

ACCOUNT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

SURETY BOND NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT** we, \_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter "Principal") and \_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter "Surety"), are held and firmly bound unto **Entergy Texas, Inc.**, as Oblige, in the penal sum of

\_\_\_\_\_ and 00/100 Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00) for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

**WHEREAS**, the Principal has applied to **Entergy Texas, Inc.** for electric and/or gas service at \_\_\_\_\_ (City), \_\_\_\_\_ (ST), and,

**WHEREAS**, the Principal and **Entergy Texas, Inc.** have entered or contemplate entering into an agreement, whether written or oral, regarding the provision by the Oblige of electric and/or gas service to Principal, which agreement, together with the rules and regulations pursuant to which such services will be delivered, governs such agreement and is hereby specifically referred to and made a part hereof, with like force and effect as if herein at length set forth, and

**WHEREAS**, **Entergy Texas, Inc.** requires a cash deposit or bond guaranteeing prompt and full payment of all charges and obligations arising out of said agreement.

**NOW**, therefore, the condition of this obligation is such, that if the above bound Principal shall promptly and fully pay any and all amounts of monies that are due or to become due under any of the terms and conditions of the aforesaid agreement, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect until cancelled as set forth below. Entergy Texas, Inc. shall not be required to sue Principal as a condition of payment.

In no event shall the aggregate liability of the Surety exceed the penal sum of this bond.

Surety hereby waives notice of acceptance of guaranty, notice of default or non-payment by Principal, demand and presentment to Guarantor for payment, protest and diligence in bringing suit against any party hereto, and consents that time of payment may be extended by Entergy Texas, Inc., one or more times, and from time to time, without notice thereof.

Principal and Surety further covenant and agree with the Oblige that, if the Principal fails to pay to the Oblige all charges made pursuant to the agreement, the Oblige is authorized to terminate electric and/or gas service in accordance with the applicable provisions of the agreement. The Surety has reserved the right to cancel this bond by giving sixty (60) days advance written notice to the Oblige at **P.O. Box 35803, Mail Unit L-WMO-4--**, **West Monroe, Louisiana 71294-5803, Attention: Collection Department**, such notice to be given by certified mail. Such cancellation shall not affect any liability incurred or accrued under this bond prior to the effective date of such cancellation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Principal and Surety have signed and sealed this instrument this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_.

PRINCIPAL:

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

SURETY:

BY: \_\_\_\_\_