## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of	)	
Empower Gas & Electric LLC for a	)	Case No. 15-1329-GA-CRS
Certificate to Provide Competitive	)	
Retail Natural Gas Service in Ohio	)	

## MOTION FOR EXTENSION

Pursuant to Rule 4901:1-27-09(B) of the Ohio Administrative Code, Empower Gas & Electric LLC ("Empower") seeks an extension of Certificate No. 15-460G (1) which was issued in Case No. 15-1329-GA-CRS. The expiration date of Certificate No. 15-460G (1) is August 16, 2017. Due to the press of other business, Empower was not able to file its renewal application on time. It has now filed its renewal application on August 15, 2017 which is one calendar day prior to the August 16, 2017 expiration date. Empower respectfully requests that Certificate No. 15-460G (1) be automatically extended from August 16, 2017 until September 14, 2017 or until the date that the renewal certificate is issued.

WHEREFORE, Empower Gas & Electric LLC respectfully requests that Certificate No. 15-460G (1) be automatically extended to September 14, 2017 or until a renewal certificate is issued and authorize it to continue to operate during the pendency of the renewal application certification review.

Respectfully submitted,

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## MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR EXTENSION

Due to the press of other business, Empower did not meet the July 17, 2017 filing date for its Renewal Application in Case No. 15-1329-GA-CRS. Empower sincerely apologizes for the delay and assures the Commission that it will timely file renewal applications in the future. Empower emphasizes its desire to continue to serve customers in Ohio.

Rule 4901:1-27-09(B) provides that a motion requesting an extension of a certificate will be deemed automatically approved (unless ruled otherwise by the Commission or an Attorney Examiner within three business days), if a renewal application is filed fewer than thirty calendar days prior to the expiration date of the certificate but no later than the expiration date. Empower submits that it has met the criteria and respectfully requests an automatic extension of the expiration date of Certificate No. 15-460G (1) issued in Case No. 15-1329-GA-CRS to September 14, 2017 or until such time as a renewal certificate is issued.

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