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Re: DM 18-168, UGI Energy Services, LLC

Application for Registration as Competitive Natural Gas Supplier

Dear Mr. Asare:

On October 30, 2018, UGI Energy Services, LLC (UGI) filed an application for initial registration as a competitive natural gas supplier (CNGS). UGI submitted additional documentation on December 17, 2018 and January 14, 2019.

Commission Staff filed a memorandum on January 15, 2019 that summarizes the filings made by UGI in connection with its application and Staff's analysis of the completed application. Staff noted that the application complies with the requirements of Puc 3003 and Puc 3006.01. Staff recommended that the Commission approve the registration for a five-year term beginning on the date of the Commission's letter. In addition, Staff recommended that the Commission authorize UGI to operate in the franchise areas of Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities (Liberty) and Northern Utilities, Inc. (Northern). Finally, Staff recommended that UGI be informed that the rules applicable to CNGS are likely to change during 2019, and that it should monitor the rulemaking process in DRM 18-152 and plan accordingly.

The Commission has reviewed UGI's application and Staff's recommendation and has approved the application as recommended. Accordingly, UGI's application to register as a CNGS, authorized to operate in the franchise areas of Liberty and Northern, is granted for a five-year term beginning on January 16, 2019 and ending at the close of business on January 16, 2024. Pursuant to Puc 3003.02(a), UGI must submit its renewal application at least 60 days prior to the expiration of the approved registration period, on or before November 17, 2023.

Please be aware that registered CNGS are subject to specific requirements contained in Puc 3000 – Competitive Natural Gas Supplier and Aggregator Rules. These rules are available at: <a href="http://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Rules/PUC3000.pdf">http://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Rules/PUC3000.pdf</a>.

Finally, as noted above, the rules applicable to CNGS set forth in Puc 3000 are likely to change. Please monitor the Commission's website for developments in the rulemaking process in Docket DRM 18-152 and plan accordingly.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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