

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

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Santanna Natural Gas Corporation :
dba Santanna Energy Services :

CHIEF CLIENTS OFFICE

Application for Certificate of :
Service Authority under Section :
19-110 of the Public Utilities Act. :

Docket No. 03-0084

APPLICATION

Santanna Natural Gas Corporation dba Santanna Energy Services
("Applicant"), hereby requests that the Illinois Commerce Commission
("Commission") grant it a certificate of service authority pursuant to Section 19-110
of the Public Utilities Act ("Act"). In support of its application, Applicant states as
follows:

General

1. Applicant's name and street address:

Santanna Natural Gas Corporation
dba Santanna Energy Services
6805 North Capital of Texas Hwy., Suite 270
Austin, Texas 78731

2. Related Information

Type of business entity:

Registered Corporation

Jurisdiction in which and under whose laws business entity was created:

the State of Texas

Other names under which Applicant does business:

Santanna Natural Gas and Santanna Energy Services (SES)

Federal Employer Identification Number:

74-2500445

Registered agent in Illinois:

Crowley, Barrett and Karaba

3. Does Applicant currently have other authority from the Commission to be an AGS? If yes, provide the Commission docket number under which current authority was granted and state whether Applicant requests that such current authority be consolidated with any authority granted pursuant to this application, under the docket number of this application.

Santanna received a certificate of service authority as an AGS in docket no. 02-0441.

4. Contact persons for the following:

- a) Issues related to processing this application;

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- b) Issues related to retail customers, including complaint resolution;

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- c) Technical issues, including scheduling of natural gas deliveries.

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5. Applicant certifies that it will:
 - a) Comply with all applicable Federal, State, regional and industry rules, practices, policies, procedures and tariffs for the use, operation, maintenance, safety, integrity, and reliability of the interstate natural gas system; [83 Ill. Adm. Code 551.20(a)]
 - b) Provide service to small commercial customers that are eligible to take service from an AGS; [551.20(b)]
 - c) Comply with informational and reporting requirements that the Commission may by rule establish; [551.20(c)] and
 - d) Comply with all other applicable laws and regulations and Commission rules and orders; [551.20(d)]
6. Applicant agrees to submit good faith schedules of natural gas deliveries in accordance with applicable tariffs. [551.20(a)]
7. Description of Applicant's business. Attachment A.[551.30(c)(1)]

Santanna Natural Gas is an independent energy marketing company providing programs in natural gas, electricity, and local and long distance phone services to thousands of businesses and residential customers in Illinois. Santanna Natural Gas helped pioneer natural gas deregulation in Illinois over 15 years ago and serves thousands of customers through their local office in Hinsdale, Illinois. Santanna Natural Gas has the experience of energy professionals who provide the personalized expertise needed to manage energy requirements for today. Santanna Natural Gas purchases or arranges the purchase of natural gas and electricity directly from the most reliable, most competitive sources throughout North America. Since Santanna Natural Gas is not tied to any particular source, we have the flexibility to choose sources to minimize costs and ensure consistent supply.

8. Geographic area(s) in which Applicant seeks to be authorized to offer service (if less than entire State, provide detailed description) and the types of services it intends to offer. [551.30(c)]

Applicant seeks to serve customers located in the entire service territories of Nicor Gas Company, The Peoples Gas. Light and Coke Company and North Shore Gas Company.

Santanna Natural Gas intends to offer natural gas to end users.

9. Description of the characteristics of customer group(s) Applicant proposes to serve. [551.30(c)(2)]

Santanna Natural Gas intends to offer small commercial rate class customers that are eligible to take service from an AGS, as defined by classification in the Nicor Gas tariff, the Peoples Gas tariff and the North Shore tariff.

10. Proof of notification to each utility of Applicant's intent to serve in the utility's service area is provided in Attachments B, C and D. [551.30(c)(3)]
11. Applicant certifies compliance with all applicable terms and conditions required by Section 19-115 of the Act. [551.30(d)(1)(2)]
12. Applicant agrees to adopt and follow rules and procedures ensuring that authorizations received from customers, customer billing records, and requests for delivery service transmitted to utilities are retained for a period of not less than two calendar years after the calendar year in which they were created. These records are available to Commission Staff upon request. [551.40(a)]
13. Applicant agrees to adopt and follow rules and procedures to preserve the confidentiality of its customers data. [551.40(b)]
14. If Applicant seeks to serve customers within a geographic area that is smaller than a gas utility's service area, then Applicant must demonstrate that the designation of this smaller area does not violate any part of Section 19-115 of the Act. [551.70(a)]

N/A.

15. Applicant certifies that all marketing materials that make statements concerning prices, terms and conditions of service contain information that adequately disclose the prices, terms and conditions of the products or services that the Applicant is offering or selling to the customers. [551.70(b)(1)]
16. Applicant certifies that, prior to switching any customer from another supplier, the Applicant will provide the customer written information that adequately discloses, in plain language, the prices, terms and conditions of the products and services being offered and sold to the customer. [551.70(b)(2)]
17. Applicant certifies that it will provide the customer with itemized billing statements that describe the products and services provided to the customer and their prices and an additional statement, at least annually, that adequately discloses the average monthly prices, and the terms and conditions, of the products and services sold to the customer. [551.70(b)(3)]

Financial Qualifications

18. Applicant's required license or permit bond is provided in Attachment K. [551.50(a)]

19. Required materials or certifications supporting Applicant's financial qualifications pursuant to Subsection 551.80 (a)(1) are provided in Attachment E. [551.80]

Note: The account totals and sales figures reported by D & B may not be current.

Technical Qualifications

20. Applicant will not use natural gas transmission or distribution facilities that it owns, controls or operates in serving customers. Required materials supporting Applicant's technical qualifications are provided in Attachment F. [551.90]

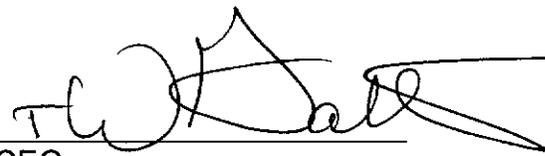
Managerial Qualifications

21. Required materials supporting Applicant's managerial qualifications are provided in Attachments G, H, I and J. [551.100]

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that the Commission grant its application for service authority to serve small commercial natural gas customers in Northern Illinois and the Chicago Land area that falls in the territory served by Nicor Gas utility company, Peoples Gas utility company and North Shore Gas utility company.

Respectfully submitted,

T. Wayne Gatlin
Santanna Natural Gas Corporation

By: 
CEO

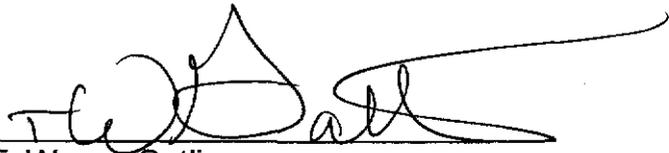
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF TRAVIS) ss:

T. Wayne Gatlin, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the CEO of Santanna Natural Gas Corporation; that he has read the foregoing Application of Santanna Natural Gas Corporation, and all of the attachments accompanying and referred to within the Application; and that the statements contained in the Application and the attachments are true, correct and complete to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.


T. Wayne Gatlin

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 5th day of February [year].


Notary Public

