

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Melissa )  
McNabb for Certification as a Competitive ) Case No. 15-1497-EL-AGG  
Retail Electric Service Broker/Aggregator. )

ENTRY

The Commission finds:

- (1) For the reasons set forth below, Melissa McNabb's (McNabb) application for certification as a competitive retail electric service (CRES) broker and aggregator will be dismissed without prejudice.
- (2) Pursuant to R.C. 4928.08, the Commission reviews applications to determine if the applicant has the managerial, technical, and financial capability to provide CRES, and to determine if there is reasonable financial assurance sufficient to protect consumers and electric and natural gas companies from default.
- (3) R.C. 4928.08 provides that CRES suppliers, including brokers and aggregators, must be certified by the Commission prior to providing CRES. Pursuant to R.C. 4928.08 and Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-24-10, the application for certification shall be deemed approved 30 days after the filing of the application, unless the Commission suspends such approval. If the case is suspended, R.C. 4928.08 provides that the Commission shall act to approve or deny the application within 90 days after the date of suspension.
- (4) On August 24, 2015, McNabb filed an application for certification as a CRES broker and aggregator. In support of the application, McNabb provided information regarding her managerial, financial, and technical ability to provide CRES.
- (5) By Entry issued September 22, 2015, in accordance with R.C. 4928.08(B) and Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-24-10, the attorney examiner suspended McNabb's application from the 30-day

automatic approval process, in order that the Commission and Staff could further review this matter.

- (6) On November 16, 2015, Staff filed its review and recommendation. Staff indicates it requested that McNabb file additional information on multiple occasions; however, that information has not been provided. Therefore, Staff recommends that McNabb's certification for application be dismissed without prejudice.
- (7) Upon review of the application filed by McNabb on August 24, 2015, and taking into consideration Staff's recommendation, the Commission finds that McNabb's application for certification as a CRES broker and aggregator should be dismissed without prejudice.

It is, therefore,


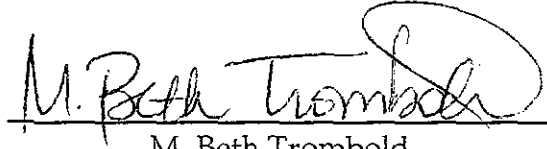
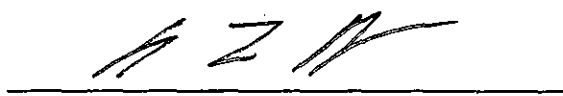
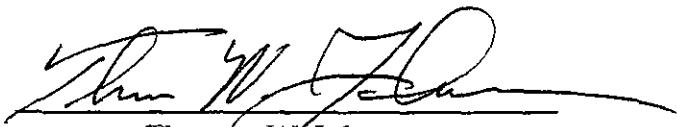
ORDERED, That McNabb's application for certification as a CRES broker and aggregator be dismissed without prejudice. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon each party of record in this case.

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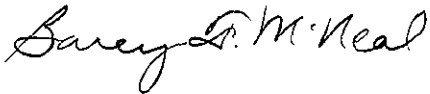
Andre T. Porter, Chairman

  
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Secretary