BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of the Exelon)	
Energy Company for Certification as a)	Case No. 02-1912-GA-CRS
Competitive Retail Natural Gas Supplier.	.)	

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) On August 27, 2002, the Commission issued Certificate No. 02-031(1) to Exelon Energy Ohio, Inc., to provide competitive retail natural gas services. The expiration date for Certificate 02-031(1) was August 24, 2004.
- (2) Rule 4901:1-27-09(A), Ohio Administrative Code, provides that a governmental aggregator wishing to renew a certificate shall file a renewal application "[n]o less than thirty and no more than one hundred twenty days prior to the expiration date "
- (3) On July 23, 2004, Exelon Energy Ohio, Inc., filed an application for renewal of its certification. On September 9, 2004, it filed notification that, as a result of a merger, its name had changed to Exelon Energy Corporation (Exelon). The Commission issued Certificate No. 02-031(2) to Exelon, with an expiration date of August 23, 2006.
- (4) On July 21, 2006, Exelon filed an application for renewal of its certificate. The Commission issued Certificate No. 02-031(3), with an expiration date of August 23, 2008.
- (5) On July 25, 2008, Exelon filed a renewal application. On August 4, 2008, Exelon filed a motion for an extension of the expiration date of its existing certificate. In its motion, Exelon states that, as a result of a misunderstanding regarding the determination of the due date for its renewal application, it failed to file that application within the required time frame. Exelon requests that the Commission extend the expiration date of its current certificate from August 23, 2008, to August 25, 2008.

(6) The examiner believes that an extension of the expiration date of Certificate No. 02-031(3) to August 25, 2008, is warranted, so that Exelon's customers will not be adversely affected while its renewal application is under consideration.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That Exelon's motion for an extension of the certificate expiration date be granted. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the August 23, 2008, expiration date of Certificate No. 02-031(3) be extended to August 25, 2008. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon all parties of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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