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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
Keystone Building, 400 North Street  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Room N201  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**RE: In the Matter of Application of TFS Energy Solutions, LLC d/b/a Tradition Energy  
To Furnish Natural Gas Supply Services (Broker) in the Commonwealth of  
Pennsylvania - Docket Number: A-2013-2368622**

Dear Ms. Chiavetta:

In connection with the Natural Gas Supplier License Application for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on behalf of TFS Energy Solutions, LLC d/b/a Tradition Energy, enclosed please waiver letters of bonding/credit requirements from the following natural gas distribution companies:

1. Philadelphia Gas Works; and
2. Equitable Gas.

Please contact the undersigned at [lauren.zinman@tradition.com](mailto:lauren.zinman@tradition.com) or (203) 391-2253 if you have any questions. Thank you in advance for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lauren Zinman".

Lauren Bauer Zinman, Esq.

cc: Lee Yalcin (via email at [lyalcin@pa.gov](mailto:lyalcin@pa.gov))

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**Philadelphia Gas Works**



Raymond M. Snyder – Vice President, Gas Management  
800 W. Montgomery Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19122  
Telephone: (215) 684-6405 Fax: (215) 684-6602

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Lauren Bauer Zinman, Esquire  
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Tradition Energy  
680 Washington Blvd.  
Stamford, CT 06901

Re: Security Requirement Bond for Tradition Energy

Dear Mrs. Zinman:

Philadelphia Gas Works ("PGW") is aware that Tradition Energy has filed an application with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to supply natural gas services to the public in Pennsylvania and specifically within the services territory of Philadelphia Gas Works.

As you know, in making such an application, Tradition Energy must furnish acceptable security to each utility where Tradition Energy will do business. As such, under its tariff, Philadelphia Gas Works could require Tradition Energy to provide a bond or other financial security instrument in an amount that Philadelphia Gas Works determines to be appropriate.

However, you have indicated, and it is Philadelphia Gas Works' understand, that Tradition Energy intends only to provide natural gas aggregating, brokering and consulting services at this time. You have stated that, in performing these services, Tradition Energy, will never take title to any delivered natural gas.

Based upon your representations, Philadelphia Gas Works has determined that, at this time, Tradition Energy does not need to post a bond or other form of security to operate in its service territory. If the services provided by Tradition Energy should change, Philadelphia Gas Works reserves the right to require security from Tradition Energy as it deems appropriate.

If you have any questions concerning the foregoing, please contact me at (215) 684-6405.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Raymond M. Snyder", is written over the typed name.

Raymond M. Snyder  
Vice President  
Gas Management

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Dear Ms. Zinman:

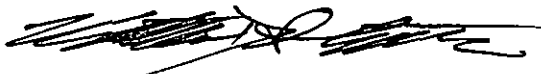
We are pleased that Tradition Energy ("TE") has applied for a license to provide natural gas broker/marketer services on the distribution system of Equitable Gas Company, LLC ("Equitable").

TE has indicated only brokering and consulting services will be provided. Therefore, we have determined at this time that TE does not need a bond or other financial security requirement to provide these services to Equitable's customers.

If the creditworthiness requirement or Equitable's exposure to TE changes in the future, Equitable may deem it appropriate to require TE to provide a bond or other financial instrument.

Should you have any additional questions or concerns regarding a bond or other financial security instruments of Equitable, please do not hesitate to contact me at (412) 395-3370.

Sincerely,



Matthew D. Stanczak  
Director, Process Improvement

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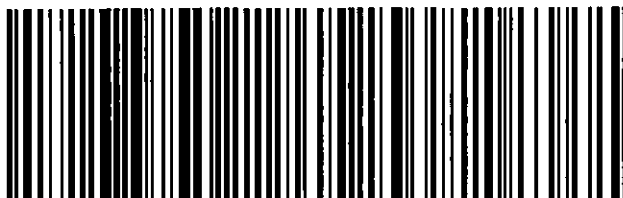
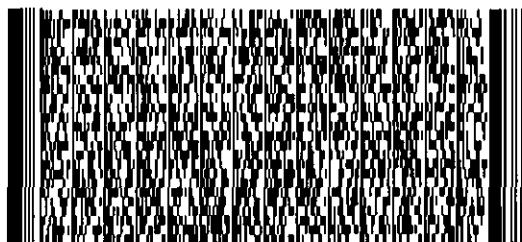
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