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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for Qualified : DOCKET NO. 20200008-OT

Representative Status

: Filed: November 10, 2020

REQUEST OF WALMART INC. TO NAME BARRY A. NAUM AS QUALIFIED REPRESENTATIVE

Pursuant to Rules 28-106.106, and 28-106.107 of the Florida Administrative Code, the Walmart Inc. ("Walmart") hereby files this request to grant Barry A. Naum status to appear before the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") in *In re: Petition for a limited proceeding to approve clean energy connection program and tariff and stipulation*, Docket No. 20200176-EI. Walmart is fully aware of the services which Mr. Naum can provide and is aware that Walmart can be represented by counsel of the Florida Bar as defined in Rule 28-106.106 and has chosen to be represented by Mr. Naum, who is a member of the Pennsylvania and West Virginia bars. The contact information for Mr. Naum is as follows:

Barry A. Naum SPILMAN THOMAS & BATTLE, PLLC 1100 Bent Creek Boulevard, Suite 101 Mechanicsburg, PA 17050 Phone: (717) 795-2742

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In accordance with Rule 28-106.106, Walmart provides the following information with respect to Mr. Naum:

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- (1) Mr. Naum is an attorney, admitted to practice law, and in good standing in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of West Virginia. Mr. Naum is also admitted to practice in front of the United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. Mr. Naum is experienced in the matters involved in public utility regulation.
- (2) Mr. Naum has not been disciplined in any manner, and he also does not have any pending disciplinary proceeding.
- (3) See the attached sworn affidavit of Mr. Naum stating that he is attorney, admitted to practice law, and in good standing in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of West Virginia. Mr. Naum's sworn affidavit also states that he: is experienced in the matters involved in public utility regulation; has knowledge of the Florida Statutes relative to the Commission's jurisdiction; has knowledge of the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure relating to discovery in an administrative proceeding; has knowledge of the Florida Administrative Code and Florida Statutes relative to the rules of evidence, including the concept of hearsay in an administrative proceeding; has acquired and will acquire further knowledge of the factual and legal issues involved in this proceeding; and has knowledge of and complied with the Standards of Conduct for Qualified Representatives, Rule 28-106.107 of the Florida Administrative Code.

**WHEREFORE**, Walmart Inc., respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Request to Name Barry A. Naum as Qualified Representative.

Respectfully submitted,

By

Stephanie U. Eaton (FL State Bar No. 165610)

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Dated: November 10, 2020

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AFFIDAVIT OF BARRY A. NAUM

I, Barry A. Naum, hereby certify, pursuant to Rule 28-106.106 of the Florida

Administrative Code, that I am an attorney in good standing of the Pennsylvania and West Virginia

bars; that I am experienced in the matters involved in public utility regulation; that I have practiced

extensively before agencies engaged in such regulation; that I have knowledge of the Florida

Statues relative to the Florida Public Service Commission's jurisdiction; that I have knowledge of

the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure relating to discovery in an administrative proceeding; that I

have knowledge of the Florida Administrative Code and Florida Statues relative to the rules of

evidence, including the concept of hearsay in an administrative proceeding; that I have acquired

and will further acquire knowledge of the factual and legal issues involved in this proceeding; and

that I have knowledge of and have complied with the Standards of Conduct for Qualified

Representatives, Rule 28-106.107 of the Florida Administrative Code.

[SIGNATURE APPEARS ON NEXT PAGE]

Barry A. Naum Pennsylvania Bar No. 204869

Affirmed and subscribed before me this 10th day of November, 2020

CHRISTY S PETERSON
NOTARY PUBLIC
FORSYTH COUNTY, NC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 8/3/22

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:  $\frac{3/3}{22}$ 

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by

U.S. First-Class Mail to the following parties this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020.

Office of General Counsel Florida Public Service Commission Division of Legal Services 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Stephanie U. Eaton