



## **Gateway Energy Services Corporation**

### ***Frequently Asked Questions About Our New Corporate Identity***

#### **Who is Gateway Energy Services Corporation?**

Gateway Energy Services Corporation is the new name of Econnergy Energy Company, Inc. Based in Rockland County, N.Y., we are a leading supplier of natural gas and electricity to residential and commercial customers in New York, New Jersey, Texas, Ohio, Maryland, Virginia and Washington, D.C. We offer competitive energy products to consumers, giving them more control over their energy costs. The Gateway name provides an umbrella corporate identity, under which we can market our various brands and any future brands we may introduce.

#### **Why create a new corporate identity?**

After 10 years in business, Gateway Energy Services has become one of the largest independent energy retailers in the U.S. The Company has expanded from its original roots in New York state and now serves customers in six states and the District of Columbia. As we have grown, our corporate mission has evolved and the opportunities we are creating for customers have increased. We believe our new name better aligns us with our corporate mission.

#### **What is the corporate mission?**

Gateway Energy Services' mission is to become the leading independent retailer of energy products in North America by providing innovative and cost-effective energy solutions to our customers.

#### **Was Econnergy sold?**

No. We have only changed our name to Gateway Energy Services Corporation. The name change, filed with the Secretary of State of New York, does not impact the legal structure or the ownership of the Company. The Company's founding partners, along with Sempra Energy Trading L.L.C. and Credit Suisse, remain the majority shareholders.

#### **What happened to Econnergy?**

Nothing. Econnergy will continue to exist as an important brand of Gateway Energy Services. The Econnergy brand will now be referred to as "Econnergy, a division of Gateway Energy Services."

**What are the Company's plans for the future?**

Gateway Energy Services offers residential and commercial consumers the tools to manage their electric and natural gas costs through various product offerings. As Gateway Energy Services, we will continue to provide exceptional value and superior service to our customers. We also plan to grow into new markets as opportunities arise while pursuing our vision of becoming the leading independent retailer of energy products in North America. This new identity will provide a contemporary brand that is more relevant to today's consumer as we work toward these goals.

**How will the name change affect our customers?**

The only difference that customers will see is a name change on their bills to either "Gateway Energy Services" or "Econnergy, a division of Gateway Energy Services." Of course, all customer contracts and our obligations thereunder will remain fully in effect, as will our commitment to provide competitive electric and natural gas prices and the highest level of customer service.

**When is this effective?**

Immediately.

**How can we be contacted?**

Customer Service: (800) 805-8586  
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Main Number: (845) 503-5100