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June 19, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

To Whom It May Concern:

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Enclosed please find the original and three copies of the Application for Competitive Retail Natural Gas Suppliers along with all exhibits and attachments for Agent Energy, Inc. Also, enclosed for filing is a Motion for Protective Order for Exhibits C-3 and C-5.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions or concerns.

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Sincerely,

Brooke Bonelli

Attorney at Law

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COMPETITIVE RETAIL NATURAL GAS BROKERS / AGGREGATORS

Please type or print all required information. Identify all attachments with an exhibit label and title (*Example: Exhibit A-16 - Company History*). 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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SECTION A - APPLICANT INFORMATION AND SERVICES

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	Telephone No.	216-570-5042	Web site Address	n/a		2014 JUN 23	CELAFO-DOCKELING DIA
A-3	Applicant info	rmation under which applicant	will do business in (	Ohio:	00	PH	OCKE
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	Address	667 Huntley Drive, Medina, Ohio 44256	6		3	80	010
	Web site Address	n/a	Telephone No.	216-570-504	2		•

A-4 List all names under which the applicant does business in North America:

Agent Energy, Inc.

## A-5 Contact person for regulatory or emergency matters:

Name John J. Verdile Title President

Business Address 667 Huntley Drive, Medina, Ohio 44256

Telephone No. 216-570-5042 Fax No. 800-856-1905 Email Address Agentenergyinc@aol.com

A-6	Contact person for Commission Staf	use in investigating customer complaints:	
	Name John J. Verdile	Title President	
	Business address 667 Huntley Drive, Medin	, Ohio 44256	
	Telephone No. 216-570-5042 Fax No.	800-856-1905 Email Address agentene	ergyinc@aol.com
<b>A-7</b>	Applicant's address and toll-free nur	ber for customer service and complaints	
	Customer service address 667 Huntley Drive	, Medina, Ohio 44256	
	Toll-Free Telephone No.	Fax No. 800-856-1905 Email Address agente	energyinc@aol.com
A-8		Employee," in accordance with Section 4929 office address, telephone number, and Web si	
	Name John J. Verdile	Title President	
	Business address 667 Huntley Drive, Med	ina, Ohio 44256	
	Telephone No. 216-570-5042 Fax No.	800-856-1905 Email Address agentenergy	inc@aol.com
A-9	Applicant's federal employer identifi	eation number	
A-10	Applicant's form of ownership: (Che	ck one)	
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	Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)	Limited Liability Company (LL	<b>C</b> )
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A-11	currently providing service or intend class that the applicant is currently	natural gas company service area in which s to provide service, including identification of serving or intends to serve, for example: industrial (mercantile) customers. (A mercantile)	of each customer residential, small

in Section 4929.01(L)(1) of the Ohio Revised Code, means a customer that consumes, other than for residential use, more than 500,000 cubic feet of natural gas per year at a single location within the state or consumes natural gas, other than for residential use, as part of an undertaking having more than three locations within or outside of this state. In accordance with Section 4929.01(L)(2) of the Ohio Revised Code, "Mercantile customer" excludes a not-for-profit customer that consumes, other than for residential use, more than 500,000 cubic feet of natural gas per year at a single location within this state or consumes natural gas, other than for residential use, as part of an undertaking having more than three locations within or

outside this state that has filed the necessary declaration with the Public Utilities Commission.)

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A-13 If not currently participating in any of Ohio's four Natural Gas Choice Programs, provide the approximate start date that the applicant proposes to begin delivering services:

Columbia Gas of Ohio	Intended Start Date
Dominion East Ohio	Intended Start Date
Duke Energy Ohio	Intended Start Date
Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio	Intended Start Date

#### PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING AS SEPARATE ATTACHMENTS AND LABEL AS INDICATED.

- A-14 <u>Exhibit A-14 "Principal Officers, Directors & Partners,"</u> provide the names, titles, addresses and telephone numbers of the applicant's principal officers, directors, partners, or other similar officials.
- A-15 <u>Exhibit A-15 "Corporate Structure,"</u> 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 natural gas or electricity to customers in North America.
- A-16 <u>Exhibit A-16 "Company History</u>," provide a concise description of the applicant's company history and principal business interests.
- A-17 Exhibit A-17 "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-18 Exhibit A-18 "Secretary of State," provide evidence that the applicant is currently registered with the Ohio Secretary of the State.

# SECTION 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 current 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 natural gas service, or retail/wholesale electric services.
- B-2 <u>Exhibit B-2 "Experience & Plans,"</u> provide a current 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 4929.22 of the Revised Code and contained in Chapter 4901:1-29 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- **B-3** Exhibit B-3 "Summary of Experience," provide a concise and current summary of the applicant's experience in providing the service(s) for which it is seeking to be certified to provide (e.g., number and types of customers served, utility service areas, volume of gas supplied, etc.).
- **B-4** Exhibit B-4 "Disclosure of Liabilities and Investigations," provide a description of all existing, pending or past rulings, judgments, contingent liabilities, revocations 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 Exhibit B-5 "Disclosure of Consumer Protection Violations," disclose whether the applicant, affiliate, predecessor of the applicant, or any principal officer of the applicant has been convicted or held liable for fraud or for violation of any consumer protection or antitrust laws within the past five years.

#### X No ☐Yes

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

B-6 Exhibit B-6 "Disclosure of Certification Denial, Curtailment, Suspension, or Revocation," disclose whether the applicant or a predecessor of the applicant has had any certification, license, or application to provide retail natural gas or retail/wholesale electric service denied, curtailed, suspended, or revoked, or whether the applicant or predecessor has been terminated from any of Ohio's Natural Gas Choice programs, or been in default for failure to deliver natural gas.

#### X No □Yes

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

#### SECTION C - APPLICANT FINANCIAL CAPABILITY AND EXPERIENCE

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- C-4 Exhibit C-4 "Financial Arrangements," provide copies of the applicant's current financial arrangements to conduct competitive retail natural gas service (CRNGS) as a business activity (e.g., guarantees, bank commitments, contractual arrangements, credit agreements, etc.)
- C-5 <u>Exhibit C-5 "Forecasted Financial Statements</u>," provide two years of forecasted financial statements (balance sheet, income statement, and cash flow statement) for the applicant's CRNGS operation, along with a list of assumptions, and the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the preparer.

- C-6 Exhibit C-6 "Credit Rating," provide a statement disclosing the applicant's current 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 <u>Exhibit C-7 "Credit Report,"</u> provide a copy of the applicant's current credit report from Experion, Dun and Bradstreet, or a similar organization.
- C-8 <u>Exhibit C-8 "Bankruptcy Information</u>," 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 since applicant last filed for certification.
- C-9 <u>Exhibit C-9 "Merger Information</u>," provide a statement describing any dissolution or merger or acquisition of the applicant since applicant last filed for certification.

# SECTION D - APPLICANT TECHNICAL CAPABILITY

PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING AS SEPARATE ATTACHMENTS AND LABEL AS INDICATED.

- **D-1** Exhibit D-1 "Operations," provide a current written description of the operational nature of the applicant's business functions.
- **D-2** Exhibit D-2 "Operations Expertise," given the operational nature of the applicant's business, provide evidence of the applicant's current experience and technical expertise in performing such operations.
- D-3 <u>Exhibit D-3 "Key Technical Personnel,"</u> provide the names, titles, email addresses, telephone numbers, and background of key personnel involved in the operational aspects of the applicant's current business.

**Applicant Signature and Title** 

John J. Verdile, President

Sworn and subscribed before me this 19+1

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Month 2014

Year

Signature of official administering oath

Print Name and Title

My commission expires on



# The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Competitive Retail Natural Gas Service **Affidavit Form** (Version 1.07)

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"Principal Officers, Directors & Partners" provide the names, titles, addresses and telephone numbers of the applicant's principal officers, directors, partners, or other similar officials.

John J. Verdile, President 667 Huntley Drive Medina, Ohio 44256 (216) 570-5042

"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.

Agent Energy, Inc. is an Ohio chartered C corporation. Agent Energy, Inc. is an energy advisory services provider engaged in supply side energy management services. Services include natural gas procurement and natural gas management services.

To engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be formed under sections 1701.01 and 1701.98, inclusive, of the Ohio Revised Code.

"Company History," provide a concise description of the applicant's company history and principal business interests.

Agent Energy, Inc. was founded on September 25, 2013.

Agent Energy, Inc. was formed to focus on reducing the cost of energy for its clients. Services include energy procurement, preparation of requests for proposal, evaluation of bids, contract development and implementation and negotiations with suppliers and utilities.

Agent Energy, Inc. offers supply side management services including natural gas supply procurement and natural gas management.

"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.

See attached.



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# **Initial Articles of Incorporation**

(For Profit, Domestic Corporation) Filing Fee: \$125 (113 - ARF)

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  The undersigned, b	te prier	least a majority of	f the incorporators	of Ag	ent Energy, ir	nc.
hereby appoint the	followin	ng to be statutory a	agent upon whom a	any proc	ess, notice or	r demand required or permitted by
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By signing and submitting this form to the Ohio Secretary of State, the undersigned hereby certifies that he or she has the requisite authority to execute this document.

# Required Articles and original appointment of agent must be signed by the incorporator(s). If the incorporator is an individual, then they must sign in the "signature" box and print his/her name in the "Print Name" box. If the incorporator is a business entity, not an individual, then please print

If the incorporator is a business entity, not an individual, then please print the entity name in the "signature" box, an authorized representative of the business entity must sign in the "By" box and print his/her name and title/authority in the "Print Name" box.

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"Secretary of State," provide evidence that the applicant has registered with the Ohio Secretary of the State.

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# STATE OF OHIO CERTIFICATE

Ohio Secretary of State, Jon Husted

It is hereby certified that the Secretary of State of Ohio has custody of the business records for

AGENT ENERGY, INC.

and, that said business records show the filing and recording of:

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Document No(s):

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State of Ohio Office of the Secretary of State Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 26th day of September, A.D. 2013.

Ohio Secretary of State

Jon Hastel

"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 natural gas service, or retail/wholesale electric services.

At the date of this filling, Agent Energy, Inc., is not certified, licensed, or registered to provide retail or wholesale natural gas services including aggregation services in any jurisdiction.

"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.

Agent Energy, Inc., has been in the energy consulting business since September 25, 2013. The ownership of the company has been in the energy business for 24years.

Agent Energy, Inc., provides unbiased energy advisory services to its clients and will continue to provide services including energy procurement, preparation of requests for proposal, evaluation of bids, contract development and negotiations with suppliers and utilities.

End-users enter into an agreement with a third party natural gas supplier. Agent Energy, Inc. will negotiate and administer these relationships.

The owner of Agent Energy, Inc. has managed energy aggregation programs for both public and private sector clients. Aggregations include large higher education institutions, private companies and Fortune 500 companies. By combining several facilities natural gas usage, the group will benefit from negotiated energy and transportation rates quite often resulting in a discount to their individual rate. Gathering load data and converting it into useful information to use for creating aggregated load profiles per LDC for pricing, negotiating master agreements and monitoring the market for opportunities are all services provided. In addition, Mr. Verdile has managed energy portfolios as large as \$800 million in annual spend.

As the administrator for and end user group or aggregation program, Agent Energy Inc., will not invoice the end-user. End-users will be invoiced by their natural gas utility or the third party supplier. Agent Energy, Inc. will make service calls to utility and/or third party supplier to address all information needs to provide program management.

"Summary of Experience," provide a concise summary of the applicant's experience in providing the service(s) for which it is seeking to be certified to provide (e.g., number and types of customers served, utility service areas, volume of gas supplied, etc.)

Agent Energy's Ownership has been the energy consultant for several public sector clients including higher education and county government. Ownership also provides energy consulting services to several private sector companies ranging in size from \$1 million in sales to over \$6 billion in sales.

"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.

Agent Energy, Inc. has had no past rulings, judgments, revocations of authority or regulatory investigations that would adversely impact its financial or operational status or ability to provide services.

No Complaints.

"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.

Agent Energy, Inc. is a privately-held company and is not required to prepare annual reports.

"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.

Agent Energy, Inc. is not required to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission, as it is not a publicly traded company.

"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.

Applicant was formed September 9, 2013, and does not have a 2012 balance sheet, income statement, or cash flow statement.

See Attached. File under seal.

"Financial Arrangements," provide copies of the applicant's financial arrangements to conduct competitive retail natural gas service (CRNGS) as a business activity (e.g., guarantees, bank commitments, contractual arrangements, credit agreements, etc.)

Agent Energy, Inc. has no guarantees, bank commitments, financial contract arrangements, or credit agreements to conduct CRNGS as a business activity. Agent Energy, Inc.'s banking relationship is with PNC Bank, 35 Montrose, Akron, Ohio 44321.

"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, email address, and telephone number of the preparer.

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The applicant does not have a credit rating as a course of normal business operations.

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Agent Energy, Inc., along with its officers and subsidiary companies, has never filed for reorganization or bankruptcy protection.

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

Agent Energy, Inc. has not been involved in any dissolution, merger, or acquisition in the past five years.

## Exhibit D-1

"Operations" provide a current written description of the operational nature of the applicant's business functions.

Agent Energy, Inc. is an independent energy broker. Agent Energy is not affiliated with any utilities or suppliers, allowing the company to create competition among suppliers to serve clients natural gas needs.

Agent Energy provides customers with a natural gas usage profile analysis and an estimate of potential savings. Additionally, Agent Energy assembles a supplier bid lists, solicits natural gas bids, reviews and analyzes the bids, and presents the bid responses to customers. Agent Energy also manages the contracting procedures and monitors the natural gas market for opportunities.

#### Exhibit D-2

"Operations Expertise" given the operational nature of the applicant's business, provide evidence of the applicant's current experience and technical expertise in performing such operations.

Over the past 24 years, John J. Verdile, President and Founder of Agent Energy, Inc., has partnered with clients to develop energy programs that address price, operational and process efficiency goals. Mr. Verdile has been involved in managing energy programs that range in size from less than \$1 million dollars to over \$100 million dollars in annual energy spend. As Director of Energy Consulting for the one of the nation's largest investor owned utility companies, he was responsible for managing an \$800 million dollar natural gas and electric power portfolio. Mr. Verdile has developed demand side energy efficiency programs that range in size from \$100,000 to over \$10 million dollars.

In September 2013, Mr. Verdile formed Agent Energy, Inc., a company focused on reducing energy costs for its clients. Services include energy procurement strategies, energy price risk management, preparation of requests for proposal, evaluation of bids, contract development and implementation and negotiations with suppliers and utilities.

#### Services Offered

Supply Side Management - Energy Portfolio Management

#### **Boards and Committees**

Board of Directors, Cleveland Engineering Society 1998 - 2007 The Visiting Committee, Fenn College of Engineering at Cleveland State University 2003 - 2005 The Manufactures Education Council Energy Steering Committee

#### Featured Speaker on Energy Management

Ohio Hospital Association (OHA)

MAGNET - Manufacturing Advocacy & Growth Network

The Cleveland Engineering Society (CES)

Manufactures Education Council (MEC)

Ohio Public Facility Managers Association (OPFMA)

Association of Energy Engineers

American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE)

Ohio Association of Realtors

Ohio Public Utilities Commission (PUCO)

General Electric Lighting Institute

Building Owners and Managers Association (BOMA)

Council of Smaller Enterprises (COSE)

## Exhibit D-3

"Key Technical Personnel" provide names, titles, email addresses, telephone numbers, and background of key personnel involved in the operational aspects of the applicant's current business.

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See Exhibit D-2 for background of key personnel.