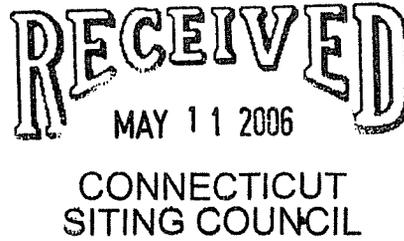




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RE: Docket No. F-2006 – Connecticut Siting Council Review of the Ten-Year Forecast of Connecticut Electric Loads and Resources

Dear Mr. Phelps:

This letter is in reply to the Connecticut Siting Council's request for a response to the following questions:

1. Question: How does CRRA compute seasonal claimed capability? Response: CRRA doesn't compute the seasonal claimed capability, each year a four-hour run is performed for ISO-NE to demonstrate the units capability.
2. Question: Do any CRRA generating facilities have black start capability? Response: Yes. CRRA owns four (4) twin pack jet turbines with black start capability at the South Meadows site (Asset IDs 572, 573, 574, 575). These units are currently registered with Select Energy as the Generator Asset Owner.
3. Does CRRA have plans to upgrade or modify the South Meadows Facility? Response: CRRA currently has no plans to upgrade or modify the South Meadows Facility.

Please contact me with any questions (860-757-7733).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chris Fancher".

Christopher J. Fancher
Senior Engineer

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Peter Boucher