

**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Energy Spectrum Inc. for a)	Case No. 16-519-EL-AGG
Certification to Provide Services as an)	
Electric Aggregator/Power Broker.)	

**SECOND MOTION OF ENERGY SPECTRUM INC. FOR TEMPORARY EXTENSION OF
CURRENT CERTIFICATE AND MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT**

Frank P. Darr (Reg. No. 0025469)
(Attorney of Record)
MCNEES WALLACE & NURICK LLC
21 East State Street, 17TH Floor
Columbus, OH 43215
Telephone: (614) 469-8000
Telecopier: (614) 469-4653
fdarr@mwncmh.com
(willing to accept service via email)

May 16, 2018

Attorneys for Energy Spectrum Inc.

**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Energy Spectrum Inc. for a)	Case No. 16-519-EL-AGG
Certification to Provide Services as an)	
Electric Aggregator/Power Broker.)	

**SECOND MOTION OF ENERGY SPECTRUM INC. FOR TEMPORARY EXTENSION OF
CURRENT CERTIFICATE**

Energy Spectrum Inc. ("Energy Spectrum") moves for an order that the certificate granted in this proceeding be temporarily extended to allow for processing of its application for recertification. The reasons supporting this Motion are set out in the accompanying memorandum.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Frank P. Darr

Frank P. Darr (Reg. No. 0025469)

(Attorney of Record)

MCNEES WALLACE & NURICK LLC

21 East State Street, 17TH Floor

Columbus, OH 43215

Telephone: (614) 469-8000

Telecopier: (614) 469-4653

fdarr@mwncmh.com

(willing to accept service via email)

Attorneys for Energy Spectrum Inc.

**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Energy Spectrum Inc. for a)	Case No. 16-519-EL-AGG
Certification to Provide Services as an)	
Electric Aggregator/Power Broker.)	

MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

On March 15, 2018, Energy Spectrum filed an application for renewal of a certificate as a power broker. The application was filed within thirty days of the date on which the certificate would expire and was not accompanied with a motion to extend the current authority. On April 13, 2018, the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission") through an entry by a hearing examiner suspended automatic approval of the application and requested that Energy Spectrum file additional information and a motion for extension of the certificate.

On April 20, 2018, Energy Spectrum filed a motion for a temporary extension of the certificate for thirty days. The motion was deemed automatically approved. Rule 4901:1-24-09, Ohio Administrative Code. While the Staff has indicated that the application should be approved in a report filed on May 1, 2018, the Commission has not scheduled the application for an order. Because the current extension may expire before the Commission acts, Energy Spectrum requests an extension until the Commission acts on its renewal application.

Granting the additional extension requested in this motion is in the public interest. The State Energy Policy requires the Commission to ensure a diversity of electricity supplies so as to afford consumers effective choices. R.C. 4928.02(C). Energy Spectrum

provides services consistent with that policy under its certificate as a power broker and has not been subject to any adverse proceedings concerning its sales practices before the Commission. It is in the process of providing additional information requested by the Staff of the Commission. Because reauthorization and extension are in the public interest and will not adversely affect any customer, Energy Spectrum requests that its motion be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Frank P. Darr

Frank P. Darr (Reg. No. 0025469)

(Attorney of Record)

MCNEES WALLACE & NURICK LLC

21 East State Street, 17TH Floor

Columbus, OH 43215

Telephone: (614) 469-8000

Telecopier: (614) 469-4653

fdarr@mwncmh.com

(willing to accept service via email)

Attorneys for Energy Spectrum Inc.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing *Second Motion of Energy Spectrum Inc. for Temporary Extension of Current Certificate and Memorandum in Support* was served upon the following individuals May 16, 2018, *via* hand-delivery, electronic transmission, or first-class mail, U.S. postage prepaid.

/s/ Frank P. Darr

Frank P. Darr

William Wright

Assistant Attorney General
Chief, Public Utilities Section
180 E. Broad Street, 6th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215-3793
william.wright@puc.state.oh.us

**COUNSEL FOR THE STAFF OF THE PUBLIC
UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

Richard Bulgrin

Attorney Examiner
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street, 12th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215
dick.bulgrin@puc.state.oh.us

ATTORNEY EXAMINER

This foregoing document was electronically filed with the Public Utilities

Commission of Ohio Docketing Information System on

5/16/2018 4:19:20 PM

in

Case No(s). 16-0519-EL-AGG

Summary: Motion Second Motion of Energy Spectrum Inc. for Temporary Extension of Current Certificate and Memorandum in Support electronically filed by Mr. Frank P Darr on behalf of Energy Spectrum Inc.