STATE OF MICHIGAN

BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the Commission's own motion,)	
regarding the regulatory reviews, revisions,)	
determinations, and/or approvals necessary for)	Case No. U-16650
Noble Americas Energy Solutions LLC to fully)	
Comply with Public Act 295 of 2008.)	

NOBLE AMERICAS ENERGY SOLUTIONS LLC's APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF RENEWABLE ENERGY PLAN

In accordance with the requirements of 2008 PA 295 Section 23, the following information is provided:

A. AES Renewable Resource Plan.

Noble Americas Energy Solutions LLC ("Noble Solutions") submits to the Michigan Public Service Commission ("Commission") the following Compliance Plan to meet the yearly requirements of 2008 PA 295 Section 23 for renewable resources starting 2014.

- 1. Noble Solutions has acquired resources that qualify as renewable resources under PA 295 in compliance of that Act through the purchase of Renewable Energy Credits. These purchases were made through bilateral contracts with suppliers of renewable energy resources, or through others that transact in such resources. Noble Solutions plans to provide yearly reports to the Commission showing its compliance with the requirements of PA 295.
- 2. Noble Solutions will recover the cost of complying with the renewable resources requirements of PA 295 from its retail customers. Noble Solutions' customer contracts describe the price the customer will pay for these compliance costs. Noble Solutions is not currently charging a surcharge for renewable energy, and it has no plans to implement a surcharge.

B. Method of Calculation of Required Megawatt Hours of Renewable Resources.

For 2014, Noble Solutions elected to calculate its required renewable resource purchase requirements by using the weather normalized previous year's retail electric customer load served by Noble Solutions in Michigan.

C. Treatment of Section 35(1)(a) and (b) [PURPA] Purchases.

Noble Solutions does not presently procure any capacity from pre-existing PURPA qualifying facilities.

D. Renewable Energy Plan Update

Noble Solutions will continue to monitor any new activity in the renewable energy market and plan to make the necessary purchases for compliance as the reporting period approaches. Noble Solutions will meet the standard of compliance utilizing in state resources through the purchase of renewable energy credits to meet retail sales to customers annually in calendar year 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

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