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#### Via Hand Delivery

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

Re: Application of Hospital Energy, LLC for Approval to Offer, Render, Furnish or Supply Electricity or Electric Generation Services as a

Broker/Marketer

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed for filing are proprietary and non-proprietary versions of the application of Hospital Energy, LLC ("Applicant") as above-captioned, together with CD-ROMs containing searchable PDF files of both versions. Also enclosed is the filing fee in the form of a certified check in the amount of \$350 made payable to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The Applicant requests that the proprietary version of the application, specifically ATTACHMENTS E, H, I, and J which have been designated CONFIDENTIAL in their entirety and on each page thereof, be kept confidential by the Commission.

A supplemental filing of copies of the licenses required by Application  $\P$  8(a) will be made as soon as possible.

The required bond arrived November 30 and is in the possession of Ms. Jodi Taylor. Application ¶ 7(a) contains a request for bond reduction to \$10,000 and supporting reasons.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Commission grant it a waiver of the Commission's regulation at 52 Pa. Code § 54.35 (relating to publication of notice of filing) for the following reasons:

1. On July 15, 2010, the Commission granted the License Application of HES Energy, LLC, using fictitious name Hospital Energy, LLC, for Approval to Offer, Render, Furnish or Supply Electricity or Electric Generation Services as a Broker/Marketer, Docket No. A-2010-2175277, order entered July 15, 2010.

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- 2. Hospital Energy, LLC has been serving as an energy broker/advisor to healthcare institutions since 1995. It is regarded as one of the leading authorities on energy procurement and management in the healthcare sector. It serves more than 200 acute-care healthcare systems across the United States, ranging from single regional hospitals to systems with fifty or more hospitals operating across multiple states.
- 3. Since its inception in 1995 and for the past eight years of its operation as a broker/marketer in Pennsylvania, licensed as HES Energy, LLC d/b/a Hospital Energy, LLC, Applicant has had no complaints or criminal or civil proceedings lodged against it.
- 4. During that same time period, Applicant as a broker/marketer has not taken title to electricity and has not paid electricity bills on behalf of its customers, nor will it ever do either.
- 5. On November 3, 2018, the Applicant received notice from the Commission that its license had been revoked for failure to provide the required broker bond in 2017. Applicant has attached to its Application as ATTACHMENT C and ATTACHMENT D the 2017 bond and the 2018 continuation certificate for the periods in question. It states under oath in its application that the bonds were in full force and effect at all times stated therein. Applicant has investigated the possible reasons why the 2017 bond was not transmitted to the Commission but has been unable to unearth sufficient evidence to determine whether License Logix (Applicant's license processor) made a timely filing of the bond or why the warning notices sent from the Commission were not responded to or transmitted to Applicant. In any event, Applicant bears full responsibility for its failure to place the required bond into the possession of the Commission. Its 2018 bond was apparently transmitted to the Commission, but it was returned when the Secretary's Bureau saw that Applicant's license had been revoked.

While accepting responsibility, Applicant asks the Commission to take into account certain mitigating factors in its consideration of this license application. First, there have been no complaints filed against the company in more than eight years of service to Pennsylvania hospitals. Second, the required bond was at all times in full force and effect. Therefore, even if Hospital Energy, LLC had breached any material or ethical duties under its license, the Commission would have had full recourse to the bond at any time.

6. The Commission's 2010 order granting a broker/marketer license to HES Energy, LLC, doing business under the fictitious name Hospital Energy, LLC described Hess Corporation's protest of the application because of the similarity of the name HES Energy, LLC to Hess's trademarks, and the June 4, 2010, letter settlement that provided that "[w]ithin sixty (60) days from the date of this letter, Hospital Energy shall take all steps necessary to file any and all amendments to corporate and/or organizational filings, including but not limited to its state incorporation documents and broker licenses (including the license referenced in paragraph 3 below), or applications therefor so as to cease use of the names or designations HES, HES ENERGY or HES ENERGY SERVICES, or any of the HESS Marks, or any variant thereof."

- 7. To comply with the settlement, on June 14, 2010, Applicant changed its name with the Connecticut Secretary of State to Hospital Energy, LLC, which is the same name that the company advertised statewide as its "doing business as" name with its original application to this Commission, and the same and only name under which it has done business with its hospital customers in Pennsylvania for eight years. It holds electric broker licenses as Hospital Energy, LLC in the states of Massachusetts, Maine, New Jersey, Rhode Island, and the District of Columbia. Its affiliate, Hospital Energy Services, LLC holds electricity services licenses in Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, New Hampshire, Ohio, and Texas.
- 8. Consequently, Applicant cannot file under the same name as its original 2010 application without violating the settlement and inviting almost certain legal action by Hess Corporation. It therefore must file this application under a name other than its original name, which, under Commission requirements, triggers the need to publish statewide notice of the filing. Because it must file this application under its actual name, Hospital Energy, LLC, it seeks this waiver of that publication requirement.
- 9. Reapplying without the need to republish notice of the filing statewide under the name Hospital Energy, LLC will not cause any confusion among the members of the public, the company's competitors, or anyone else because that is the name that everyone now associates with the entity that has done business in Pennsylvania for eight years. As evidenced by ATTACHMENT A to its application, Applicant has changed its fictitious name to its actual name with the Pennsylvania Department of State. Moreover, Applicant only does business with hospitals, which are relatively few in number and which almost universally purchase energy services through buying groups called Group Purchasing Organizations (GPOs). Applicant is well known to them and to Pennsylvania's other hospitals that do not participate in a GPO, especially because Applicant's President and two members of its management team have authored Energy Procurement: A Strategic Sourcing How-To Guide (The American Society for Healthcare Engineering (ASHE) of the American Hospital Association (AHA)), 2017), and Best Practices in Business Planning for Energy Resiliency (ASHE/AHA, 2018).
- 10. Given the highly unique circumstances of its settlement with Hess Corporation, its operation for eight years in Pennsylvania under the fictitious name published statewide with its 2010 application—Hospital Energy, LLC—, and its registration as a foreign Limited Liability Company with the Pennsylvania Department of State as Hospital Energy, LLC, it is in the public interest for the Commission to permit Applicant to file its application under that name rather than its original application name, and to grant a waiver of the Commission's regulation at 52 Pa. Code § 54.35.

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Enclosures

c: Certificate of Service

Paul T. Diskin, Director,

Bureau of Technical Utility Services

#### BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Application of **Hospital Energy, LLC**, for approval to offer, render, furnish, or supply electricity or electric generation services as a Broker/Marketer engaged in the business of supplying electricity services to the public in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania that will not be taking title to the electricity and that will not be making payments for customers.

To the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission:

#### 1. IDENTIFICATION AND CONTACT INFORMATION

**a. IDENTITY OF THE APPLICANT**: Provide name (including any fictitious name or d/b/a), primary address, web address, and telephone number of Applicant:

Hospital Energy, LLC 7 Portwalk Place #1523 Portsmouth, NH 03801 http://hospitalenergy.com (203) 668-3522

b. PENNSYLVANIA ADDRESS / REGISTERED AGENT: If the Applicant maintains a primary address outside of Pennsylvania, provide the name, address, telephone number, and fax number of the Applicant's secondary office within Pennsylvania. If the Applicant does not maintain a physical location within Pennsylvania, provide the name, address, telephone number, and fax number of the Applicant's Registered Agent within Pennsylvania.

InCorp Services, Inc. 7208 Red Top Road Hummelstown, PA 17036

c. REGULATORY CONTACT: Provide the name, title, address, telephone number, fax number, and e-mail address of the person to whom questions about this Application should be addressed.

Mark Mininberg, President 7 Portwalk Place #1523 Portsmouth, NH 03801 (203) 668-3522 Mark@hospitalenergy.com

**d. ATTORNEY**: Provide the name, address, telephone number, fax number, and e-mail address of the Applicant's attorney. If the Applicant is not using an attorney, explicitly state so.

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e. CONTACTS FOR CONSUMER SERVICE AND COMPLAINTS: (Required of ALL Applicants) Provide the name, title, address, telephone number, FAX number, and e-mail OF THE PERSON AND AN ALTERNATE PERSON (2 REQUIRED) responsible for addressing customer complaints. These persons will ordinarily be the initial point(s) of contact for resolving complaints filed with the Applicant, the Electric Distribution Company, the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, or other agencies. The main contact's information will be listed on the Commission website list of licensed EGSs.

Courtney Duell, Operations 7 Portwalk Place #1523 Portsmouth, NH 03801 (630) 538-5163 cduell@hospitalenergy.com

Mark Mininberg, President 7 Portwalk Place #1523 Portsmouth, NH 03801 (203) 668-3522 Mark@hospitalenergy.com

#### 2. BUSINESS ENTITY FILINGS AND REGISTRATION

a.	FICTITIOUS NAME: (Select appropriate statement and provide supporting documentation as listed.)					
	The Applicant will be using a fictitious name or doing business as ("d/b/a")					
	Provide a copy of the Applicant's filing with Pennsylvania's Department of State pursuant to 54 Pa. C.S. §311, Form PA-953.					
	or					
	X The Applicant will not be using a fictitious name.					
b.	BUSINESS ENTITY AND DEPARTMENT OF STATE FILINGS: (Select appropriate statement and provide supporting documentation. As well, understand that Domestic means being formed within Pennsylvania and foreign means being formed outside Pennsylvania.)					
	The Applicant is a:					
	domestic corporation (15 Pa. C.S. §1308) foreign corporation (15 Pa. C.S. §4124) domestic limited liability company (15 Pa. C.S. §8913) foreign limited liability company (15 Pa. C.S. §8981) Other (Describe):					
	<ul> <li>Provide proof of compliance with appropriate Department of State filing requirements as indicated above. SEE ATTACHMENT A (Pa. Department of State Registration as a Foreign LLC).</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>Provide the state in which the business is incorporated/organized/formed and provide a copy of the Applicant's charter documentation. SEE ATTACHMENT B:</li> <li>CT Secretary of State Change of Name from HES Energy Connecticut, LLC to Hospital Energy,</li> </ul>					
	LLC in 2010; CT Amended Articles of Organization of Hospital Energy, LLC in 2012; NH Certification of Formation of Mininberg, LLC in 2017; CT Certificate of Merger of Hospital Energy, LLC into Mininberg, LLC in 2017; and NH Certificate of Amendment to the Certificate of Formation of Mininberg, LLC by changing its name to Hospital Energy, LLC effective January 22, 2018.					

Give name and address of officers.

Mark Mininberg, President 7 Portwalk Place #1523 Portsmouth, NH 03801 (203) 668-3522 Mark@hospitalenergy.com

#### 3. AFFILIATES AND PREDECESSORS

(both in state and out of state)

a. AFFILIATES: Give name and address of any affiliate(s) currently doing business and state whether the affiliate(s) are jurisdictional public utilities. If the Applicant does not have any affiliates doing business, explicitly state so. Also, state whether the applicant has any affiliates that are currently applying to do business in Pennsylvania.

Hospital Energy, LLC holds a Natural Gas Supplier Broker/Marketer license at Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Docket No. A-2015-2478258.

Hospital Energy Services, LLC holds <u>electricity</u> broker/supplier/aggregator/energy agent licenses in Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, New Hampshire, Ohio, and Texas, and <u>natural gas</u> broker and aggregator licenses in Maryland, New Hampshire, and Ohio.

b. PREDECESSORS: Identify the predecessor(s) of the Applicant and provide the name(s) under which the Applicant has operated within the preceding five (5) years, including address, web address, and telephone number, if applicable. If the Applicant does not have any predecessors that have done business, explicitly state so.

HES Energy, LLC dba Hospital Energy, LLC, PaPUC Docket No. A-2010-2175277 (see 5(c) below).

#### 4. **OPERATIONS**

a. APPLICANT'S PRESENT OPERATIONS: (select and complete the appropriate statement)

#### **Definitions**

- Supplier an entity that sells electricity to end-use customers utilizing the jurisdictional transmission and distribution facilities of an EDC.
- Aggregator an entity that purchases electric energy and takes title to electric energy as an intermediary for sale to retail customers.
- Broker/Marketer an entity that acts as an intermediary in the sale and purchase of electric energy <u>but does not take title to electric energy</u>.

The	e Applicant is presently doing business in Pennsylvania as a
	municipal electric corporation electric cooperative local gas distribution company provider of electric generation, transmission or distribution services broker/marketer engaged in the business of supplying electricity services (as explained in 5(c) below, applicant only recently discovered that its EGS Broker/Marketer license was revoked by the Commission without applicant's knowledge, apparently due to the inadvertence of a third party to provide the Commission with the required 2017 bond, which nevertheless was in force and effect, as is the 2018 bond).

b.	<b>APPLICANT'S PROPOSED OPERATIONS:</b> The Applicant proposes to operate as a (may check multiple):				
	Generator of electricity Supplier of electricity Aggregator engaged in the business of supplying electric engaged in the business of supplying electric Check here to verify that your organization was you be making payments for customers.  Electric Cooperative and supplier of electric power Other (Describe):	g electricity services			
c.	<ul> <li>PROPOSED SERVICES: Describe in detail the electric services or the electric generation services whith applicant proposes to offer.</li> </ul>				
	Hospital Energy provides energy procurement services selection, contract review, negotiation and compliance, management.				
d.	. PROPOSED SERVICE AREA: Check the box of each a Applicant proposes to provide service.	Electric Distribution Company for which the			
	Citizens' Electric Duquesne Light Met-Ed PECO Penelec Penn Power	Pike PPL UGI Utilities Wellsboro West Penn X Entire Commonwealth of PA			
e.	. CUSTOMERS: Applicant proposes to provide services	to:			
	Residential Customers  Small Commercial Customers - (25 kW and Und Residential and Small Commercial as Mixed Me	·			
	RESIDENTIAL AND/OR SMALL COMMERCIA				
	X Large Commercial Customers - (Over 25 kW)  Industrial Customers  Governmental Customers  All of above (Except Mixed Meter)  Other (Describe):				
	All of above (Except Mixed Meter) Other (Describe):				
f.	<b>START DATE:</b> Provide the approximate date the Applic Commonwealth.	cant proposes to actively market within the			
	Upon licensure (see 8(a)(fifth question) below).				

#### 5. COMPLIANCE

a. CRIMINAL/CIVIL PROCEEDINGS: State specifically whether the Applicant, an affiliate, a predecessor of either, or a person identified in this Application, has been or is currently the defendant of a criminal or civil proceeding within the last five (5) years.

Identify all such proceedings (active or closed), by name, subject and citation; whether before an administrative body or in a judicial forum. If the Applicant has no proceedings to list, explicitly state such.

Applicant has had no criminal or civil proceedings of any kind in any jurisdiction at any time since its inception in 1995.

**b. SUMMARY:** If applicable; provide a statement as to the resolution or present status of any such proceedings listed above.

N/A

c. CUSTOMER/REGULATORY/PROSECUTORY ACTIONS: Identify all formal or escalated actions or complaints, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or any state, filed with or by a customer, regulatory agency, or prosecutory agency against the Applicant, an affiliate, a predecessor of either, or a person identified in this Application, for the prior five (5) years, including but not limited to customers, Utility Commissions, and Consumer Protection Agencies such as the Offices of Attorney General. Applicant should also include if it had a Pennsylvania PUC EGS or NGS license previously cancelled by the Commission. If the Applicant has no actions or complaints to list, explicitly state such.

Applicant held a Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission EGS Broker/Marketer license in good standing for the period 2010-2017. On November 3, 2018, the Applicant received notice from the Commission that its license had been terminated for failure to provide the required broker bond in 2017. Applicant attaches hereto ATTACHMENT C and ATTACHMENT D, the 2017 bond and 2018 continuation certificate for the periods in question and states under oath below that the bonds were in full force and effect at all times stated therein. Applicant has investigated the possible reasons why the 2017 bond was not transmitted to the Commission but has been unable to unearth sufficient evidence to determine whether License Logix (Applicant's license processor) made a timely filing of the bond or why the warning notices sent from the Commission were not responded to or transmitted to Applicant. In any event, Applicant bears full responsibility for its failure to place the required bond into the possession of the Commission.

As a matter of course, Applicant transmitted its 2018 bond continuation certificate to the Commission, but it was returned when the Secretary's Bureau saw that Applicant's license had been revoked.

While accepting responsibility, Applicant asks the Commission to take into account certain mitigating factors in its consideration of Hospital Energy's new license application. First, there have been no complaints filed against the company in more than eight years of service to Pennsylvania hospitals. Second, the required bond was at all times in full force and effect. Therefore, even if Hospital Energy breached any material or ethical duties under its license, the Commission would have had full recourse to the bond at any time.

**d. SUMMARY:** If applicable; provide a statement as to the resolution or present status of any actions listed above.

For the reasons stated above, Hospital Energy respectfully requests that the Commission view its failure to provide a copy of the existing 2017 bond as an inadvertent, technical matter and not grounds for denying Hospital Energy's application for a new license.

#### 6. PROOF OF SERVICE

Required of ALL Applicants regardless of operating as a supplier, broker, marketer, or aggregator.

a. STATUTORY AGENCIES: Pursuant to Section 5.14 of the Commission's Regulations, 52 Pa. Code §5.14, provide proof of service of a signed and verified Application with attachments on the following:

Bureau of Investigation & Enforcement Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Commonwealth Keystone Building 400 North Street, 2 West Harrisburg, PA 17120

Office of Consumer Advocate 5th Floor, Forum Place 555 Walnut Street Harrisburg, PA 17120

Office of the Small Business Advocate Commerce Building, Suite 202 300 North Second Street Harrisburg, PA 17101 Office of the Attorney General Bureau of Consumer Protection Strawberry Square, 14th Floor Harrisburg, PA 17120

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Revenue Bureau of Compliance Harrisburg, PA 17128-0946

b. EDCs: Pursuant to Sections 1.57 and 1.58 of the Commission's Regulations, 52 Pa. Code §§1.57 and 1.58, provide Proof of Service of the Application and attachments upon each of the Electric Distribution Companies the Applicant proposes to provide service in. Upon review of the Application, further notice may be required pursuant to Section 5.14 of the Commission's Regulations, 52 Pa. Code §5.14. Contact information for each EDC is as follows.

Pike County Light & Power Company: Vice President – Energy Supply Corning Natural Gas Holding Corporation 330 West William Street

Corning, NY 14830

West Penn:

Legal Department West Penn Power d/b/a Allegheny Power 800 Cabin Hill Drive Greensburg, PA 15601-1689

**Duquesne Light:** 

Regulatory Affairs
Duquesne Light Company
411 Seventh Street, MD 16-4
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

PECO:

Manager Energy Acquisition PECO Energy Company 2301 Market Street Philadelphia, PA 19101-8699

Office of General Counsel

PPL:

Attn: Kimberly A. Klock PPL Two North Ninth Street (GENTW3) Allentown, PA 18101-1179

#### Met-Ed, Penelec, and Penn Power:

Legal Department First Energy 2800 Pottsville Pike Reading PA, 19612

#### Citizens' Electric Company:

Citizens' Electric Company Attn: EGS Coordination 1775 Industrial Boulevard Lewisburg, PA 17837

#### UGI:

UGI Utilities, Inc. Attn: Rates Dept. – Choice Coordinator 2525 N. 12th Street, Suite 360 Post Office Box 12677 Reading, Pa 19612-2677

#### **Wellsboro Electric Company:**

Wellsboro Electric Company Attn: EGS Coordination 33 Austin Street P. O. Box 138 Wellsboro, PA 16901

#### 7. FINANCIAL FITNESS

other instrument to ensure its financial responsibilities and obligations as an EGS. Therefore, the oplicant is
Furnishing the <b>ORIGINAL</b> of an initial bond, letter of credit or proof of bonding to the Commission in the amount of \$250,000.
Furnishing the <u>ORIGINAL</u> of another initial security for Commission approval, to ensure financial responsibility, such as a parental guarantee, in the amount of \$250,000.

a. BONDING: In accordance with 66 Pa. C.S. Section 2809(c)(1)(i), the Applicant is required to file a bond

**For Marketers and Brokers** - Filing for a modification to the \$250,000 requirement and furnishing the **ORIGINAL** of an initial bond, letter of credit or proof of bonding to the Commission in the amount of \$10,000. Applicant is required to provide information supporting an amount less than \$250,000. Such supporting information must include indication that the Applicant will not take title to electricity and will not pay electricity bills on behalf of its customers. Further details for modification may be described as well.

Request for Bond Reduction: Hospital Energy, LLC is a Broker/Marketer and does not take title to energy and does not pay electric bills on behalf of its clients. Therefore, Applicant respectfully requests modification of the \$250,000 bond amount to \$10,000. A copy of the proposed bond in the amount of \$10,000 is being sent directly to the Secretary of the Commission.

b. FINANCIAL RECORDS, STATEMENTS, AND RATINGS: Applicant must provide sufficient information to demonstrate financial fitness commensurate with the service proposed to be provided. Examples of such information which may be submitted include the following:

Hospital Energy, LLC is a single member New Hampshire limited liability company. Organizational documents are contained in ATTACHMENT B.

Hospital Energy, LLC is a single member limited liability company and does not file public credit information.

Hospital Energy, LLC's accounting statements for the past two years are attached as ATTACHMENT E.

Hospital Energy, LLC does not have a credit rating. Its Dun and Bradstreet report is attached as ATTACHMENT F.

Hospital Energy, LLC maintains professional liability, general liability, automobile, and excess umbrella coverages in amounts of not less than \$1 million, as well as employee healthcare and workers compensation coverages. A certificate of insurance verifying the coverages is attached as ATTACHMENT G

Hospital Energy, LLC is a small, closely held company and therefore does not obtain audited financial statements. Its accounting statements for the past two years are attached in ATTACHMENT E.

Hospital Energy, LLC's tax returns for the past two years are attached in ATTACHMENT H, and the most recent three consecutive months of bank statements are attached as ATTACHMENT I.

c. SUPPLIER FUNDING METHOD: If Applicant is operating as anything other than <u>Broker/Marketer only</u>, explain how Applicant will fund its operations. Provide all credit agreements, lines of credit, etc., and elaborate on how much is available on each item.

Hospital Energy, LLC is a Broker/Marketer and does not act as a supplier taking title to energy.

d. BROKER PAYMENT STRUCTURE: If applicant is a broker/marketer, explain how your organization will be collecting your fees.

Hospital Energy, LLC receives its fee as a margin on the supplier's bill.

**e. ACCOUNTING RECORDS CUSTODIAN**: Provide the name, title, address, telephone number, FAX number, and e-mail address of Applicant's custodian for its accounting records.

Steve Giamalis, CPA 115 New London Turnpike Glastonbury, CT 06033 (860) 633-0405 (Tel.) (860) 652-4448 (Fax) steve@giamalis.com

f. TAXATION: Complete the <u>TAX CERTIFICATION STATEMENT</u> attached as Appendix I to this application.

All sections of the Tax Certification Statement must be completed. Absence (submitting N/A) of any of the TAX identifications numbers (items 7A through 7C) shall be accompanied by supporting documentation or an explanation validating the absence of such information.

Items 7A and 7C on the Tax Certification Statement are designated by the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue. Item 7B on the Tax Certification Statement is designated by the Internal Revenue Service.

Hospital Energy, LLC's Tax Certification Statement is attached as ATTACHMENT J.

#### 8. TECHNICAL FITNESS:

To ensure that the present quality and availability of service provided by electric utilities does not deteriorate, the Applicant shall provide sufficient information to demonstrate technical fitness commensurate with the service proposed to be provided.

#### a. EXPERIENCE, PLAN, STRUCTURE: such information may include:

Applicant's previous experience in the electricity industry.

Hospital Energy, LLC has been serving as an energy broker/advisor to healthcare institutions since 1995. It is regarded as one of the leading authorities on energy procurement and management in the healthcare sector. Its President, Mark Mininberg, co-authored <u>Energy Procurement: A Strategic Sourcing How-To Guide</u> (The American Society for Healthcare Engineering (ASHE) of the American Hospital Association (AHA)), 2017), and co-authored (with two Hospital Energy, LLC colleagues, its senior energy advisor and its Vice President of Engineering) <u>Best Practices in Business Planning for Energy Resiliency</u> (ASHE/AHA, 2018).

- Summary and proof of licenses as a supplier of electric services in other states or jurisdictions.

Hospital Energy, LLC holds electricity services licenses in the states of Massachusetts, Maine, New Jersey, Rhode Island, and the District of Columbia. <u>Copies of these licenses will be provided as quickly as possible as a supplemental filing.</u>

- Type of customers and number of customers Applicant currently serves in other jurisdictions.

Hospital Energy, LLC serves more than 200 acute-care healthcare systems across the United States, ranging from single regional hospitals to systems with fifty or more hospitals operating across multiple states. In general, hospitals are categorized as large commercial energy customers.

- Staffing structure and numbers as well as employee training commitments.

Hospital Energy, LLC has seven staff persons, including market management, legal, engineering, and information technology specialists. Each staff person holds at least a BA or advanced degree and additional certifications in an energy specialization.

Business plans for operations within the Commonwealth.

Hospital Energy, LLC has served hospitals throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania since 2010 when its license was first granted. It plans to resume service to this sector upon licensure.

 Documentation of membership in PJM, ECAR, MAAC, other regional reliability councils, or any other membership or certification that is deemed appropriate to justify competency to operate as an EGS within the Commonwealth.

Hospital Energy, LLC is a Broker/Marketer/advisor that does not take title to energy and is not an energy supplier, and therefore it does not have membership in the aforementioned organizations.

Any other information appropriate to ensure the technical capabilities of the Applicant.

Hospital Energy, LLC's engineering team includes the U.S. Energy Manager of the Year (2008) and the international Energy Manager of the Year (2013), both awarded by the Association of Energy Engineers (AEE).

D.	JSED MARKETING METHOD (Check all that apply)	
	×000	Internal – Applicant will use its own internal resources/employees for marketing  External EGS – Applicant will contract with a PUC LICENSED EGS broker/marketer  Affiliate – Applicant will use a NON-EGS affiliate marketing company and or individuals.  External Third-Party – Applicant will contract with a NON-EGS third party marketing company and or individuals  Other (Describe):
c.	DOOR	TO DOOR SALES: Will the Applicant be implementing door to door sales activities?
	x x	Yes <u>No</u>
		If yes, will the Applicant be using verification procedures?
		Yes No
		If yes, describe the Applicant's verification procedures.
	N/A	
d.		SIGHT OF MARKETING: Explain all methods Applicant will use to ensure all marketing is performed thical manner, for both employees and subcontractors.
	Organiz ethical monitor addition	ant's practices and fees are strictly monitored and supervised by the hospital Group Purchasing zations ("GPOs") for which the Applicant provides services. Applicant is required to maintain high standards and to provide quarterly reports to the GPOs on its activities. Each member hospital car applicant's performance through the GPO and bring a complaint if needed to GPO management. In a noted above in 8(a), Applicant's leadership has authored two ASHE/AHA publications that anational guidance for energy procurement and business planning for energy resiliency.
e.	directly	ERS: Identify Applicant's chief officers, and include the professional resumes for any officers responsible for operations. All resumes should include date ranges and job descriptions hing actual work experience.
	7 Portv Portsm	fininberg, President valk Place #1523 routh, NH 03801 né attached as ATTACHMENT K).
f.	FERC	FILING: Applicant has:
		Filed an Application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to be a Power Marketer.
		Received approval from FERC to be a Power Marketer at Docket or Case Number
	x	Not applicable

#### 9. DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS:

**Disclosure Statements:** If proposing to serve Residential and/or Small Commercial (under 25 kW) Customers, provide a Residential and/or Small Commercial disclosure statement. A sample disclosure statement is provided as Appendix J to this Application.

 Electricity should be priced in clearly stated terms to the extent possible. Common definitions should be used. All consumer contracts or sales agreements should be written in plain language with any exclusions, exceptions, add-ons, package offers, limited time offers or other deadlines prominently communicated. Penalties and procedures for ending contracts should be clearly communicated.

Not applicable for an applicant applying for a license exclusively as a broker/marketer.

N/A

#### 10. VERIFICATIONS, ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, AND AGREEMENTS

- a. PJM LOAD SERVING ENTITY REQUIREMENT: As a prospective EGS, the applicant understands that those EGSs which provide retail electric supply service (i.e. takes title to electricity) must provide either:
  - proof of registration as a PJM Load Serving Entity (LSE), or
  - proof of a contractual arrangement with a registered PJM LSE that facilitates the retail electricity services of the EGS.

The Applicant understands that compliance with this requirement must be filed within 120 days of the Applicant receiving a license. As well, the Applicant understands that compliance with this requirement may be filed with this instant application.

(Select only one of the following)

	AGREED - Applicant has included compliance with this requirement in the instant application, labeled in correspondence with this section (10).
	AGREED - Applicant will provide compliance with this requirement within 120 days of receiving its license
X	ACKNOWLEDGED - Applicant is not proposing to provide retail electric supply service at this time, and therefore is not presently obligated to provide such information

- b. STANDARDS OF CONDUCT AND DISCLOSURE: As a condition of receiving a license, Applicant agrees to conform to any Uniform Standards of Conduct and Disclosure as set forth by the Commission. Further, the Applicant agrees that it must comply with and ensure that its employees, agents, representatives, and independent contractors comply with the standards of conduct and disclosure set out in Commission regulations at 52 Pa. Code § 54.43, as well as any future amendments.
  - X AGREED

- **c. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**: Applicant agrees to provide the following information to the Commission or the Department of Revenue, as appropriate:
  - Retail Electricity Choice Activity Reports: The regulations at 52 Pa. Code §§ 54.201—54.204 require that all active EGSs report sales activity information. An EGS will file an annual report reporting for customer groups defined by annual usage. Reports must be filed using the appropriate report form that may be obtained from the PUC's Secretary's Bureau or the forms officer, or may be down-loaded from the PUC's internet web site.
  - Reports of Gross Receipts: Applicant shall report its Pennsylvania intrastate gross receipts to the Commission on a quarterly and year to date basis no later than 30 days following the end of the quarter.
  - The Treasurer or other appropriate officer of Applicant shall transmit to the Department of Revenue by March 15, an annual report, and under oath or affirmation, of the amount of gross receipts received by Applicant during the prior calendar year.
  - Net Metering Reports: Applicant shall be responsible to report any Net Metering per the Standards on <a href="http://www.puc.pa.gov/consumer\_info/electricity/alternative\_energy.aspx">http://www.puc.pa.gov/consumer\_info/electricity/alternative\_energy.aspx</a>. Scroll down to the Net Metering Standards Section.
  - Applicant shall report to the Commission the percentages of total electricity supplied by each fuel source on an annual basis per 52 Pa. Code § 54.39(d).
  - Applicant will be required to meet periodic reporting requirements as may be issued by the Commission to fulfill the Commission's duty under Chapter 28 pertaining to reliability and to inform the Governor and Legislature of the progress of the transition to a fully competitive electric market.

#### X AGREED

d. TRANSFER OF LICENSE: The Applicant understands that if it plans to transfer its license to another entity, it is required to request authority from the Commission for permission prior to transferring the license. See 66 Pa. C.S. Section 2809(D). Transferee will be required to file the appropriate licensing application.

#### X AGREED

- e. ANNUAL FEES: The Public Utility Code authorizes the PUC to collect an annual fee of \$350 from suppliers, brokers, marketers, and aggregators selling electricity in the Commonwealth of PA, and an annual supplemental fee based on annual gross intrastate revenues, applicable to suppliers only.
  - X ACKNOWLEDGED
- f. FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS: Applicant is under a continuing obligation to amend its application if substantial changes occur to the information upon which the Commission relied in approving the original filing. See 52 Pa. Code § 54.34.

#### X AGREED

g. FALSIFICATION: The Applicant understands that the making of false statement(s) herein may be grounds

for denying the Application or, if later discovered, for revoking any authority granted pursuant to the Application. This Application is subject to 18 Pa. C.S. §§4903 and 4904, relating to perjury and falsification in official matters.

X AGREED

h. NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE: If your answer to any of these items changes during the pendency of your application or if the information relative to any item herein changes while you are operating within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, you are under a duty to so inform the Commission, within twenty (20) days, as to the specifics of any changes which have a significant impact on the conduct of business in Pennsylvania. See 52 Pa. Code § 54.34.

X AGREED

- i. CEASING OF OPERATIONS: Applicant is also required to officially notify the Commission if it plans to cease doing business in Pennsylvania, 90 days prior to ceasing operations.
  - X AGREED
- j. Electronic Data Interchange: The Applicant acknowledges the Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) requirements and the relevant contacts for each EDC, as listed at Appendix M.
  - X AGREED
- k. FILING FEE: The Applicant has enclosed or paid the required, non-refundable filing fee by CERTIFIED CHECK OR MONEY ORDER in the amount of \$350.00 payable to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The Commission does not accept corporate or personal checks for filing fees.
  - X PAYMENT ENCLOSED

#### 11. AFFIDAVITS

#### Must be notarized before filing.

- a. APPLICATION AFFIDAVIT: Complete and submit with your filing an officially notarized Application Affidavit stating that all the information submitted in this application is truthful and correct. An example copy of this Affidavit can be found at Appendix A.
- b. OPERATIONS AFFIDAVIT: Provide an officially notarized affidavit stating that you will adhere to the reliability protocols of the North American Electric Reliability Council, the appropriate regional reliability council(s), and the Commission, and that you agree to comply with the operational requirements of the control area(s) within which you provide retail service. An example copy of this Affidavit can be found at Appendix B.

#### 13. SIGNATURE

Applicant::Hospit	al Energy, LLC	
By: WMC	hjimberg	RECEIVED

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#### 14. CHECKLIST

For the applicant's convenience, please use the following checklist to ensure all relevant sections are complete. The Commission Secretary's Bureau will not accept an application unless each of the following sections are complete.

Applicant: Hospital Energy, LLC

	Signature	V
	Filing Fee (CERTIFIED CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY)	V
	Application Affidavit	~
Jse	Operations Affidavit	V
Applicant's Use	Proof of Publication	
Appl	Bond, Letter of Credit, or Parental/Affiliate Guarantee	1
	Tax Certification Statement	1
	Commonwealth Department of State Verification	V
	Certificate of Service	V

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#### Appendix A

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### **APPLICATION AFFIDAVIT**

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[Commonwealth/State] of <u>Connecticut</u>	PA PUBLIC UTILI SECRETARY	
	: ss. Branfind	
County of New Haven	:	
Mark Mininberg, Affiant, being duly [sworn/aff	rmed] according to law, deposes an	d says that:
He she is the President (Office of Affiant) of	f <u>Hospital Energy, LLC</u> (Name of	Applicant);]
[That he she is authorized to and does make this affidavit fo	said Applicant;]	
That the Applicant herein Hospital Energy, LLC has the burden of demonstrating its technical and financial fitness to be licensed as 2809 (B).	f producing information and supporting an electric generation supplier pursuant	g documentation to 66 Pa. C.S. §
That the Applicant herein Hospital Energy, LLC has answered to completely and provided supporting documentation as required.	e questions on the application correctly	, truthfully, and
That the Applicant herein <u>Hospital Energy, LLC</u> acknowledges t answer to questions on this application and contained in supportin		tion provided in
That the Applicant herein Hospital Energy, LLC acknowledges the in answer to questions on this application and contained in support		
That the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of his expects said Applicant to be able to prove the same at hearing.	her knowledge, information, and belief	, and that he/she
Signature of	1 minbug Affiant	ε
Sworn and subscribed before me this $14^{70}$ day of $N_0$	<u>vember</u> , 20 <u>18</u> .	
Signature of official	Reading Stering Cath	
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES  My commission expires 6/30/2020		

#### Appendix B

#### **OPERATIONS AFFIDAVIT**



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[Commonwealth/State] of <u>Connecticut</u>	PA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION SECRETARY'S BUREAU
:	ss. Branford
County of New Haven	:
Mark Mininberg , Affiant, being duly [sworr deposes and says that:	n/affirmed] according to law,
•	nt) of Hospital Energy, LLC
[That he she is authorized to and does make this affidav	rit for said Applicant;]
That Hospital Energy, LLC , the Applicant herein, obligations pursuant to this Application consistent with the Pub Pennsylvania, Title 66 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statu regulations including Emergency Orders which may be issued ve situations that may unexpectedly develop from time to time in the construction.	olic Utility Code of the Commonwealth of Ites; or with other applicable statutes of erbally or in writing during any emergency
That Hospital Energy, LLC , the Applicant herein, asserts technical, managerial, and financial fitness to render electric Pennsylvania and that the Applicant will abide by all applicable fed the decisions of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.	ic service within the Commonwealth of
That Hospital Energy, LLC , the Applicant herein, certifies to the and in the past has paid, the full amount of taxes imposed by Art (P.L. 6, No. 2), known as the Tax Reform Act of 1971 and any ta Applicant acknowledges that failure to pay such taxes or otherwis Chapter 28, shall be cause for the Commission to revoke the acknowledges that it shall report to the Commission its jurisdicti ultimate consumption, for the previous year or as otherwise require acknowledges that it is subject to 66 Pa. C.S. §506 (relating to the	ticles II and XI of the Act of March 4, 1971 ax imposed by Chapter 28 of Title 66. The se comply with the taxation requirements of e license of the Applicant. The Applicant ional Gross Receipts and power sales for ed by the Commission. The Applicant also

#### Appendix B (Continued)

That Hospital Energy, LLC , the Applicant herein, acknowledges that it has a statutory obligation to conform with 66 Pa. C.S. §506, §2807 (C), §2807(D)(2), §2809(B) and the standards and billing practices of 52 PA. Code Chapter 56.
That the Applicant agrees to provide all consumer education materials and information in a timely manner as requested by the Bureau of Public Liaison or other Commission bureaus. Materials and information requested may be analyzed by the Commission to meet obligations under applicable sections of the law.
That the facts above set forth are true and correct/true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge, information, and belief.
Signature of Affiant
Sworn and subscribed before me this 14 m day of November, 20 18.
Signature of official administering oath
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES  My commission expires 6/30/2020

## ATTACHMENT A Pa. Department of State Registration of Hospital Energy, LLC as a Foreign LLC

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# COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUREAU OF CORPORATIONS AND CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS 401 NORTH STREET, ROOM 206 P.O.BOX 8722 HARRISBURG,PA 17105-8722 WWW.CORPORATIONS.PA.GOV

HOSPITAL ENERGY LLC 99 HANOVER ST UNIT 204 PORTSMOUTH NH 03801

Hospital Energy, LLC

THE BUREAU OF CORPORATIONS AND CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS IS HAPPY TO SEND YOUR FILED DOCUMENT. THE BUREAU IS HERE TO SERVE YOU AND WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU FOR DOING BUSINESS IN PENNSYLVANIA.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO THE BUREAU, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT <a href="www.dos.pa.gov/BusinessCharities">www.dos.pa.gov/BusinessCharities</a> OR YOU MAY CONTACT US BY TELEPHONE AT (717)787-1057. INFORMATION REGARDING BUSINESS AND UCC FILINGS CAN BE FOUND ON OUR SEARCHABLE DATABASE AT <a href="www.corporations.pa.gov/Search/CorpSearch">www.corporations.pa.gov/Search/CorpSearch</a>.

ENTITY NUMBER: 3951699

Entity# : 3951699 Date Filed : 12/06/2018 Pennsylvania Department of State

## PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUREAU OF CORPORATIONS AND CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS

Return document by mail to:		Amendment of Foreign Registration DSCB:15-413		
		(rev. 2/2017)		
Address				
City State	Zip Code	TML181	208TC0008	
Return document by email to: Mark@	hopitalenergy.co:			
Read all instructions prior to comp	leting. This form may			
Fee: \$250				
In compliance with the require foreign registration statement), the under the name of the association under w	ersigned registered foreig	n association hereby stat	es that:	to amendment of
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HES Energy, LI	-(			
2. The type of association is (check only Business Corporation Nonprofit Corporation Limited Liability Company	y one):  Limited Partnership Limited Liability (C Limited Liability Li	General) Partnership	Business 1	Trust nal Association
3. The (a) address of the association's a Office Provider and the county of venue		ornmonwealth or (b) nam	ne of its Commo	ercial Registered
Complete part (a) OR (b) - not both:				
Number and street	City OR	State	Zip	County
(b) c/o: Incorp Services, 11 Name of Commercial Registered Office				Dzuphia
·				County
4. Effective date of amendment of fore The Amendment of Foreign Regis	stration shall be effective	upon filing in the Depart		llowing):
☐ The Amendment of Foreign Regis	stration shall be effective	on:Date (MM/DD/YY	at	Hour (if any)
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<ol> <li>Check, and if appropriate complete, one of the following:</li> <li>The association desires that its registration be amended to change or correct the fo</li> </ol>	llowing information:
The entity has changed its name and relocated to New Hamps	
Hospital Energy, LLC	
7 Portwalk Place Unit 1523	
Postsmorth, NH 03801	
☐ The amendment adopted by the association is set forth in full in Exhibit A attached	d hereto and made a part hereof.
If the amendment reflects a change in name for the association which does not comply with 15 Pa foreign association must adopt an alternate name that complies with 15 Pa.C.S. §§ 201-209 for us	
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned association has caused this Amendment to be signed by a duly authorized representative thereof this day of day of	of Foreign Registration Statement Deumber
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## ATTACHMENT B Hospital Energy, LLC's Charter Documentation

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### State of New Hampshire

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Business ID: 785017
William M. Gardner
Secretary of State
State of New Hampshire

Form LLC-3 RSA 304-C:34

#### LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT TO THE CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS of Chapter 304-C, Sect Statutes Annotated, the undersigned submits the following (	tion 34 of the New Hampshire Revised Certificate of Amendment:
FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is MININ	
SECOND: The text of each amendment is:	•
The principal office address of the limited liability company to 03801.	s 99 Hanover Street, #204, Portsmouth, NH
The name of the limited liability company is	s changed to HOSPITAL ENERGY, LLC.
[If more space is needed, attach as	iditional sheet(s).]
*Signature:	hase beginners
Print or type name:	Mark Mininberg
*Title:	Member
Date signed:	(Enter "manager" or "member")

DISCLAIMER: All documents filed with the Corporation Division become public records and will be available for public inspection in either tangible or electronic form.

Mailing Address - Corporation Division, NH Dept. of State, 107 N Main St, Rm 204, Concord, NH 03301-4989 Physical Location - State House Annex, 3rd Floor, Rm 317, 25 Capitol St, Concord, NH

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<sup>\*</sup> Signature and title of person signing for the limited liability company. <u>MUST BE SIGNED BY A MANAGER OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. IF NO MANAGER, IT MUST BE SIGNED BY A MEMBER.</u> (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.)

## State of New Hampshire Department of State

CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

OF

Hospital Energy, LLC

INTO

MININBERG, LLC

The Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire hereby certifies that a Merger of Hospital Energy, LLC, a(n)

Connecticut Limited Liability Company into MININBERG, LLC, a(n) New Hampshire Limited Liability Company has been received in this office to be effective 12/31/2017 11:59:00 PM.

ACCORDINGLY the undersigned, by virtue of the authority vested in him by law, hereby issues this Certificate of Merger of HOSPITAL ENERGY, LLC into MININBERG, LLC, and attaches hereto a copy of said Merger.

**Business ID: 785017** 

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF.

I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Scal of the State of New Hampshire, this 28th day of December A.D. 2017.

William M. Gardner

Secretary of State

File

Date Filed: 12/28/2017 04:30:00 PM
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Secretary of State
State of New Hampshire

#### CERTIFICATE OF MERGER

OP

## HOSPITAL ENERGY, LLC, A CONNECTICUT LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, INTO MININEERG, LLC, A NEW HAMPSBIRE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Pursuant to the New Hampshire Revised Limited Liability Company Act, the undersigned surviving business entity submits the following Certificate of Merger for filing:

The name and jurisdiction of formation or organization of each business entity that is a
party to the marger are:

Name

Jurisdiction

Mininberg, LLC

New Hampshire

Hospital Energy, LLC.

Connecticut

- An agreement of merger has been approved and executed by each business entity that is a
  party to the merger;
- 3. The name of the surviving business entity is: Mininberg, LLC.
- The merger shall become effective at 11:59 PM on December 31, 2017.
- The agreement of merger is on file at a place of business of the surviving business entry, which is located at: 95 Hanover Street, #204, Portsmouth, New Hampshire 03801.
- A copy of the agreement of marger will be furnished by the surviving business entity, on request and without cost, to a person holding an interest in any business entity which is to marge.

Dated December 2 8, 2017.

MININBERG, LLC

By: Mark Mininberg, Manager

HOSPITAL HNERGY, LLC

By: Mark Mininberg, Manag

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#### CERTIFICATE OF MERGER **Limited Liability Companies**

1. The names and jurisdictions of organization or formation of each limited liability company are as follows:

Name

Governing Jurisdiction

Mininberg, LLC Hospital Energy, LLC New Hampshire Connecticut

- 2. The name of the surviving limited liability company is Mininberg, LLC, a New Hampshire limited liability company.
- 3. The merger will be effective under the laws of the State of New Hampshire at 11:59 PM on December 31, 2017.
- 4. The Plan and Agreement of Merger was duly authorized and approved by Hospital Energy, LLC in accordance with the provisions of Sections 34-243 to 34-283d, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes and by Mininberg, LLC in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 304-C of the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated.
- 5. The plan of merger is on file at 95 Hanover Street, #204, Portsmouth, New Hampshire 03801.
- 6. A copy of the plan of merger will be furnished by the surviving limited liability company, on request and without cost, to any person holding an interest in any limited liability company that is a party to the merger.
- 7. Mininberg, LLC, the survivor herein: (1) Agrees that it may be served with process in Connecticut in any proceeding for enforcement of any obligation of any limited liability company or other entity party to the merger that was formed under the laws of Connecticut, as well as for enforcement of any obligation of the survivor of the merger; and (2) irrevocably appoints the Secretary of the State as its agent for service of process in any such proceeding. The address to which a copy of the process shall be mailed to the survivor by the Secretary of the State is 95 Hanover Street, #204, Portsmouth, New Hampshire 03801.
- Executed this 28th day of December, 2017. 8.

MININBERG, LLC

HOSPITAL ENERGY, LLC

By: Was Wininberg, Manager

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#### SECRETARY OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT **30 TRINITY STREET** P.O. BOX 150470 HARTFORD, CT 06115-0470

12/28/2017

ANDROS, FLOYD & MILLER, P.C. 864 WETHERSFIELD AVENUE HARTFORD, CT 06114

RE: Acceptance of Business Filing THIS IS NOT A BILL

This letter is to confirm the acceptance of the following business filing:

**Business Name:** 

MININBERG LLC

Type of Request:

MERGER

> ork Order Number : 2017380237-001

Business Filing Number: 0005992062

Filing Date/Time

: 12/28/2017 04:00 PM Effective Date/Time

: 12/31/2017 11:59 PM

Work Order Payment Total: \$110.00

Payment Received

: \$110.00

Credit on Account

: \$815.50

Customer ID

: 000003510

**Business ID** 

:0000000

If you would like copies of this filing you must complete a Request for Corporate Copies and submit it with the appropriate fee.

CARMEN RODRIGUEZ Commercial Recording Division 860-509-6003 www.concord-sots.ct.gov

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### CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION NEW HAMPSHIRE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

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Princi	pal Business Infor	metlon:		•
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Principal Mailing Address (if different): _	tro, & street	. (cilytown) :	(ataba)	Acres Gran
Business Phone: (203) 686-3522	free a sanah	· Centermann 1	· (aroof)	Oath gover
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### CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION OF A NEW HAMPSHIRE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

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Date signed:	:	(Enter manager or month)	BIT)

Note: The cale of offer for cale of membership interests of the limited liability company will comply with the requirements of the New Hampshire Uniform Securities Act (R&A 421-8). The membership interests of the limited flability company: 1) have been registered or when offered will be registered under R&A 421-8; 2) are exampled or when offered will be exampled under R&A 421-8; 3) are or will be offered in a transaction exampled from registration under R&A 421-8; 4) are not excurtites under R&A 421-8; OR 5) are federal covered securities under R&A 421-8. The statement above shall not by itself constitute a registration or a notice of examplion from registration of securities within the meaning of sections 448 and 461(f)(3) of the United States internal Ravanue Code and the regulation promulgated theraunder.

Must be signed by a manager, if no manager, must be signed by a member.

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## State of New Hampshire Department of State



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Sulloway & Hollis, P.L.L.C. 9 Capitol Street Concord, NH, 03301, USA

Enclosed is the acknowledgment capy of your creation filing. It acknowledges this office's receipt and filing of your documents.

This business is required to file an annual report and pay a \$100.00 filing fee annually due by April 1st of each year. Reports filed after the due date will be assessed a late fee of \$50.00. As a courtesy our office will send a reminder notice in January of each year by mail or email. Annual reports may be filed on-line or downloaded from our website at <a href="https://guickstart.sqs.nh.gov/enline">https://guickstart.sqs.nh.gov/enline</a>.

If you are unable to obtain a report through our website, you should contact this office to request one. Please Note: It is the responsibility of this business to obtain a report and submit for filing prior to April 1st of each year.

Businesses that do not fite their annual reports and/or fees will be administratively dissolved or suspended.

Please Note: A benefit corporation must also prepare an annual benefit report 120 days following the end of the fiscal year, please refer to RSA 293-C:12 & RSA 293-C:13.

Should you have any questions, you may contact this office at the phone number or small address below. Please reference your Business ID Number when contacting our office.

Please visit our website for helpful information regarding all your business needs.

Sincerely, Corporation Division

Business ID: 785017 Filing No: 3686387

#### AMENDED ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

#### HOSPITAL ENERGY, L.L.C.

Organizer hereby files the following Articles of Organization for HOSPITAL ENERGY, L.L.C, a Connecticut limited liability company:

- 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is HOSPITAL ENERGY, L.L.C
- 2. The nature of the business to be transacted or the purpose to be promoted or carried out by the Limited Liability Company is: To provide energy services to businesses.
- 4. The principal office of the Limited Liability Company is:

110 Riverview Drive Guilford, CT 06437

5. The statutory agent for service is:

Mark Mininberg

Business Address: 110 Riverview Drive

Guilford, CT 06437

Residence:

110 Riverview Drive Guilford, CT 06437

Acceptance of Appointment:

Mark Mininberg

- 5. Management shall be vested in the members.
- 6. Member Information:

Name: Mark Mininberg

Title: Member

Business Address: 110 Riverview Drive, Guilford, CT 06437

Residence:

110 Riverview Drive, Guilford, CT 06437

7. Execution: September 13, 2012

Mark Mininberg, Organizer

#### Connecticut Secretary of the State - Business Filings for Hospital Energy, LLC

https://www.concord-sots.ct.gov/CONCORD/customer

07/27/2010

My Account Balance: \$0.00

(<u>Logout</u>) CUSTOMER ID: 1725720

ZUSIMESS DETAILS:

**Business Name:** 

Business ID:

**Business Address:** 

HOSPITAL ENERGY, L.L.C.

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696 COLEMAN RD, MIDDLETOWN,

CT, 06457

Mailing Address:

Citizenship/State

Last Report Year:

Inc:

BOX 2194, MIDDLETOWN, CT.

06457

Domestic/CT

2009

**Business Type:** 

Business Status:

Date Inc./Register:

**Domestic Limited Liability Company** 

Active

Sep 07, 2005

PRINCIPALS:

Name/Title:

Business Address:

Residence Address:

MARK MININBERG

696 COLEMAN RD.

696 COLEMAN RD.

MEMBER

MIDDLETOWN, CT. 06457

MIDDLETOWN, CT. 06457

PURITERS SUIT MARY:

Agent Name:

Agent Business Address:

Agent Residence Address:

MARK MININBERG

50 BETHKE ROAD.

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My Account Balance: \$0.00

HOSPITAL ENERGY SERVICES(<u>Logout</u>) CUSTOMER ID: 1725720

NAME CHANGE HISTORY:

Business ID:

Business Name:

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HOSPITAL ENERGY, L.L.C.

Old Name:	Filing Number:	Date:
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## ATTACHMENT E Hospital Energy, LLC's Accounting Statements for the Past Two Years

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## ATTACHMENT F Hospital Energy, LLC's Dun & Bradstreet Report

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HOSPITAL ENERGY LLC - Full Company View

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### Summary

Report as of: 11-19-2018

### HOSPITAL ENERGY LLC

GLOBAL ULTIMATE

Address:

7 Ponwaik Pl Unit 1523 Persmonth INH 03801 UNITED STATES

Alerts:

PAYDEX® Score

Delinquency Predictor Percentile

**Financial Stress** Percentile

**D&B Viability Rating** 

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Company Profile

D-U-N-S 11 080 5793 **Malling Address** 

United States

**Employees** 

6" (6 hare)

Legal Form Culparation (US) Telephone (200) 668 3522 Age (Year Started)

8 years (2010)

Ownership

two troposty tracted

Named Principal

Mark Mininberg, PRES

Line of Business

Efective services

Risk Assessment

30

Low Bisk (100)

High Risk (1)

Company's risk level is: [सर्वागनोहारूपः]

**Delinquency Predictor Percentile** 

Probability of delinquency over the next 12 months; 3.93%

Financial Stress Percentile

10

Low Risk (100)

High Risk Hi

Company's risk level is:

D&	B	Ra	ti	na

Corrent Rating as of 11 02-2018

#### Special Rating

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Undetermined

### **D&8** Viability Rating

### Portfolio Comparison Score



Low (Risk (1)

Han Risk (9)

Company's risk level is: [WW]

Probability that a company will go out of business, become dormant/inactive, or file for bankruptcy/insolvency within the next 12 months: 7%

#### D&B Guidance

### Overall Business Risk

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### Dun & Bradstreet Thinks...

- Overall assessment of this company: SOME-FINANCIAL-STRESS-CONCERNS
- Based on the perceived sustainability of this company: MODERATELY-HIGHER-THAN-AVERAGE-RISK-OF-FINANCIAL-STRESS
- Based on the payment behavior of this company: MODERATE-POTENTIAL-FOR-SEVERELY-DELINQUENT-PAYMENTS

### Maximum Credit Recommendation

US\$ 37,500

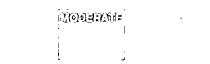
The recommended limit is based on a moderately low probability of severe delinquency.

Legal Events			<b>&gt;</b>
Events	Occurrences	Last Filed	
Bankruptcies	0	-	
Judgments	0	-	
Liens	0	-	
Suits	0		
UCC	0		

Trade Payments				
Highest Past Due				
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40	60 Days Beyond	d Terms	;	
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Delinquency Predictor Score				_
		Score 524	Class <b>3</b>	
Low Risk (100)	High Risk (1)	J	ŭ	
Based on a D&B Delinquency Predictor Percer	•			
Factors Affecting Your Score:  No payment experiences reported Limited time under present management Higher risk region based on delinquency				
Level of risk	Probability of Delinquency		Compared to Businesses in D&B	
Moderate	3.93%		Database 10.2%	
Financial Stress Score				
199		Score 1414		
Low Risk (100)	High Risk (1)			
Based on a D&B Financial Stress Percentile of	19			
Factors Affecting Your Score:  No payment experiences Limited time under present management	control			
Level of risk Moderate-High	Probability of Failure 0.72%		Average Probability of Failure for Businesses in D&B Database 0.48%	

#### Overall Business Risk



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#### Maximum Credit Recommendation



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### **D&B** Rating Current Rating as of 11 02 2018 Special Rating Undetermined **D&B Viability Rating** Portfolio Comparison Score Level of risk Rating Confidence Level **Basic** Low গু 10% Risk (1) High Bask 197 Probability of becoming no longer Percentage of businesses ranked with this Average probability of becoming no longer viable viable score 7% 11% 16% Viability Score Level of risk Low 6 High Bisk (9) Low Bisk(1) Probability of becoming no longer viable Percentage of businesses ranked with this 7% score 14%

viable 14%

Average probability of becoming no longer

### Company Profile

w	Financial	Trade	Company	Years in
	Data	Payments	Size	Business
	Not Availab <del>le</del>	Not Available	Small	Established

Compared to ALL US Businesses within the D&B Database:

Financial Data : Not Available
 Trade Payments : Not Available

• Company Size : Small: Employees: <10 and

Sales: <\$10K or Missing

· Years in Business : Established: 5+

### **Trade Payments**

Trade Payments Summary			
Overall Payment Behavior Unavailable	% of Trade Within Terms	Highest Pasi Due	
Highest Now Owing:	Total Trade Experiences: Largest High Gredit	Total Unfavorable Comments : Largest High Credit	
	Average High Credit	Total Placed in Collections:	
		Largest High Credit	

### **Legal Events**

Judgments	Llens	Suits	UCC Filings
0	0	0	0
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D&B has not received any Public Filings for this company

### **Special Events**

There have been no Special Events reported for your company. If you have had a change in ownership or with others of the company, please call customer service at 800-333-0505.

### Ownership

### Family Tree

Members in the Tree	Subsidiarles of this Company	Branches of this Company
-	-	-

### **Company Profile**

Company Overview		
D-U-N-S	Mailing Address	Employees
11 683 5793	United States	61 6 here
Legal Form	Telephone	Age (Year Started)
Corporation (US)	(203) 668 3522	8 years (2010)
Ownership		Named Principal
Not publicly haded		Mark Memberg PRES
		Line of Business
		Existing Jarvices

#### **Business Registration**

Corporate and business registrations reported by the secretary of state or other official source as of: This data is for informational purposes only, certification can only be obtained through the Office of the Secretary of State.

Registered Name HOSPITAL ENERGY LLC

Corporation Type Corporation (US)

Business Commenced On 2010

Principals

Officers

MARK MININBERG, PRES

Directors

THE OFFICER(S)

### Company Events

### The following information was reported on: 11-02-2018

The New Hampshire Secretary of State's business registrations file showed that Hospital Energy LLC was registered as a Limited Liability Company on December 27, 2017, under file registration number 785017. Although this company operates as a Limited Liability Company, the members have elected to use officer titles to denote areas of responsibility.

Business started 2010.

MARK MININBERG. Antecedents not available.

**Business Information** Description Provides electric services (100%). Terms are on a fee basis. Sells to undetermined. **Employees** 6. 6 employed here. Financing Status Unsecured SIC/NAICS Information SIC Codes SIC Description Percentage of Business 4911 Electric services 49110000 Electric services **NAICS Codes NAICS Description** 221118 Other Electric Power Generation Government Activity Dispute Government Activity **Activity Summary** Borrower(Dir/Guar) No **Administrative Debt** No Contractor No Grantee No Party excluded from federal No program(s) Possible candidate for socio-economic program consideration 8(A) Firm Yes Labor Surpius Area Yes **Small Business** Yes

The following information was reported on: 11-02-2018

### **Financials**

D&B currently has no financial information on tile for this company

### Inquiries

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Ву Перс	ort Type	И	o Data Available		
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# ATTACHMENT G Hospital Energy, LLC's Certificate of Insurance Coverages

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# ATTACHMENT H Hospital Energy, LLC's Federal Income Returns for the Past Two Years

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# ATTACHMENT I Hospital Energy, LLC's Most Recent Three Consecutive Months of Bank Statements

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## ATTACHMENT J Hospital Energy, LLC's Tax Certification Statement

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### ATTACHMENT K Resumé of Mark Mininberg, President Hospital Energy, LLC

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### MARK MININBERG

7 Portwalk Place, Unit 1523 Portsmouth, NH 03801 (203) 668-3522 mark@hospitalenergy.com

### Founder, President and CEO, Hospital Energy, LLC. 1995-present, Portsmouth, NH.

Founded Hospital Energy in 1995 to provide lower cost, clean energy sources for healthcare institutions. Hospital Energy is widely recognized as the nation's leading procurement organization for healthcare and is the author of American Hospital Association (AHA) best practices in energy procurement and energy resiliency.

The company takes the view that energy is a financial market and that the key to effective management is financial analytics. Three AHA best practice principles support hospitals in participating in the energy markets:

Alignment of facilities, finance and supply chain leaders.

Aggregation of large scale hospital spend to allow for more effective market negotiation. Analytics, including statistical probability modeling, to create market transparency and support optimal risk management.

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Founded the Council at the end of the Cold War to create a "peace dividend" in which US military engine technology and Russian natural gas were combined for two purposes:

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Arranged for senior executives of several US engine manufacturers, including GE, Textron and United Technologies, as well as the Russian gas giant Gazprom, to participate.

The program was personally supported by then Vice President Al Gore and the Secretaries of State, Energy and Commerce and the President of the US Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

The Energy, Environment and Resources Ministers of Russia, Czech Republic, Slovakia,, Poland and Ukraine also participated.

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Founding Partner of firm engaged in the private practice of law and specializing in the fields of energy, environmental and healthcare international law.

Representative clients: United Technologies Corporation, US OPIC, Environment Ministry of Czechoslovakia, Natural Resources Ministry of the Russian Federation, Yale New Haven Hospital.

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### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On this the 3rd day of December, 2018, I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing application form for licensing within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as an Electric Generation Supplier and all **NON-CONFIDENTIAL** attachments have been served as a hardcopy and/or a searchable PDF version on a CD-ROM, upon the following:

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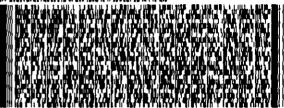
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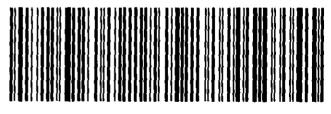
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