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#### **VIA E-FILING AND EMAIL**

Hon. Jaclyn Brilling, Secretary Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Case 06-M-0878 – Joint Petition of National Grid plc and KeySpan

Corporation for Approval of Stock Acquisition and other Regulatory

**Authorizations** 

National Grid USA Service Company Agreements

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Pursuant to Section 110(3) of the Public Service Law and Section 4.6 of the Corporate Structure and Affiliate Rules adopted by the Public Service Commission ("Commission") in its Orders dated August 23, 2007 and September 17, 2007 in Case 06-M-0878 *et al.*, 1 enclosed for filing are revised Service Agreements ("Agreements") for National Grid USA Service Company, Inc. ("ServeCo") and National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc. ("NGE Service") with the identified affiliates of National Grid USA, including Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid, The Brooklyn Union Gas Company d/b/a National Grid NY and KeySpan Gas East Corporation d/b/a National Grid. The Agreements have been executed by the identified affiliates<sup>2</sup> and become effective November 5, 2012 following consolidation of National Grid USA's legacy service companies (ServeCo, National Grid Corporate Services LLC and National Grid Utility Services LLC) and implementation of a common SAP systems platform.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Cases 06-M-0878 *et al.*, *Joint Petition of National Grid plc and KeySpan Corporation For Approval of Stock Acquisition and other Regulatory Authorizations*, "Abbreviated Order Authorizing Acquisition Subject To Conditions And Making Some Revenue Requirement Determinations For KeySpan Energy Delivery New York and KeySpan Energy Delivery Long Island (Issued and Effective August 23, 2007), and "Order Authorizing Acquisition Subject To Conditions And Making Some Revenue Requirement Determinations For KeySpan Energy Delivery New York and KeySpan Energy Delivery Long Island" (Issued and Effective September 17, 2007).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> These identified affiliates also include entities that are considered to be "electric corporations" under the Public Service Law that are subject to lighthanded regulation including National Grid Generation LLC, National Grid Glenwood Energy Center LLC, and National Grid Port Jefferson Energy Center LLC.

#### **Background**

In August 2007, National Grid USA acquired KeySpan Corporation. At the time of the acquisition, both National Grid USA and KeySpan Corporation were holding companies that utilized centralized service company structures to provide a variety of corporate and administrative services to their regulated and unregulated operating affiliates.<sup>3</sup> The Commission's orders approving that acquisition contemplated that National Grid Corporate Services LLC (formerly, KeySpan Corporate Services LLC) and National Grid Utility Services LLC (formerly, KeySpan Utility Services LLC) would be consolidated with ServeCo following receipt of any necessary regulatory approvals and implementation of a consolidated systems platform.

#### **Service Company Consolidation**

The consolidation of National Grid Corporate Services LLC and National Grid Utility Services LLC with ServCo occurred as of November 5, 2012. NGE Service, formerly KeySpan Engineering & Survey Inc., will continue to have a separate existence as a centralized service company for the limited purpose of providing certain professional engineering and surveying services to affiliates under a special provision of Section 7209(6) of the New York State Education Law.

#### **Description Of The Agreements**

Under the ServeCo Service Agreement, ServcCo will provide a variety of corporate and administrative services<sup>4</sup> to its regulated and unregulated affiliates. Under the NGE Service Agreement, NGE Service will provide certain engineering and surveying services to its client affiliates. The client companies will have the right from time to time to amend the services received under the Agreements.

All services provided will be at actual cost in accordance with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's regulations.<sup>5</sup> Direct charges will be made for services where appropriate. Cost allocations will be done in accordance with any methodologies and allocators that have been submitted to the appropriate regulatory authorities and received any necessary regulatory authorizations.<sup>6</sup> Costs billed by ServeCo and NGE Service will include their

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> At the time of the acquisition, National Grid USA had a single service company, National Grid USA Service Company, Inc., while KeySpan Corporation had three service companies, KeySpan Corporate Services LLC, KeySpan Utility Services LLC and KeySpan Engineering & Survey Inc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The services include, but are not limited to, corporate affairs, customer services, safety, health and environmental services, executive and administrative services, finance services, human resources services, information services, procurement services, legal and regulatory and pricing services, operations services, network strategy and services, shared services and corporate audit services.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Repeal of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1955 and Enactment of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005, FERC Stats. and Regs., Regulations Preambles (2001-2005) ¶ 31,197 at para. 169 (2005).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Under Section 3.2.4.2 of certain Rate Plan Provisions adopted by the Commission on July 17, 2012 in Case 10-E-0050, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid must file changes in cost allocations with the Commission. Under Section 4.3 of the Corporate Structure and Affiliate Rules adopted by the Commission in Case

respective capital costs. All costs will be billed and paid on a monthly basis. Nothing in the Agreements is intended to limit the jurisdiction of the Commission under applicable law to review the prudence of the costs incurred by any client companies subject to the Commission's rate jurisdiction for the purpose of determining whether those Companies may recover the costs in rates.

The Agreements contemplate a term of 364 days. Upon the expiration of each 364 day term, the Agreements will be automatically renewed for an additional 364 day term unless terminated by ServeCo, NGE Service or any client company on 60 day's advance written notice.

All of the existing service agreements between any of the client companies and National Grid Corporate Services LLC, National Grid Utility Services, ServCo and NGE Service will be terminated as of the effective date of the Service Agreements.<sup>7</sup>

If you have any questions or require further information concerning the enclosed Agreement, please contact me at (718) 403-3073 or <u>catherine.nesser@us.ngrid.com</u>.

Very truly yours,

Catherine L. Nesser

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cc: Doris Stout, Director, Accounting and Finance Case 06-M-0878 Active Parties

06-M-0878 *et al.*, changes in cost allocations must be filed with the Commission's Director of Finance and Accounting at least 60 days in advance of becoming effective.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Termination of the existing National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc. Service Agreement dated October 1, 2007 is effected by a separate termination letter attached here since not all of the client companies of the October 2007 service agreement are client companies receiving services under the NGES Agreement.

#### NATIONAL GRID USA SERVICE COMPANY, INC.

#### SERVICE AGREEMENT

This Service Agreement ("<u>Agreement</u>") dated as of November 5, 2012 ("<u>Effective Date</u>") is entered into by and between National Grid USA Service Company, Inc. ("<u>Service Company</u>"), a Massachusetts corporation, and each of the affiliated companies that are or become a party hereto (each, individually a "<u>Client Company</u>" and collectively, the "<u>Client Companies</u>"). Service Company and the Client Companies may also be referred to herein, individually, as a "<u>Party</u>," and, collectively, as the "<u>Parties</u>".

WHEREAS, Service Company is a service company affiliate of National Grid USA ("<u>National Grid</u>") which is a holding company under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005, as amended (the "<u>Act</u>"); and

WHEREAS, the Client Companies desire Service Company to provide services as contemplated by this Agreement, and Service Company is willing to provide such services, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual representations, covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth, and intending to be legally bound hereby, the Parties agree as follows:

# ARTICLE 1 SERVICES

1.1 <u>Services Offered.</u> Exhibit I to this Agreement describes some of the services that Service Company may furnish to each Client Company. In addition to the services referred to in Exhibit I, Service Company may also provide each Client Company with additional or different services, as may be requested, from time to time, by such Client Company. Service Company may, from time to time, unilaterally amend part A of Exhibit I entitled "List of Certain Services Provided by Service Company" for the purpose of aligning the service descriptions contained therein with the Service Level Agreements referred to in Section 1.4 hereof. Service Company shall deliver a copy of each such amended Exhibit I to the Client Companies and shall file a copy thereof with each state regulatory agency having jurisdiction.

In supplying services hereunder to a Client Company, Service Company may arrange, where it deems appropriate, for the services of such experts, consultants, advisers and other persons or third parties with necessary qualifications as are required for, or are pertinent to, the performance of such services.

1.2 <u>Modification of Services</u>. Each Client Company shall have the right from time to time to amend, alter or rescind any activity, project, program, work order or other request for

services in connection with this Agreement, provided that (i) the cost for the services covered by the activity, project, program, work order or other request for service shall be deemed to include any costs incurred by Service Company as a direct result of such amendment, alteration or rescission of the activity, project, program or work order, and (ii) no amendment, alteration or rescission of an activity, project, program or work order shall release a Client Company from liability for all costs already incurred by or contracted for by Service Company in connection with the activity, project, program or work order, regardless of whether the services associated with such costs have been completed.

#### 1.3 Limitations.

- (a) Anything in this Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding, (i) no Party shall be obligated to participate in any transaction contemplated by this Agreement if the cost to be charged to such Party in connection with such transaction differs from the amount of the charges such Party is permitted to incur under any statute applicable to such Party or under any rules, regulations or orders of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") or of any state public utility commission or its equivalent having jurisdiction over such Party, and (ii) if a Client Company is subject to the jurisdiction of the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities ("MDPU") or any successor to the MDPU, any amounts to be paid by such Client Company in connection with this Agreement or any transaction contemplated by this Agreement shall be subject to review and determination by the MDPU in any proceeding brought under Section 93 or 94 of Chapter 164 of the Massachusetts General Laws.
- (b) This Agreement shall be subject to approval of any federal or state regulatory body whose approval is a legal prerequisite to its execution and delivery or performance. Cost allocations and the methods of allocation provided herein or contemplated hereby may also be subject to the jurisdiction of FERC under Section 1275 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 and the rules promulgated thereunder and, if and to the extent its determination is sought, FERC determinations regarding the allocation of costs shall be dispositive.
- (c) Nothing in this Agreement is intended to limit the jurisdiction that any state public utility commission or equivalent agency may have under applicable law to review the prudence of costs incurred and paid hereunder for the purpose of determining whether the applicable Client Company may recover such costs in rates.
- 1.4 Service Company shall cooperate in the implementation of, and shall participate in, such management programs and procedures as may be requested by any Client Company in connection with the services provided to such Client Company under this Agreement. These management programs and procedures may include, without limitation, budgeting applications and Service Level Agreements, as determined by the requesting Client Company.

# ARTICLE 2 COMPENSATION AND BILLING

2.1 <u>Compensation</u>. All of the services rendered under this Agreement will be rendered at actual cost thereof. Direct charges will be made for services where appropriate. Costs that cannot be directly charged will be allocated to Client Companies by means of

equitable allocation formulae or clearing accounts. To the extent possible, such allocations shall be based on cost-causation relationships. All other allocations will be broad based. Each formula will have an appropriate basis.

From time to time, certain Client Companies may make filings (as part of a rate plan or otherwise) with regulatory agencies having jurisdiction on the application of allocation methodologies as specified in such filings (such filings, as may be amended from time to time, shall be referred to as "Allocation Filings"). The Service Company shall allocate costs in connection with this Agreement in compliance with all applicable Allocation Filings then in effect and in compliance with the Service Company's Cost Allocation Manual, as such Manual may be amended or modified from time to time. Subject to the foregoing, allocation methodologies may be modified or changed by Service Company without the necessity of an amendment of this Agreement provided that in each instance all services rendered hereunder will be at actual cost thereof, fairly and equitably allocated. The Client Companies will be advised from time to time of any material changes in such methodologies.

2.2 <u>Billing</u>. Bills will be rendered during the first week of each month covering amounts due for the month calculated on an estimated basis using the actual expenses incurred to the extent possible during the second previous month. This estimated amount will be adjusted on the bill to be rendered by the conclusion of the following month. If a bill is not paid by the 15<sup>th</sup> day after the bill is received (the "*Due Date*"), the Client Company shall pay interest on any amount outstanding after the Due Date at the current money pool rate.

# ARTICLE 3 TERM AND TERMINATION

- 3.1 <u>Effective Date</u>. This Agreement shall become effective as of the Effective Date.
  - 3.2 Term and Termination.
- (a) The term of this Agreement shall be 364 days. Upon the expiration of each 364 day term, this Agreement shall be automatically renewed for an additional term of 364 days; provided that such renewal term shall not apply to any Client Company that elects to terminate its participation in this Agreement by providing written notice to Service Company prior to the effective date of such renewal term.
- (b) Any Client Company may terminate its participation in this Agreement upon sixty (60) days advance written notice to the Service Company. The Service Company may terminate this Agreement with respect to any Client Company upon sixty (60) days advance written notice to such Client Company or may terminate this Agreement in its entirety upon sixty (60) days advance written notice to all Client Companies. The foregoing notwithstanding, the obligations of the Parties under this Agreement with respect to invoicing and payment of amounts due shall continue in effect notwithstanding any such termination until all final accounting, adjustments and payments have been made in compliance herewith.

(c) This Agreement will also be subject to termination or modification, without prior notice and at any time, to the extent its performance may conflict with any federal or state law or any rule, regulation or order of a federal or state regulatory body having jurisdiction.

### ARTICLE 4 MISCELLANEOUS

- 4.1 <u>Modification</u>. Except as set forth in Article 2 and Sections 1.3, 3.2 and 4.4, no amendment or other modification of this Agreement shall be effective unless made in writing and executed by all of the Parties to this Agreement.
- 4.2 <u>Notices</u>. Where written notice is required by this Agreement, such notice shall be deemed given when delivered personally, mailed by certified mail, postage prepaid and return receipt requested, or by facsimile or electronic mail, as follows:

#### To Service Company:

National Grid USA Service Company, Inc. Attn: Vice President, Service Company & Regulatory Accounting 40 Sylvan Road Waltham, Massachusetts 02451

#### To Client Company:

Notice to any Client Company shall be sent to the attention of the President (or equivalent chief executive) of such Client Company at the principal office of such President or chief executive with a copy to the Vice President and Controller, National Grid USA, 40 Sylvan Road, Waltham, Massachusetts 02451.

- 4.3 Accounts. All accounts and records of Service Company shall be kept in accordance with all applicable rules and regulations promulgated by FERC pursuant to the Act, including, without limitation, applicable record retention requirements and the Uniform System of Accounts for Service Companies in effect from and after the date hereof. Upon request, Service Company shall permit a Client Company reasonable access to the accounts and records of Service Company relating to the services performed for such Client Company hereunder.
- 4.4 Partial Execution; Additional Client Companies. This Agreement shall become effective between Service Company and each Client Company that delivers an executed counterpart of this Agreement as of the Effective Date (without regard to whether any or all other entities listed on the signature pages below have executed this Agreement by the Effective Date). After the Effective Date, any new or existing direct or indirect subsidiary of National Grid USA may become an additional Client Company under this Agreement by executing and delivering to Service Company a counterpart of this Agreement or an Accession (such Accession to be substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit II); and this Agreement shall be effective with respect to each such additional Client Company from and after the execution date of such counterpart or Accession.

- 4.5 <u>Waiver</u>. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, any failure of a Party to comply with any obligation, covenant, agreement, or condition herein may be waived by the Party entitled to the benefits thereof only by a written instrument signed by the Party granting such waiver, but such waiver or failure to insist upon strict compliance with such obligation, covenant, agreement, or condition shall not operate as a waiver of, or estoppel with respect to, any subsequent or other failure.
- 4.6 <u>No Third Party Beneficiaries</u>. Nothing in this Agreement is intended to confer upon any other person except the Parties any rights or remedies hereunder or shall create any third party beneficiary rights in any person. No provision of this Agreement shall create any rights in any such persons in respect of any benefits that may be provided, directly or indirectly, under any employee benefit plan or arrangement except as expressly provided for thereunder.
- 4.7 <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts (regardless of the laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of law).
- 4.8 <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement and any Accession may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. The exchange of copies of this Agreement or of any Accession and of signature pages by facsimile transmission (including telecopier and scanned "PDF" transmitted by email) shall constitute effective execution and delivery of this Agreement and any Accession as to the Parties and may be used in lieu of the original Agreement or Accession and signatures for all purposes. Signatures of the Parties transmitted by facsimile (including telecopier and scanned "PDF" transmitted by email) shall be deemed to be their original signatures for all purposes. In proving this Agreement or any Accession it shall not be necessary to produce or account for more than one such counterpart signed by the Party against whom enforcement is sought.
- 4.9 Entire Agreement. This Agreement, including the exhibits attached hereto, constitutes the entire agreement and understanding of the Parties with respect to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. There are no restrictions, promises, representations, warranties, covenants or undertakings other than those expressly set forth or referred to herein. This Agreement supersedes all prior agreements and understandings between the Parties with respect to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- 4.10 <u>Severability</u>. If any term or other provision of this Agreement is determined to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, such term or provision shall be modified so as to give as much effect to the original intent thereof as is consistent with applicable law and without affecting the validity, legality or enforceability of the remaining terms and provisions of this Agreement.
- 4.11 <u>Assignment</u>. Service Company shall not assign this Agreement, or any of its rights or obligations hereunder, without the prior written consent of the Client Companies, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld. A Client Company shall not assign this Agreement, or any of its rights or obligations hereunder, without the prior written consent of Service Company.

This Agreement shall inure to the benefit and shall be binding upon the Parties and their permitted successors and assigns.

#### 4.12 Termination of Existing Service Contracts.

The Parties acknowledge that Service Company is successor by merger to National Grid Corporate Services LLC (formerly, KeySpan Corporate Services LLC) and National Grid Utility Services LLC (formerly, KeySpan Utility Services LLC). Service Company and each Client Company agree that, effective as of the Effective Date, the Service Agreement dated as of October 1, 2007 between National Grid Corporate Services LLC and the Client Companies party thereto, the Service Agreement dated as of January 1, 2008 between National Grid Utility Services LLC and the Client Companies party thereto, and all Service Contracts dated as of April 1, 2012 between Service Company and any Client Company are hereby terminated as of the Effective Date, subject to settlement of amounts due under such agreements and contracts.

[Signatures are on following pages.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Service Company and the undersigned Client Companies have caused this Agreement to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives.

National Grid USA Service Company, Inc. By: Startrage Name: Sharon Partridge Title: Vice President Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation By: Name: Kenneth D. Daly Title: President The Brooklyn Union Gas Company Name: Kenneth D Daly Title: President **KeySpan Gas East Corporation** Name: Charles V. DeRosa Title: Vice President

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**New England Electric Transmission** 

By: Name: Peter G. Flynn

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#### **National Grid Generation LLC**

By: Peter G. Flynn
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National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc.
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Title: Vice President and Treasurer
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National Grid Glenwood Energy Center LLC

Name: Peter G. Flynn

Title: President

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#### **Newport America Corporation**

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#### **Mystic Steamship Corporation**

By: National Grid NE Holdings 2 LLC

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#### Philadelphia Coke Co., Inc.

By: Name: Lorraine Lynch

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#### Port of the Islands North LLC

By: Land Management and Development, Inc., its sole member

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Assistant Treasurer

Eastern Associated Securities Corp.

Name: Charles V. DeRosa

#### MyHomeGate, Inc.

By:

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By: Name: Lorraine Lynch Title: Vice President and Treasurer
National Grid Energy Supply LLC
By:
Name: James A. Cross Title: Vice President
Broken Bridge Corp.

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_Name: Michael J. Nilsen

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Title: Treasurer

#### National Grid Energy Management LLC

By:			
	Name	: Lorraine Lynch	
	Title:	Vice President and	Treasurer

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#### **EXHIBIT I**

#### A. List of Certain Services Provided by Service Company.

(Additional or different services may be provided, from time to time, as requested by any Client Company.)

#### **Corporate Affairs**

Provide internal and external communication and relationship services.

#### **Executive and Administrative**

Provide consultation and services in management and administration of all aspects of utility business.

#### **Corporate Audit**

Provide internal and safety, health and environment audit services.

#### Customer

Provide gas and electric procurement and supply services. Provide services related to sales and customer risk and analytics, including energy efficiency programs.

#### Finance

Provide budgeting, accounting services, reporting and rate support. Responsible for tax, treasury and insurance activities.

#### **Information Services**

Provide development and support services related to information technology. Manage IT networks and infrastructure, including cyber security.

#### Security

Provide physical security and security services.

#### Procurement

Responsible for the sourcing of products and administration of contracts with third party vendors.

#### **Human Resources**

Provide labor and employee relations services. Provide learning and development services. Manage recruiting, inclusion and diversity and learning and development programs. Manage employee compensation, benefits and pension programs.

#### Legal

Provide legal advice and assistance with respect to legal matters, including, without limitation, in the areas of real estate, commercial matters, corporate counsel, litigation, environment and employment. Provide legal support for federal, state and local regulatory activities. Manage corporate records and oversee ethics and business conduct programs and activities.

#### **Network Strategy and Services**

Provide services pertaining to the operation and maintenance of gas and electricity networks including engineering, investment planning, standards and policy compliance and reporting.

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Provide operational activities and services. Operational activities include maintenance and construction; protection and telecommunication operations; customer meter services & dispatch operations; control center operations; and power plant and LNG operations. Service activities include Operations Support (Fleet, Aviation, and Inventory Management; Customer Order Fulfillment and related support processes; Meter Lab & Testing activities); Project Management and Complex Construction and Vegetation Management; Resource Planning; Emergency Planning and Response; and Operations Performance activities.

#### Safety, Health and Environment

Manage safety, health and environmental programs, performance and compliance.

#### **Shared Services**

Provide customer care services, transactional services and real estate services.

#### Regulatory and Pricing

Provide regulatory support services.

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#### B. Cost of Service.

Cost of service will be determined in accordance with applicable Federal and state laws (including the Act and rules and regulations promulgated thereunder), and will include all costs of doing business incurred by Service Company, including a reasonable return on capital.

Service Company will maintain an accounting system for accumulating all costs on a project, activity or other appropriate basis. Records will be kept by each cost center of Service Company in order to accumulate all costs of doing business. Expenses of Service Company departments will include salaries and wages of employees, materials and supplies and all other expenses attributable to each such department. Labor cost will be loaded for fringe benefits and payroll taxes. To the extent practicable, Service Company will keep time records of hours worked by all Service Company employees, including all officers of such Company.

The methods of assignment or allocation of costs shall be reviewed annually or more frequently if appropriate. Subject to the terms of the Agreement, if the use of a basis of allocation would result in an inequity because of a change in operations or organization, then Service Company may adjust the basis to effect an equitable distribution.

#### **EXHIBIT II**

# Form of ACCESSION TO NATIONAL GRID USA SERVICE COMPANY, INC. SERVICE AGREEMENT

Effective as of [	] ("Accession Date")
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Reference is made to that certain Service Agreement dated as of November 5, 2012 by and between National Grid USA Service Company, Inc. and the Client Companies party thereto (the "Service Agreement"). Any capitalized term used but not defined herein shall have the meaning specified for such term in the Service Agreement.

In accordance with Section 4.4 of the Service Agreement, the undersigned [company] [companies] ([the] [each, an] "Additional Client Company") shall be deemed to be a Client Company under the Service Agreement as of the Accession Date. [The] [Each] Additional Client Company agrees to be bound by the terms of the Service Agreement from and after the Accession Date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned [has] [have] caused this instrument to be executed by [its] [their] respective duly authorized representative[s] as of the Accession Date.

By:	
Name:	×
Title:	
[COMPANY NAME]	
Ву:	
Name: Title:	

#### NATIONAL GRID ENGINEERING & SURVEY INC.

#### SERVICE AGREEMENT

This Service Agreement ("<u>Agreement</u>") dated as of November 5, 2012 ("<u>Effective Date</u>") is entered into by and between National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc. ("<u>Service Company</u>"), a New York corporation, and each of the affiliated companies that are or become a party hereto (each, individually a "<u>Client Company</u>" and collectively, the "<u>Client Companies</u>"). Service Company and the Client Companies may also be referred to herein, individually, as a "<u>Party</u>," and, collectively, as the "<u>Parties</u>".

WHEREAS, Service Company is a service company affiliate of National Grid USA ("<u>National Grid</u>") which is a holding company under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005, as amended (the "<u>Act</u>"); and

WHEREAS, the Client Companies desire Service Company to provide services as contemplated by this Agreement, and Service Company is willing to provide such services, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual representations, covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth, and intending to be legally bound hereby, the Parties agree as follows:

#### ARTICLE 1 SERVICES

1.1 Services Offered. Exhibit I to this Agreement describes some of the services that Service Company may furnish to each Client Company. In addition to the services referred to in Exhibit I, Service Company may also provide each Client Company with additional or different services, as may be requested, from time to time, by such Client Company. Service Company may, from time to time, unilaterally amend part A of Exhibit I entitled "List of Certain Services Provided by Service Company" for the purpose of aligning the service descriptions contained therein with the Service Level Agreements referred to in Section 1.4 hereof. Service Company shall deliver a copy of each such amended Exhibit I to the Client Companies and shall file a copy thereof with each state regulatory agency having jurisdiction.

In supplying services hereunder to a Client Company, Service Company may arrange, where it deems appropriate, for the services of such experts, consultants, advisers and other persons or third parties with necessary qualifications as are required for, or are pertinent to, the performance of such services.

1.2 <u>Modification of Services</u>. Each Client Company shall have the right from time to time to amend, alter or rescind any activity, project, program, work order or other request for

services in connection with this Agreement, provided that (i) the cost for the services covered by the activity, project, program, work order or other request for service shall be deemed to include any costs incurred by Service Company as a direct result of such amendment, alteration or rescission of the activity, project, program or work order, and (ii) no amendment, alteration or rescission of an activity, project, program or work order shall release a Client Company from liability for all costs already incurred by or contracted for by Service Company in connection with the activity, project, program or work order, regardless of whether the services associated with such costs have been completed.

#### 1.3 Limitations.

- (a) Anything in this Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding, (i) no Party shall be obligated to participate in any transaction contemplated by this Agreement if the cost to be charged to such Party in connection with such transaction differs from the amount of the charges such Party is permitted to incur under any statute applicable to such Party or under any rules, regulations or orders of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") or of any state public utility commission or its equivalent having jurisdiction over such Party, and (ii) if a Client Company is subject to the jurisdiction of the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities ("MDPU") or any successor to the MDPU, any amounts to be paid by such Client Company in connection with this Agreement or any transaction contemplated by this Agreement shall be subject to review and determination by the MDPU in any proceeding brought under Section 93 or 94 of Chapter 164 of the Massachusetts General Laws.
- (b) This Agreement shall be subject to approval of any federal or state regulatory body whose approval is a legal prerequisite to its execution and delivery or performance. Cost allocations and the methods of allocation provided herein or contemplated hereby may also be subject to the jurisdiction of FERC under Section 1275 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 and the rules promulgated thereunder and, if and to the extent its determination is sought, FERC determinations regarding the allocation of costs shall be dispositive.
- (c) Nothing in this Agreement is intended to limit the jurisdiction that any state public utility commission or equivalent agency may have under applicable law to review the prudence of costs incurred and paid hereunder for the purpose of determining whether the applicable Client Company may recover such costs in rates.
- 1.4 Service Company shall cooperate in the implementation of, and shall participate in, such management programs and procedures as may be requested by any Client Company in connection with the services provided to such Client Company under this Agreement. These management programs and procedures may include, without limitation, budgeting applications and Service Level Agreements, as determined by the requesting Client Company.

## ARTICLE 2 COMPENSATION AND BILLING

2.1 <u>Compensation</u>. All of the services rendered under this Agreement will be rendered at actual cost thereof. Direct charges will be made for services where appropriate. Costs that cannot be directly charged will be allocated to Client Companies by means of

equitable allocation formulae or clearing accounts. To the extent possible, such allocations shall be based on cost-causation relationships. All other allocations will be broad based. Each formula will have an appropriate basis.

From time to time, certain Client Companies may make filings (as part of a rate plan or otherwise) with regulatory agencies having jurisdiction on the application of allocation methodologies as specified in such filings (such filings, as may be amended from time to time, shall be referred to as "Allocation Filings"). The Service Company shall allocate costs in connection with this Agreement in compliance with all applicable Allocation Filings then in effect and in compliance with the Service Company's Cost Allocation Manual, as such Manual may be amended or modified from time to time. Subject to the foregoing, allocation methodologies may be modified or changed by Service Company without the necessity of an amendment of this Agreement provided that in each instance all services rendered hereunder will be at actual cost thereof, fairly and equitably allocated. The Client Companies will be advised from time to time of any material changes in such methodologies.

2.2 <u>Billing</u>. Bills will be rendered during the first week of each month covering amounts due for the month calculated on an estimated basis using the actual expenses incurred to the extent possible during the second previous month. This estimated amount will be adjusted on the bill to be rendered by the conclusion of the following month. If a bill is not paid by the 15<sup>th</sup> day after the bill is received (the "*Due Date*"), the Client Company shall pay interest on any amount outstanding after the Due Date at the current money pool rate.

## ARTICLE 3 TERM AND TERMINATION

- 3.1 <u>Effective Date</u>. This Agreement shall become effective as of the Effective Date.
  - 3.2 Term and Termination.
- (a) The term of this Agreement shall be 364 days. Upon the expiration of each 364 day term, this Agreement shall be automatically renewed for an additional term of 364 days; provided that such renewal term shall not apply to any Client Company that elects to terminate its participation in this Agreement by providing written notice to Service Company prior to the effective date of such renewal term.
- (b) Any Client Company may terminate its participation in this Agreement upon sixty (60) days advance written notice to the Service Company. The Service Company may terminate this Agreement with respect to any Client Company upon sixty (60) days advance written notice to such Client Company or may terminate this Agreement in its entirety upon sixty (60) days advance written notice to all Client Companies. The foregoing notwithstanding, the obligations of the Parties under this Agreement with respect to invoicing and payment of amounts due shall continue in effect notwithstanding any such termination until all final accounting, adjustments and payments have been made in compliance herewith.

(c) This Agreement will also be subject to termination or modification, without prior notice and at any time, to the extent its performance may conflict with any federal or state law or any rule, regulation or order of a federal or state regulatory body having jurisdiction.

### ARTICLE 4 MISCELLANEOUS

- 4.1 <u>Modification</u>. Except as set forth in Article 2 and Sections 1.3, 3.2 and 4.4, no amendment or other modification of this Agreement shall be effective unless made in writing and executed by all of the Parties to this Agreement.
- 4.2 <u>Notices</u>. Where written notice is required by this Agreement, such notice shall be deemed given when delivered personally, mailed by certified mail, postage prepaid and return receipt requested, or by facsimile or electronic mail, as follows:

#### To Service Company:

National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc. Attn: Vice President, Service Company & Regulatory Accounting 40 Sylvan Road Waltham, Massachusetts 02451

#### To Client Company:

Notice to any Client Company shall be sent to the attention of the President (or equivalent chief executive) of such Client Company at the principal office of such President or chief executive with a copy to the Vice President and Controller, National Grid USA, 40 Sylvan Road, Waltham, Massachusetts 02451.

- 4.3 Accounts. All accounts and records of Service Company shall be kept in accordance with all applicable rules and regulations promulgated by FERC pursuant to the Act, including, without limitation, applicable record retention requirements and the Uniform System of Accounts for Service Companies in effect from and after the date hereof. Upon request, Service Company shall permit a Client Company reasonable access to the accounts and records of Service Company relating to the services performed for such Client Company hereunder.
- 4.4 Partial Execution; Additional Client Companies. This Agreement shall become effective between Service Company and each Client Company that delivers an executed counterpart of this Agreement as of the Effective Date (without regard to whether any or all other entities listed on the signature pages below have executed this Agreement by the Effective Date). After the Effective Date, any new or existing direct or indirect subsidiary of National Grid USA may become an additional Client Company under this Agreement by executing and delivering to Service Company a counterpart of this Agreement or an Accession (such Accession to be substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit II); and this Agreement shall be effective with respect to each such additional Client Company from and after the execution date of such counterpart or Accession.

- 4.5 <u>Waiver</u>. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, any failure of a Party to comply with any obligation, covenant, agreement, or condition herein may be waived by the Party entitled to the benefits thereof only by a written instrument signed by the Party granting such waiver, but such waiver or failure to insist upon strict compliance with such obligation, covenant, agreement, or condition shall not operate as a waiver of, or estoppel with respect to, any subsequent or other failure.
- 4.6 <u>No Third Party Beneficiaries</u>. Nothing in this Agreement is intended to confer upon any other person except the Parties any rights or remedies hereunder or shall create any third party beneficiary rights in any person. No provision of this Agreement shall create any rights in any such persons in respect of any benefits that may be provided, directly or indirectly, under any employee benefit plan or arrangement except as expressly provided for thereunder.
- 4.7 <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of New York (regardless of the laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of law).
- 4.8 <u>Counterparts.</u> This Agreement and any Accession may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. The exchange of copies of this Agreement or of any Accession and of signature pages by facsimile transmission (including telecopier and scanned "PDF" transmitted by email) shall constitute effective execution and delivery of this Agreement and any Accession as to the Parties and may be used in lieu of the original Agreement or Accession and signatures for all purposes. Signatures of the Parties transmitted by facsimile (including telecopier and scanned "PDF" transmitted by email) shall be deemed to be their original signatures for all purposes. In proving this Agreement or any Accession it shall not be necessary to produce or account for more than one such counterpart signed by the Party against whom enforcement is sought.
- 4.9 <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement, including the exhibits attached hereto, constitutes the entire agreement and understanding of the Parties with respect to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. There are no restrictions, promises, representations, warranties, covenants or undertakings other than those expressly set forth or referred to herein. This Agreement supersedes all prior agreements and understandings between the Parties with respect to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.
- 4.10 <u>Severability</u>. If any term or other provision of this Agreement is determined to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, such term or provision shall be modified so as to give as much effect to the original intent thereof as is consistent with applicable law and without affecting the validity, legality or enforceability of the remaining terms and provisions of this Agreement.
- 4.11 <u>Assignment</u>. Service Company shall not assign this Agreement, or any of its rights or obligations hereunder, without the prior written consent of the Client Companies, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld. A Client Company shall not assign this Agreement, or any of its rights or obligations hereunder, without the prior written consent of Service Company.

This Agreement shall inure to the benefit and shall be binding upon the Parties and their permitted successors and assigns.

[Signatures are on following pages.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Service Company and the undersigned Client Companies have caused this Agreement to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives.

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Name: Kenneth Title: President	
The Brooklyn Uni	ion Gas Company
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Title: Vice President

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#### Massachusetts Electric Company

By: Marcy L. Reed
Title: President
Nantucket Electric Company
By: Marcy L. Reed
Title: President
The Narragansett Electric Company
Ву:
By:Name: Timothy F. Horan Title: President
New England Electric Transmission
Corporation Corporation
By: Peter G. Flynn Name: Peter G. Flynn
Title: President

#### **New England Power Company**

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Name: Peter G. Flynn
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By: Peter G. Flynn
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Title: President

## New England Hydro-Transmission Corporation

By: Peter G. Flynn

Title: President

#### **Boston Gas Company**

By: Marcy L. Reed

Title: President

#### **Colonial Gas Company**

Name: Marcy L. Reed

Title: President

#### **National Grid Generation LLC**

Name: Peter G. Flynn

Title: President

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Metro Energy L.L.C.

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Name: John G. Cochrane

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#### B. Cost of Service.

Cost of service will be determined in accordance with applicable Federal and state laws (including the Act and rules and regulations promulgated thereunder), and will include all costs of doing business incurred by Service Company, including a reasonable return on capital.

Service Company will maintain an accounting system for accumulating all costs on a project, activity or other appropriate basis. Records will be kept by each cost center of Service Company in order to accumulate all costs of doing business. Expenses of Service Company departments will include salaries and wages of employees, materials and supplies and all other expenses attributable to each such department. Labor cost will be loaded for fringe benefits and payroll taxes. To the extent practicable, Service Company will keep time records of hours worked by all Service Company employees, including all officers of such Company.

The methods of assignment or allocation of costs shall be reviewed annually or more frequently if appropriate. Subject to the terms of the Agreement, if the use of a basis of allocation would result in an inequity because of a change in operations or organization, then Service Company may adjust the basis to effect an equitable distribution.

#### **EXHIBIT II**

# Form of ACCESSION TO NATIONAL GRID ENGINEERING & SURVEY INC. SERVICE AGREEMENT

Effective as of [	] ("Accession Date"	")
Effective as of [	( Accession Date	

Reference is made to that certain Service Agreement dated as of November 5, 2012 by and between National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc. and the Client Companies party thereto (the "Service Agreement"). Any capitalized term used but not defined herein shall have the meaning specified for such term in the Service Agreement.

In accordance with Section 4.4 of the Service Agreement, the undersigned [company] [companies] ([the] [each, an] "Additional Client Company") shall be deemed to be a Client Company under the Service Agreement as of the Accession Date. [The] [Each] Additional Client Company agrees to be bound by the terms of the Service Agreement from and after the Accession Date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned [has] [have] caused this instrument to be executed by [its] [their] respective duly authorized representative[s] as of the Accession Date.

[COMPANY NAME]

By:	Name:	
	Title:	
[CO	MPANY NAME]	
[CO	WIFANT NAME	
Ву:		
	Name:	
	Title:	

# Effective as of November 5, 2012 (the "Effective Date")

RE: <u>Termination of National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc. Service</u>
Agreement

Reference is made to that certain Service Agreement dated as of October 1, 2007 by and between National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc. (formerly named KeySpan Engineering & Survey Inc.) and the Client Companies that are a party thereto (the "Service Agreement"). Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning given to them in the Service Agreement.

The undersigned agree that the Service Agreement is hereby terminated as of the Effective Date.

This instrument may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall be considered an original.

[Signatures are on following pages.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have duly executed this instrument as of the Effective Date.

National Grid Engineering & Survey Inc.

Name: Lorraine Lynch /

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

National Grid Corporate Services LLC

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Assistant Treasurer

National Grid Electric Services LLC

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Assistant Treasurer

National Grid Generation LLC

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Name: Lorraine Lynch
Title: Treasurer

KeySpan Gas East Corporation

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By: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: Colin Owyang
Title: Senior Vice President

The Brooklyn Union Gas Company

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: Lorraine Lynch
Title: Vice President and Treasurer

National Grid Port Jefferson Energy Center LLC

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

National Grid Glenwood Energy Center LLC

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

National Grid Energy Trading Services LLC

Title: Treasurer

National Grid Development Holdings Corp., and its subsidiaries

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Senior Vice President and Treasurer

# Massachusetts Electric Company

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

Nantucket Electric Company

Name: Lorraine Lynch/

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

The Narragansett Electric Company

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

New England Power Company

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

New England Electric Transmission Corporation

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

New England Hydro-Transmission Corporation

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

New England Hydro-Transmission Electric Company, Inc.

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

National Grid USA Service Company, Inc.

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Vice President and Assistant Treasurer

NEES Energy, Inc.

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Assistant Treasurer

New England Hydro Finance Company, Inc.

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: President and Assistant Treasurer

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By:	
Name: John G. Cochrane	
Title: Treasurer	

Metrowest Realty LLC

National Grid Transmission Services Corporation

Name: Lorraine Lynch
Title: Assistant Treasurer

New England Energy Incorporated

By: Mine M dynch
Name: Lorraine Lynch
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Patience Realty Corp.

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# Prudence Corporation

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Title: Assistant Treasurer

Valley Appliance and Merchandising Company

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Assistant Treasurer

Wayfinder Group, Inc.

Name: Lorraine Lynch

Title: Assistant Treasurer