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May 2, 2012

Mr. Mark Issacson, Member  
Competitive Energy Services, LLC  
148 Middle St., Suite 506  
Portland, ME 04101

Re: DM 12-081, Competitive Energy Services, LLC  
Renewal Registration to Provide Natural Gas Aggregation Services

Dear Mr. Issacson:

On March 16, 2012, Competitive Energy Services, LLC (Competitive) filed with the Commission an application for renewal of its registration as a natural gas aggregator; this filing was updated, together with the renewal application fee of \$125.00, on April 2, 2012. Following its review of the filing, Commission Staff has determined that the renewal application for registration as a natural gas aggregator meets the requirements for registration pursuant to N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 3003.05. On April 30, 2012, Staff filed its recommendation to approve the application. The Commission will approve the registration with an effective date of May 16, 2012, which coincides with the expiration of the existing registration for Competitive. The renewal registration will expire at the end of business on May 15, 2017.

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 Competitive, on or before March 15, 2017. Please be sure to 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 Gas Supplier and Aggregator Rules. These rules can be found on our website at (<http://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Rules/PUC3000.pdf>). If you have any questions regarding these provisions, please contact the Commission. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director

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