

**Reliant Energy Northeast LLC's has provided in Attachment A the executed surety bond as specified in Part 451.50(a) for Subpart D and a copy of the original bond.**

Included in Attachment A:

- Copy of Original Bond
- Increased Rider for \$300,000.00

License or Permit Bond

License or Permit Bond No 190-022-499  
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company  
175 Berkeley Street, Boston, MA 02116

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, **Reliant Energy Northeast LLC** as Principal, and **Liberty Mutual Insurance Company**, a Massachusetts, Corporation, and authorized to do business in Illinois, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS as Oblige, in the sum of **One Hundred Fifty THOUSAND AND NO/100 Dollars (\$150,000.00)**, for which sum, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, by these presents.

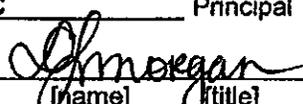
THE CONDITIONS OF THIS OBLIGATION ARE SUCH, That WHEREAS, the Principal has been or is about to be granted a license or permit to do business to operate as an ARES (Alternative Retail Electric Supplier) under 220 ILCS 5/16-115 and is required to execute this bond under 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 451.50 by the Oblige.

NOW, Therefore, if the Principal fully and faithfully perform all duties and obligations of the Principal as an ARES, 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 14th day of January, 2011

Reliant Energy Northeast LLC Principal

by:   
[Name] [Title]

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company Surety

by:   
Mark W. Edwards, II  
Attorney-in-Fact

THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS NOT VALID UNLESS IT IS PRINTED ON RED BACKGROUND.

This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY  
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That Liberty Mutual Insurance Company (the "Company"), a Massachusetts stock insurance company, pursuant to and by authority of the By-law and Authorization hereinafter set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint **MARK W. EDWARDS II, RONALD B. GIADROSICH, JEFFREY M. WILSON, WILLIAM M. SMITH, EVONDIA H. WOESSNER, ROBERT R. FREEL, ALISA B. POUNDERS, ALL OF THE CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, STATE OF ALABAMA** .....

each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations in the penal sum not exceeding **TWO HUNDRED FIFTY MILLION AND 00/100** DOLLARS (\$ **250,000,000.00** ) each, and the execution of such undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations; in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the Company as if they had been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Company in their own proper persons.

That this power is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-law and Authorization:

ARTICLE XIII - Execution of Contracts: Section 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer of the Company authorized for that purpose in writing by the chairman or the president, and subject to such limitations as the chairman or the president may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

By the following instrument the chairman or the president has authorized the officer or other official named therein to appoint attorneys-in-fact:

Pursuant to Article XIII, Section 5 of the By-Laws, Garnet W. Elliott, Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, is hereby authorized to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations:

That the By-law and the Authorization set forth above are true copies thereof and are now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Company and the corporate seal of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company has been affixed thereto in Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania this 11th day of October 2010.

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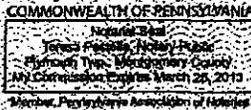
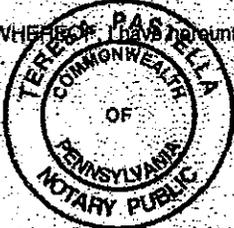
By Garnet W. Elliott  
Garnet W. Elliott, Assistant Secretary



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA ss  
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 11th day of October, 2010, before me, a Notary Public, personally came Garnet W. Elliott, to me known, and acknowledged that he is an Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company; that he knows the seal of said corporation; and that he executed the above Power of Attorney and affixed the corporate seal of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company thereto with the authority and at the direction of said corporation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above-written.



By Teresa Pastella  
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy, is in full force and effect on the date of this certificate; and I do further certify that the officer or official who executed the said power of attorney is an Assistant Secretary specially authorized by the chairman or the president to appoint attorneys-in-fact as provided in Article XIII, Section 5 of the By-laws of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company.

This certificate and the above power of attorney may be signed by facsimile or mechanically reproduced signatures under and by authority of the following vote of the board of directors of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company at a meeting duly called and held on the 12th day of March, 1980.

VOTED that the facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the corporate seal of the said company, this 14TH day of JANUARY, 2011.



By David M. Carey  
David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

Not valid for mortgage, note, loan, letter of credit, bank deposit, currency rate, interest rate or residual value guarantees.

To confirm the validity of this Power of Attorney call 1-610-832-8240 between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm EST on any business day.

INCREASE RIDER

To be attached to and form part of Bond Number 190-022-499 effective

January 14 2011 issued by the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

in the amount of One Hundred Fifty Thousand and 00/100

-----DOLLARS (\$ 150,000.00 ),

on behalf of Reliant Energy Northeast LLC,

as Principal and in favor of the People of the State of Illinois,

as Obligee.

Now therefore, it is agreed that:

We, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company,  
Surety on the above bond, hereby stipulate and agree that from and after the effective date of this  
Stipulation, the Penalty of said Bond shall be Increased

FROM: One Hundred Fifty Thousand and 00/100 ----- (\$ 150,000.00 )

TO: Three Hundred Thousand and 00/100 ----- (\$ 300,000.00 )

It is further understood and agreed that all other terms and conditions of this bond shall remain unchanged.

This rider is to be effective the 25th Day of May, 2011.

Signed, Sealed and Dated this 25th Day of May, 2011.

Reliant Energy Northeast LLC  
(Principal)

By: Elizabeth Killinger

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company  
(Surety)

By: Mark W. Edwards II  
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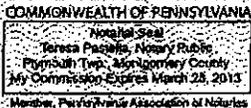
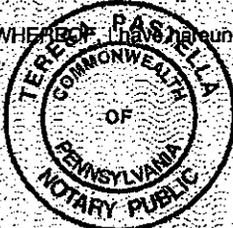
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