

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT

The Bidder hereby represents that if it submits any firm bid price proposal(s) in response to this Maine Public Utilities Commission RFP (RFP), such bid price proposal(s) are a firm offer to provide standard offer service: (1) in accordance with Maine law and regulations and the provisions of the RFP; (2) at the prices and for the amounts and term lengths specified on the Bid Price Proposal Sheets submitted by Bidder; and (3) subject only to contingencies and conditions agreed upon between Bidder and the Maine Public Utilities Commission.

The Bidder hereby represents that, if designated a standard offer provider by the Commission, Bidder will accept, abide by and fulfill all applicable obligations and terms and conditions of Maine law and regulations, and all applicable obligations, requirements, terms and conditions stated in the RFP, and that Bidder will submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of the State of Maine and the Maine Public Utilities Commission in matters relating to the provision of standard offer service, and that Bidder agrees that all legal proceedings relating to Bidder's provision of standard offer service will be conducted before Maine courts or the Maine Public Utilities Commission. Bidder further represents that, if designated a standard offer provider by the Commission, Bidder will provide standard offer service in the amounts, for the term lengths, and at the prices specified in its firm price proposal throughout the term of service.

The Bidder hereby certifies that all of the statements and representations made in its proposal are true to the best of the Bidder's knowledge and belief.

Company submitting proposal:

WPS Energy Services, Inc.
(exact legal name of company)

Bidder Name:

(if different than above)

Signature of an Officer of Bidder:

Daniel J. Veasman

Print or type name of Officer above:

Daniel J. Veasman

Officer Title:

Chief Operating Officer

Date Signed:

10-5-06