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## Via FedEx

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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission P.O. Box 3265 Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

## Re: Updated Application of Sperian Energy Corp, Docket Nos. A-2013-2379461, A-2017-2609180

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

As part of Sperian Energy Corp's ("Sperian") request to modify its gas license to include additional utilities, please find in this e-filing bonding letters from the following utilities:

- 1. Columbia Gas;
- 2. UGI Utilities, Inc.;
- 3. Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC; and,
- 4. National Fuel Gas Distribution Corp.

Sincerely,

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June 13, 2017

Sperian Energy Corp 3010 Briarpark Dr #200 Houston, TX 77042

To Whom It May Concern:

We are pleased that Sperian Energy Corp has applied for a license to provide Natural Gas Supply Service on the distribution system of Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania, Inc. ("Columbia Gas").

Under Paragraph 2.4.5 of the Rules Applicable to Distribution Service section of the Tariff of Columbia Gas, Sperian Energy Corp could be required to provide to Columbia Gas a bond or other financial security instrument in an amount that Columbia Gas determines to be appropriate. We have determined at this time that Sperian Energy Corp has met the financial security requirement to provide Natural Gas Supply Service to Columbia Gas customers.

If the creditworthiness requirement or Columbia Gas' exposure to Sperian Energy Corp changes in the future, Columbia Gas might deem it appropriate to require Sperian Energy Corp to provide a bond or other financial security instrument.

Please feel free to contact me at 614-460-4217 should you have any questions regarding a bond or other financial security instrument requirements of Columbia Gas.

Sincerely,

Patricia Chang

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Manager of Choice and Nominations



UGI Utilities, Inc. 2525 North 12<sup>th</sup> Street Suite 360 Post Office Box 12677 Reading, PA 19612-2677

June 20, 2017

Sperian Energy Corp 3010 Briarpark Dr., #200 Houston, TX 77042

Attn: Lena Golze Desmond

RE: UGI Financial Security Requirements

Dear Ms. Desmond,

UGI Utilities, Inc. ("UGIU") has reviewed the request of Sperian Energy Corp ("SPERIAN") for approval to operate as a Natural Gas Supplier. Based on this review and the requirement that SPERIAN must post security as specified in the UGI Utilities, Inc.-Gas Division ("UGI"), UGI Penn Natural Gas, Inc. ("PNG") and/or UGI Central Penn Gas, Inc. ("CPG") Supplier Coordination Tariffs before it serves customers on the UGI, PNG and/or CPG distribution systems, UGIU has determined that SPERIAN has demonstrated adequate creditworthiness to satisfy any costs UGI, PNG and/or CPG may incur in the event they operate as a supplier of last resort due to a default on the part of SPERIAN.

This determination may change in the event there is a material deterioration in SPERIAN's financial condition, if SPERIAN's obligations to UGI, PNG and/or CPG exceed the amount of the financial security provided, if the financial security is withdrawn or is deemed to be null and void or inadequate due to the material financial deterioration of any guarantor, or if SPERIAN fails to abide by the terms and conditions of the UGI, PNG and/or CPG Gas Tariffs and the UGI, PNG and/or CPG Natural Gas Supplier Coordination Tariffs.

Please feel free to contact me with any additional questions that you may have. I can be reached at (610) 796-3520

Sincerely,

David E. Lahoff

Manager, Tariff & Supplier Administration

UGI Utilities, Inc.

Lynda W. Petrichevich

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**Peoples Service Company LLC** 

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June 19, 2017

Nick Cioll, CFO Sperian Energy Corp 3010 Briarpark Dr., Suite #200 Houston, TX 77042

Dear Mr.Cioll:

We are pleased that Sperian Energy Corp has applied for a license to provide natural gas services on the Peoples Group of Companies. Specifically you have requested to be licensed as a supplier on the distribution systems of Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC, Peoples TWP, and Peoples Natural Gas LLC- Equitable Division ("the Companies").

Since Sperian Energy Corp is not currently serving customers on the Peoples systems, we have determined at this time that Sperian Energy Corpdoes not need a bond or other financial security requirement to provide these services to the Company's customers.

If a Pool is established, and customers are enrolled which alters the creditworthiness requirement or the Company's exposure to Sperian Energy Corp provision of services on the Peoples' system changes in the future, the Companies may deem it appropriate to require a bond or other financial instrument.

If you have any questions feel free to contact me at 412-208-6528 or by email at Lynda.W.Petrichevich@peoples-gas.com .

> Lynda W. Petrichevich Vice President- Regulatory Affairs Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC

Steven Kolich cc: Stephen Kelly



June, 13 2017

Christine Hughey Manager, Billing & Transaction Management Sperian Energy Corp. 3010 Briarpark Drive, #200 Houston, TX 77042

RE: Security Requirement Sperian Energy Corp.

Dear Christine,

Pursuant to 66 Pa. C. S. § 2208 (c), an applicant for a natural gas supplier license in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania must furnish security to each utility where the supplier will do business to ensure the financial responsibility of such natural gas supplier. To this end, National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation ("National Fuel") will perform a credit review and analysis of Sperian Energy Corp. ("SEC") and determine at the appropriate time whether SEC must post a security deposit acceptable to National Fuel in order to operate as a supplier on National Fuel's system.

SEC's security requirement to serve Pennsylvania customers is dependent on the type of transportation service utilized by SEC. There is no Natural Gas Supplier (NGS) security requirement for customers that will be enrolled in National Fuel's Purchase of Receivable (POR) program. As such, SEC will not be required to post security for customers enrolled in the POR program. A security deposit will be required for transportation customers not enrolled in the POR program.

Should you have any questions concerning the above, please contact me at 716-857-7599.

Nathan E. Barnes

Transportation Services Department