

NOTICE TO JERSEY CENTRAL POWER & LIGHT COMPANY CUSTOMERS

IN RE THE VERIFIED PETITION OF JERSEY CENTRAL POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF JCP&L'S ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION PLAN INCLUDING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND PEAK DEMAND REDUCTION PROGRAMS (JCP&L EE&C)

BPU DOCKET NO. EO20090620

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, on December 5, 2023, Jersey Central Power & Light Company ("JCP&L" or "Company") filed a letter petition ("Petition") with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") seeking approval to extend JCP&L's Board-approved Triennium 1 ("T1") Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan (the "EE&C Plan" or the "Plan") by six months to December 31, 2024, with a budget of \$69,290,584 for the extension period.

By Order dated April 27, 2021, the Board approved a stipulation of settlement authorizing JCP&L to implement its T1 EE&C Plan, as modified, for a three-year term (July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2024). In that same order, the Board further approved the recovery of T1 EE&C Plan costs and the revenue impact of sales losses resulting from the Plan through a component of JCP&L's Rider Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative Recovery Charge ("Rider RRC") and Rider Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Charge ("Rider LRAM"), respectively.

By Order dated May 24, 2023, the Board directed each electric and gas utility to propose energy efficiency and peak demand reduction programs for Triennium 2 ("T2") by October 2, 2023, a deadline that was later extended to December 1, 2023. By Order dated October 25, 2023, the Board found it was reasonable, prudent, and in the public interest to provide additional time for Board Staff ("Staff") and the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel ("Rate Counsel") to conduct a thorough and diligent concurrent review of the T2 filings, as well as to provide parties and interested stakeholders with additional time to review, analyze, and discuss the filings. The Board thus ordered that the T2 Programs would commence on January 1, 2025, concluding on June 30, 2027. The Board further directed each electric and gas utility to file a letter petition to extend its T1 Programs, without changes, by six months to December 31, 2024, requiring that the extension: (1) meet energy savings targets equivalent to 50% of the utility's Program Year 3 ("PY3") targets; and (2) include a budget that does not exceed 50% of the utility's PY3 budget.

JCP&L is seeking recovery of T1 EE&C Plan costs, including the costs of the extension period, through its 2023 Rider RRC filing in BPU Docket No. ER24020075. JCP&L will also seek recovery of the revenue impact of sales losses resulting from the Plan through future Rider LRAM filings. Since JCP&L is seeking and will seek recovery in separate filings, JCP&L's Petition results in no immediate impact on any customer's bill and is strictly for approval for the Board-ordered extension of the T1 Program.

The Petition was filed with the Board and a copy was also served upon Rate Counsel. Copies of the Petition and its attachments are available for review on JCP&L's website: https://www.firstenergycorp.com/jersey_central_power_light/regulatory.html. The Petition is also available to review online through the Board's website, <https://publicaccess.bpu.state.nj.us/>, where

you can search by the above-captioned docket number. The Petition and Board file may also be reviewed at the Board, located at 44 South Clinton Avenue, 1st Floor, Trenton, New Jersey, by appointment. To make an appointment, please call (609) 913-6298.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that due to the COVID-19 pandemic, virtual public hearings will be conducted on the following date and times so that members of the public may present their views on the Petition:

Date: March 21, 2024
Times: 4:30pm and 5:30pm
Link: https://fecorp.co/PH-03-21-2024
OR
Dial-In Number: 878-787-7704
Phone Conference ID: 794 540 029
Meeting ID: 225 840 084 199
Passcode: m5VRL9

A copy of this Notice is being served upon the clerk, executive, or administrator of each municipality and county within JCP&L's service territory.

Representatives from JCP&L, Staff, and Rate Counsel will participate in the virtual public hearings. Members of the public are invited to participate by utilizing the link or dial-in information above and to express their views on the Petition. All comments will be made a part of the final record in this proceeding to be considered by the Board. To encourage full participation in this opportunity for public comment, please submit any requests for needed accommodations, such as interpreters and/or listening assistance, 48 hours prior to the above hearings to the Board Secretary at board.secretary@bpu.nj.gov.

The Board is also accepting written and electronic comments. Comments may be submitted directly to the specific docket listed above using the "Post Comments" button on the Board's Public Document Search tool. Comments are considered public documents for purposes of the State's Open Public Records Act. Only public documents should be submitted using the "Post Comments" button on the Board's Public Document Search tool. Any confidential information should be submitted in accordance with the procedures set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3. In addition to hard copy submissions, confidential information may also be filed electronically via the Board's e-filing system or by email to the Secretary of the Board. Please include "Confidential Information" in the subject line of any email. Instructions for confidential e-filing are found on the Board's webpage: <https://www.nj.gov/bpu/agenda/efiling/>.

Emailed and/or written comments may also be submitted to:

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