

**BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Renewal Application of)
U.S. Power Trade LLC for Retail)
Electric Service Aggregator/Power Broker.) Case No. 12-3262-EL-AGG
)

**MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF EMERGENCY MOTION
TO EXTEND CERTIFICATE EXPIRATION DATE**

U.S. Power Trade LLC (“Applicant”) submits this Memorandum in support of its Emergency Motion requesting that the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (the “Commission”) act on an expedited basis to extend for a reasonable period of time the expiration date of Applicant’s certificate as a Competitive Retail Electric Service Provider to provide electric aggregation and power broker services, to allow the Commission to evaluate Applicant’s renewal application.

Applicant is certified as a Competitive Retail Electric Service Provider in the State of Ohio, pursuant to its Certificate Number 13-627E (1), which was issued by the Commission on January 19, 2013 (the “Certificate”). The Certificate expires on January 19, 2015. Due to a clerical error, Applicant failed to submit its renewal application for said Certificate the minimum of thirty (30) days before the Certificate was set to expire. Applicant therefore requests the expiration date of its Certificate be extended from January 19, 2015, for a reasonable period of time so as to allow the Commission the opportunity to evaluate Applicant’s renewal application.

Applicant respectfully submits that a brief extension of the expiration date of Applicant’s Certificate will not harm stakeholders in any way. In fact, a brief extension is in the best interests of Applicant’s customers to ensure that they receive continuous service from their chosen supplier, while still allowing the Commission adequate oversight over the potential renewal of Applicant’s Certificate to provide electric aggregation and power broker services in Ohio. Applicant respectfully apologized for the inconvenience cause by its tardy renewal application and the consequent necessity of the instant Motion for emergency action by the Commission, and Applicant promises that future renewals will be submitted in a timely fashion.

Due to the expiration of its Certificate, Applicant seeks a Commission ruling on the instant Motion on an expedited basis pursuant to Rule 4901-1-12(C) of the Ohio Administrative Code.

Respectfully Submitted,

January 15, 2015

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R.M. Rizzitano", written over a horizontal line.

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