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September 16, 2011

Mr. Louis A. Frate CEO Patriot Energy Group, Inc. 1 Rounder Way, Suite 200 Burlington, MA 01803

## Re: DM 11-156, Patriot Energy Group, Inc., Renewal Registration to Provide Natural Gas Aggregation Services

Dear Mr. Frate:

On July 18, 2011, Patriot Energy Group, Inc. (Patriot Energy Group) filed with the Commission an application for renewal of its registration as a natural gas aggregator, together with the renewal application fee of \$125.00; this filing was updated by a letter dated September 16, 2011 (sent electronically).

The Commission has reviewed the renewal application for registration as a natural gas aggregator and has determined that it meets the requirements for registration pursuant to N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 3003.05. The Commission will approve the registration with an effective date of September 17, 2011, which coincides with the expiration of the existing registration for Patriot Energy Group. The renewal registration will expire at the end of business on September 16, 2016.

Additionally, please bear in mind that, pursuant to N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 3003.05 (a), each aggregator shall re-register with the Commission by filing an application for renewal at least 60 days prior to the expiration of its registration, i.e., in the case of Patriot Energy Group, on or before July 18, 2016. Please file a timely renewal application. Registration instructions and a checklist of requirements to properly file a renewal registration application are located on the Commission website at

http://www.puc.nh.gov/Gas-Steam/CNGS-

Aggregator%20registration%20application%20instructions%20and%20checklist.pdf.

All registered Natural Gas Aggregators in the State of New Hampshire are subject to specific requirements spelled out in N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 3000 – Competitive Natural

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Gas Supplier and Aggregator Rules. These rules can be found on our website at (<u>http://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Rules/PUC3000.pdf</u>). If you have any questions regarding these provisions, please contact the Commission. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

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