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April 25, 2005

James J. McNulty, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street, 2nd Floor Harrisburg, PA 17120



VIA HAND DELIVERY

RE: Application of Commerce Energy, Inc., for Approval to Offer, Render, Furnish, or Supply Natural Gas Service as a Natural Gas Supplier to the Public in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; Docket No. A-125138

Dear Secretary McNulty:

On April 19, 2005, the Bureau of Fixed Utility Services ("FUS") of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("PUC" or "Commission") requested additional information from Commerce Energy, Inc. ("CEI"), regarding the Application referenced in the above-captioned proceeding. Pursuant to that request, CEI provides the following responses.

- 1. BCS requested an affidavit and proof of publication attesting to the publication in the appropriate newspapers. As referenced in this request, the publication could not occur until a docket number was assigned to this proceeding, which occurred on Friday, April 22, 2005. Accordingly, CEI plans to publish this notice shortly, at which time CEI will provide the requisite affidavit and proof of publication. As indicated in CEI's Application, at this time, CEI only plans to provide natural gas supplier service in the PECO Energy Company ("PECO") service territory, thereby only requiring notice be published in the Philadelphia Inquirer.
  - 2. The fax number for CT Corporation, CEI's Registered Agent, is 215.563.7771.
  - 3. The Corporate Box Number for CEI's Tax Certification Statement is 2161451.

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4. The contact information for the alternative person responsible for addressing customer complaints for CEI is as follows:

Doreen Orlando Customer Care Manager Commerce Energy, Inc. 411 Third Street Gwinn, MI 48344 Telephone: 906.227.7429

Fax: 906.346.5717

If FUS has any additional questions regarding the Application or the aforementioned information, please contact the undersigned. Please date stamp the enclosed copy of this transmittal letter and kindly return it for our filing purposes. Thank you.

Sincerely,

McNEES WALLACE & NURICK LLC

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Derrick Price Walliamson

Charis Mincavage

Counsel to Commerce Energy, Inc.

#### Attachment

c: Mr. James Shurskis, Bureau of Fixed Utility Services (via facsimile)
Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document upon the participants listed below, in accordance with the requirements of Section 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

#### **VIA FIRST-CLASS MAIL**

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Dated this 25th day of April, 2005, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.





April 26, 2005

James J. McNulty, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street, 2nd Floor Harrisburg, PA 17120



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Dear Secretary McNulty:

On April 8, 2005, Commerce Energy, Inc. ("CEI"), filed the above-referenced Application with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("PUC" or "Commission") for Approval to Offer, Render, Furnish, or Supply Natural Gas Service ("Application") as a Natural Gas Supplier ("NGS") in Pennsylvania. In Section 2.b. of the Application, CEI provided the contact person for the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency ("PEMA"). Since filing the Application, CEI has determined that phone number provided under this Section was incorrect.

Accordingly, CEI submits this letter in order to correct the PEMA contact information in its Application. Under Section 2.b. of the Application, the contact information should read as follows:

> Anthony Cusati, III Commerce Energy, Inc. 32991 Hamilton Court Farmington Hills, MI 48334 Telephone: 703.618.2218

Facsimile: 703.935.1267

Thus, the only information that has been changed from the original Application is to modify the telephone number from 248.699.3481 to 703.618.2218. All other information remains the same.

James J. McNulty, Secretary April 26, 2005 Page 2

CEI apologizes for any inconvenience regarding this correction; please contact the undersigned if you have any questions. Also, we ask that you please date stamp the enclosed copy of this transmittal letter and kindly return it for our filing purposes. Thank you.

Sincerely,

McNEES WALLACE & NURICK LLC

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Counsel to Commerce Energy, Inc.

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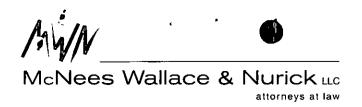
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Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2005, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

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Dear Secretary McNulty: .

Please find enclosed an original and eight (8) copies of the following documents submitted in connection with the above-referenced Application, which was filed by Commerce Energy, Inc. ("CEI"), with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("PUC" or "Commission") on April 8, 2005:

- (1) Affidavit of Charis Mincavage, counsel for CEI, verifying that notice of Commerce Energy's License Application, as referenced above, has been published in a newspaper of general circulation in Commerce Energy's proposed service territory, The Philadelphia Inquirer, in accordance with 52 Pa. Code § 62.107;
- (2) A photocopy of the Notice as provided to The Philadelphia Inquirer for publication on April 29, 2005; and,
- (3) A photostatic copy of CEI's Notice, as published by The Philadelphia Inquirer on April 29, 2005.

Please be advised that we will submit to the Commission the Proof of Publication from The Philadelphia Inquirer as soon as it is available.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions regarding this filing. ECEI stands ready to answer any Commission questions to facilitate approval of this Application no later than May 19, 2005.

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James J. McNulty, Secretary April 29, 2005 Page 2

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Copies of this filing are being served on the parties listed on the attached Certificate of Service. Please date stamp the extra copy of this transmittal letter and kindly return it to us for our filing purposes. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

McNEES WALLACE & NURICK LLC

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Dated this 29th day of April, 2005, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

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### **AFFIDAVIT**

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_CHARIS MINCAVAGE, Affiant, being du	ly sworn according to law, deposes and says tha	at:
She is the <u>COUNSEL</u> for <u>COMMER</u>	RCE ENERGY, INC.;	
That she is authorized to and does make this	affidavit for said Applicant;	
	, the Applicant herein certifies that it has cause n to be published in the following newspapers or	
The Philadelphia Inquirer, April 29, 2	005	
	in the above newspaper is attached. Noted on tr), if applicable, and the page number on wh	
	C. , the Applicant will submit to the Commission notice of the application filing was published as	
That the facts above set forth are true belief, and that she expects said Applicant to	e and correct to the best of his/her knowledge, into be able to prove the same at hearing.	formation, and
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# PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION NOTICE

Application of Commerce Energy, Inc., for approval to offer, render, furnish, or supply natural gas services in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Docket No. A-125138.

On April 8, 2005, Commerce Energy, Inc., filed an application with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("PUC") for a license to supply natural gas services to the public in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Commerce Energy, Inc., proposes to sell natural gas and related services as a Natural Gas Supplier to the public in southeastern Pennsylvania under the provisions of the Natural Gas Choice and Competition Act.

The PUC may consider this application without a hearing. Protests directed to the technical or financial fitness of Commerce Energy, Inc., may be filed within 15 days of the date of this notice with the Secretary, Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, P.O. Box 3265, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17105-3265. You should send copies of any protest to Commerce Energy, Inc.'s attorney at the address listed below. Please include the PUC's A-docket number on any correspondence, which is A-125138.

#### COMMERCE ENERGY, INC.

By and through Counsel: Charis Mincavage, Esquire McNees Wallace & Nurick LLC 100 Pine Street P.O. Box 1166 Harrisburg, PA 17108-1166 (717) 237-5437 (Phone) (717) 237-5300 (Fax) Friday, April 29, 2005

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May 3, 2005

James J. McNulty, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street, 2nd Floor Harrisburg, PA 17120



VIA HAND DELIVERY

RE: Application of Commerce Energy, Inc., for Approval to Offer, Render, Furnish, or Supply Natural Gas Service as a Natural Gas Supplier to the Public in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; Joint Petition of ACN Energy, Inc., and Commerce Energy, Inc., for Approval to Transfer Natural Gas Supplier License from ACN Energy, Inc., to Commerce Energy, Inc.; Docket Nos. A-125138 and A-125014F2000.

Dear Secretary McNulty:

On April 8, 2005, Commerce Energy, Inc. ("CEI"), filed with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("PUC" or "Commission") the above-referenced Application for Approval to Offer, Render, Furnish, or Supply Natural Gas Service ("Application") as a Natural Gas Supplier ("NGS") in Pennsylvania and the above-referenced Joint Petition for Approval to Transfer Natural Gas Supplier License from ACN Energy, Inc., to Commerce Energy, Inc. ("Joint Petition").

Pursuant to the Joint Petition, CEI indicated that it would provide notice of the assignment to ACN Energy, Inc.'s ("ACN Energy"), customers to CEI on approximately April 18, 2005. A copy of the notice was attached as Exhibit No. 9. CEI provided notice to ACN Energy's customers of the assignment of ACN Energy's customers to CEI on April 25, 2005, via the notice provided as Exhibit No. 9 of the Joint Petition. While this notice did occur slightly later than indicated in the Petition, CEI's assignment of customers will not occur until June 1, 2005. Accordingly, notifying customers on April 25, 2005, of this assignment still ensures that customers will have over thirty days' notice of this assignment.

Pursuant to the request of the PUC's Bureau of Fixed Utility Services, CEI submits the enclosed affidavit indicating that CEI provided notice of the assignment of customers on April 25, 2005.

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James J. McNulty, Secretary May 3, 2005 Page 2

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions regarding this affidavit. Also, please date stamp the enclosed copy of this transmittal letter and kindly return it for our filing purposes. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Dated this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 2005, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

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#### **AFFIDAVIT**

Commonwealth of Virginia

SS.

County of Fairfax

Anthony Cusati III, Affiant, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that: he is Senior Market Manager of Commerce Energy, Inc., and that he is authorized to and does make this Affidavit for said Applicant.

That the Applicant Commerce Energy, Inc., on April 8, 2005, submitted an Application for Approval to Offer, Render, Furnish, or Supply Natural Gas Service as a Natural Gas Supplier to the Public in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

That the Applicant Commerce Energy, Inc., simultaneously with the filing of the aforementioned Application submitted a Joint Petition for Approval to Transfer a Natural Gas Supplier License from ACN Energy, Inc., to Commerce Energy, Inc.

That the Applicant Commerce Energy, Inc., indicated in the Joint Petition that Commerce Energy, Inc., would provide notice to its customers of this transfer on approximately April 18, 2005, pursuant to the notice attached as Exhibit No. 9 to the aforementioned Joint Petition.

That the Applicant Commerce Energy, Inc., provided notice to its customers of this transfer on April 25, 2005, pursuant to the notice attached as Exhibit No. 9 to the aforementioned Joint Petition.

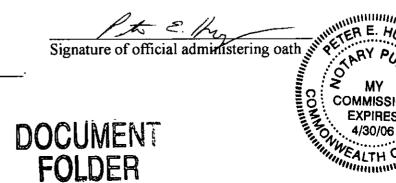
That Applicant Commerce Energy, Inc.'s, provisioning of this notice on April 25, 2005, provides customers more than thirty days' notice of this assignment, which is scheduled to occur on June 1, 2005.

That the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief, and that he expects said Applicant to be able to prove the same at hearing.

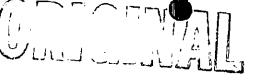
Sworn and subscribed before me this 2nd day of May, 2005.

My commission expires 4/30/2006









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May 3, 2005

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#### Proof of Publication in The Philadelphia Inquirer Under Act. No 160, P.L. 877, July 9, 1976

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA

Anna Dickerson being duly sworn, deposes and says that The Philadelphia Inquirer is a daily newspaper published at Broad and Callowhill Streets, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, which was established in the year 1829, since which date said daily newspaper has been regularly published and distributed in said County, and that a copy of the printed notice of publication is attached hereto exactly as the same was printed and published in the regular editions and issues of said daily newspaper on the following dates:

April 29, 2005

Affiant further deposes and says that he is an employee of the publisher of said newspaper and has been authorized to verify the foregoing statement and that he is not interested in the subject matter of the aforesaid notice of publication, and that all allegations in the foregoing statement as to time, place and character of publication are true.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of April, 2005.

My Commission Expires:

**NOTARIAL SEAL** Margaret C. Ruchalski, Notary Public City of Philadelphia, Phila. County My Commission Expires May 27, 2006

#### Copy of Notice of Publication

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