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March 9, 2012

Debra A. Howland, Executive Director, and Secretary  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10  
Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

Subject: DM06-017, Competitive Energy Services, LLC  
Renewal Registration as a Natural Gas Aggregator



Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed you will find our Application for Re-Registration as Natural Gas Aggregator in the State of New Hampshire. We have included an electronic version (PDF format) on a CD. Also enclosed are copies of the notice of application which have been mailed to the appropriate natural gas suppliers.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have questions.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bearl S. Keith".

Bearl S. Keith  
Business Manager



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# Competitive Energy SERVICES

## Application for Re-Registration as Natural Gas Aggregator

A. Legal Name: Competitive Energy Services, LLC  
Trade Name:

B. Address: 148 Middle Street, Suite 506  
Portland, ME 04101

Principal place of business: 148 Middle Street, Suite 506  
Portland, ME 04101

Telephone Number: 207-772-6190

Facsimile Number: 207-772-6320

Email Address: [misaacson@energymaine.com](mailto:misaacson@energymaine.com)

Website: [www.competitive-energy.com](http://www.competitive-energy.com)

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| C. Principal Officers: | Mark Isaacson, Member<br>148 Middle Street, Suite 506<br>Portland, ME 04101<br>Tel: 207-772-6190<br>Fax: 207-772-6320 | Richard H. Silkman, Member<br>148 Middle Street, Suite 506<br>Portland, ME 04101<br>Tel: 207-772-6190<br>Fax: 207-772-6320 |
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D. Customer Service Telephone Number: 207-772-6190 or 1-866-408-4591  
Facsimile Number: 207-772-6320

E. A copy of the authorization to do business in New Hampshire from the Secretary of State is attached.

- F. Competitive Energy Services, LLC intends to provide aggregation services in the following LDC franchise areas or towns:

National Grid NH  
NH Gas Corporation  
Unitil/Northern Utilities Inc.

- G. Verification that CES is not representing any supplier interest:

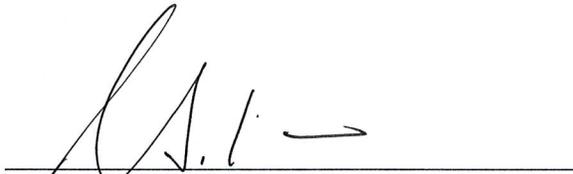
CES conducts a competitive bid process among suppliers. While CES' compensation is included in the price quoted by the suppliers, this rate is disclosed to the customer and is the same across all suppliers. CES operates as a customer representative.



Mark Isaacson, Member

3/9/2012

Date



Richard H. Silkman, Member

3/9/12

Date

State of New Hampshire  
Department of State

CERTIFICATE

I, William M. Gardner, Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby certify that Competitive Energy Services, LLC, a(n) Maine limited liability company registered to do business in New Hampshire on December 24, 2001. I further certify that it is in good standing as far as this office is concerned, having filed the annual report(s) and paid the fees required by law.



In TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Seal of the State of New Hampshire, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, A.D. 2012

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "William M. Gardner".

William M. Gardner  
Secretary of State

# State of New Hampshire

## Department of State

Corporation Division

Concord Tel. 603-271-3244



Location: State House Annex - 3rd floor  
Mailing address: State House, Room 204  
107 North Main Street  
Concord, N.H. 03301-4989  
HELP LINE TDD ACCESS: RELAY N.H. 1-800-735-2964

RE: REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Enclosed is the copy of the application for registration that signifies the beginning of your limited liability company's authority to do business in New Hampshire. A certificate of authorization with a State seal is available for the fee of \$5.00 payable in advance to the State of New Hampshire.

Your limited liability company is required to file an annual report beginning the year after the date of registration (unless the date of registration was on or after December 1). Due with the annual report will be a report fee of \$100.00. A late fee of \$50.00 must be paid for reports filed after April 15. THE CORPORATION DIVISION SENDS ANNUAL REPORT FORMS IN JANUARY OF EACH YEAR TO THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY OR AN ADDRESS YOU SPECIFY. HOWEVER, IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO OBTAIN A REPORT FOR FILING. IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE A REPORT FORM, YOU SHOULD CONTACT THE CORPORATION DIVISION TO REQUEST ONE.

If your limited liability company's name or state or country of formation changes, you should file an application for an amended registration (form FLLC 2; fee \$15.00). You must also file a form LLC 2 with us if your registered agent or registered office changes (fee \$15).

Forms and information to cancel the limited liability company's registration are available upon request. Foreign limited liability companies that do not file annual reports and/or pay fees for one year are automatically suspended.

Feel free to contact the Corporation Division for any further information on requirements or our procedures.

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FOR INFORMATION REGARDING BUSINESS TAXES CONTACT:

N.H. DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION  
TAXPAYER ASSISTANCE  
PO BOX 457  
CONCORD NH 03301  
TEL. (603) 271-2191

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mailed to NH

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Fee for Form FLLC 1-A: \$ 50.00  
Filing fee: \$200.00  
Total fees \$250.00  
Use black print or type.  
Leave 1" margins both sides.

Form No. FLLC 1  
RSA 304-C:64 or  
RSA 304-D:16

**FILED**

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS A  
FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

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WILLIAM M. GARDNER  
NEW HAMPSHIRE  
SECRETARY OF STATE

TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LAWS, THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY APPLIES FOR REGISTRATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, AND FOR THAT PURPOSE SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:

FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is \_\_\_\_\_  
Competitive Energy Services, LLC

SECOND: The name which it proposes to register and do business in New Hampshire is \_\_\_\_\_  
Competitive Energy Services, LLC

THIRD: It is formed under the laws of \_\_\_\_\_ the State of Maine

FOURTH: The date of its formation is \_\_\_\_\_ February 25, 2000

FIFTH: The nature of the business or purposes to be conducted or promoted in New Hampshire are to carry on any business permitted by the laws of the State of New Hampshire to a company organized under the New Hampshire Revised Statutes, including but not limited to services related to the aggregate electricity users.

SIXTH: The name of its registered agent in New Hampshire is \_\_\_\_\_  
Christopher P. Reid, Esq. \_\_\_\_\_ and the complete address (including zip code and post office box, if any) of its registered office in New Hampshire is (agent's business address) Preti, Flaherty, Beliveau, Pachios & Haley, LLC  
Sixteen Center Street  
Concord, NH 03301-6321

(limited liability company name)

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SEVENTH: (Complete this statement only if a Professional Limited Liability Company.) All the members and managers and those of its officers as required by the laws of (enter the state of formation) \_\_\_\_\_ and by RSA 304-D:12 are licensed in one or more states, territories of the United States or the District of Columbia to render a professional service described in the statement of purpose of the professional limited liability company.

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Dated October 31, \_\_\_\_\_, 2001

Competitive Energy Services, LLC  
(Exact name of limited liability company)

\*   
(Signature)

Co-Managers  
(Title)

Mark Isaacson and Richard Silkman  
(Type or print name of person signing)

Complete address of person signing:

Competitive Energy Services, LLC  
148 Middle Street  
Portland, Maine 04101

\* MUST BE SIGNED BY A MANAGER OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. IF NO MANAGER, IT MUST BE SIGNED BY A MEMBER. (If the limited liability company is in the hands of a receiver, executor, or other court appointed fiduciary, trustee, or other fiduciary, it must be signed by that fiduciary.)

Mail total fees of \$250.00, DATED AND SIGNED ORIGINAL AND ONE EXACT OR CONFORMED COPY, CERTIFICATE OF EXISTENCE OR DOCUMENT OF SIMILAR IMPORT ISSUED BY THE STATE OR COUNTRY OF FORMATION AND FORM FLLC I-A to: Secretary of State, State House, Room 204, 107 North Main Street, Concord, NH 03301-4989

ADDENDUM TO APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

STATEMENT PURSUANT TO NH RSA 42I-B:11, II

FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY NAME: Competitive Energy Services, LLC

BUSINESS ADDRESS: 148 Middle Street, Portland, Maine 04101

CONTACT PERSON: Mark Isaacson TELEPHONE NUMBER: 772-6190

CONTACT PERSON ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT):

I (We) hereby certify that the membership interests of the company have been registered under RSA 421-B, the New Hampshire Uniform Securities Act ("the Act"); or, when offered will be registered under the Act; or are or when offered will be exempted from registration under the Act; or are or when offered will be offered in a transaction exempted from registration under the Act; or are not securities under the Act.

CHECK EITHER ITEM 1 OR 2 BELOW

1) If the company WILL NOT offer or sell securities in New Hampshire, check this line: X

2) If the company WILL offer its securities for sale in the State of New Hampshire and its securities are or will be registered or exempt from registration requirements under the Act, check this line:

(For assistance with questions relating to securities only, call the Bureau of Securities Regulation at (603) 271-1463. For all other questions, call the Corporation Division at (603) 271-3244.

COMPLETE THIS CERTIFICATION - ORIGINAL MUST BE FILED

I (We) certify that the person(s) signing this form includes all the limited liability company member(s) (unless individual member(s) or manager(s) are authorized to execute this document), and that the foregoing is true and complete to the best of my (our) knowledge.

Name (print): Mark Isaacson

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Name (print): Richard Silkman

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Name (print):

Signature:

Name (print):

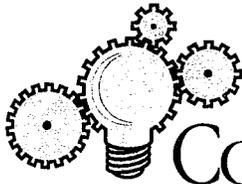
Signature:

Name (print):

Signature: \*1

Date: October 31, 2001

\*1 - Use additional sheet of paper if there are more than five signatures.



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# Competitive Energy SERVICES

March 9, 2012

Unitil/Northern Utilities Inc.  
6 Liberty Lane West  
Hampton, NH 03842-1720

Subject: NH Natural Gas Aggregator Re-Registration

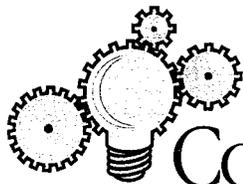
Dear Sirs:

In accordance with PUC 3003.02 of the New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules, this will advise you that Competitive Energy Services, LLC is filing an application with the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission for re-registration as a natural gas aggregator in your service territory. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

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New Hampshire Gas Corporation  
32 Central Square  
P. O. Box 438  
Keene, NH 03431

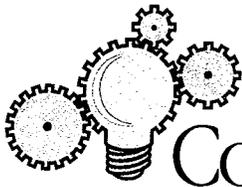
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Waltham, MA 02451

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