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Caleb Gaddes
CleanChoice Energy, Inc.
1528 Walnut St., 22nd Floor
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Re: DM 21-025, CleanChoice Energy, Inc.
Application to Renew Registration as a Competitive Electric Power Supplier

Dear Mr. Gaddes:

On February 12, 2021, CleanChoice Energy, Inc. (CleanChoice) filed an application to renew its registration as a competitive electric power supplier (CEPS).

Commission Staff filed a memorandum on May 21, 2021 that summarizes the filings made by CleanChoice in connection with its renewal registration application and Staff's analysis of the application materials submitted. Staff recommended that CleanChoice's registration renewal application be approved, pursuant to N.H. Admin. R., Puc 2003.02(c)(1), for a renewal term of three years, for service to large commercial and industrial customers only, in the franchise areas of Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (Eversource), Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty (Liberty), and Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. (Unitil).

CleanChoice's application for renewal of its registration as a CEPS authorized to serve large commercial and industrial customers only and to operate in the franchise areas of Eversource, Liberty, and Unitil, is approved for a three-year term beginning on April 15, 2021 and ending at the close of business on April 15, 2024, under Puc 2003.02(c)(1). Pursuant to Puc 2003.02(b), CleanChoice must submit its renewal application at least 60 days prior to the expiration of the approved registration period, on or before February 15, 2024.

Prior to serving any residential or small commercial customers in New Hampshire, CleanChoice must file an update to its registration, including contract terms and conditions and an updated application containing current complaint information, for Commission review and approval.

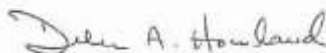
Please be aware that registered CEPS are subject to specific requirements contained in Puc 2000 - Competitive Electric Power Supplier and Aggregator Rules. These rules are available at: <http://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Rules/PUC2000.pdf>. In particular, note that, under Puc 2003.03(e), if a CEPS's financial security instrument will not be renewed or extended beyond its expiration date, it must (1) provide written notice to the Commission of such non-renewal or non-extension no less than 60 days prior to the expiration date, and (2) file with the Executive Director a replacement financial security instrument meeting the requirements of the rules no less than 30 days prior to the expiration date, and that, under Puc 2003.03(f), a CEPS that fails to comply with the requirement to file a replacement financial security instrument is subject to fines, suspension, or revocation pursuant to Puc 2005.

Please also note that each CEPS authorized to serve new customers must input into a shopping comparison website, maintained by the Commission, information regarding its standard pricing policies, charges, and key terms for residential and small commercial customers. This information must be updated whenever it changes, but no less frequently than once per month. These requirements are intended to comply with RSA 374-F:4-b, II and Puc 2004.03(a). Following its initial registration, each CEPS will be sent by electronic mail a link to the website through which it must input the required information.

In addition, all CEPS must comply with the renewable portfolio standard (RPS) requirements of RSA 362-F. The RPS obligation applies to every "provider of electricity," as defined in RSA 362-F:2, XIV, which includes registered CEPS. Please also refer to the Puc 2500 rules for further details regarding RPS compliance and reporting requirements. RPS compliance is on a calendar year basis and must be reported to the Commission by July 1 of the subsequent calendar year.

Pursuant to RSA 378:49 and Puc 2004.05, all CEPS also must comply with the requirement to disclose environmental characteristics of the electricity they sell to retail customers.

Sincerely,



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