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Paul F. Mapelli, Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary Consolidated Edison Solutions, Inc. 100 Summit Lake Drive, Suite 210 Valhalla, NY 10595

Re: DM 16-841, Consolidated Edison Solutions, Inc. Competitive Electric Power Supplier Application Deficiency Letter – Request for Additional Information

Dear Mr. Mapelli:

On November 3, 2016, Consolidated Edison Solutions, Inc. (Consolidated Edison) submitted an application to the Commission for renewal of its registration as a competitive electric power supplier (CEPS). Commission Staff has reviewed the application and determined it is incomplete and, therefore, does not comply with the requirements of N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 2003. In particular, Staff identified the following requirements that have not been met and the related items which are missing from the application:

 Proof of completion of EDI training and testing with Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities (Liberty) and Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. (UES).

Puc 2003.01(d)(1) Demonstration of technical ability to provide for the efficient and reliable transfer of data and electronic information between utilities and the CEPS in the form of:

(a) A statement from each utility with which the CEPS intends to do business indicating that the applicant has complied with the training and testing requirements for electronic data interchange.

(c) A statement from each utility with which the CEPS does or intends to do business indicating that the applicant has successfully demonstrated electronic transaction capability.

2) A listing, by state, of the number and type of customer complaints.

Puc 2006.01(a)(13) A listing disclosing the number and type of customer complaints concerning the applicant or its principals, if any, filed with a state licensing/registration agency, attorney general's office or other governmental consumer protection agency for the most recent calendar year in every state in which the applicant has conducted business relating to the sale of electricity.

3) A statement as to whether the applicant or any of its principals has ever had any civil, criminal or regulatory sanctions or penalties imposed against it.

Puc 2006.01(*a*)(15) *A* statement as to whether the applicant or any of the applicant's principals:

a. Has, within the 10 years immediately prior to registration, had any civil, criminal or regulatory sanctions or penalties imposed against them pursuant to any state or federal consumer protection law or regulation;

b. Has, within the 10 years immediately prior to registration, settled any civil, criminal or regulatory investigation or complaint involving any state or federal consumer protection law or regulation; or

c. Is currently the subject of any pending civil, criminal or regulatory investigation or complaint involving any state or federal consumer protection law or regulation.

Regarding item #1, although Consolidated Edison has provided evidence that it has completed EDI training and testing with Liberty and UES in prior CEPS application dockets, in order to complete its current renewal, this evidence must be included with the current application.

Regarding item #2, Consolidated Edison provided a list of customer complaints with its application. However, the list does not include a summary, by state, with a count of each complaint type. In order to meet this requirement, please add a summary section that contains this information to the list you provided.

Regarding item #3, your application form included a statement with a request for the required information but, likely through an oversight, did not include a response.

In order to complete your application, you should respond accordingly to the items listed above. When responding, please address your letter to Debra A. Howland, Executive Director, and reference the docket number listed on the subject line of this letter.

Pursuant to Puc 2003.01(h), please provide all information requested within 60 days of the date of this later, on or before **January 6, 2017**. Puc 2003.01(h) is copied below:

Puc 2003.01(h) If the commission has requested information or clarification to complete an application for registration, and such information or clarification is not provided within 60 days of the request, the commission shall suspend the application. If, after 120 days of the date of the request, the applicant has not provided the requested information or clarification, the commission shall reject the application. If an application is rejected, the application fee shall be forfeited and the applicant shall be required to submit a new application and fee prior to acting as a CEPS in New Hampshire.

Sincerely,

David Goyette

Utility Analyst III

cc: Service List Docket File Pursuant to N.H. Admin Rule Puc 203.11 (a) (1): Serve an electronic copy on each person identified on the service list.

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FILING INSTRUCTIONS:

a) Pursuant to N.H. Admin Rule Puc 203.02 (a), with the exception of Discovery, file 7 copies, as well as an electronic copy, of all documents including cover letter with: DEBRA A HOWLAND

DEBRA A HOWLAND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR NHPUC 21 S. FRUIT ST, SUITE 10 CONCORD NH 03301-2429

- b) Serve an electronic copy with each person identified on the Commission's service list and with the Office of Consumer Advocate.
- c) Serve a written copy on each person on the service list not able to receive electronic mail.