

LICENSE OR PERMIT BOND

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we Energy Paradigm, LLC., 1606 Fern Drive, Mansfield, Texas 76063 as Principal, and Capitol Indemnity Corporation, a Wisconsin Corporation, and authorized to do business in Illinois, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto The People of the State of Illinois as Obligee, in the sum of Five Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$5,000.00), for which sum, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, by these presents.

THE CONDITIONS OF THIS OBLIGATION ARE SUCH, That WHEREAS, the Principal has been or is about to be granted a license or permit to do business to operate as an ABC (Agent, Broker, or Consultant) under 220 ILCS 5/16-115C and is required to execute this bond under 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 454.80 by the Obligee.

Now, Therefore, if the Principal fully and faithfully perform all duties and obligations of the Principal as an ABC, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

This bond may be terminated as to future acts of the Principal upon thirty (30) days written notice by the Surety; said notice to be sent to 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62701, of the aforesaid State of Illinois, by certified mail.

Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2009.

Principal Energy Paradigm, LLC.

By: *Greg Thomas President*  
(Name & Title)

Surety: Capitol Indemnity Corporation

By: *Annette J. Albach*  
Annette J. Albach  
Attorney-in-Fact

**CAPITOL INDEMNITY CORPORATION  
POWER OF ATTORNEY**

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That the **CAPITOL INDEMNITY CORPORATION**, a corporation of the State of Wisconsin, having its principal offices in the City of Middleton, Wisconsin, does make, constitute and appoint

ANNETTE J ALBACH; BARBARA L MACK; STEPHANIE E SHETLER

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf, as surety, and as its act and deed, any and all bonds, undertakings and contracts of suretyship, provided that no bond or undertaking or contract of suretyship executed under this authority shall exceed in amount the sum of

ALL WRITTEN INSTRUMENTS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED: \$3,000,000.00

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of **CAPITOL INDEMNITY CORPORATION** at a meeting duly called and held on the 15th day of May, 2002.

"RESOLVED, that the President, Executive Vice President, Vice President, Secretary or Treasurer, acting individually or otherwise, be and they hereby are granted the power and authorization to appoint by a Power of Attorney for the purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings, and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, one or more resident vice-presidents, assistant secretaries and attorney(s)-in-fact, each appointee to have the powers and duties usual to such offices to the business of this company; the signature of such officers and seal of the Company may be affixed to any such power of attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company, and any such power so executed and certified by facsimile signatures and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company in the future with respect to any bond or undertaking or other writing obligatory in the nature thereof to which it is attached. Any such appointment may be revoked, for cause, or without cause, by any of said officers, at any time."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the **CAPITOL INDEMNITY CORPORATION** has caused these presents to be signed by its officer undersigned and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed duly attested, this 1st day of January, 2007.

Attest:

**CAPITOL INDEMNITY CORPORATION**

*David F. Pauly*

David F. Pauly  
Chairman & CEO



*James J. McIntyre*

James J. McIntyre  
President & COO

STATE OF WISCONSIN } s.s.:  
COUNTY OF DANE

On the 1st day of January, 2007 before me personally came James J. McIntyre, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the County of Dane, State of Wisconsin; that he is President of **CAPITOL INDEMNITY CORPORATION**, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of the said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto by like order.



*Daniel W. Krueger*

Daniel W. Krueger  
Notary Public, Dane Co., WI  
My Commission Is Permanent

STATE OF WISCONSIN } s.s.:  
COUNTY OF DANE

I, the undersigned, duly elected to the office stated below, now the incumbent in **CAPITOL INDEMNITY CORPORATION**, a Wisconsin Corporation, authorized to make this certificate, **DO HEREBY CERTIFY** that the foregoing attached Power of Attorney remains in full force and has not been revoked; and furthermore, that the Resolution of the Board of Directors, set forth in the Power of Attorney is now in force.

Signed and sealed at the City of Middleton, State of Wisconsin this 26th day of October, 2 009



*Alan S. Ogilvie*

Alan S. Ogilvie  
Secretary

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