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CERTIFICATION APPLICATION FOR AGGREGATORS/POWER BROKERS

Please print or type all required information. Identify all attachments with an exhibit label and title (Example: Exhibit A-5 Experience). All attachments should bear the legal name of the Applicant. Applicants should file completed applications and all related correspondence with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, Docketing Division; 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793.

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A. APPLICANT INFORMATION

A-1 Applicant's legal name, address, telephone number and web site address

Legal Name Voltz Energy Partners, Inc.
Address 1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300, Northbrook, IL 60062
Telephone # (312) 933-6115 Web site address (if any) VoltzEnergyPartners.com

A-2 List name, address, telephone number and web site address under which Applicant will do business in Ohio

Legal Name Voltz Energy Partners, Inc.
Address same
Telephone # _____ Web site address (if any) _____

A-3 List all names under which the applicant does business in North America

Voltz Energy Partners, Inc.

A-4 Contact person for regulatory or emergency matters

Name Eugene Ricciardi
Title President

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Business address _____
Telephone # _____ Fax # _____
E-mail address (if any) _____

A-5 Contact person for Commission Staff use in investigating customer complaints

Name Brandon Kortgard
Title Controller
Business address 1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300, Northbrook, IL 60062
Telephone # (773) 299-0932 Fax # (847) 714-9834
E-mail address (if any) brandon@voltageglobal.com

A-6 Applicant's address and toll-free number for customer service and complaints

Customer Service address 1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300, Northbrook, IL 60062
Toll-free Telephone # _____ Fax # (847) 714-9834
E-mail address (if any) _____

A-7 Applicant's federal employer identification number # _____

A-8 Applicant's form of ownership (check one)

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sole Proprietorship | <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company (LLC) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

A-9 (Check all that apply) Identify each electric distribution utility certified territory in which the applicant intends to provide service, including identification of each customer class that the applicant intends to serve, for example, residential, small commercial, mercantile commercial, and industrial. (A mercantile customer, as defined in (A) (19) of Section 4928.01 of the Revised Code, is a commercial customer who consumes more than 700,000 kWh/year or is part of a national account in one or more states).

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First Energy | | | | |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> American Electric Power | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ohio Power | <input type="checkbox"/> Residential | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mercantile | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Industrial |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dayton Power and Light | <input type="checkbox"/> Residential | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mercantile | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Industrial |

- A-10** Provide the approximate start date that the applicant proposes to begin delivering services

October 1, 2013

PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING AS SEPARATE ATTACHMENTS AND LABEL AS INDICATED:

- A-11** **Exhibit A-11 "Principal Officers, Directors & Partners"** provide the names, titles, addresses and telephone numbers of the applicant's principal officers, directors, partners, or other similar officials.
- A-12** **Exhibit A-12 "Corporate Structure,"** provide a description of the applicant's corporate structure, including a graphical depiction of such structure, and a list of all affiliate and subsidiary companies that supply retail or wholesale electricity or natural gas to customers and companies that aggregate customers in North America.
- A-13** **Exhibit A-13 "Company History,"** provide a concise description of the applicant's company history and principal business interests.
- A-14** **Exhibit A-14 "Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws,"** if applicable, provide the articles of incorporation filed with the state or jurisdiction in which the Applicant is incorporated and any amendments thereto.
- A-15** **Exhibit A-15 "Secretary of State,"** provide evidence that the applicant has registered with the Ohio Secretary of the State.

B. APPLICANT MANAGERIAL CAPABILITY AND EXPERIENCE

PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING AS SEPARATE ATTACHMENTS AND LABEL AS INDICATED:

- B-1** **Exhibit B-1 "Jurisdictions of Operation,"** provide a list of all jurisdictions in which the applicant or any affiliated interest of the applicant is, at the date of filing the application, certified, licensed, registered, or otherwise authorized to provide retail or wholesale electric services including aggregation services.
- B-2** **Exhibit B-2 "Experience & Plans,"** provide a description of the applicant's experience and plan for contracting with customers, providing contracted services, providing billing statements, and responding to customer inquiries and complaints in accordance with Commission rules adopted pursuant to Section 4928.10 of the Revised Code.

B-3 **Exhibit B-3 "Summary of Experience,"** provide a concise summary of the applicant's experience in providing aggregation service(s) including contracting with customers to combine electric load and representing customers in the purchase of retail electric services. (e.g. number and types of customers served, utility service areas, amount of load, etc.).

B-4 **Exhibit B-4 "Disclosure of Liabilities and Investigations,"** provide a description of all existing, pending or past rulings, judgments, contingent liabilities, revocation of authority, regulatory investigations, or any other matter that could adversely impact the applicant's financial or operational status or ability to provide the services it is seeking to be certified to provide.

B-5 Disclose whether the applicant, a predecessor of the applicant, or any principal officer of the applicant have ever been convicted or held liable for fraud or for violation of any consumer protection or antitrust laws within the past five years.
☒ No ☐ Yes

If yes, provide a separate attachment labeled as **Exhibit B-5 "Disclosure of Consumer Protection Violations"** detailing such violation(s) and providing all relevant documents.

B-6 Disclose whether the applicant or a predecessor of the applicant has had any certification, license, or application to provide retail or wholesale electric service including aggregation service denied, curtailed, suspended, revoked, or cancelled within the past two years.
☒ No ☐ Yes

If yes, provide a separate attachment labeled as **Exhibit B-6 "Disclosure of Certification Denial, Curtailment, Suspension, or Revocation"** detailing such action(s) and providing all relevant documents.

C. APPLICANT FINANCIAL CAPABILITY AND EXPERIENCE

PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING AS SEPARATE ATTACHMENTS AND LABEL AS INDICATED:

C-1 **Exhibit C-1 "Annual Reports,"** provide the two most recent Annual Reports to Shareholders. If applicant does not have annual reports, the applicant should provide similar information in Exhibit C-1 or indicate that Exhibit C-1 is not applicable and why.

C-2 **Exhibit C-2 "SEC Filings,"** provide the most recent 10-K/8-K Filings with the SEC. If applicant does not have such filings, it may submit those of its parent company. If the applicant does not have such filings, then the applicant may indicate in Exhibit C-2 that the applicant is not required to file with the SEC and why.

- C-3** **Exhibit C-3 “Financial Statements,”** provide copies of the applicant’s two most recent years of audited financial statements (balance sheet, income statement, and cash flow statement). If audited financial statements are not available, provide officer certified financial statements. If the applicant has not been in business long enough to satisfy this requirement, it shall file audited or officer certified financial statements covering the life of the business.
- C-4** **Exhibit C-4 “Financial Arrangements,”** provide copies of the applicant’s financial arrangements to conduct CRES as a business activity (e.g., guarantees, bank commitments, contractual arrangements, credit agreements, etc.,).
- C-5** **Exhibit C-5 “Forecasted Financial Statements,”** provide two years of forecasted financial statements (balance sheet, income statement, and cash flow statement) for the applicant’s CRES operation, along with a list of assumptions, and the name, address, e-mail address, and telephone number of the preparer.
- C-6** **Exhibit C-6 “Credit Rating,”** provide a statement disclosing the applicant’s credit rating as reported by two of the following organizations: Duff & Phelps, Dun and Bradstreet Information Services, Fitch IBCA, Moody’s Investors Service, Standard & Poors, or a similar organization. In instances where an applicant does not have its own credit ratings, it may substitute the credit ratings of a parent or affiliate organization, provided the applicant submits a statement signed by a principal officer of the applicant’s parent or affiliate organization that guarantees the obligations of the applicant.
- C-7** **Exhibit C-7 “Credit Report,”** provide a copy of the applicant’s credit report from Experian, Dun and Bradstreet or a similar organization.
- C-8** **Exhibit C-8 “Bankruptcy Information,”** provide a list and description of any reorganizations, protection from creditors or any other form of bankruptcy filings made by the applicant, a parent or affiliate organization that guarantees the obligations of the applicant or any officer of the applicant in the current year or within the two most recent years preceding the application.

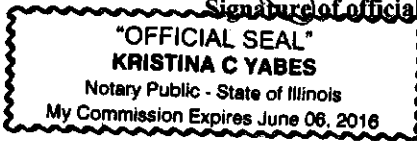
C-9 Exhibit C-9 "Merger Information." provide a statement describing any dissolution or merger or acquisition of the applicant within the five most recent years preceding the application.

[Signature] President / CEO
Signature of Applicant & Title

Sworn and subscribed before me this 6th day of August, 2013
Month Year

[Signature]
Signature of official administering oath

Kristina Yabes, Notary Public
Print Name and Title



My commission expires on 06/06/2016

AFFIDAVIT

State of Illinois :

Northbrook ss.
(Town)

County of Cook :

GENE RICCIANO, Affiant, being duly sworn/affirmed according to law, deposes and says that:

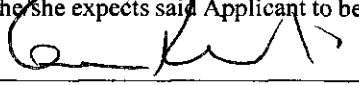
He/She is the PRESIDENT/CEO (Office of Affiant) of VOLT ENERGY PARTNERS, LLC (Name of Applicant);

That he/she is authorized to and does make this affidavit for said Applicant,

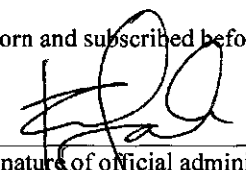
1. The Applicant herein, attests under penalty of false statement that all statements made in the application for certification are true and complete and that it will amend its application while the application is pending if any substantial changes occur regarding the information provided in the application.
2. The Applicant herein, attests it will timely file an annual report with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio of its intrastate gross receipts, gross earnings, and sales of kilowatt-hours of electricity pursuant to Division (A) of Section 4905.10, Division (A) of Section 4911.18, and Division (F) of Section 4928.06 of the Revised Code.
3. The Applicant herein, attests that it will timely pay any assessments made pursuant to Sections 4905.10, 4911.18, or Division F of Section 4928.06 of the Revised Code.
4. The Applicant herein, attests that it will comply with all Public Utilities Commission of Ohio rules or orders as adopted pursuant to Chapter 4928 of the Revised Code.
5. The Applicant herein, attests that it will cooperate fully with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, and its Staff on any utility matter including the investigation of any consumer complaint regarding any service offered or provided by the Applicant.
6. The Applicant herein, attests that it will fully comply with Section 4928.09 of the Revised Code regarding consent to the jurisdiction of Ohio Courts and the service of process.
7. The Applicant herein, attests that it will comply with all state and/or federal rules and regulations concerning consumer protection, the environment, and advertising/promotions.
8. The Applicant herein, attests that it will use its best efforts to verify that any entity with whom it has a contractual relationship to purchase power is in compliance with all applicable licensing requirements of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.
9. The Applicant herein, attests that it will cooperate fully with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, the electric distribution companies, the regional transmission entities, and other electric suppliers in the event of an emergency condition that may jeopardize the safety and reliability of the electric service in accordance with the emergency plans and other procedures as may be determined appropriate by the Commission.
10. If applicable to the service(s) the Applicant will provide, the Applicant herein, attests that it will adhere to the reliability standards of (1) the North American Electric Reliability Council (NERC), (2) the appropriate regional reliability council(s), and (3) the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio. (Only applicable if pertains to the services the Applicant is offering)

11. The Applicant herein, attests that it will inform the Commission of any material change to the information supplied in the application within 30 days of such material change, including any change in contact person for regulatory purposes or contact person for Staff use in investigating customer complaints.

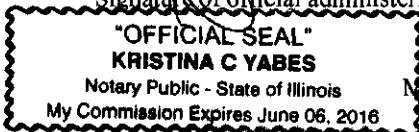
That the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge, information, and belief and that he/she expects said Applicant to be able to prove the same at any hearing hereof.

 Person / CEO
Signature of Affiant & Title

Sworn and subscribed before me this 6th day of August, 2013
Month Year


Signature of official administering oath

Kristina Yabes Notary Public
Print Name and Title



My commission expires on 06/06/2016

EXHIBIT A-11- Principles Officers, Directors



Gene Ricciardi / CEO

Voltz Energy Partners ("Voltz") is 100% owned by Gene Ricciardi.

Address: 1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300, Northbrook, IL 60062

Telephone: (312) 933-6115

Email: gene@voltzglobal.com

Fax: (847) 714-9834

Dave Chiero /SVP

Address: 1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300, Northbrook, IL 60062

Telephone: (847) 840-2124

Email: dave@voltzglobal.com

Fax: (847) 714-9834

Mary Ann Armatys/ SVP

Address: 1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300, Northbrook, IL 60062

Telephone: (773) 860-8848

Email: maryann@voltzglobal.com

Fax: (847) 714-9834

Matthew R. Ricciardi/ VP

Address: 1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300, Northbrook, IL 60062

Telephone: (847) 774-0715

Email: matt@voltzglobal.com

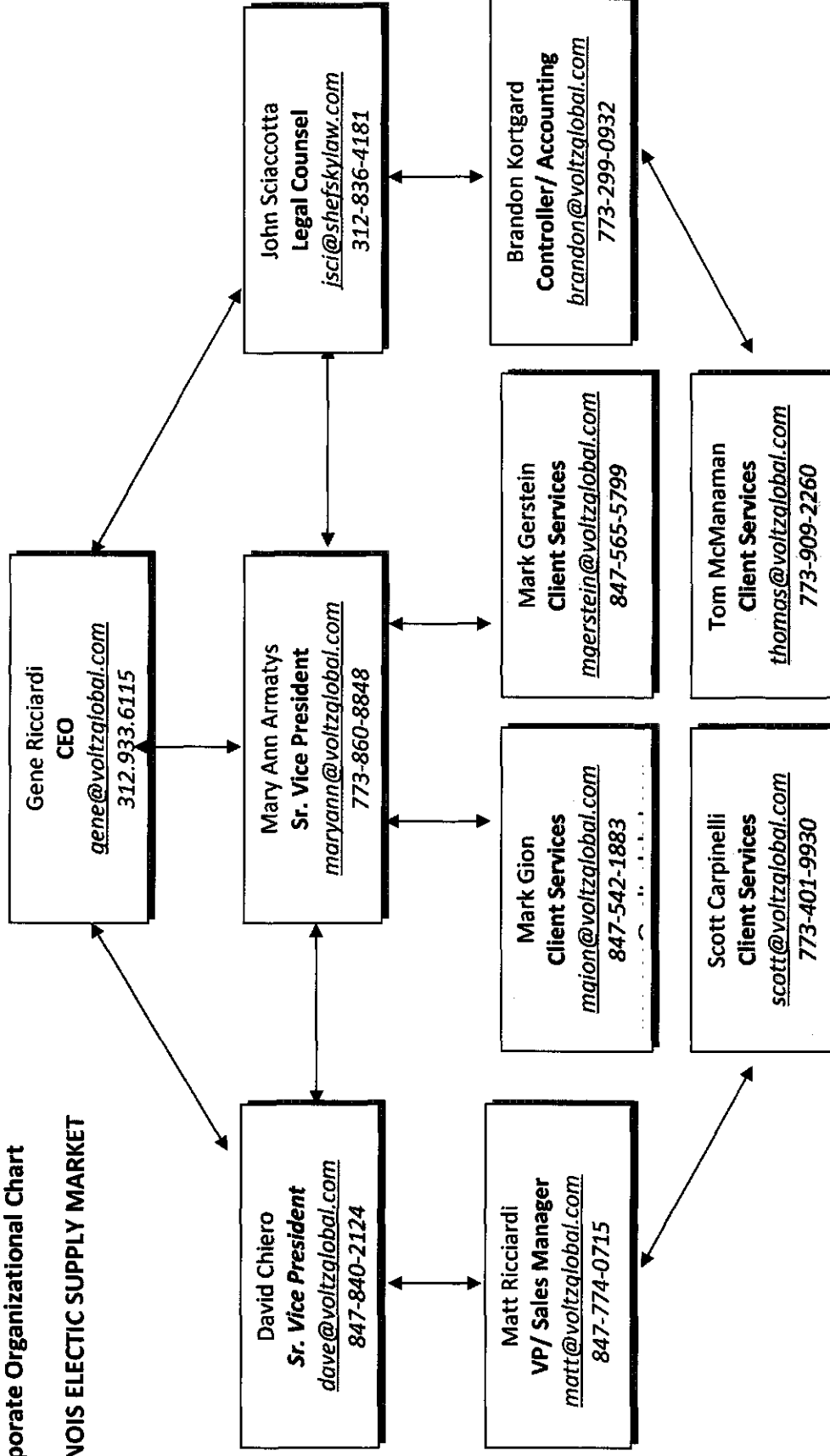
Fax: (847) 714-9834

Voltz Energy Partners, Inc.

EXHIBIT A-12

Corporate Organizational Chart

ILLINOIS ELECTRIC SUPPLY MARKET



Client Services

15 Salesperson staff that service accounts in addition to the management provided above. Voltz are registered Agents for Suppliers noted below:

AEP ENERGY, AMEREN ENERGY, CONSTELLATION ENERGY, CENTERPOINT ENERGY, DIRECT ENERGY, ENCOA ENERGY, ENERGY ME, GLACIAL ENERGY HUDSON ENERGY, INTEGRYS ENERGY, LIBERTY POWER CO., MC SQUARED ENERGY, MID AMERICAN ENERGY, NORDIC ENERGY, SPARK ENERGY

EXHIBIT A-13 Company History



The principal and staff has completed and negotiated several hundred energy supply contracts for a variety of clients from a single independently owned user to multiple locations and even publicly traded corporations.

After 2 years as an exclusive agent for Glacial Energy, Mr. Ricciardi left to form Voltz Energy Partners in 2010.

Mr. Ricciardi's background has been in commercial real estate sales in downtown Chicago for 29 years prior to starting Voltz Energy.

Presently, all of our business is in Illinois. We are currently licensed in Illinois and presently completing applications for additional licenses to service states as needed.

There are 15 agents (part and full time) that are part of the Voltz team of consultants.

Through acquiring experienced salespersons and providing extensive energy services training, our consulting services has grown exponentially with enrollments of 30- 50 accounts per month.

Clients include; factories, school districts, restaurants, medical offices, hotels, nursing homes, industrial warehouses, high rise office towers and a variety of individual business.

Voltz has several hundred million kWh of combined client usage under contract.

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MAR 10 2010

Remit payment in the form of a cashier's check, certified check, money order or an Illinois attorney's or CPA's check payable to Secretary of State.

Filing Fee: \$150 Franchise Tax \$ 25.00 Total \$ 175.00 File # 17112229 Approved: pa k

1. Corporate Name: Voltz Energy Partners, Inc. *ab*

2. Initial Registered Agent:	Eugene	G.	Ricciardi
	First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name

Initial Registered Office: 1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300
 Number Street Suite No. (P.O. Box alone is unacceptable)
 Northbrook IL 60062 Cook
 City ZIP Code County

The transaction of any or all lawful businesses for which corporations may be incorporated under the Illinois Business Corporation Act.

4. Paragraph 1 — Authorized Shares, Issued Shares and Consideration Received:

Class	Number of Shares Authorized	Number of Shares Proposed to be Issued	Consideration to be Received Thereof
Common	100	100	\$ 100.00

Paragraph 2 — The preferences, qualifications, limitations, restrictions and special or relative rights in respect of the shares of each class are:

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ITEMS 5, 6 AND 7 ARE OPTIONAL

5. a. Number of Directors constituting the initial board of directors of the corporation: 1
 b. Names and Addresses of persons serving as directors until the first annual meeting of shareholders or until their successors are elected and qualify:

Name	Address	City, State, ZIP
Eugene Ricciardi	1511 Windy Hill Drive	Northbrook, IL 60062


6. a. It is estimated that the value of the property to be owned by the corporation for the following year wherever located will be: \$ _____
 b. It is estimated that the value of the property to be located within the State of Illinois during the following year will be: \$ _____
 c. It is estimated that the gross amount of business that will be transacted by the corporation during the following year will be: \$ _____
 d. It is estimated that the gross amount of business that will be transacted from places of business in the State of Illinois during the following year will be: \$ _____

7. Other Provisions: Attach a separate sheet of this size for any other provision to be included in the Articles of Incorporation (e.g., authorizing preemptive rights, denying cumulative voting, regulating internal affairs, voting majority requirements, fixing a duration other than perpetual, etc.).

NAME(S) & ADDRESS(ES) OF INCORPORATOR(S)

8. The undersigned incorporator(s) hereby declare(s), under penalties of perjury, that the statements made in the foregoing Articles of Incorporation are true.

Dated 3-5, 2010
 Month & Day Year

Signature and Name
1.  Signature Eugene Ricciardi Name (type or print)
2. _____ Signature Name (type or print)
3. _____ Signature Name (type or print)

Address
1. 1511 Windy Hill Drive Street Northbrook IL 60062 City/Town State ZIP Code
2. _____ Street City/Town State ZIP Code
3. _____ Street City/Town State ZIP Code

Signatures must be in BLACK INK on an original document. Carbon copy, photocopy or rubber stamp signatures may only be used on conformed copies.

NOTE: If a corporation acts as incorporator, the name of the corporation and the state of incorporation shall be shown and the execution shall be by a duly authorized corporate officer. Type or print officer's name and title beneath signature.

Note 1 — Fee Schedule:

- The initial franchise tax is assessed at the rate of 15/100 of 1 percent (\$1.50 per \$1,000) on the paid-in capital represented in this state. (The minimum initial franchise tax is \$25.)
- The filing fee is \$150.
- The **minimum total due** (franchise tax + filing fee) is \$175.

Note 2 — Return to:

Voltz Energy Partners, Inc.
 Firm name
 Eugene Ricciardi
 Attention
 1511 Windy Hill Drive
 Mailing Address
 Northbrook, IL 60062
 City, State, ZIP Code

EXHIBIT A-15 Secretary of State



Registration has been sent to the Secretary of State in Ohio.

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Bank of America

Cashier's Check

No. 1090148

Notice to Purchaser: In the event this check is lost, misplaced or stolen, a sworn statement and 90-day waiting period will be required prior to replacement. This check should be negotiated within 90 days.

Date **AUGUST 08, 2013**

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NTX

Banking
Center **NORTHBROOK**

8898207 00005 0001090148

VOLTZ ENERGY PARTNERS INC
Remitter (Purchased By)

\$ **125.00**

Pay ****ONE HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 00 CENTS****

To
The
Order
Of ****OHIO SECRETARY OF STATE****


Authorized Signature

Bank of America, N.A.
San Antonio, Texas

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Please return the approval certificate to:

Name:

Voltz Energy Partners, Inc.

(Individual or Business Name)

To the attention of:

(If necessary)

Address:

1200 Shermer Road, Suite 300

City:

Northbrook

State:

Illinois

ZIP Code: 60062

Phone Number:

312.933.6115

E-mail Address:

gene@voltzglobal.com

- ☒ Check here if you would like to receive important notices via e-mail from the Ohio Secretary of State's office regarding Business Services.
- ☒ Check here if you would like to be signed up for our Filing Notification System for the business entity being created or updated by filing this form. This is a free service provided to notify you via e-mail when any document is filed on your business record.

Type of Service Being Requested: (PLEASE CHECK ONE BOX BELOW)

- ☒ **Regular Service:** Only the filing fee listed on page one of the form is required and the filing will be processed in approximately 3-7 business days. The processing time may vary based on the volume of filings received by our office.
- ☐ **Expedite Service 1:** By including an Expedite fee of \$100.00, in addition to the regular filing fee on page one of the form, the filing will be processed within 2 business days after it is received by our office.
- ☐ **Expedite Service 2:** By including an Expedite fee of \$200.00, in addition to the regular filing fee on page one of the form, the filing will be processed within 1 business day after it is received by our office. **This service is only available to walk-in customers who hand deliver the document to the Client Service Center.**
- ☐ **Expedite Service 3:** By including an Expedite fee of \$300.00, in addition to the regular filing fee on page one of the form, the filing will be processed within 4 hours after it is received by our office, if received by 1:00 p.m. **This service is only available to walk-in customers who hand deliver the document to the Client Service Center.**
- ☐ **Preclearance Filing:** For the purpose of advising as to the acceptability of the proposed filing, a form that is to be submitted at a later date for processing may be submitted for examination for a fee of \$50.00. The Preclearance will be complete within 1-2 business days.



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Ohio Secretary of State
JON HUSTED
Ohio Secretary of State

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Mail this form to one of the following:

Regular Filing (non expedite)
P.O. Box 670
Columbus, OH 43216

Expedite Filing (Two-business day processing
time requires an additional \$100.00).
P.O. Box 1390
Columbus, OH 43216

Foreign For-Profit Corporation Application for License
Filing Fee: \$125
(151-FLF)

The application is made to procure a ☒ Permanent License ☐ Temporary License (valid for six months)

Attach Certificate of Good Standing from the jurisdiction of formation (see instructions)

Name of Corporation

(Name must match the name on the Certificate of Good Standing)

Assumed name under which the corporation will do business, if its corporate name is not available in Ohio
(Must attach "Resolution of Foreign Corporation to Qualify Under An Assumed Name" Form 591)

Under the Laws of the Jurisdiction of

Jurisdiction of Formation

Date of Incorporation in Jurisdiction of Formation

Date of Incorporation

(Date must match the date provided on
the Certificate of Good Standing)

The location of the principal office (non-Ohio) is:

Mailing Address

City

State

ZIP Code

If there is a principal office within Ohio, the location is

Mailing Address

City

State

ZIP Code

A brief summary of the corporate purpose(s) to be exercised within Ohio

Appointment of Agent

The corporation hereby appoints the following as its statutory agent upon whom process against the corporation may be served in Ohio.

Timothy D. Garry

Name

5555 US HWY 42, PO Box 69

Mailing Address

Mount Gilead

City

Ohio

State

43338

ZIP Code

- ☒ If the agent is an individual and using a P.O. Box, check this box to confirm the agent is an Ohio resident.

The entity above irrevocably consents to service of process on the agent listed above as long as the authority of the agent continues, and to service of process upon the Ohio Secretary of State if:

- A. an agent is not appointed, or
- B. an agent is appointed but the authority of that agent has been revoked, or
- C. the agent cannot be found or served after the exercise of reasonable diligence.

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 1703.29 (A), a foreign corporation is required to pay an additional \$250 fee if the application is being made to enable the corporation to prosecute or defend a legal action. Please see Ohio Revised Code or the instructions for more information.

- ☒ No, the corporation is not filing for this purpose and an additional fee is not included.
- ☐ Yes, the application is being filed for this purpose and the additional \$250 fee is included with the filing fee.

If yes then:

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 1703.29(B), a foreign corporation that began transacting business in Ohio **prior to 2009** without a license may be required to provide a certificate from the tax commissioner which states that the corporation has paid all franchise taxes which it should have paid had it qualified to do business in this state.

Did the corporation begin transacting business in Ohio prior to 2009?

- ☐ Yes, the D4 certificate from the tax commissioner is attached.
- ☒ No, the corporation began transacting business in 2009 or later, therefore, a D4 certificate is not required.

Gene Ricciardi

Name of Officer

, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he/she is the

President/CEO

Officer Title

of

Voltz Energy Partners, Inc.

Corporation

the corporation described in the foregoing application, and that the statements contained in said application are true and correct to best of my knowledge and belief.

Name

Gene Ricciardi

Signature

[Handwritten Signature]

Sworn before me and subscribed on

8/8/2013

Date

[Handwritten Signature]

Notary Public

NOTARY SEAL



Expiration Date of Notary's Commission

06/06/2016

Date



Voltz Energy Partners
consulting services

EXHIBIT B-1 Jurisdiction of Operation

Voltz Energy Partners ("Voltz") is a full service consulting/brokerage firm licensed for brokerage and consulting services with the State of Illinois.

Current Territories include:

Illinois:

Serving Utilities: AmerenCILCO, AmerenCIPS, AmerenIP, ComEd

New York:

Serving Utilities: CENHUD, Coned, NYSEG, NIMO, OrangeRL_NY, REGE

LICENSE ATTACHED.

STATE OF ILLINOIS

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

Voltz Energy Partners, Inc.	:	
	:	
Application for Licensure of	:	
Agents, Brokers and Consultants	:	11-0740
under Section 16-115C of the	:	
Public Utilities Act.	:	

ORDER

By the Commission:

I. INTRODUCTION

On November 23, 2011, Voltz Energy Partners, Inc. ("Applicant") filed a verified application with the Illinois Commerce Commission ("Commission") requesting a certificate of service authority to operate as an agent, broker, or consultant ("ABC") in Illinois pursuant to Section 16-115C of the Public Utilities Act ("Act"), 220 ILCS 5/1-101 et seq., and 83 Ill. Adm. Code 454, "Licensure of Retail Electric Agents, Brokers and Consultants" ("Part 454"). Applicant requests authority to offer services as an ABC for the procurement or sale of retail electricity supply for third parties in the State of Illinois. The Administrative Law Judge requested additional information and clarification of certain matters contained in the application. Applicant filed a verified response on December 21, 2011.

II. REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL APPLICANTS UNDER SECTION 16-115C OF THE ACT

Applicant is a business organized under the laws of Illinois and licensed to transact business in Illinois. Applicant has certified that it will comply with all applicable regulations; that it will comply with informational and reporting requirements established by Commission rule; that it will comply with informational and reporting requirements pursuant to Section 16-115C of the Act; and that it will comply with all other applicable laws, regulations, terms, and conditions required to the extent they have application to the services being offered by an ABC. Applicant has agreed to ensure that any person who acts on its behalf will comply with all applicable sections of Part 454. Applicant agrees that it will remain in compliance with the provisions of the Act and Part 454, and will ensure that authorizations received from customers, and all other applicable records are retained for a period of not less than three calendar years after the calendar year in which they were created. Applicant has agreed to adopt and follow rules and procedures to preserve the confidentiality of its customers' data. Applicant does not currently offer service in any other state, but plans to soon do so in New York.

According to Applicant, New York does not have any licensing requirements. Applicant reports that it has not received any complaints against it in any jurisdiction.

III. FINANCIAL, TECHNICAL, AND MANAGERIAL REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 16-115C

Applicant is required by Section 454.60 to demonstrate that it meets the managerial qualifications necessary to provide services as an ABC. Applicant must further provide an organizational chart that indicates the position of persons which satisfy the managerial qualification. Applicant has demonstrated in the application and attachments thereto that it meets the managerial qualifications set forth in Section 454.60. In response to the Administrative Law Judge ruling, Applicant provided a corporate organizational chart.

Applicant is required by Section 454.70 to demonstrate that it meets the technical qualifications necessary to provide services as an ABC. Applicant has demonstrated that it meets the technical qualifications set forth in Section 454.70 with the information provided in the application and attachments thereto, which include an exhibit containing occupational background information on the person being used to meet the requirements of Section 454.70(a).

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 454.80 of Part 454, Applicant provided a surety bond in the amount of \$5,000 issued by a qualifying surety authorized to transact business in Illinois. Applicant further agrees to comply with the Code of Conduct for ABCs contained in Section 454.90.

IV. COMMISSION CONCLUSION AND CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

The Commission has reviewed the application and attachments along with the supplementary information provided by Applicant regarding the technical, managerial, and financial requirements and all other requirements of the Act and Part 454 and finds that the Applicant sufficiently demonstrates compliance with the requirements. The Commission concludes, therefore, that Applicant's request for a certificate of service authority to operate as an ABC in Illinois should be granted and should include the following authority:

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

IT IS CERTIFIED that Voltz Energy Partners, Inc. is granted service authority to operate as an agent, broker, or consultant for the procurement or sale of retail electricity supply for third parties in the State of Illinois.

V. FINDINGS AND ORDERING PARAGRAPHS

The Commission, having reviewed the entire record, is of the opinion and finds that:

- (1) Applicant, a business organized under the laws of Illinois, seeks a certificate of service authority to operate as an ABC under Section 16-115C of the Act;
- (2) the Commission has jurisdiction over the party hereto and the subject matter hereof;
- (3) the recitals of fact and conclusions reached in the prefatory portion of this Order are supported by the record and are hereby adopted as findings of fact;
- (4) Applicant has demonstrated that it possesses sufficient financial, managerial, and technical resources and abilities to provide services as an ABC for the procurement or sale of retail electricity supply to third parties in the State of Illinois;
- (5) Applicant has complied with Section 16-115C of the Act and Part 454; and
- (6) Applicant should be granted a certificate of service authority to operate as an ABC as specified in this Order.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Illinois Commerce Commission that Voltz Energy Partners, Inc. is hereby granted a Certificate of Service Authority authorizing it to operate as an agent, broker, or consultant; said Certificate of Service Authority shall read as that set forth in Section IV of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Voltz Energy Partners, Inc. shall comply with all applicable Commission rules and orders now and as hereafter amended.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, subject to the provisions of Section 10-113 of the Public Utilities Act and 83 Ill. Adm. Code 200.880, this Order is final; it is not subject to the Administrative Review Law.

By order of the Commission this 5th day of January, 2012.

(SIGNED) DOUGLAS P. SCOTT

Chairman



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EXHIBIT B-2 Experience & Plans

Voltz Energy Partners ("Voltz") is a full service consulting/brokerage firm which was created to help provide organizations with the latest options available in order to take full advantage of the opportunities that now exist in energy management.

Our mission is to assist our clients in creating a comprehensive plan that will result in energy cost reduction through the procurement of reduced rate electric and gas supply.

With Voltz you are NOT restricted to one supplier. All transactions are completed through a bidding process with multiple suppliers competing for the account. Voltz services include:

- INITIATING THE PROPOSAL PROCESS**
- ANALYZING PRICING ALTERNATIVES**
- PRESENT CLIENT WITH RECOMMENDATIONS**
- DEFINING CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

There are several layers of management that review and prepare financial analysis savings analysis specific to the client's use.

Voltz is not a primary party to the enrollment contracts signed. However, we review and explain all contract language, pricing, terms and conditions to ensure our customers are well aware and knowledgeable of what is being signed.

An example of a Financial Analysis is attached.

Submission Date: 6/25/13

NEXT 12-36 MONTH PROJECTIONS

ABC Company

2 IL Accounts

Voltz Protected Savings Analysis

Start Date November 2013



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ESTIMATED CHARGES

ComEd (combined totals)	Est. Annual Usage (kWh)	Current Avg Rate (\$/kWh)	Estimated Current Charges
1234567890	1,592,025	\$ 0.0650	\$ 103,482
1234567899	7,503,612	\$ 0.0650	\$ 487,735
	9,095,637		\$ 591,216

Account Number:

1234567890
1234567899

Account Address:

123 Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60090
155 Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60714

Alternative Supplier Charges	12 mo.	12 mo.	12 mo.	24 mo.	24 mo.	24 mo.	30 mo.	30 mo.	30 mo.	36 mo.	36 mo.	36 mo.
	(\$/kWh)	Charges	Savings	(\$/kWh)	Charges	Savings	(\$/kWh)	Charges	Savings	(\$/kWh)	Charges	Savings
Spark Energy	\$ 0.05091	\$ 463,059	\$ 128,158	\$ 0.05770	\$ 1,049,637	\$ 132,796	\$ 0.06025	\$ 1,370,030	\$ 108,011	\$ 0.06224	\$ 1,698,337	\$ 75,312
Hudson Energy	\$ 0.04960	\$ 451,144	\$ 140,073	\$ 0.05370	\$ 976,871	\$ 205,561	\$ 0.05590	\$ 1,271,115	\$ 206,926	\$ 0.06195	\$ 1,690,424	\$ 83,225
Energy Me	\$ 0.04785	\$ 435,226	\$ 155,990	\$ 0.05185	\$ 943,218	\$ 239,215	\$ 0.05725	\$ 1,301,813	\$ 176,228	\$ 0.06077	\$ 1,658,226	\$ 115,424
Nordic Energy	\$ 0.04949	\$ 450,143	\$ 141,073	\$ 0.05443	\$ 990,151	\$ 192,282	\$ 0.05714	\$ 1,299,312	\$ 178,729	\$ 0.05995	\$ 1,635,850	\$ 137,799

NOTES:

* Calculations are based upon the average annual kWh from electric bills provided; actual future readings are determined by ComEd.

* Estimated usage may vary, but the price period "locked in" ELECTRIC SUPPLY rate per (kWh) will remain the same during the specified term selected.

Submission deadline: Pricing good through 5:00 pm day of submission

All customers are subject to credit approval requirements.

The pricing is all inclusive relative to supply.

Delivery is provided by ComEd and billed separately as reflected on your existing statement.

Quote include all cost associated with supply (wholesale price of energy, transmission, capacity, congestion, line-loss, renewable energy portfolio requirement, scheduling, PJM imposed administrative fees and all other ancillary service charges).



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EXHIBIT B-3 Summary of Experience

Voltz Energy Partners ("Voltz") is a full service consulting/brokerage firm designed to reduce costs paid (per kWh) for electricity and (therms) for natural gas.

REDUCING ENERGY EXPENSES:

Our customers benefit from our energy consultant's expertise in cost reduction and are highly qualified to be your outsourced energy manager. We serve our customers by taking the time to educate and inform them about energy purchasing. When you purchase a volatile and complex commodity like energy, we feel it's critical our clients be informed so they can be in the best position to take advantage of opportunities within the energy market.

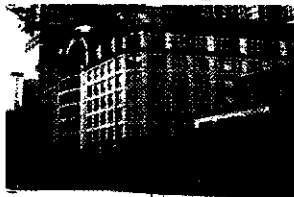
CUSTOMER BASE: 300 TRANSACTIONS

Partial list includes:

A Publicly traded, 125 year old Canada based financial services group that operates through the brand name "John Hancock Corporation". Voltz completed energy savings transactions for 4 million square feet of office and industrial buildings, including a 40 story high-rise trophy building at **150 N. Michigan Avenue** and **191 Wacker Drive** in Chicago.



700 N. Michigan Avenue LLC "CHICAGO PLACE"



An office building on the Magnificent Mile that Voltz providing bidding to 10 suppliers and over a 7 day period awarded the building to the lowest bidder that met all of the criteria established and required contract language.

NAI Hiffman is a leading brokerage firm in industrial and commercial property management. Voltz represented the corporate office with energy savings and is an active consultant.



The LBFH is a state of the art 175,000 square foot facility in Barrington, IL is the largest multi-sport and fitness complex in the Midwest. Voltz was able to negotiate a 20% reduction in the monthly electric bill.

Holiday Inn Express is part of the International Hotels Group with more than 4,400 hotels in their portfolio. Voltz was able to provided notable savings to the hotel in Lake Zurich.





Huron Consulting Group is a national business advisory firm headquartered in downtown Chicago with multiple locations. Voltz completed an electricity savings for multiple sites at a substantial combined dollar savings.

This 700 seat restaurant has expanded to become the nation's largest grossing independent restaurant, servicing close to 1 million guests annually. Voltz was able to reduce their sizable electric bill, with a double digit savings, through strategic negotiations involving our reverse auction process.



Bravo Corporation: Voltz assisted in reducing the cost for electricity and gas for the famous Gino's East Pizza Chain, including all of the Edwardo's Natural Pizzeria's stores and Ed Debevic's 50's and 60's style diners. The results were outstanding from the original pricing.

A top national law firm with over 200 practicing attorneys on Wacker Drive in Chicago. Voltz implemented the energy savings program for the headquarters office totaling 6 floors and over 250, 000 square feet of office space and a 30% savings from the original ComEd pricing.



Eddie Z's Blinds and Drapery, a family owned business since 1992, specializes in blinds and drapery for 170,000 customers and the largest custom window treatment retailer in the Midwest. Voltz provided double digit savings for all retail outlets and warehouse locations.

West Northfield School District 31 This is a school district in the Northern suburbs with multiple sites. Voltz was able to provide a savings on electricity charges and secure an attractive "all inclusive" price through a bidding process using multiple suppliers. Voltz also provided a lighting retrofitting savings and green energy efficiently program through an affiliated company.

Northbrook School District #28 Voltz competed in negotiating the best overall terms by establishing competitive bidding for the four buildings with annual usage of over 2 million kWh.



There are hundreds of Piggly Wiggly stores servicing communities in 17 states. Voltz significantly reduced the electricity costs with double digit savings for 3 store locations in Illinois.

EXHIBIT B-4 Disclosure of Liabilities and Investigations

Voltz Energy Partners ("Voltz") is a debt free company with no outstanding loans or financial liabilities.

In addition, there have been no judgments, rulings, investigations, complaints or other matters against Voltz or any of its Agents to impact Voltz's ability to provide services or licensing in Ohio.

EXHIBIT C-1 Annual Reports

See attached Annual Reports for 2012 and 2013

YEAR OF 2013

DUE PRIOR TO 03/01/2013

SECRETARY OF STATE JESSE WHITE

STATE OF ILLINOIS

CORPORATE ANNUAL REPORT

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NORTHBROOK IL 60062

03/10/2010
Cook County

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☐ Check this box if there are any changes in President or Secretary in #5 and **MAIL IN THIS PORTION WITH THE ANNUAL REPORT.**
Your current President and Secretary are:

President: GENE RICCIARDI 1200 SHERMER RD STE 300 NORTHBROOK 60062
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Secretary Name & Address SAME				
Officer / Director Name & Address				
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6) Share Information				
Class	Series	Par Value	Number Authorized	Number Issued as of
COMMON		.00000	100	12/31/2012
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		7b) Under the penalty of perjury and as an authorized officer, I declare that this annual report pursuant to the provisions of the Business Corporation Act has been examined by me and is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, correct and complete. Eugene Ricciardi President 2-5-13		

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Late Franchise Tax

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TOTAL

14) \$75.00 filing fee.

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Jesse White Secretary of State
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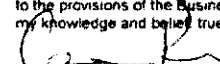
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EXHIBIT C-2 SEC Filings

Voltz Energy Partners ("Voltz") is not required to file with SEC as it is a privately held corporation and is not involved with the trading or holding of stocks or securities.

EXHIBIT C-3 Financial Statements

These reports have very little relevance or similarity to the operations of Voltz today.

The time period of 2010 through 2012 was an incubation period with customer development and a cash infusion by Mr. Ricciardi to begin the brokerage business.

Voltz has since developed into a profitable brokerage business with sizable growth for 2013 and beyond with 300-400 current signed clients.

Each month enrollment contracts increase and are anticipated to continue for the next several years, particularly with the expansion program being implemented into additional states.

This will add many new enrollments, compounded with current customer contract renewals, which will both average 24-36 month periods.

EXHIBIT C-4 Financial Arrangements

Voltz Energy Partners ("Voltz") does its banking through Bank of America.

The attached letter from Bank of America indicates when the account was opened. It is still open and our only banking partner.

Voltz has no loans, personal guarantees, financial obligations or debt of any kind relative to the daily operation of the business.

There are no credit card obligations or balances as a result of Voltz's business activities.



Bank of America
Customer Service & Support
P.O. Box 25118
Tampa, FL 33622

April 30, 2012

VOLTZ ENERGY PARTNERS INC
1511 WINDY HILL DR
NORTHBROOK IL 60062-3833

To VOLTZ ENERGY PARTNERS INC

Thank you for your recent request for information regarding the status of your deposit accounts at Bank of America, N.A. Our records indicate the following status on your account(s):

<u>TYPE OF</u> <u>ACCOUNT</u>	<u>ACCOUNT</u> <u>NUMBER</u>	<u>CURRENT</u> <u>BALANCE</u>	<u>AVERAGE</u> <u>BALANCE</u>	<u>DATE</u> <u>OPENED</u>
CHECKING	XXXXXX 7335	\$12,420.85	\$4,010.33	3/30/2010

Average balance information for accounts, if reported, is based on the previous three months. Average balance information is not available for time deposit accounts.

We trust that this confidential information will be of assistance to you.

Sincerely,

Bank of America
Customer Service & Support
1.800.862.1111 - Model Ref: SS235758

Our response is commensurate with the purpose and amount of your inquiry. The information provided is strictly confidential and intended for use solely by the requesting party and in reliance on your statement of intended purpose or use. The information is furnished as a matter of courtesy without a duty to do so and without responsibility, liability or warranty, express or implied, on the part of Bank of America to you or any third party. Information is obtained from electronic data sources, which may not contain all information in Bank of America's possession. Information is not guaranteed to be accurate and may be a matter of opinion. We do not accept any responsibility for errors, omissions or alterations after delivery. The information is constantly changing and therefore subject to change without notice. Bank of America will not update this response unless another written inquiry is received. This information applies to the name of the subject of the inquiry as styled in your request and does not include any indirect or related accounts or obligations, unless expressly specified in our response. Bank of America encourages you to contact more than one credit reference prior to making any credit decision. If you received this response by FAX, and you are not the intended recipient or an agent responsible for delivering it to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that you have received this document in error, and that any review, dissemination, distribution or copying of the information contained in this message is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by telephone and return the message to us by mail.

VOLTZ ENERGY PARTNERS, INC.
Forecast Balance Sheet

EXHIBIT C-5

	FORECAST EST.	<u>2013 Est.</u>	<u>2014 Est.</u>
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Checking/Savings		30,000	50,000
Bank of America Checking		25,000	35,000
Total Checking/Savings		<u>55,000</u>	<u>85,000</u>
Account Receiveables		<u>350,000</u>	<u>475,000</u>
Inventory/ Equipment		<u>20,000</u>	<u>35,000</u>
Total Current Assets		<u>425,000</u>	<u>595,000</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>\$ 425,000</u>	<u>\$ 595,000</u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY			
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Notes Payable			
Total Notes Payable		<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Wages/ 1099 Contractors		<u>280,000</u>	<u>425,000</u>
Taxes Payable		<u>25,000</u>	<u>45,000</u>
Total Current Liabilities		<u>305,000</u>	<u>470,000</u>
Equity			
Net Income		<u>120,000</u>	<u>125,000</u>
Total Equity		<u>425,000</u>	<u>595,000</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY		<u>\$ 425,000</u>	<u>\$ 595,000</u>

Assumptions include:

Current client activity continues as it has over the past 12 -24 months.

Enrolled customers fulfill the obligations of the energy contracts.

Number of agents servicing Voltz customers increases by 20%.

Prepared by: Gene Ricciardi / CEO

EXHIBIT C-6 Credit Rating

Voltz Energy Partners ("Voltz") is rated with Dunn & Bradstreet - duns number 01-143-6620.

EXHIBIT C-7 Credit Report

D&B Credit Rating is pending and available shortly online. There are no creditors, loans outstanding or financial liability for Voltz other than a cash advance by the sole owner and stock holder, Mr. Ricciardi.

EXHIBIT C-8 Bankruptcy Information

None. Not applicable.



Voltz Energy Partners
consulting services

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio –Docketing Division

180 E. Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Docketing Division:

Thank you for considering our application to enter the energy brokerage services business in Ohio. Attached is our application to be a Broker for the Ohio territory.

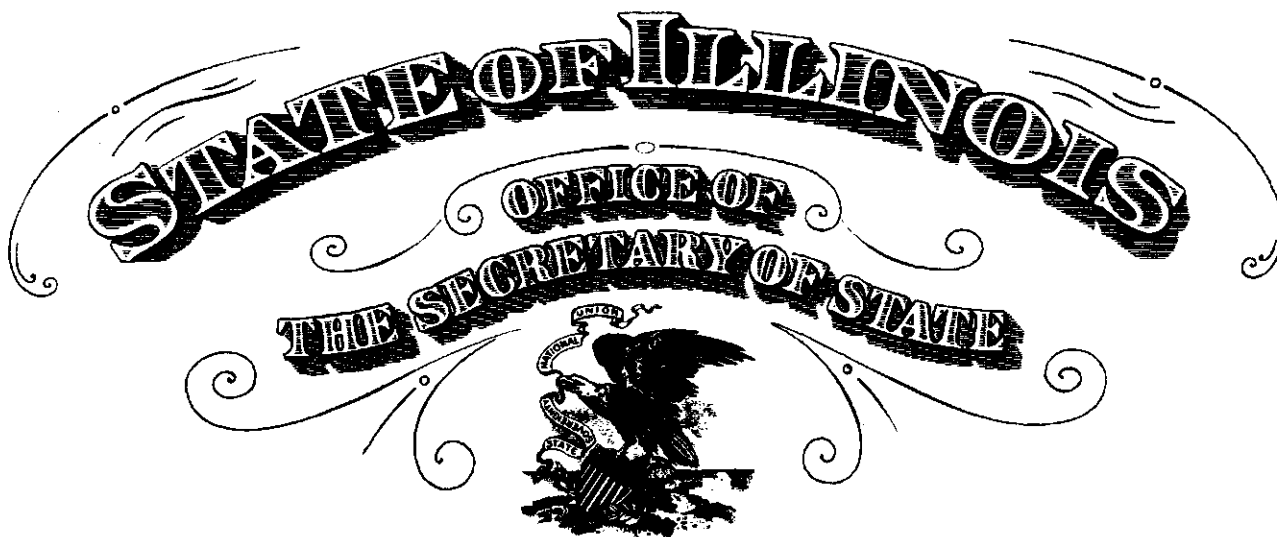
Voltz has been very successful with the deregulated market in the Illinois area since 2010 and now are expanding into other states.

We are professionally staffed with a great reputation. Voltz has completed transactions totaling several hundred million combined kWh of customers without incident.

It would be a pleasure to expand in this area with our services.

Sincerely,

Gene Ricciardi
President/CEO



To all to whom these Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

I, Jesse White, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that

VOLTZ ENERGY PARTNERS, INC., A DOMESTIC CORPORATION, INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THIS STATE ON MARCH 10, 2010, APPEARS TO HAVE COMPLIED WITH ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THE BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF FRANCHISE TAXES, AND AS OF THIS DATE, IS IN GOOD STANDING AS A DOMESTIC CORPORATION IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.



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In Testimony Whereof, *I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Illinois, this 8TH day of AUGUST A.D. 2013 .*

Jesse White

SECRETARY OF STATE