BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Vista)	
Energy Marketing, L.P. for Certification)	
as a Competitive Retail Natural Gas)	Case No. 16-2025-GA-CRS
Supplier in accordance with Ohio)	
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MOTION OF VISTA ENERGY MARKETING, L.P. FOR TEMPORARY EXTENSION OF CERTIFICATE AND MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

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Under Rule 4901:1-27-09, Ohio Administrative Code, Vista Energy Marketing, L.P. ("Vista") moves for an order that the renewal certificate granted in this proceeding be temporarily extended to allow for processing of its certificate renewal application. The reasons supporting this Motion are set out in the accompanying memorandum.

Respectfully submitted,

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MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

Vista received a renewal certificate as a competitive retail natural gas supplier that was effective on November 17, 2018. The certificate expires on November 17, 2020. On October 21, 2020, Vista filed an application for renewal of the certificate. The application was filed within thirty days of the date on which the certificate would expire.

Under Rule 4901:1-27-09, Ohio Administrative Code, Vista is filing this motion for a temporary extension of its current certificate so that the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission") can complete the process of reviewing its renewal application, and the motion will be deemed granted unless suspended by the Commission or an attorney examiner within three business days of the filing of the motion.

Granting the relief requested in this motion is in the public interest. The State Energy Policy requires the Commission to ensure a diversity of natural gas suppliers so as to afford consumers effective choices. R.C. 4929.02(A)(3). Vista provides services consistent with that policy under its certificate as a competitive retail natural gas supplier and has not been subject to any adverse proceedings concerning its practices before the Commission. Because extension is in the public interest and will not adversely affect any customer, Vista requests that its motion be granted.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing *Motion of Vista Energy Marketing, L.P.* for Temporary Extension of Certificate and Memorandum in Support was served upon the following individual on October 21, 2020, *via* hand-delivery, electronic transmission, or first-class mail, U.S. postage prepaid.

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