

STATE OF MICHIGAN

BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the application of )  
CONSUMERS ENERGY COMPANY )  
for authority to increase its rates for the )  
distribution of natural gas and for other relief )  
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Case No. U-16855

**Statement of Non-Objection**

Retail Energy Supply Association does not object to the Settlement Agreement.

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ASSOCIATION

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PROOF OF SERVICE

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COUNTY OF JACKSON )

Judy A. Jones, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is employed in the Legal Department of Consumers Energy Company; that on May 29, 2012, she served an electronic copy of Retail Energy Supply Association’s “**Statement of Non-Objection**” in Case No. U-16855 upon the persons listed in Attachment 1 hereto, at the e-mail addresses listed therein. She further states that she served a hard copy of same upon the Honorable Thomas E. Maier, Administrative Law Judge, at the address listed in Attachment 1 hereto by depositing the same in the United States mail in the City of Jackson, Michigan, with first-class postage thereon fully paid.

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Judy A. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012.

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Dorothy H. Wright, Notary Public  
State of Michigan, County of Jackson  
My Commission Expires: 08/17/13  
Acting in the County of Jackson