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| APPLICATION OF BLUE STAR | § | PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION |
| ENERGY, LLC TO RELINQUISH ITS | § | |
| RETAIL ELECTRIC PROVIDER | § | OF TEXAS |
| CERTIFICATE | § | |

**COMMISSION STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION SUFFICIENCY OF THE
APPLICATION AND PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

On August 1, 2022, Blue Star Energy, LLC (Blue Star) filed an application to relinquish its service provider certificate of authority (SPCOA) No. 10282, under 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 25.107.

On August 2, 2022, the administrative law judge (ALJ) filed Order No. 1, directing the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to file a recommendation on the sufficiency of the application and propose a procedural schedule by August 16, 2022. Therefore, this pleading is timely filed.

I. SUFFICIENCY RECOMMENDATION

Staff has reviewed Blue Star's application to relinquish its REP certificate and recommends that it be deemed sufficient for further review. This recommendation does not address the merits of the application.

II. PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

In accordance with Staff's sufficiency recommendation, Staff proposes the following procedural schedule:

| Event | Date |
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| Intervention and comment deadline | September 15, 2022 |
| Deadline for Commission Staff to file a recommendation on final disposition or request referral to the State Office of Administrative Hearings | September 22, 2022 |

III. CONCLUSION

Staff recommends that Blue Star's application be deemed sufficient for further review and that the proposed procedural schedule be adopted. Staff respectfully requests the issuance of an order consistent with the foregoing recommendation.

Dated: August 16, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer, notice of the filing of this document was provided to all parties of record via electronic mail on August 16, 2022, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664.

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