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PROJECT NO. 41815

APPLICATION OF ALPLP, INC. FOR AN AGGREGATOR REGISTRATION

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COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION

Commission Staff recommends approval of the application, based on the attached memorandum of James Kelsaw.

Date: September 20, 2013

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this document will be served on all parties of record on September 20, 2013, in accordance with P.U.C. Procedural Rule 22.74.

Kristi J. Denney

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

Memorandum

TO: Jaci Caldwell, Legal Division

FROM: James Kelsaw, Competitive Markets Division

DATE: September 20, 2013

RE: Project No. 41815- Application of ALPLP, Inc. for an Aggregator Registration Pursuant to Subst. R. 25.111.

Procedural History

On September 6, 2013, ALPLP, LLC (ALPLP) filed an application for registration as an aggregator.

Recommendation

I have reviewed the application of ALPLP. I conclude, that based on the information provided in the application, the applicant is capable of fulfilling the customer protection provisions, disclosure requirements, and marketing guidelines of PURA. Additionally, I have determined that the applicant meets the financial requirements as follows:

§25.111(f)(1)(H)

ALPLP is in good standing with the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts.

§25.111(f)(1)(G)

ALPLP is registered and active with the Texas Office of the Secretary of State.

§25.111(g)

ALPLP will not take prepayments and therefore is not required to demonstrate financial resources.

I recommend that the aggregator registration be approved.