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### **VIA E-MAIL AND OVERNIGHT MAIL**

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In the Matter of the Verified Petition of Jersey Central Power & Light Company for Approval of an Infrastructure Investment Program II (ENERGIZENJ)

BPU Docket No. EO23110793

Dear Secretary Golden:

Enclosed is Public Service Electric and Gas Company's ("PSE&G") Motion to Participate in the above-captioned proceeding.

By copy of this letter, copies of the motion are being forwarded on this date via electronic mail to all persons whose name appears on the attached Service List.

Very truly yours,

Danielle Lopez

C Attached Service List (E-Mail Only)

## STATE OF NEW JERSEY **BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES**

In the Matter of the Petition of	)	
Jersey Central Power & Light Company for	)	
Approval of an Infrastructure Investment	)	BPU Dkt. No. EO23110793
Program (ENERGIZNJ)	)	

#### PSE&G'S MOTION TO PARTICIPATE

Public Service Electric and Gas Company ("PSE&G") hereby moves for an Order granting it status as a Participant in the above-referenced matter pursuant to N.J.A.C. 1:1-16.6. In support of this motion, PSE&G respectfully submits:

- PSE&G is a New Jersey public utility as defined by N.J.S.A. 48:2-13. 1.
- 2. PSE&G is engaged as a New Jersey public utility in the purchase, transmission, distribution, and sale of electric energy and related utility services to more than 2,300,000 residential, commercial, and industrial customers located within the State of New Jersey. PSE&G is also engaged in the purchase, distribution, and sale of natural gas for more than 1,900,000 customers located within the State of New Jersey.
- 3. Copies of all correspondence and other communications relating to this proceeding should be addressed to:

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4. The issues that will be addressed in this infrastructure investment case may have an impact on PSE&G as the Company will likely be directly and specifically affected by the relief provided herein. Specifically, the Board of Public Utility's decision in this proceeding is likely to have precedential effect and impact on not only the Petitioner and its customers, but also upon PSE&G and the other New Jersey utilities.

- 5. The service territories, customers, and the operations of PSE&G are distinct from those of other parties and participants in this case. Thus, no other party or participant will represent the interests of PSE&G in this case.
- 6. PSE&G has a history of coordinating its activities in dockets at the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities with those of other utilities where appropriate. PSE&G will coordinate its representation with other similarly-situated parties or participants in this docket to the extent appropriate.
- 7. Due to PSE&G's experience in the electric industry, its participation in this proceeding is likely to add constructively to the proceeding.
- 8. PSE&G will abide by the schedule set for this proceeding, to the extent one has been entered.
  - 9. The granting of this Motion will not cause undue delay or confusion.

**WHEREFORE**, PSE&G respectfully requests an Order: (1) granting it rights as a Participant in this matter pursuant to *N.J.A.C.* 1:1-16.6, and (2) providing such further relief in connection therewith as is deemed reasonable, just, and consistent with the foregoing.

Respectfully submitted,

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