STATE OF ILLINOIS

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

ILLINOIS POWER AGENCY	)	
Petition for Approval of the	)	**Docket No. 13-0546**
220 ILCS 5/16-111/5(d) Procurement Plan	)	

THE RETAIL ENERGY SUPPLY ASSOCIATION
VERIFIED RESPONSE TO OBJECTIONS TO
ILLINOIS POWER AGENCY'S 2014 PROCUREMENT PLAN

The Retail Energy Supply Association ("RESA")[1] is a broad and diverse group of retail energy suppliers who share the common vision that competitive retail energy markets deliver a more efficient, customer-oriented outcome than a regulated utility structure. RESA is devoted to working with all stakeholders to promote vibrant and sustainable competitive retail energy markets for residential, commercial and industrial consumers. RESA has been an active participant in all of the proceedings before the Illinois Commerce Commission ("Commission") concerning approval of the annual procurement plans of the Illinois Power Agency ("IPA"), beginning with Ill. C. C. Docket 08-0519. RESA submitted Comments to the IPA on its Draft 2014 Power Procurement Plan, dated August 15, 2013 (the "2014 IPA Draft Plan"). On October 7, 2013, RESA filed Objections to the IPA's 2014 Power Procurement Plan (the "2014

[1] RESA's members include AEP Energy, Inc.; Champion Energy Services, LLC; ConEdison *Solutions*; Constellation NewEnergy, Inc.; Direct Energy Services, LLC; Energetix, Inc.; GDF SUEZ Energy Resources NA, Inc.; Hess Corporation; Homefield Energy; IDT Energy, Inc.; Integrys Energy Services, Inc.; Just Energy; Liberty Power; MC Squared Energy Services, LLC; Mint Energy, LLC; NextEra Energy Services; Noble Americas Energy Solutions LLC; NRG, Inc.; PPL EnergyPlus, LLC; Stream Energy; TransCanada Power Marketing Ltd.; and TriEagle Energy, L.P.. The comments expressed in this filing represent the position of RESA as an organization but may not represent the views of any particular member of RESA.

Procurement Plan") filed with the Commission on September 30, 2013, and docketed as Ill. C. C. Docket 13-0546.

A number of other parties also submitted Objections. Only one, Ameren Illinois Company ("Ameren"), stated any opposition to the proposal of the Illinois Competitive Energy Association ("ICEA") to incorporate fixed-priced, full requirements products into the 2014 Procurement Plan. RESA supports and endorses ICEA's Verified Response to Objections in this proceeding which rebuts all of Ameren's concerns. RESA continues to recommend that the Commission accept ICEA's specific full requirements proposal (set forth in detail in its Objections) and incorporate that proposal in the 2014 Procurement Plan.

Respectfully submitted,

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VERIFICATION

Roy Boston, being first duly sworn, on oath deposes and says that he is Strategic Planning and Policy Manager-East for Noble Americas EnergySolutions, LLC, that he has read the foregoing Retail Energy Supply Association's Response to Objections, that he knows of the contents thereof, and that the same is true to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

/s/ROY BOSTON
Roy Boston

Subscribed and sworn to me

This 18th day of October, 2013

OFFICIAL SEAL
BARBARA A HENDRICKSON
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF ILLINOIS
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:09/10/16

NOTICE OF FILING

Please take note that on October 21, 2013 I caused to be filed via e-docket with the Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, the attached Retail Energy Supply Association's Verified Response to Objections in this proceeding.

Dated: October 21, 2013

/s/Gerard T. Fox
Gerard T. Fox

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Gerard T. Fox, certify that I caused to be served copies of the foregoing Retail Energy Supply Association's Verified Response to Objections upon the parties on the service list maintained on the Illinois Commerce Commission's eDocket system for the instant docket via electronic delivery on October 21, 2013.

/s/ Gerard T. Fox
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