



May 9, 2025

Matthew Homsher  
Secretary, Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
400 North Street  
Commonwealth Keystone Building  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**Re: Currents Energy, Inc. Application For Electric Generation Supplier License  
(Broker/Marketer)**

Dear Secretary Homsher:

Attached for filing is the application of Currents Energy, Inc. for an Electric Generation Supplier License (Broker/Marketer).

The following information will be sent via overnight mail:

- Appendix I - Tax Certification Statement (Confidential)
- Confidential Exhibit 7-1 - Financial Information (Confidential) including bank statements and venture capital financing
- Application Filing fee
- Original bond

If you have any questions regarding the attached, please contact me via email.

Thank you,

*Matt Zothner*

Matt Zothner  
Chief Executive Officer  
Currents Energy, Inc.  
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## BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Application of Currents Energy, Inc., d/b/a N/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:

Currents Energy, Inc.  
525 Buena Vista Ave W.  
San Francisco, CA 94117  
Web Address: [www.getcurrents.com](http://www.getcurrents.com)  
Phone: (919) 374-8311

- 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.

Corporation Service Company  
5235 North Front Street, Harrisburg, PA, 17110  
Phone: (302) 421-6100

- 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 and future inquiries should be addressed.

**NOTE:** To ensure timely receipt of regulatory information, a contact employed directly by the Applicant, and not a consultant, is preferred.

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San Francisco, CA 94117  
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- 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.

Applicant is not using an 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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## 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 DSCB: 54-311.

**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. § 412 relating to Department of State filing requirements.

**or**

The Applicant is a:

- domestic general partnership (\*)
- domestic limited partnership (15 Pa.C.S. § 8621)
- foreign general or limited partnership (15 Pa.C.S. §§ 411 and 412)
- domestic limited liability partnership (15 Pa.C.S. §§ 8201 and 8221)
- foreign limited liability general partnership (15 Pa.C.S. §§ 411 and 412)
- foreign limited liability limited partnership (15 Pa.C.S. §§ 411 and 412)

- Provide proof of compliance with appropriate Department of State filing requirements as indicated above.
- 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.

- Provide the state in which the business is organized/formed and provide a copy of the Applicant's charter documentation.
- \* 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. §§ 411 and 412.

**or**

The Applicant is a:

- domestic corporation (15 Pa.C.S. § 1308)
- foreign corporation (15 Pa.C.S. §§ 411 and 412)
- domestic limited liability company (15 Pa.C.S. § 8821)
- foreign limited liability company (15 Pa.C.S. §§ 411 and 412)
- Other (Describe):

- Provide proof of compliance with appropriate Department of State filing requirements as indicated above.

See Exhibit 2-2

- Provide the state in which the business is incorporated/organized/formed and provide a copy of the Applicant's charter documentation.

See Exhibit 2-1

- 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 affiliates currently doing business and state whether the affiliates 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.

Currents Energy, Inc. is not a jurisdictional public utility.

- b. **PREDECESSORS:** Identify any predecessors of the Applicant and provide the names under which the Applicant has operated, including address, web address, and telephone number, if applicable. If the Applicant does not have any predecessors that have done business, explicitly state so.

Applicant does not have any predecessors that have done business.

- c. **RELATED DOCKET NUMBERS:** Provide the Docket Numbers for any previous Pennsylvania PUC licenses for the Applicant, all affiliates, and any predecessors. If the Applicant does not have any related Docket Numbers, explicitly state so.

Applicant does not have Docket Numbers for any previous Pennsylvania PUC licenses.

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.

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

- 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.

Currents Energy, Inc. was founded in 2024 as a home electrification advisor, with the purpose of helping homeowners make decision on home energy products and reduce payback of solar as a registered REC aggregator. To date, Currents has helped solar owners earn money from the aggregation and sales of solar RECs across the PJM territory–Pennsylvania, Ohio, Maryland and more.

Applicant seeks an electric broker license to provide an automatic supplier switching service for homeowners across Pennsylvania, charging a 20% Shared Savings fee (convenience fee) for monitoring rates, switching energy suppliers protecting retail customers from spam and providing insights on energy spend.

Currents Energy, Inc. is currently a user of a third-party brokerage NRG Kiosk d/b/a Power Kiosk ("NRG"). NRG enables users like Currents Energy, Inc. to increase access to the competitive energy markets, utilizing their software, supplier partnerships and integrations, and regulatory licenses, while ensuring compliance with strict internal policies and enforcement mechanisms. We are seeking our own license in order to work directly with energy suppliers and retail customers. Once we secure our own license in the Commonwealth, we will no longer use NRG's platform.

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 type="checkbox"/> PECO               | <input type="checkbox"/> Wellsboro                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Penelec            | <input type="checkbox"/> West Penn                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Penn Power         |   |
|   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Entire Commonwealth of PA |

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

- Residential Customers
- Small Commercial Customers - (25 kW and Under)
- Large Commercial Customers - (Over 25 kW)
- Industrial Customers
- Governmental Customers
- All of above
- Other (Describe):
- Residential and Small Commercial Customers in a Mixed Meter Capacity -  
This customer class reflects situations in which a large commercial, industrial, and/or governmental customer account also contains features of residential and/or small commercial customers. In this instance, the residential and/or small commercial portion must be an incidental portion of the larger account. **This customer class alone does not allow marketing targeted directly to residential and/or small commercial customers.** Further information may be found in the Requirements Applicable to Mixed Meter Scenarios Secretarial Letter served March 25, 2011, at Docket No. M-2009-2082042.

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

Applicant proposes to actively market the service within the Commonwealth upon Commission approval of this application.

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.

The Applicant, nor any affiliate, predecessor, or person identified in this Application has been or is currently the defendant of a criminal or civil proceeding within the last five (5) years.

- b. **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 has no actions or complaints to list.

- c. **SUMMARY:** Provide a statement as to the resolution or present status of any proceedings or actions listed above. Additionally, provide details of any actions the applicant has undertaken that will prevent the items listed above from occurring if licensed in Pennsylvania.

Not applicable to Applicant.

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 Sections 1.57, 1.58, and 54.32(d) of the Commission's Regulations, 52 Pa. Code §§ 1.57, 1.58, and 54.32(d), 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

Department of Revenue  
Bureau of Compliance  
PO Box 281230  
Harrisburg, PA 17128-1230

Office of Small Business Advocate  
 Forum Place  
 555 Walnut Street, 1st Floor  
 Harrisburg, PA 17101

- b. **EDCs:** Pursuant to Sections 1.57, 1.58, and 54.32(d) of the Commission’s Regulations, 52 Pa. Code §§ 1.57, 1.58, and 54.32(d), provide Proof of Service of the Application and attachments upon each Electric Distribution Company 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.

<p><b>Citizens’ Electric Company:</b>          Citizens’ Electric Company          Attn: EGS Coordination          1775 Industrial Boulevard          Lewisburg, PA 17837</p>	<p><b>Duquesne Light Company:</b>          Regulatory Affairs          Duquesne Light Company          411 Seventh Street, MD 16-4          Pittsburgh, PA 15219</p>
<p><b>Met-Ed, Penelec, and Penn Power:</b>          Legal Department          First Energy          2800 Pottsville Pike          Reading PA, 19612</p>	<p><b>PECO:</b>          Manager Energy Acquisition          PECO Energy Company          2301 Market Street          Philadelphia, PA 19101-8699</p>
<p><b>Pike County Light &amp; Power Company:</b>          Vice President – Energy Supply          Corning Natural Gas Holding Corporation          330 West William Street          Corning, NY 14830</p>	<p><b>PPL:</b>          Office of General Counsel          Attn: Kimberly A. Klock          PPL          Two North Ninth Street (GENTW3)          Allentown, PA 18101-1179</p>
<p><b>UGI:</b>          UGI Utilities, Inc.          Attn: Rates Dept. – Choice Coordinator          1 UGI Drive          Denver, PA 17517</p>	<p><b>Wellsboro Electric Company:</b>          Wellsboro Electric Company          Attn: EGS Coordination          33 Austin Street          P. O. Box 138          Wellsboro, PA 16901</p>
<p><b>West Penn Power:</b>          Legal Department          West Penn Power d/b/a Allegheny Power          800 Cabin Hill Drive          Greensburg, PA 15601-1689</p>	

**FINANCIAL FITNESS**

a. **FINANCIAL SECURITY:** In accordance with 66 Pa.C.S. § 2809(c)(1)(i) and 52 Pa. Code § 54.40(a), 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.

Applicant will not take title to electricity and will not pay electricity bills on behalf of its customers.  
Original bond is being filed separately.

**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, EGS suppliers should email [pc-puc-tus-energy@pagov.onmicrosoft.com](mailto:pc-puc-tus-energy@pagov.onmicrosoft.com) or call (717)783-5242 to determine the appropriate bonding amount based on a percentage of suppliers gross receipts resulting from the sale of generated electricity consumed in Pennsylvania. Once the amount has been determined, suppliers 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 (preferred), 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:

- 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.
- 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 statements (3-12 recent consecutive months), tax returns from the previous two years, or any other information that demonstrates Applicant's financial fitness.

See Confidential Exhibit 7-1 for bank statements and venture capital financing

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.

Applicant is filing and operating as a Broker/Marketer only.

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

Applicant charges its customers a convenience fee ("Shared Savings fee") for its services via credit card, and from time to time will be paid directly by the EGS.

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.

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f. **TAXATION:** Complete the TAX CERTIFICATION STATEMENT attached as Appendix I to this application.

*All sections of the Tax Certification Statement must be completed. Submitting N/A on either the Sales Tax License Number or the Employer ID Number (items 7A and 7B) shall be accompanied by supporting documentation or an explanation validating the absence of such information.*

*Item 7A on the Tax Certification Statement is designated by the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue. Item 7B on the Tax Certification Statement is designated by the Internal Revenue Service.*

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.

See Exhibit 8-1 for Technical Fitness

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?

- Yes
- No

If yes, describe the Applicant's verification procedures.

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

Applicant is devoted to maintaining transparency, fairness, and ethical integrity in all business operations. All marketing communications, whether disseminated via Applicant's website or advertisements on social media will be accurate, clear, and non-misleading, with all claims substantiated and relevant disclaimers prominently displayed. A stringent monitoring and oversight mechanism involving Officers and senior leadership is in place to regularly review marketing content and strategies, promptly address deviations, and implement corrective measures.

- 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.

Currents Energy, Inc. officers are Matt Zothner, Chief Executive Officer. Resume with date range and job description can be found on Exhibit 8-2.

- 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.***

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](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(b)(4).
- 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 of the Public Utility Code, 66 Pa.C.S. Chapt. 28, pertaining to reliability and to inform the Governor and Legislature of the progress of the transition to a fully competitive electric market.

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. § 2809(D) and 52 Pa. Code § 54.41(a). 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. §§ 4902, 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 thirty (30) 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.**

**All Applicants MUST include a Commission issued Docket Number in their publications.** Docket Numbers are issued to new applicants when an application packet is submitted to the PUC's Secretary's Bureau. **Newspaper publications published without a Commission issued Docket No. will be rejected.** For more information, see 52 Pa. Code § 54.35.

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 to the Commission before the applicant is licensed.**

	Erie Times-News	Harrisburg Patriot-News	Philadelphia Daily News or Philadelphia Inquirer	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

*(Newspaper Publication Templates are provided at Appendices K and L)*

13.

**SIGNATURE**

Applicant: Currents Energy, Inc.

*Matt Zothner*

By: Matt Zothner

Title: Chief Executive Officer

**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: Currents Energy, Inc.**

Ap pli ca nt' s Us e	X	<b>Signature</b>		PU C Se cre tar y's Bu rea u Us e
	X	<b>Filing Fee (CERTIFIED CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY)</b>		
	X	<b>Application Affidavit</b>		
	X	<b>Operations Affidavit</b>		
	X	<b>Bond, Letter of Credit, or Parental/Affiliate Guarantee</b>		
	X	<b>Tax Certification Statement</b>		
	X	<b>Commonwealth Department of State Verification</b>		
	X	<b>Certificate of Service</b>		

APPLICATION AFFIDAVIT

[Commonwealth/State] of Pennsylvania :

County of Philadelphia :

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

[He/she is the Chief Executive Officer (Office of Affiant) of Currents Energy, Inc. (Name of Applicant);]

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

That the Applicant herein Currents Energy, Inc. 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) and 52 Pa. Code § 54.37.

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

That the Applicant herein Currents Energy, Inc. 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 Currents Energy, Inc. 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.

[Signature]  
Signature of Affiant

Sworn and subscribed before me this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

[Signature]  
Signature of official administering oath

My commission expires Jan 04, 2027.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal  
Shamaka Harrison, Notary Public  
Philadelphia County  
My Commission Expires Jan. 04, 2027  
Commission Number 1431857

Appendix B

OPERATIONS AFFIDAVIT

[Commonwealth/State] of Pennsylvania :

: ss.

County of Philadelphia :

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

[He/she is the Chief Executive Officer (Office of Affiant) of Currents Energy, Inc. (Name of Applicant);]

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

That the Applicant herein, acknowledges that Currents Energy, Inc. 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 Currents Energy, Inc., 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 Currents Energy, Inc., 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 Code of 1971, 72 P.S. §§ 7101 et seq., 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).

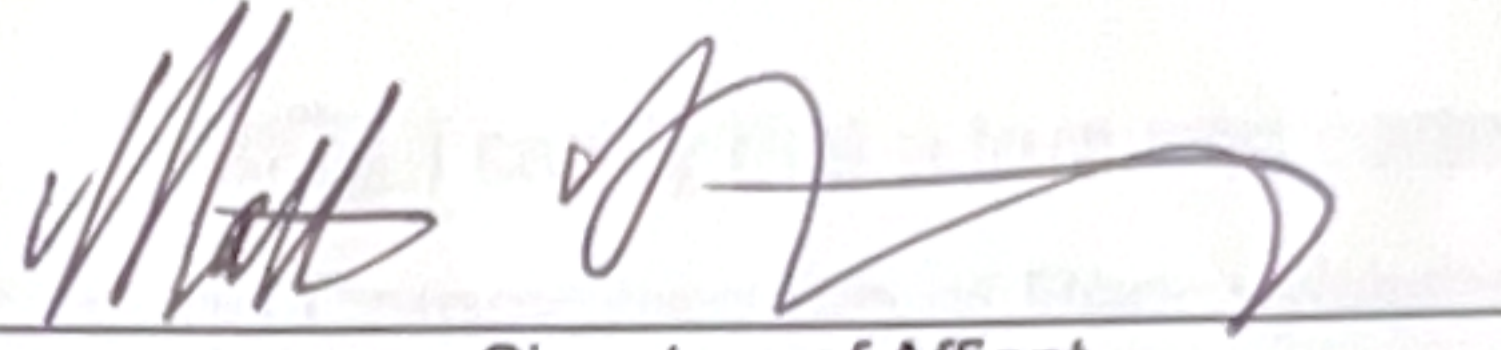
As provided by 66 Pa.C.S. § 2810 (C)(6)(iv), Applicant, by filing of this application waives confidentiality with respect to its state tax information in the possession of the Department of Revenue, regardless of the source of the information, and shall consent to the Department of Revenue providing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

Appendix B (Continued)

That Currents Energy, Inc., 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.

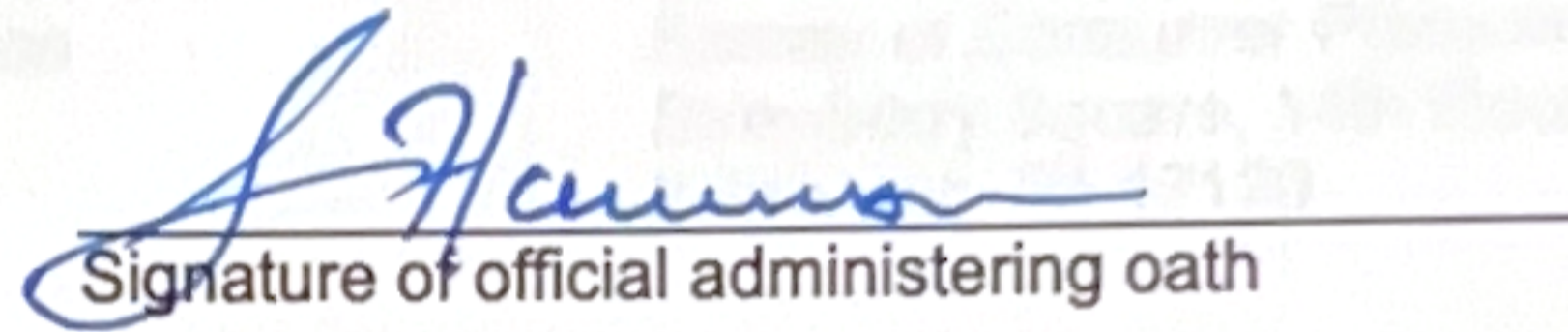
That the Applicant agrees to provide all consumer education materials and information in a timely manner as requested by the Bureau of Public Liaison or other Commission bureaus. Materials and information requested may be analyzed by the Commission to meet obligations under applicable sections of the 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 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.



Signature of official administering oath

My commission expires Jan 04, 2027.

## Appendix C

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

### Example CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On this the 9th day of May 2025, 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 or a USB flash drive, 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

Department of Revenue  
Bureau of Compliance  
PO Box 281230  
Harrisburg, PA 17128-1230

Office of Small Business Advocate  
Forum Place  
555 Walnut Street, 1st Floor  
Harrisburg, PA 17101

Vice President – Energy Supply  
Coming Natural Gas Holding Corporation  
330 West William Street  
Coming, 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

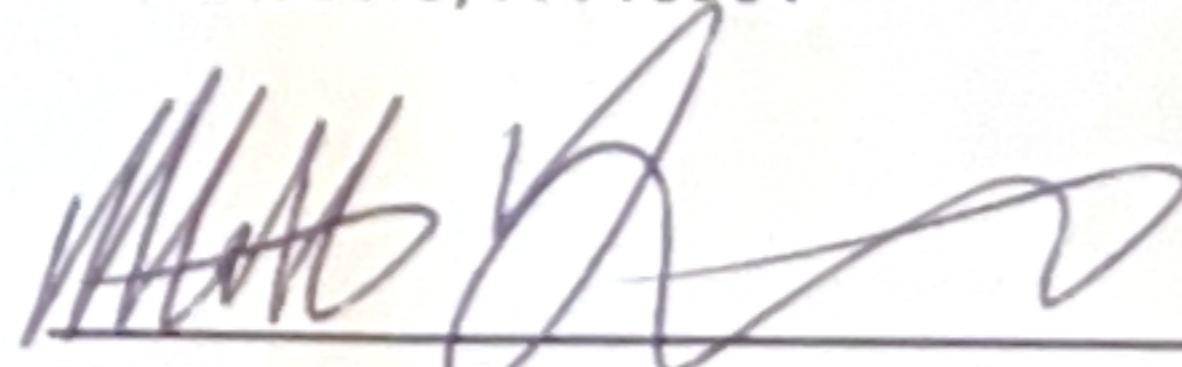
Office of General Counsel  
Attn: Kimberly A. Klock  
PPL  
Two North Ninth Street (GENTW3)  
Allentown, PA 18101-1179

Legal Department  
First Energy  
2800 Pottsville Pike  
Reading PA, 19612

UGI Utilities, Inc.  
Attn: Rates Dept. – Choice Coordinator  
1 UGI Drive  
Denver, PA 17517

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



Matt Zothner, CEO, Currents Energy, Inc.

## Appendix D

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

### Electric Generation Supplier License Financial Instruments

Bonds or other financial instruments submitted in order to satisfy the licensing process must comply with the following:

The financial instrument, in the amount of \$250,000 for suppliers/aggregators or \$10,000 for brokers/marketers, should name the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission as the obligee or beneficiary, and should contain the following unmodified language:

...“ in accordance with Section 2809(c)(1)(i) of the Public Utility Code, 66 Pa. C.S. 2809(c)(1)(i), to assure compliance with applicable provisions of the Public Utility Code, 66 Pa. C.S. 101, et seq. and the rules and regulation of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission by the Principal as a licensed electric generation supplier; to ensure the payment of Gross Receipts Tax as required by Section 2810 of the Public Utility Code, 66 Pa. C.S. 2810; to ensure the payment of annual fees as authorized by Act 155 of 2014; to adhere to the requirements of the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act, 73 P.S. § 1648.1 et seq. and 52 Pa.Code 75.1 et seq.; and to ensure the supply of electricity at retail in accordance with contracts, agreements or arrangement. Payment of claims shall have the following priority: (I) The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; (II) Electric Distribution Companies for the reimbursement of Gross Receipts Tax; and (III) Private Individuals. Proceeds of the bond may not be used to pay any penalties or fines levied against the Principal for violations of the law, or for the payment of any other tax obligations owed to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.”

The **ORIGINAL** financial instrument must be submitted, preferably by overnight delivery, to the Secretary of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, 400 North Street, Keystone Building, Harrisburg, PA 17120. If the application is approved, the entry date of the Commission’s Order will be the effective date of the license.

**Applicants should CHOOSE ONE financial instrument template from Appendices E through H.**

**Appendix I (CONFIDENTIAL)**

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

TAX CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

1. CORPORATE OR APPLICANT  
NAME

2. BUSINESS PHONE NO. (        )  
CONTACT PERSON(S) FOR TAX ACCOUNTS:

**Currents Energy, Inc.**

**(919) 374-8311**

3. TRADE/FICTITIOUS NAME (IF  
ANY)  
N/A

4. LICENSED ADDRESS  
STATE                    (ZIP)

(STREET, RURAL ROUTE, P.O. BOX NO.)

(POST OFFICE)

**525 Buena Vista Ave W, San Francisco, CA 94117**

5. TYPE OF ENTITY

SOLE PROPRIETOR    PARTNERSHIP    **CORPORATION**    LLC  
OTHER (Describe...)

**Corporation**

6. LIST OWNER(S), GENERAL PARTNERS, OR CORPORATE OFFICERS(S)

NAME (PRINT)	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER - For Sole Proprietor with NO EIN ONLY																	
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**7. LIST THE FOLLOWING STATE & FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS (ALL ITEMS A,B, & C MUST BE COMPLETED)**

**Applicant must provide an explanation if submitting N/A for items 7A and/or 7B.**

Item A- Designated by the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue.

Item B - Designated by the Internal Revenue Service.

**A. SALES TAX LICENSE (8 DIGITS) APPLICATION**

PENDING    N/A

**N/A to Applicant.**

Currents Energy, Inc. has made no taxable sales and annual Pennsylvania receipts are below the \$100,000 economic-nexus threshold. At this time, the business is not required to hold a Sales & Use Tax License, though will complete and obtain the license **before** any taxable sales commence.

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**B. EMPLOYER ID (EIN) (9 DIGITS) APPLICATION**

PENDING    N/A

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8. Do you have PA employees; resident or non-resident?

**YES**

NO

9. Do you own any assets or have an office in PA?

NO

**YES**

**NAME AND PHONE NUMBER OF PERSON(S) RESPONSIBLE FOR FILING TAX RETURNS**

Matt Zothner

Matt Zothner

Matt Zothner

PA SALES AND USE TAX

EMPLOYER TAXES

CORPORATE TAXES

PHONE

PHONE

PHONE

(919) 374-8311

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Telephone inquiries about this form may be directed to the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue at the following numbers: (717) 787-1064, TDD# (800) 447-3020 (Hearing Impaired Only)

A completed Tax Certification Statement must accompany all applications for new licenses, renewals or transfers. Failure to provide the requested information and/or any outstanding state income, corporation, and sales (including failure to file or register) will cause your application to be rejected. If additional space is needed, please use white 8 1/2" x 11" paper. Type or print all information requested.

## Appendix K

### NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION TEMPLATE FOR EGS ONLY

(Applicant must substitute appropriately for all bracketed areas)

(Applicant should choose 1 of the service options corresponding with Section 4.b of the application)

#### PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION NOTICE

Application of **Currents Energy, Inc.** for Approval to Offer, Render, Furnish or Supply Electricity or Electric Generation Services to the public in The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Docket No.

**Currents Energy, Inc.** has filed an application with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“PUC”) for a license to supply electricity or electric generation services as **Currents Energy, Inc. a broker/marketer engaged in the business of supplying electricity services.** **Currents Energy, Inc.** proposes to sell electricity and related services in **the entire Commonwealth of PA** under the provisions of the Electricity Generation Customer Choice and Competition Act.

The PUC may consider this application without a hearing. Protests directed to the technical or financial fitness of **Currents Energy, Inc.** may be filed within 15 days of the date of this notice with the Secretary of the PUC, 400 North Street, Harrisburg, PA 17120. Please include the Docket No. listed above on the protest.

Additionally, please send copies of any protest to **Currents Energy, Inc.** attorney at the address listed below.

N/A  
**Currents Energy, Inc.**  
**525 Buena Vista Ave W.**  
**San Francisco, CA, 94117**  
**(919) 374-8311**  
**registrations@getcurrents.com**

## APPENDIX M

### EDI CONTACT SHEET

Company: Currents Energy, Inc.

Docket #:

#### **Primary EDI Coordinator**

Name/Title: Matt Zothner, Chief Executive Officer

Phone: (919) 374-8311

Email: matt@getcurrents.com

#### **Technical/IT Contact**

Name/Title: Matt Zothner, Chief Executive Officer

Phone: (919) 374-8311

Email: hello@getcurrents.com

#### **24-Hour Operations Contact**

Name/Title: Matt Zothner, Chief Executive Officer

Phone: (919) 374-8311

Email: hello@getcurrents.com

#### **Billing / Remittance Address**

Street: 525 Buena Vista Ave W

City, State ZIP: San Francisco, CA 94117

Effective date: 5/09/2025

Prepared by: Matt Zothner

*Matt Zothner*

# Delaware

The First State

*I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF "CURRENTS ENERGY, INC.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE FOURTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D. 2024, AT 3:22 O`CLOCK P.M.*



  
Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State

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You may verify this certificate online at [corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml](http://corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml)

**CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**CURRENTS ENERGY, INC.**

The undersigned, a natural person (the “*Sole Incorporator*”), for the purpose of organizing a corporation to conduct the business and promote the purposes hereinafter stated, under the provisions and subject to the requirements of the laws of the State of Delaware hereby certifies that:

**I.**

The name of this corporation is Currents Energy, Inc.

**II.**

The registered office of the corporation in the State of Delaware is 251 Little Falls Drive, City of Wilmington, County of New Castle, 19808 and the name of the registered agent of the corporation in the State of Delaware at such address is Corporation Service Company.

**III.**

The purpose of this corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which a corporation may be organized under the Delaware General Corporation Law (“*DGCL*”).

**IV.**

This corporation is authorized to issue two classes of stock to be designated, respectively, “Common Stock” and “Preferred Stock”. The total number of shares which the corporation is authorized to issue is 10,000,000. 7,900,000 shares will be Common Stock, each having a par value of \$0.0001. 2,100,000 shares will be Preferred Stock, each having a par value of \$0.0001.

**A. COMMON STOCK**

**1. General.** The voting, dividend and liquidation rights of the holders of the Common Stock are subject to and qualified by the rights, powers and preferences of the holders of the Preferred Stock set forth herein.

**2. Voting.** The holders of the Common Stock are entitled to one vote for each share of Common Stock held at all meetings of stockholders (and written actions in lieu of meetings). There shall be no cumulative voting. The number of authorized shares of Common Stock may be increased or decreased (but not below the number of shares thereof then outstanding) by (in addition to any vote of the holders of one or more series of Preferred Stock that may be required by the terms of this Certificate of Incorporation) the affirmative vote of the holders of shares of capital stock of the Corporation representing a majority of the votes represented by all outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote, irrespective of the provisions of Section 242(b)(2) of the General Corporation Law.

This Certificate has been subscribed as of March 2, 2024 by the undersigned who affirms that the statements made herein are true and correct.

*Matt Zothner*

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**Matt Zothner**  
Sole Incorporator

**ACTION BY WRITTEN CONSENT OF  
SOLE INCORPORATOR OF  
CURRENTS ENERGY, INC.**

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The undersigned, being the sole incorporator of **Currents Energy, Inc.**, a Delaware corporation (the “**Company**”), pursuant to Section 108 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, adopts the following resolution by written consent:

**Appointment of Directors; Resignation of Incorporator**

Effective as of the date set forth below, James Meyerle and Matt Zothner are appointed as the initial directors of the Company to serve until such directors’ successors shall have been duly elected and qualified, or until such directors’ earlier resignation or removal.

Effective immediately following execution of this Action by Written Consent, the undersigned hereby resigns as the sole incorporator of the Company, and the powers and duties of the undersigned sole incorporator be, and they hereby are, terminated.

This Action by Written Consent may be executed via facsimile, electronic mail (including pdf or any electronic signature complying with the U.S. federal E-SIGN Act of 2000, Uniform Electronic Transactions Act or other applicable law) or other transmission method and will be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes. This Action by Written Consent will be filed with the minutes of the proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Company. This Action by Written Consent is executed as of March 1, 2024.

*Matt Zothner*

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Matt Zothner  
Sole Incorporator



**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**  
 Department of State  
 Bureau of Corporations and Charitable Organizations  
 PO Box 8722  
 Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17105-8722  
**FOREIGN REGISTRATION STATEMENT**  
 Fee: \$250

Pennsylvania Department of State

**-FILED-**

File #: 0013771580  
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**DSCB:15-412 (rev. 2/2017)**

In compliance with the requirements of 15 Pa.C.S. § 412 (relating to foreign registration statement), the undersigned foreign association hereby states that:

Foreign Business Type Filing type	Foreign Business Corporation	
Association Name The full and proper name of the foreign association as registered in its jurisdiction of formation is Business name in Pennsylvania	Currents Energy, Inc. Currents Energy, Inc.	
Effective Date The filing shall be effective when filed with the Department of State		
Additional Information Jurisdiction of Formation Select one of the following	DELAWARE The association may not have series.	
The street address of the association's principal office. Principal Office Address	525 BUENA VISTA AVE WEST SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94117	
The mailing address of the association's principal office. Mailing Address	525 BUENA VISTA AVE WEST SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94117	
Home Jurisdiction Addresses Select one	The association's home jurisdiction does not require the association to maintain a street and mailing address in that jurisdiction.	
Registered Office The name of the commercial registered office provider and the county of venue is Corporation Service Company Commercial Registered Office Provider Venue and Publication County	DAUPHIN	
Additional provisions, if any Additional provisions		
<input type="checkbox"/> I qualify for a veteran/reservist-owned small business fee exemption (see help)		
Electronic Signature IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the above-named association has caused this Foreign Registration Statement to be signed by a duly authorized representative		
Full Name	Title	Date
Matt Zothner	Chief Executive Officer	03/14/2024

## Description of Services and Vision

Currents is a home electrification platform that automatically **monitors, compares, and switches residential electricity supply plans** on behalf of homeowners to maximize savings. Currents surfaces personalized recommendations for rooftop-solar monetization (SRECs), battery storage, and demand-response enrollment. Our long-term vision is to become the **trusted energy operating system for the connected home**, turning fragmented utility data into actionable, automated decisions that lower bills and accelerate household electrification.

## Revenue Model

Currents charges homeowners a transparent **20 % share of the verified utility-bill savings** it delivers each month; we **do not currently accept commissions or incentive payments from suppliers**. This customer-pays model eliminates bias and aligns our incentives squarely with the homeowner.

## Marketing Plans

Upon approval of our Pennsylvania broker/marketer licence, Currents will target customers in PECO, PPL, Duquesne Light, Met-Ed, West Penn, and Penelec territories. Acquisition channels:

- Geo-targeted Meta and Google Ads keyed to “PECO rate” and “switch electric supplier” queries.
- SEO content hubs (e.g., “2025 PECO price-to-compare”) and referral partnerships with solar installers who already send SREC clients to Currents.

## Operations in Other States

Currents currently aggregates SRECs for solar owners **in the PJM territory** and holds aggregator credentials with PJM-GATS and NEPOOL-GIS. For our electricity supplier switching service, we are preparing parallel broker applications in **Ohio, Maryland, and the District of Columbia** to launch in Q3 2025. No commercial load is served in any jurisdiction.

## Technical and Managerial Competence

Currents is led by **Matt Zothner (Founder & CEO)**, whose background spans residential energy marketplaces and AI-driven fintech products, and **Scot Lawrie (CTO)**, an experience technology leader and software engineer who has built DER integration software.

Currents’ robust automation software, conflict-free revenue model, and seasoned management team position the company to expand responsibly while delivering measurable savings to Pennsylvania homeowners.

## Exhibit 8-1

### TECHNICAL FITNESS

Currents Energy, Inc. is in the early stages of securing electricity broker / marketer licenses beyond its home market of Pennsylvania. Initial applications are on file with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, and additional filings for Ohio, Maryland, the District of Columbia, and more states will follow this quarter as we responsibly expand our footprint.

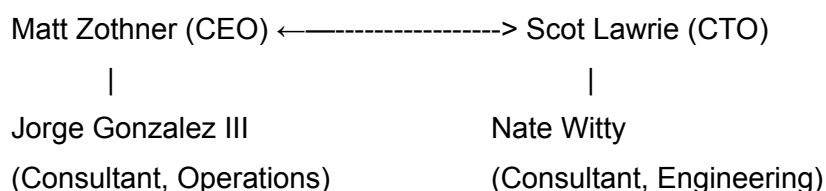
Currents operates **getcurrents.com**, an AI-powered platform that will continuously scan retail supply offers, model each customer's usage profile, and automatically switch them to the optimal fixed-term or time-of-use plan. Currents doesn't intend to take energy supplier commissions, nor does it purchase, deliver, or invoice electricity. Instead, we intend to charge customers a transparent share-of-savings fee via credit card and pass through 80 % of the realized savings to the customer. Our platform also layers on value-add services such as Solar REC monetization and personalized electrification insights.

Currents' leadership brings deep market and technical expertise:

- **Matt Zothner – Founder & CEO**  
Serial entrepreneur with a background in energy-fintech and grid services, previously led growth at Prufrock Ventures helping Abode launch a utility bill product in the Texas deregulated energy market, and has helped hundreds of solar owners monetize their solar systems through SRECs.
- **Scot Lawrie – Co-Founder & CTO**  
Serial entrepreneur who reverse-engineered the SunPower monitoring API to restore free data access for homeowners; specializes in scaling DER integrations and providing easy-to-use energy tools for consumers.
- **Advisory Bench**  
Includes former executives from PowerPicker and Energy Toolbase giving Currents firsthand insight into supplier negotiations, REC compliance markets, and consumer protection standards.

Together, the team has managed REC trades, solar installation enrollments and DER integrations for more than 15 installers and 1,000 homeowners across the PJM footprint, demonstrating both operational competence and customer trust.

#### Org Chart



## Matt Zothner

[mattzothner@gmail.com](mailto:mattzothner@gmail.com)

[linkedin.com/in/matt-zothner](https://www.linkedin.com/in/matt-zothner)

Cross-functional founder skilled in building products and launching go-to-market strategies, especially from zero to one. Would be described by others as scrappy, resourceful, and creative. I continue to build skills in growth, product and software development.

### EXPERIENCE

#### **Currents, Remote / Philadelphia, PA — Founder & CEO**

MAR 2024 - PRESENT

AI-powered consumer energy platform saving homeowners money and monetizing their distributed energy resources (DERs).

- Led company to launch 5+ energy tools for consumers to leverage DERs and financial rails and deliver AI-powered insights
- Successfully raised pre-seed and seed financing from Tier 1 investment funds
- Launched money-savings products (electric-supplier optimization + SREC monetization + electrification insights) that serve 5,000+ homeowners across PJM states.
- Facilitated \$1M+ in SREC trades and aggregated 50+ MW of behind-the-meter solar + batteries for future VPP enrollment.

#### **Prufrock Ventures, Remote — Growth Partner**

SEP 2022 - PRESENT

Company builder and investor with a competency in the zero to one of new venture validation and development - elder tech, proptech, and more.

- Launched app for Millennial homeowners aimed at being the “autopilot for your home”; Built waitlist of 10k+ with limited resources - organic virality on TikTok (1M+ views), brokered dozens of affiliate relationships, AI-assisted SEO, other projects include building MVP product features and monetization
- Launched DTC aging-at-home platform targeted at helping caregivers of older adults get connected with aging services - branding, website, SEO, PPC, partnerships

## **Grow Your Co, Remote — Founder**

FEB 2022 - NOV 2022

Consultancy assisting climate and energy tech companies find and scale audiences. Past clients: Climate Now, Solutions: The Game, etc.

## **Alcove, Durham, NC — Head of Marketing**

SEP 2019 - AUG 2022

Shared living marketplace (Series A) - Lead marketing and growth functions to product-market fit and \$5M+ revenue.

- Launched B2C product (demand engine) across all markets resulting in 150,000+ leads collected
- Scale from zero to 20+ channels - SEO, referrals, paid ads, partnerships
- Owned launch (0 → 1 ) of new markets - hired team, built launch playbooks

## **Kaleido, Raleigh, NC — Product Marketing**

2018 - 2019

Enterprise blockchain (Series A) - Launch new product features resulting in 200% customer growth through paid, SEO, and developer education. Develop brand and collateral (video, podcasts), KPI reporting, etc.

## **ACCOMPLISHMENTS YEAR-TO-DATE**

1M+ organic views on TikTok

10K+ visitors/month with pSEO, 10K+ waitlist pre-launch

## **TOOLS**

### **Acquisition**

Make.com, Zapier, pSEO, Google Ads, Meta Ads, Tiktok, PostHog, Ahrefs

### **Development**

LLMs, Figma, Webflow, Frontend/Backend, Databases

## **EDUCATION**

### **Appalachian State University, Boone, NC**

B.S. Business; Honors, Cum Laude; Student Entrepreneurs; Phi Sigma Kappa; Honors Thesis: "Autonomous Vehicles: Safety, Ownership, & Experience"