitive
Electric Power Supplier

TO: Commission
Debra Howland, Executive Director

On February 7, 2013 Twin Cities Power, LLC d/b/a Town Square Energy (Town Square) requested an extension, to May 7, 2013, of the review period for its application to register as a competitive electric power supplier. Town Square explained that it had changed software service providers and, as a consequence, EDI testing with utilities was not yet completed. On May 13, 2013, Town Square requested a second extension, until June 30, 2013, for its application review period. Town Square stated it was awaiting the conclusion of EDI testing and also, that it would provide surety bond information when it provided proof of EDI testing.

On May 23, 2013, Staff phoned Town Square to determine the status of the remaining application issues. Town Square informed Staff that it was waiting to be scheduled for EDI testing by two utilities. On May 24, Staff emailed the two utilities to find out what might be causing the delay with scheduling EDI testing for Town Square. Each of the utilities responded that day, the first stating Town Square was scheduled for EDI testing on May 31, 2013, the second that testing would take place during the week of June 3, 2013. On May 24, 2013, Town Square emailed Staff that it had been scheduled for EDI testing by the utilities.

Based on the responses from the utilities and from Town Square that EDI testing would take place within the next two weeks, Staff recommends approval of Town Square's request for an extension of its application period, until June 30, 2013.