

FILE



Ashley Hoffman
Analyst, Compliance
Direct Energy
614-220-4369 x 222
ashley.hoffman@directenergy.com

November 7, 2013

Ohio Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attn: Barcy McNeal, Secretary
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Public Version

Re: Case No. 13-1909-EL-ACP – 2012 Ohio AEPS Obligation cost data of Direct Energy Services, LLC, Direct Energy Business, LLC, Direct Energy Source, LLC, and Gateway Energy Services Corp.

Dear Ms. McNeal:

To be filed in Case Number 13-1909-EL-ACP, please find below the average cost data for the renewable energy credits that we have retired to demonstrate compliance with our 2012 Ohio AEPS obligations. Direct Energy believes that its average renewable energy credit cost data for the 2012 compliance year should be protected from public disclosure as a trade secret. It is submitting three unredacted copies of the tables under seal and filing a Motion for Protective Order pursuant to Rule 4901-1-24 of the Ohio Administrative Code.

Direct Energy Services, LLC (00-1936-EL-CRS)

Ohio Solar	\$ REDACTED
Other Solar	\$ REDACTED
Ohio Non-Solar	\$ REDACTED
Other Non-Solar	\$ REDACTED

Direct Energy Business, LLC (00-1758-EL-CRS)

Ohio Solar	\$ REDACTED
Other Solar	\$ REDACTED
Ohio Non-Solar	\$ REDACTED
Other Non-Solar	\$ REDACTED

Additionally, Direct Energy Source, LLC (formerly Vectren Retail, LLC – 11-1078-EL-CRS) as well as Gateway Energy Services Corp (02-1907-EL-CRS) have never made any retail electric sales in Ohio and therefore had no AEPS compliance obligation in 2012

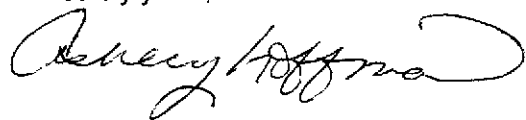
If there are any questions or comments regarding this notification, please feel free to contact me.

This is to certify that the images represent an accurate and complete reproduction of a hard file document delivered in the regular course of business.
Technician: Am Date Processed: 11/14/13
T: 614-220-4369 x 222 E: Ashley.hoffman@directenergy.com

RECEIVED-DOCKETING DIV
2013 NOV 14 PM 1:35
PUCO

Name
Date
Page 2

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ashley Hoffman". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

Ashley Hoffman
Analyst, Compliance
ashley.hoffman@directenergy.com