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PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
COMMONWEALTH KEYSTONE BUILDING
400 NORTH STREET
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA 17120
August 10, 2026

Docket No. A-2019-3012703
Utility Code: 1122551

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KENICHIRO HASHIMOTO
SMARTESTENERGY US LLC
110 WEST FAYETTE ST STE 400
SYRACUSE NY 13202

RE: Financial Security Reduction Annual Compliance Filing

Dear Mr. Hashimoto:

On May 7, 2026, SmartestEnergy US LLC filed an Annual Compliance Filing¹ with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (Commission) to maintain its bonding level of 5% of its most recent 4 quarters of revenue subject to the minimum of \$250,000, per the Commission's Orders entered July 24, 2014, at Docket No. M-2013-2393141 and September 20, 2018, at Docket No. P-2017-2608078.

In order for us to complete our analysis of your filing, the Energy Industry Group requires that SmartestEnergy US LLC provide its 2026 Statement of Account showing a zero GRT balance and proof of its 2026 Estimated GRT prepayment from the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue, 2026 AEPS compliance email from the AEPS administrator, and proof of compliance with Commission annual/supplemental fees. Failure to respond timely may result in the filing being rejected.

If SmartestEnergy US LLC has decided to withdraw its filing, please reply notifying the Commission of such a decision.

Finally, if any problems arise that prevent a full timely response or if any clarification of this letter is needed, please contact Stephen Jakab via e-mail at sjakab@pa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Matthew L. Homsher'.

Matthew L. Homsher
Secretary

¹ Final Order at Docket No. P-2017-2608078 (adopted September 20, 2018)