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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. S. Derek Phelps
Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
10 Franklin Square
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Re: CL&P Application for Certificates of Environmental Compatibility and
Public Need; and NRG Energy, Inc. Application;
Docket Nos. 370A and 370B

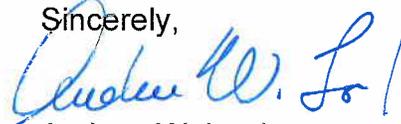
Dear Mr. Phelps:

I write on behalf of NRG Energy, Inc. ("NRG") to provide you with originals and twenty-five (25) copies of the following:

1. List of Witnesses and Exhibits
2. Pre-filed Testimony of Mr. Jonathan J. Milley;
3. Pre-filed Testimony of Mr. Jonathan A. Gordon;
4. Pre-filed Testimony of Mr. Peter D. Fuller;
5. Pre-filed Testimony of Mr. Robert R. Stein;
6. Pre-filed Testimony of Mr. Nicholas A. Galotti, Jr.; and
7. Pre-filed Testimony of Ms. Cynthia L. Karlic.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Andrew W. Lord

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Julie L. Friedberg, Esq., NRG
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NRG ENERGY, INC.'S LIST OF WITNESSES AND EXHIBITS

I. LIST OF WITNESSES

NRG Energy, Inc. ("NRG") expects the following witnesses to be available to testify at the Connecticut Siting Council's (the "Council") evidentiary hearings in this consolidated proceeding.

- A. Mr. Jonathan J. Milley, Vice President, NRG. Mr. Milley oversees the development of NRG's electric generating projects in NRG's Northeast Region. Mr. Milley will be prepared to testify on all aspects of the Meriden project.
- B. Mr. Peter D. Fuller, Director, Regulatory and Market Affairs – New England, NRG. Mr. Fuller will be prepared to discuss the need for, and the benefits of, the Meriden Project.

- C. Mr. Robert R. Stein, Principal, Signal Hill Consulting Group, LLC. Mr. Stein will be prepared to discuss issues related to transmission.
- D. Mr. Jonathan A. Gordon, Manager, External Affairs, NRG. Mr. Gordon will be available to address questions related to municipal communications, local outreach efforts and contracting issues.
- E. Mr. Nicholas A. Galotti, Jr., Director, Development and Engineering, NRG. Mr. Galotti will respond to questions related to the construction and operation of the facility.
- F. Ms. Cynthia L. Karlic, Northeast Regional Environmental Director, NRG. Ms. Karlic will address questions related to the environmental and permitting aspects of the project.

II. LIST OF EXHIBITS

A. Exhibits for Administrative Notice

- 1. Connecticut Siting Council, Docket No. 190, Entire Record, Decision Documents and Approved Development and Management Plans.
- 2. Connecticut Energy Advisory Board ("CEAB") Request for Proposals ("RFP") dated November 4, 2008.
- 3. NRG Energy, Inc. Proposal and Templates to CEAB, dated December 31, 2008.
- 4. CEAB Evaluation Report to the Connecticut Siting Council, An Analysis of the Connecticut Light and Power Company's Proposed Greater Springfield Reliability Project and Manchester to Meekville Project and the Non-Transmission Projects Proposed as Alternatives, dated February 17, 2009.

B. Exhibits

- 1. Application of NRG Energy, Inc. Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 16-501.c. "L" (a)(3), dated March 19, 2009.
- 2. NRG letter to the Connecticut Siting Council, dated May 6, 2009, regarding results of municipal consultation with the City of Meriden and Town of Berlin.
- 3. NRG Responses to Connecticut Light & Power Interrogatories dated June 5, 2009.
- 4. NRG Responses to Office of Consumer Counsel Interrogatories, dated June 1, 2009.

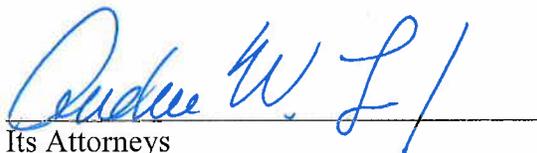
5. NRG Responses to Connecticut Siting Council Interrogatories, dated June 1, 2009.
6. NRG Supplemental Response to Connecticut Siting Council Interrogatory No. 3, dated June 5, 2009.
7. Prefiled testimony of Mr. Jonathan J. Milley.
8. Prefiled testimony of Mr. Peter D. Fuller.
9. Prefiled testimony of Mr. Robert Stein.
10. Prefiled testimony of Mr. Jonathan A. Gordon.
11. Prefiled testimony of Mr. Nicholas A. Galotti, Jr.
12. Prefiled testimony of Ms. Cynthia L. Karlic.

NRG respectfully reserves its right to name additional witnesses or to add late-filed exhibits as may be necessary as these Dockets proceed.

Respectfully submitted,

NRG ENERGY, INC.

By:



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PREFILED TESTIMONY OF JONATHAN J. MILLEY

Q. Please state your name, title and business address.

A. Jonathan J. Milley
Vice President
NRG Energy, Inc.
211 Carnegie Center
Princeton, New Jersey 08540

Q. Please describe your current responsibilities and professional expertise.

A. I am the Vice President for NRG Energy, Inc.'s ("NRG's") Northeast Region. I am responsible for overseeing the development of electric generating projects, from concept to commercial operation, including NRG's Meriden Project, which is the subject of

Docket No. 370B. My responsibilities at NRG include sourcing, negotiating and closing complex project agreements, development related acquisition contracts and non-recourse debt from international and local banks. I also execute merger and acquisition activities including project analysis, term sheet, sale and purchase agreements and corporate acquisitions and divestitures. My qualifications are described in more detail in my resume, which is attached.

Q. What has been your role in the Meriden project?

A. Since 2007, I have had overarching responsibility for all development aspects of the Meriden project. Specifically, I oversaw the preparation of NRG's response to the Connecticut Energy Advisory Board's reactive request for proposals in connection with the Connecticut Light and Power Company's ("CL&P") application that is the subject of Docket No. 370A. I also prepared or supervised the preparation of NRG's application to the Siting Council that is the subject of Docket No. 370B (the "NRG Application") and the responses to interrogatories propounded by CL&P, the Office of Consumer Counsel and the Connecticut Siting Council. In addition, I have been working with the Mattabassett District to develop and finalize plans to use treated effluent from the water pollution control facility for cooling water needs at the Meriden facility in lieu of Connecticut River water. Finally, I am actively seeking a long-term contract or other financial mechanism that would allow the Meriden project to be completed.

Q. Were the documents and activities described above performed by you or performed under your supervision and control?

A. Yes.

Q. Are you prepared to address those documents and activities described above?

A. Yes.

Q. Is the information presented in the documents described above true and accurate to the best of your knowledge and belief?

A. Yes.

Q. At this time, are there any additions, corrections or clarifications to the information presented in the documents described above?

A. No.

Q. Does this conclude your testimony?

A. Yes.

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PRE-FILED TESTIMONY OF JONATHAN A. GORDON

Q. Please state your name, title and business address.

A. Jonathan A. Gordon
Manager, External Affairs
NRG Energy, Inc.
Middletown, CT 06457

Q. Please describe your current responsibilities and professional expertise.

A. As Manager of External Affairs for NRG Energy, Inc. ("NRG") I am responsible for creating and managing external campaigns to support region-wide, multi-million dollar wholesale electrical generation development efforts based on knowledge and understanding of state and federal legislative and regulatory processes and energy related

policy matters. Responsibilities include legislative tracking and issues monitoring and developing and implementing response strategies on key policy issues. I manage NRG's participation in regulatory proceedings that impact NRG development initiatives and operations and provide governmental affairs perspective to NRG legal, regulatory and development team involved in key proceedings. In addition, I manage NRG's participation in activities at the legislature, regulatory agencies and policy making organizations such as the Connecticut Energy Advisory Board and the Connecticut Siting Council. My qualifications are described in more detail in my resume, which is attached.

Q. What has been your role in the Meriden project?

A. I provided support to NRG's Meriden team in the areas of legislative and regulatory assessment, the municipal participation process, and community outreach and contract issues. In particular, I assisted in the preparation of sections on these subject matters in i) NRG's response to the Connecticut Energy Advisory Board's reactive request for proposals in connection with the CL&P application that is the subject of Docket No. 370A, ii) NRG's application to the Siting Council that is the subject of Docket No. 370B (the "NRG Application") and iii) the responses to interrogatories propounded by CL&P, the Office of Consumer Counsel and the Connecticut Siting Council.

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A. Yes.

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A. Yes.

Q. Is the information presented in the sections of the documents described above true and accurate to the best of your knowledge and belief?

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PREFILED TESTIMONY OF PETER D. FULLER

Q. Please state your name, title and business address.

A. Peter D. Fuller
Director, Regulatory and Market Affairs
NRG Energy, Inc.
211 Carnegie Center
Princeton, New Jersey 08540

Q. Please describe your current responsibilities and professional expertise.

A. As the Director of Regulatory and Market Affairs, I represent NRG Energy, Inc. ("NRG") in regulatory forums including the New England Power Pool stakeholder process and Federal Energy Regulatory Commission proceedings. I also participate in

other state and industry forums in support of plant operations and project development efforts. My qualifications are described in more detail in my resume, which is attached.

Q. What has been your role in the Meriden project?

A. I provided technical support to NRG's Meriden team in the areas of public benefits, public need and the comparative costs of new electric generation in Connecticut and The Connecticut Light & Power Company's ("CL&P's") proposed transmission upgrades. In particular, I assisted in the preparation of sections on these subject matters in i) NRG's response to the Connecticut Energy Advisory Board's reactive request for proposals in connection with the CL&P application that is the subject of Docket No. 370A, ii) NRG's application to the Siting Council that is the subject of Docket No. 370B (the "NRG Application") and iii) the responses to interrogatories propounded by CL&P, the Office of Consumer Counsel and the Connecticut Siting Council.

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PREFILED TESTIMONY OF ROBERT R. STEIN

Q. Please state your name, title and business address.

A. Robert R. Stein
Signal Hill Consulting Group, LLC
110 Merchants Row
Rutland, VT 05701

Q. Please describe your current responsibilities and professional expertise.

A. I am a consultant in the energy business and advise clients in connection with the unregulated markets. My work focuses on representing stakeholders' interests in the development and administration of market rules for energy trading in New England and in negotiating interconnections and transmission access for new market entrants. I

represent clients on the Reliability and Transmission Committee as well as the numerous subcommittees of the New England Power Pool, including the Planning Advisory Committee. These committees provide Member Participant input on the ISO- New England on a range of issues, including transmission expansion plans, Installed Capacity Reserves determinations and transmission congestion issues. I am also an active participant in the Markets and Participants Committees and serve as the Chairman of the New England Power Pool Participants Committee and Vice Chair of the Supplier Sector. Finally, I designed and teach a commercial seminar entitled Electricity 101, which focuses on the restructuring of the energy industry and is attended by people from all sectors of the industry. My qualifications are described in more detail in my resume, which is attached.

Q. What has been your role in the Meriden project?

A. I worked for NRG Energy, Inc. ("NRG") on transmission issues related to Meriden's interconnection. I have also provided technical support to NRG's Meriden team reliability issues. Connecticut and The Connecticut Light & Power Company's ("CL&P's") proposed transmission upgrades. In particular, I assisted in the preparation of sections on these subject matters in i) NRG's response to the Connecticut Energy Advisory Board's reactive request for proposals in connection with the CL&P application that is the subject of Docket No. 370A, ii) NRG's application to the Siting Council that is the subject of Docket No. 370B (the "NRG Application") and iii) the responses to interrogatories propounded by CL&P, the Office of Consumer Counsel and the Connecticut Siting Council.

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PRE-FILED TESTIMONY OF NICHOLAS A. GALOTTI, JR.

Q. Please state your name, title and business address.

A. Nicholas A. Galotti, Jr.
Director, Development Engineering
NRG Energy, Inc.
211 Carnegie Center
Princeton, New Jersey 08540

Q. Please describe your current responsibilities and professional expertise.

A. As Director of Development Engineering for NRG Energy, Inc. ("NRG"), I am responsible for the engineering and technical aspects for all corporate development efforts. My responsibilities include preliminary design, permitting, scheduling,

budgeting and project execution. I led all of the technical efforts for the development of the two new 20 megawatt peaking units at NRG's Cos Cob, Connecticut peaking facility. I am currently overseeing the development of two 200 megawatt expansions in Middletown and Devon, Connecticut and the development of the Meriden project. My qualifications are described in more detail in my resume, which is attached.

Q. What has been your role in the Meriden project?

A. Since 2007, I have provided technical support to NRG's Meriden team in the area of engineering and project development. In particular, I assisted in the preparation of sections on these subject matters in i) NRG's response to the Connecticut Energy Advisory Board's reactive request for proposals in connection with the CL&P application that is the subject of Docket No. 370A, ii) NRG's application to the Siting Council that is the subject of Docket No. 370B (the "NRG Application") and iii) the responses to interrogatories propounded by CL&P, the Office of Consumer Counsel and the Connecticut Siting Council.

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PRE-FILED TESTIMONY OF CYNTHIA L. KARLIC

Q. Please state your name, title and business address.

A. Cynthia L. Karlic
Northeast Regional Environmental Director, Environmental and New Business
NRG Energy, Inc.
Middletown, CT 06457

Q. Please describe your current responsibilities and professional expertise.

A. As the Northeast Regional Environmental Director for Environmental and New Business
for NRG Energy, Inc. ("NRG") I am responsible for air regulatory and policy programs
as they relate to the current and future operations of NRG's New England electric

generating facilities. I also oversee the environmental programs for NRG's Northeast Region. My qualifications are described in more detail in my resume, which is attached.

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