

To whom it may concern,

I'm submitting this application for approval. My license was cancelled because of miscommunication. There was a wrong address on file for our firm, Clear Energy Solutions and I could not be notified that our bond needed to be submitted. My bond had not lapsed, the commission just needed a copy. I received no notice and my license lapsed.

My license has always stood in good standing with no complaints against it. I was told that the newspaper ads could be waived and I'm requesting they be waived.

Clear Energy Solutions LLC is applying as a broker/marketer and as such we will not be taking title to electric. Clear Energy Solutions LLC had no complaints filed against us under our previous license. Based on those facts we are requesting a waiver of the publication of the newspaper ad section of the application because a waiver would not be adverse to public interest.

Thanks,

Eric Brunhammer

President

Clear Energy Solutions

302-750-3217

To whom it may concern,

For my application to the Pennsylvania PUC, I inaccurately stated multiple times that my company name was Clear Energy Solutions and it is actually Clear Energy Solutions LLC.

Thank you,

Eric Brunhammer

302-750-3217

BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Application of Clear Energy Solutions LLC, d/b/a _____, for approval to offer, render, furnish, or supply electricity or electric generation services as a(n) [as specified in item #4b below] to the public in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Pennsylvania).

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:

Clear Energy Solutions
34192 Spring Brook Ave.
Lewes, DE 19958
302-950-3217
www.clearenergysolutions.org

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.

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4735 N. 13th St.
Philadelphia, PA 19141

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.

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ERIC@clearenergysolutions.org

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.

No Attorney

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.

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F-215-658-1133

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

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 sole proprietor.

- If the Applicant is located outside the Commonwealth, provide proof of compliance with 15 Pa. C.S. §4124 relating to Department of State filing requirements.

or

The Applicant is a:

- domestic general partnership (*)
- domestic limited partnership (15 Pa. C.S. §8511)
- foreign general or limited partnership (15 Pa. C.S. §4124)
- domestic limited liability partnership (15 Pa. C.S. §8201)
- foreign limited liability general partnership (15 Pa. C.S. §8211)
- foreign limited liability limited partnership (15 Pa. C.S. §8211)

- Provide proof of compliance with appropriate Department of State filing requirements as indicated above. Attached under 1 H at end of application

- Give name, d/b/a, and address of partners. If any partner is not an individual, identify the business nature of the partner entity and identify its partners or officers.

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- Provide the state in which the business is organized/formed and provide a copy of the Applicant's charter documentation. Delaware. Attached under 1 H

- * If a corporate partner in the Applicant's domestic partnership is not domiciled in Pennsylvania, attach a copy of the Applicant's Department of State filing pursuant to 15 Pa. C.S. §4124.

N/A

or

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):

- Provide proof of compliance with appropriate Department of State filing requirements as indicated above. attached AI
- Provide the state in which the business is incorporated/organized/formed and provide a copy of the Applicant's charter documentation. DELaware, Attached under 4H
- Give name and address of officers.

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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.

The applicant has no affiliates

- 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.

The applicant has no predecessors.

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 but does not take title to electric energy.

- The 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
 - Other; Identify the nature of service being rendered.

or

- The Applicant is not presently doing business in Pennsylvania.



This should not be checked FS

b. **APPLICANT'S PROPOSED OPERATIONS:** The Applicant proposes to operate as a *(may check multiple)*:

- Generator of electricity
- Supplier of electricity
- Aggregator engaged in the business of supplying electricity
- Broker/Marketer engaged in the business of supplying electricity services
 - Check here to verify that your organization will not be taking title to the electricity nor will you be making payments for customers.
- Electric Cooperative and supplier of electric power
- Other (Describe):

c. **PROPOSED SERVICES:** Describe in detail the electric services or the electric generation services which the Applicant proposes to offer.

The applicant will be an electric Broker. The firm will represent multiple suppliers.

d. **PROPOSED SERVICE AREA:** Check the box of each Electric Distribution Company for which the Applicant proposes to provide service.

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Citizens' Electric | <input type="checkbox"/> Pike |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Duquesne Light | <input type="checkbox"/> PPL |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Met-Ed | <input type="checkbox"/> UGI Utilities |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PECO | <input type="checkbox"/> Wellsboro |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Penelec | <input type="checkbox"/> West Penn |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Penn Power | <input type="checkbox"/> Entire Commonwealth of PA |

e. **CUSTOMERS:** Applicant proposes to provide services to:

- Residential Customers
- Small Commercial Customers - (25 kW and Under)
- Residential and Small Commercial as Mixed Meter **ONLY (CANNOT BE TAKEN WITH RESIDENTIAL AND/OR SMALL COMMERCIAL ABOVE)**
- Large Commercial Customers - (Over 25 kW)
- Industrial Customers
- Governmental Customers
- All of above (Except Mixed Meter)
- Other (Describe):

f. **START DATE:** Provide the approximate date the Applicant proposes to actively market within the Commonwealth.

12/1/2018

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.

NONE

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

- 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.

~~No actions to list~~
Clear Energy Solutions LLC had our License (Docket # A-2011-2223825) cancelled for Financial Security EGS regulation non compliance. We had the wrong address on file and were not notified of non compliance.

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

6. PROOF OF SERVICE

Required of ALL Applicants regardless of operating as a supplier, broker, marketer, or aggregator.
(Example Certificate of Service is attached at Appendix C)

- 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 the Attorney General
Bureau of Consumer Protection
Strawberry Square, 14th Floor
Harrisburg, PA 17120

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

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

Office of the Small Business Advocate
Commerce Building, Suite 202
300 North Second Street
Harrisburg, PA 17101

- 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 proposed 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

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

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

PPL:
Office of General Counsel
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

UGI:

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

Citizens' Electric Company:

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

Wellsboro Electric Company:

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

7. FINANCIAL FITNESS

a. **BONDING:** In accordance with 66 Pa. C.S. Section 2809(c)(1)(i), the Applicant is required to file a bond or other instrument to ensure its financial responsibilities and obligations as an EGS. Therefore, the Applicant is...

Furnishing the **ORIGINAL** of an initial bond, letter of credit or proof of bonding to the Commission in the amount of \$250,000.

Furnishing the **ORIGINAL** of another initial security for Commission approval, to ensure financial responsibility, such as a parental guarantee, in the amount of \$250,000.

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.

CRITICAL BONDING NOTES:

Applicant is required to maintain a bond or other financial instrument the entire time it maintains an EGS license with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. If Applicant's security instrument is not continuous, Applicant **MUST** submit a Rider, Amendment, or Continuation Certificate annually based on the expiration date of its security instrument.

At least sixty days (60) prior to the security instrument's expiration date, Applicant should contact Stephen Jakab at siakab@pa.gov to determine the appropriate bonding amount based on a percentage of Applicant's gross receipts resulting from the sale of generated electricity consumed in Pennsylvania. Once the amount has been determined, Applicant should overnight the updated security instrument(s) at least thirty (30) days prior to the expiration date to ensure adequate time for staff review and approval of the security instrument(s).

Template versions of a continuous bond, fixed-term bond, continuous letter of credit, and parental guarantee are attached at Appendix E, F, G, & H, respectively. Applicant's security must follow language from these examples, and must include the unmodified language outlined in Appendix D. Any deviation from these examples must be identified in the application and may not be acceptable to 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:

- (1) Business & Personal Financial Statements Attached
See attachment A
- Actual (or proposed) organizational structure including parent, affiliated or subsidiary companies.
 - Published Applicant or parent company financial and credit information (i.e. 10Q or 10K). SEC/EDGAR web addresses are sufficient)
 - Applicant's accounting statements, including balance sheet and income statements for the past two years.
 - Evidence of Applicant's credit rating. Applicant may provide a copy of its Dun and Bradstreet Credit Report and Robert Morris and Associates financial form, evidence of Moody's, S&P, or Fitch ratings, and/or other independent financial service reports.
- (2) Credit report & credit rating attached
See attachment 1B & 1C
- A description of the types and amounts of insurance carried by Applicant which are specifically intended to provide for or support its financial fitness to perform its obligations as a licensee.
 - Audited financial statements exhibiting accounts over a minimum two year period.
 - Bank account statement, tax returns from the previous two years, or any other information that demonstrates Applicant's financial fitness.

c. SUPPLIER FUNDING METHOD: If Applicant is operating as anything other than **Broker/Marketer only**, 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.

N/A

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

Through the suppliers. they will collect for us.

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.

- McFarlane, Crizale & Assoc. 1631 Willow St, Suite #200
- Crystal Henzi San Jose, CA, 95125
- crystal@mccpa.net
- 408 268 2950
- No fax #

f. TAXATION: Complete the TAX CERTIFICATION STATEMENT 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 identification 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.

Appendix attached See attachment 1D

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.
- Summary and proof of licenses as a supplier of electric services in other states or jurisdictions.
- Type of customers and number of customers Applicant currently serves in other jurisdictions.
- Staffing structure and numbers as well as employee training commitments.
- Business plans for operations within the Commonwealth.
- 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.
- Any other information appropriate to ensure the technical capabilities of the Applicant.

*I have a technical fitness plan attached (see attachment 1E)
Business Plan (see Attachment 1F) Resume see attachment 1G
AND ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION (see attachment 1H)*

b. PROPOSED MARKETING METHOD (check all that apply)

- 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?

- Yes
- No

If yes, will the Applicant be using verification procedures? *N/A*

- Yes
- No

If yes, describe the Applicant's verification procedures. *N/A*

g. **OVERSIGHT OF MARKETING:** Explain all methods Applicant will use to ensure all marketing is performed in an ethical manner, for both employees and subcontractors.

All marketing will be proofed by the president of the company.

e. **OFFICERS:** Identify Applicant's chief officers, and include the professional resumes for any officers directly responsible for operations. All resumes should include date ranges and job descriptions containing actual work experience.

ERIC Brauhammer - Resume Attached

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 _____
- 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
- 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.

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 http://www.puc.pa.gov/consumer_info/electricity/alternative_energy.aspx. 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.

AGREED

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

12. NEWSPAPER PUBLICATIONS

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

*Not
Required*

Notice of filing of this Application must be published in newspapers of general circulation covering each county in which the applicant intends to provide service. The newspapers in which proof of publication are required is dependent on the service territories the applicant is proposing to serve.

The chart below dictates which newspapers are necessary for each EDC. For example, an applicant that wants to operate in Penn Power would need to run ads in both The Erie Times-News and the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette. If the applicant is proposing to serve the entire Commonwealth, please file proof of publication in all seven newspapers.

The only acceptable verification of this requirement is with Notarized Proofs of Publication, which may be requested from each newspaper and must be supplied with this application. Applicants do not need a docket number in their publication. Docket numbers will be issued when all criteria on the item 14 checklist (see below) are satisfied.

	Erie Times-News	Harrisburg Patriot-News	Philadelphia Daily News	Pittsburgh Post-Gazette	Scranton Times-Tribune	Williamsport Sun-Gazette	Johnstown Tribune-Democrat
Citizens' Electric						X	
Duquesne				X			
Met Ed		X	X		X		
PECO			X				
Penelec	X	X			X	X	X
Penn Power	X			X			
Pike					X		
PPL		X	X		X	X	
UGI					X		
Wellsboro						X	
West Penn		X		X		X	X
Entire Commonwealth	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

(Example Publications are provided at Appendices K and L)

13. SIGNATURE

Applicant: Clear Energy Solutions
 By: [Signature]
 Title: President

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: Clear Energy Solutions LLC

Applicant's Use	✓	Signature	
	✓	Filing Fee (CERTIFIED CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY)	
	✓	Application Affidavit	
	✓	Operations Affidavit	
		<i>Not REQUIRED</i> Proof of Publication	
		Bond, Letter of Credit, or Parental/Affiliate Guarantee	
	✓	Tax Certification Statement	
		Commonwealth Department of State Verification	
	✓	Certificate of Service	

PUC Secretary's Bureau Use

Appendix A

APPLICATION AFFIDAVIT

[Commonwealth/State] of New York :

ss.

County of New York :

Eric Brunhammer, Affiant, being duly [sworn/affirmed] according to law, deposes and says that:

[He/she is the President (Office of Affiant) of Clear Energy Solutions LLC (Name of Applicant);]

[That he/she is authorized to and does make this affidavit for said Applicant;]

That the Applicant herein Clear Energy Solutions LLC has the burden of producing information and supporting documentation demonstrating its technical and financial fitness to be licensed as an electric generation supplier pursuant to 66 Pa. C.S. § 2809 (B).

That the Applicant herein Clear Energy Solutions LLC has answered the questions on the application correctly, truthfully, and completely and provided supporting documentation as required.

That the Applicant herein Clear Energy Solutions LLC acknowledges that it is under a duty to update information provided in answer to questions on this application and contained in supporting documents.

That the Applicant herein Clear Energy Solutions LLC acknowledges that it is under a duty to supplement information provided in answer to questions on this application and contained in supporting documents as requested by the Commission.

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

[Handwritten Signature]

Signature of Affiant

Sworn and subscribed before me this 12th day of October, 2018.

[Handwritten Signature]

Signature of official administering oath

My commission expires June 26th, 2021.



Appendix B

OPERATIONS AFFIDAVIT

[Commonwealth/State] of New York :

SS.

County of New York :

Eric Bounhammer, Affiant, being duly [sworn/affirmed] according to law, deposes and says that:

[He/she is the President (Office of Affiant) of Clear Energy Solutions LLC (Name of Applicant);]

[That he/she is authorized to and does make this affidavit for said Applicant;]

That Clear Energy Solutions LLC, the Applicant herein, acknowledges that [Applicant] may have obligations pursuant to this Application consistent with the Public Utility Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Title 66 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes; or with other applicable statutes or regulations including Emergency Orders which may be issued verbally or in writing during any emergency situations that may unexpectedly develop from time to time in the course of doing business in Pennsylvania.

That Clear Energy Solutions LLC, the Applicant herein, asserts that [he/she/it] possesses the requisite technical, managerial, and financial fitness to render electric service within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and that the Applicant will abide by all applicable federal and state laws and regulations and by the decisions of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

That Clear Energy Solutions LLC, the Applicant herein, certifies to the Commission that it is subject to , will pay, and in the past has paid, the full amount of taxes imposed by Articles II and XI of the Act of March 4, 1971 (P.L. 6, No. 2), known as the Tax Reform Act of 1971 and any tax imposed by Chapter 28 of Title 66. The Applicant acknowledges that failure to pay such taxes or otherwise comply with the taxation requirements of Chapter 28, shall be cause for the Commission to revoke the license of the Applicant. The Applicant acknowledges that it shall report to the Commission its jurisdictional Gross Receipts and power sales for ultimate consumption, for the previous year or as otherwise required by the Commission. The Applicant also acknowledges that it is subject to 66 Pa. C.S. §506 (relating to the inspection of facilities and records).

As provided by 66 Pa. C.S. §2810 (C)(6)(iv), Applicant, by filing of this application waives confidentiality with respect to its state tax information in the possession of the Department of Revenue, regardless of the source of the information, and shall consent to the Department of Revenue providing that information to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

Appendix B (Continued)

That Clear Energy Solutions 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 12th day of October, 2018.



Signature of official administering oath

My commission expires June 26th 2021.



Appendix C

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

Example CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On this the 10th day of October 2021, 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 either a hardcopy or a searchable PDF version on a cd-rom, upon the following:

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

Office of the Attorney General
Bureau of Consumer Protection
Strawberry Square, 14th Floor
Harrisburg, PA 17120

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

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

Small Business Advocate
Commerce Building, Suite 202
300 North Second Street
Harrisburg, PA 17101

Vice President – Energy Supply
Corning Natural Gas Holding Corporation
330 West William Street
Corning, NY 14830

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

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

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

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

Legal Department
First Energy
2800 Pottsville Pike
Reading PA, 19612

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

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

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

Eric Bonhammer, President, Clear Energy Solutions LLLC
John Doe, President ABC Corp.

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8. TECHNICAL FITNESS

Clear Energy Solutions was formed by Eric Brunhammer. Eric worked in the deregulated energy markets as a sales rep for a company called Glacial Energy.

Glacial Energy is a third party supply that services every deregulated state in the United States. Glacial Energy was strictly an indexed based product.

He worked for Glacial for a year and a half gaining experience in deregulated electricity as well as natural gas in the MD, DE, DC, NJ, NY market place.

Clear Energy Solutions will bid electric loads among major third party suppliers while also giving advice on different products. Products will included fixed, indexed and demand response.

Billing statements will be provided by suppliers and our commission will be collected by the suppliers.

Clear Energy Solutions currently has 59 commercial customers with a load amount of around 61 million kilowatt hours. The customers are in the Delmarva, Pepco, A.C. electric, Con Ed, PSE&G and BGE utilities.

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CLEAR ENERGY SOLUTIONS

Our business plan for Clear Energy Solutions is to gradually grow our portfolio. We currently have \$61,000 of net revenue. By the end of 2010, we anticipate to have about \$150,000 of net revenue in sales.

We want to grow the business internally and gradually add salaried sales reps. I have an example below of how we plan to expand and grow.

150K--2 Employee

Me--55k

First Salesman--35k + 30% commission

Reserves--60k / 10k--Google adwords / Benefits--5k

TOTAL RESERVES=45K (reinvested)

250K--3 Employees

Me--60k

First Salesman--45k / 30% commission

Second Salesman--45k / 30% commission

Reserves--100k minus 20k--- / Google adwords--15k / Benefits--5k / Bonding--\$500 / goldmine--\$180

TOTAL RESERVES--80k (reinvested)

400k--4 Employees

Me--65k

Sales Staff--3 sales people (45kx3)=135k + 30% commission

Reserves--200k minus 61k--- / Google adwords--25k / Benefits--20k / Bonding--5k / goldmine--\$240 / Office (\$7200), utilities (\$1440), phones (\$1920), computers/outlook

TOTAL RESERVES--140K (reinvested)

Loan--Start to look at loans for more growth

500k--5 Employess

Me--75k--Move into another market

Sales Manger--75k + Their Commissions + Percentage of all sales reps commissions (promote this person from within)--Also acts as marketing director for google ad words, receptionist and pricing analyst for index products.

Sales Staff--3 sales people (45kx3)=135k + 30% commission

Reserves--215k minus 66k--- / Google adwords(marketing)--25k / Benefits--25k / Bonding--5k / goldmine--\$240 / Office (\$7200), utilities (\$1440), phones (\$1920), computers/outlook

TOTAL RESERVES--150K (reinvested)

Take out a 500k loan--

Career Highlights

- Entrepreneur that developed a start-up Energy Brokerage to a market based value of \$6,000,000. Accomplished this with no financial backing, start up fees or financed debt.
- While at Glacial Energy was ranked in the top 5% of the sales force and achieved the largest sales pipeline of 30 reps.

WORK EXPERIENCE

President

Clear Energy Solutions

<http://www.clearenergysolutions.org>

Wilmington, DE (June 2010-Present)

- President and Founder of Clear Energy Solutions. Electricity and Natural Gas procurement to medium and large corporations in every deregulated market.
- Has assisted numerous clients with negotiating third party electric supply agreements representing over 120,000,000 kilowatt hours of electricity valued at over \$12 million.
- Developed company from scratch with no financial backing, start-up fees or financed debt to over \$300,000 of after expense residual net revenues in 24 months.
- Current business has an estimated EBITDA valuation of \$3,000,000.
- Client base includes - Major Hospitals, Surgical Centers, Property Managers and Real Estate Developers.
- Some current clients include: EJF Real Estate (Voted Best Property Management firm in D.C. - 2009, 2010, 2012 and 2013), Wills Eye Hospital / Surgical Center (Oldest and most established surgical center in the U.S.)
- 98% retention rate of over 800 clients as well as an A+ Better Business Bureau Rating.
- Brokered major power agreements for some of the largest energy companies in North America: Constellation New Energy, Hess, Washington Gas, MidAmerican, Direct Energy, Exelon, Suez and Blue Star Energy.
- Maintained strong client relationships by providing consulting services on demand response, efficiency, risk management and forecasting. Developed a high level of expertise in forecasting and modeling the PJM market.
- Expanded operations of business to now include solar energy in the Southern California area.
- 1099s, tax returns and references are available upon request.

Business Development Manager

Glacial Energy

Wilmington, DE (Feb 2009-May 2010)

- Responsible for new client development. Sold Electricity contracts to medium and large corporations in the MD/DC/DE deregulated markets.
- Combination of inside and outside sales. Sold over 23 million kilowatt hours to 52 clients after 16 months achieving 95% of yearly quota. Ranked in top 5% of the sales force. Generated roughly \$2.5 million of gross revenue and \$875,000 of net revenue.
- Was July sales rep of the month with over 7 million kilowatt hours sold. Developed one of the largest sales pipelines of all 30 BDMS for Glacial with over 125 million kilowatts and over 250 new sales leads.
- Acquired pricing and bid on some of the largest potential customers for Glacial Energy including DuPont.
- Maintained strong client relationships by providing after sale consulting services on risk management, and forecasting. Developed a high level of expertise in forecasting and modeling the PJM market, including peak/off peak load and time of use.

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Account Executive

Blue Marble Logistics

Wilmington, DE (Dec 2006-Jan. 2009)

- Responsible for new client development. Sold logistic services to medium sized companies.
- Did a combination of inside and outside sales. Would meet with company owners to discuss program pricing and options
- Main source of client development was done through cold calling, cold walking, and networking
- Has currently tripled sales quota while at Blue Marble. Ranked number one new sales hire for Blue Marble.

Financial Advisor

Morgan Stanley

Wilmington, DE (March 2006-Oct 2006)

- Fully licensed: series 7,63,31
- Prospect and generate new client accounts. Sold wide range of financial products. Advise clients on financial plans utilizing knowledge of tax and investment strategies, securities, insurance, pension plans, and real estate. Raised 3 million in capital in six months exceeding yearly quota by 1.5 million.
- Develop and implement portfolios for high net worth clients. Duties include assessing clients' assets, liabilities, cash flow, insurance coverage, tax status, and financial objectives to establish investment strategies. Helped clients set up and execute personal trades.

Technology Recruiter

Impact Technologies

Wilmington, DE. (August 2000-February 2006)

- Responsible for business development within the high technology sector in the New York City, Denver, Seattle, and San Jose labor markets.
- Assist clients in defining job responsibilities and compensation structures. Client companies include CISCO, AT&T and Extreme Networks.
- Cold call potential candidates, and introduce them to clients' opportunities. Secure appointments and interviews. Conduct reference checks on late stage candidates.

EDUCATION

University of Delaware (May 2000)

B.S.H.R. Degree in Consumer Economics

- Related course work: Economics; Marketing; Statistical Analysis; Business information systems; Organizational and management behavior
- Four-year academic scholarship recipient
- The University of Delaware is academically ranked in the upper 97th percentile of National Universities and is the 6th oldest University in the U.S. The University is currently ranked 69th out of 1900 National U.S. Universities by the U.S. News and World Report and is considered a Public Ivy League University.

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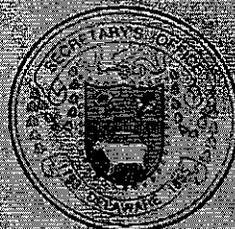
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TOTAL PAYMENTS

90.00

SERVICE REQUEST BALANCE

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Jeffrey W. Billbeck, Secretary of State

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THE CORPORATION BUREAU IS HAPPY TO SEND YOU YOUR FILED DOCUMENT. THE CORPORATION BUREAU IS HERE TO SERVE YOU AND WANTS TO THANK YOU FOR DOING BUSINESS IN PENNSYLVANIA.

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