

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE
COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION**

Petition of the Working Group
of Commercial Energy Firms

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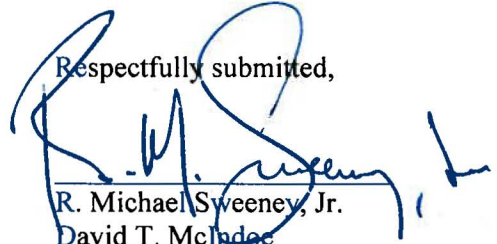
Docket : Not Assigned

**ADOPTION OF PETITION
AND
NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

On January 20, 2012, the Working Group of Commercial Energy Firms (the "WGCEF") filed a petition with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (the "Commission") entitled, "*Petitions for Commission Order Granting Exemptive Relief for Certain Bona Fide Hedging Transactions under Section 4a(a)(7) of the Commodity Exchange Act*" (the "BFH Petition"). On February 7, 2012, most of the companies that historically participated as members of the WGCEF reconstituted their collaboration as The Commercial Energy Working Group ("CEWG").

At the direction of CEWG, we hereby submit this notice of appearance as counsel to CEWG. Furthermore, on behalf of CEWG, we hereby adopt and restate the BFH Petition in its entirety except for substituting, where appropriate, CEWG for the WGCEF as the Petitioner. We welcome the opportunity to work with the Commission and its staff in furtherance of the BFH Petition.

Respectfully submitted,



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