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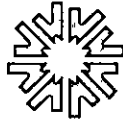
Duquesne Light Company will be filing its Restructuring Plan on August 1, 1997. Would you please provide to me Duquesne's assigned docket number for this filing at your earliest convenience so that the Company can include the number on all the documents that will be filed and served on August 1. I can be contacted at the above telephone number.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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Dear Mr. McNulty:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Duquesne Light Company are eight copies of the Company's restructuring plan pursuant to Section 2806 of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Code, the Commission's Order entered January 24, 1997 at Docket No. M-00960890F0005 (establishing a procedural schedule re restructuring filings) and the Commission's Order entered February 13, 1997 at Docket No. M-00960890F0003 (establishing data requirements for restructuring filings). A computer diskette of the restructuring plan filing is enclosed.

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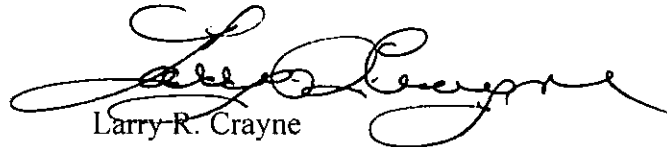
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If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

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**APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF
RESTRUCTURING PLAN UNDER SECTION 2806
OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY CODE**

**Direct Testimony of : David D. Marshall
Donald J. Clayton
Michael M. Schnitzer**

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Duquesne Statement No. 1

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DIRECT TESTIMONY OF DAVID D. MARSHALL

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2 **I. QUALIFICATIONS**

3

4 Q. What is your name and position with Duquesne Light Company ("Duquesne")?

5 A. My name is David D. Marshall and I am President and Chief Executive Officer of
6 Duquesne.

7 Q. What are your current responsibilities?

8 A. As President and Chief Executive Officer, I am responsible for the overall management
9 and direction of Duquesne.

10 Q. Please describe your educational and professional experience.

11 A. I received my undergraduate degree in mathematics and economics from Colby
12 College in Waterville, Maine in 1975. In June 1980, I earned an M.B.A. degree from
13 the Amos Tuck School of Business Administration in Hanover, New Hampshire.

14 From the time of my graduation from the Tuck School until February of 1985, I
15 was employed by Central Vermont Public Service Corporation (CVPS), an electric
16 utility located in Rutland, Vermont. I held a number of positions at CVPS, including
17 Manager of Rates and Economic Research, Director of Economic Analysis and my last
18 position as Assistant Vice President of Finance.

19 In February 1985 I joined Duquesne as General Manager, Planning, Budgeting
20 and Rates. Subsequently, I held the positions of Vice President, Corporate
21 Development (1987), Assistant to the President (1990), Executive Vice President

1 (1992), and President and Chief Operating Officer (1993). I was appointed to my
2 current position as Chief Executive Officer in 1996.

3 Q. Have you ever testified before this Commission or any other regulatory commission?

4 A. Yes. As General Manager, Planning, Budgeting and Rates at Duquesne, I submitted
5 extensive testimony in Duquesne's last general rate cases in 1986 and 1987. Most
6 recently, as President, I gave testimony before this Commission in January of 1996 as
7 part of its Investigation into Electric Power Competition and before the Senate of
8 Pennsylvania in August of 1996 in the hearings that led to the enactment of House Bill
9 No. 1509.

10 **II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY**

11 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?

12 A. The purpose of my testimony is to provide an overview of Duquesne's stand-alone
13 restructuring plan ("Customer Choice Plan" or "Plan"). My testimony provides the
14 summary of the Plan that is required by Appendix A to the Commission's February 13,
15 1997. I also discuss the additional benefits to customers that would result from
16 Duquesne's proposed merger with the Allegheny Power System ("APS") and the joint
17 restructuring plan associated with the merger. A joint restructuring plan by Duquesne
18 and West Penn Power Company (the "Joint Plan") has been filed contemporaneously
19 with this application in a separate docket.

1 Q. How is your testimony organized?

2 A. There are three main sections to my testimony. The first provides an overview of
3 Duquesne's Customer Choice Plan. The second section provides a summary of the
4 testimony of each witness appearing on behalf of Duquesne. The third section provides
5 an overview of the additional benefits to Duquesne's customers that would result from
6 the merger with APS.

7 Q. What relief does Duquesne seek in this proceeding?

8 A. Duquesne is requesting that the Commission approve its stand-alone restructuring plan
9 without modification as an integrated, balanced program for the transition to
10 competition that meets all the requirements of the restructuring legislation and is fair to
11 both investors and consumers.

12 Q. You stated that Duquesne's Plan is a balanced program. Please summarize the benefits
13 to customers.

14 A. The customer benefits of Duquesne's Customer Choice Plan include:

- 15 • access to alternative generation suppliers on fair and nondiscriminatory terms;
- 16 • a continued obligation to serve during the transition period;
- 17 • redesigned rates that encourage economically efficient consumption;
- 18 • accelerated amortization and depreciation of strandable assets without
19 increasing rates above current levels;
- 20 • a new economic development rider applicable to commercial and industrial
21 loads of 25 kW or greater;

- 1 • a total amortization and depreciation commitment of at least \$1.7 billion over
- 2 the transition period;
- 3 • a return on equity ("ROE") "spillover" provision to ensure that Duquesne does
- 4 not earn in excess of a fair return during the transition period;
- 5 • a market-based process for setting competitive transition charges ("CTCs"); and
- 6 • customer-specific CTCs designed to prevent cost shifts between customers and
- 7 customer classes.

8 The Customer Choice Plan builds on a history of innovation at Duquesne and
9 contains a combination of innovative features that balance stakeholder interests. For
10 example, the Plan uses a market-based valuation of generation to establish CTCs and to
11 make a final determination of stranded costs. During each year of the transition period,
12 Duquesne will conduct a competitive solicitation to sell a substantial block of
13 generation, with the resulting market values used to determine the CTCs each year of
14 the transition period. The CTCs paid by customers will therefore be known and
15 measurable, as required by the restructuring legislation.

16 Duquesne also proposes a final valuation of the market value of Duquesne's
17 generation assets in 2003 based on objective evidence of market value, not market
18 price forecasts. This valuation will be provided by an unbiased arbitration panel.
19 Duquesne will commit to be bound by the decision of the panel. There also is a
20 mechanism by which this final valuation can be triggered before 2003 if market prices

1 rise to specified levels, or Duquesne completes its amortization commitment early,
2 thereby ensuring that there will be no over-recovery of stranded costs.

3 The Customer Choice Plan also builds on the innovative approach to stranded
4 cost mitigation that Duquesne first proposed in the Ft. Martin plan. Under that five-
5 year plan, Duquesne used the proceeds from the sale of its interest in Ft. Martin to
6 accelerate depreciation and amortization of strandable assets while maintaining rates at
7 current levels. Section 2804(4)(v) of the restructuring legislation provides Duquesne
8 the opportunity to build on this aggressive mitigation plan. In this case, Duquesne
9 commits to a minimum of \$1.7 billion in total amortization and depreciation of
10 generation-related assets during the transition period while maintaining rates capped at
11 current levels. Under Duquesne's proposal, shareholders will bear the risk that cost
12 containment measures are not sufficient to generate the savings necessary to satisfy this
13 commitment while maintaining earnings. If, to the contrary, revenues exceed
14 expectations or additional cost savings are available, Duquesne has established an ROE
15 "spillover" mechanism that will ensure that the related revenues are used to mitigate
16 stranded costs, rather than to permit shareholders to earn higher than a fair return.

17 The Customer Choice Plan also uses innovation in the redesign of rates to
18 encourage more efficient electricity consumption and to provide for additional stranded
19 cost mitigation. Duquesne has been a leader in the past in encouraging economic
20 development for certain classes of customers. Now, all customers will have the
21 opportunity to benefit from a reduction in the cost of electricity for incremental

1 consumption. Equally important, Duquesne's innovative rate redesign proposal, which
2 is described in detail by James A. Lahtinen (Statement No. 5), may increase the
3 mitigation of stranded costs during the transition period by \$15 million per year.

4 Q. Please summarize your conclusions with regard to Duquesne's proposal to merge with
5 APS.

6 A. The Commission should go beyond approval of the Customer Choice Plan in this
7 docket and approve the Merger Application and Joint Plan filed by Duquesne and APS.

8 As explained in my direct testimony filed in that case:

- 9 • In addition to the customer benefits identified in Duquesne's stand-alone
10 Customer Choice Plan, the merger will provide additional savings to Duquesne,
11 on a nominal basis, of \$365 million in generation-related costs, \$173 million in
12 distribution-related costs, and \$9 million in transmission-related costs.
- 13 • Duquesne will flow through 100% of these cost reductions during the transition
14 period to its ratepayers by (i) increasing the amortization of stranded costs by
15 \$160 million during the transition period, (ii) reducing distribution rates by \$25
16 million in 2001, and (iii) freezing distribution rates at this reduced level until
17 2005.

1 **III. OVERVIEW OF DUQUESNE'S CUSTOMER CHOICE PLAN**

2 Q. Please explain how this part of your testimony is organized.

3 A. This part of the testimony is organized in four sections. The first discusses the
4 implementation schedule for customer choice and the options customers will have.
5 The second provides an overview of the unbundled rates filed by Duquesne. The third
6 discusses the market-based valuation of stranded costs and the basis for Duquesne's
7 request to recover stranded costs. The fourth discusses the effect of the restructuring
8 legislation on utility planning and service obligations.

9 **Implementation of Direct Access; Customer Options**

10 Q. Please provide an overview of Duquesne's proposed schedule to implement customer
11 choice.

12 A. Consistent with the restructuring legislation, Duquesne will phase-in customer choice
13 over the 1999-2001 period, such that all retail customers will have the opportunity to
14 choose their electric supplier by 2001. As explained in Mr. Frank Hoffmann's
15 testimony (Statement No. 6), Duquesne has designed its phase-in plan for commercial
16 and industrial customers to avoid, to the maximum practicable extent, creating
17 competitive disadvantages for individual businesses or business segments.

18 Q. What options will direct access customers have?

19 A. Customers will have the option to purchase generation from alternate suppliers or
20 continue taking all their requirements from Duquesne. If a customer chooses to remain
21 with Duquesne, the customer will receive the same service at the same rates it does

1 today; however, pursuant to the unbundling requirements of the legislation, the
2 customer will receive an unbundled bill. This unbundled bill will provide customers
3 the information they need to determine whether they could realize savings by
4 purchasing power on the open market.

5 Q. Will customers receiving direct access have the right to return to Duquesne at rates
6 capped at current levels?

7 A. Yes. Consistent with the restructuring legislation, customers receiving direct access
8 will have the option of returning to full requirements service from Duquesne at rates
9 capped at current levels for the period specified in the restructuring legislation. To
10 prevent the shifting of costs between customers and customer classes, a customer that
11 returns to Duquesne will be required to remain with Duquesne for a twelve-month
12 period. Otherwise, a customer could return to Duquesne in months when electricity
13 prices are the highest, placing increased costs on Duquesne that limit its ability to
14 mitigate stranded costs for the benefit of all customers. As explained by Mr. Lahtinen,
15 Duquesne is willing, however, to consider other approaches to this issue.

16 **Unbundling; Rate Caps; Rate Design**

17 Q. Please summarize Duquesne's proposals regarding the rates to be charged customers
18 beginning January 1, 1999.

19 A. The starting point for Duquesne's rate proposal is Section 2804(4)(v) of the
20 restructuring legislation, which states:

21 If an electric distribution utility rolls its energy cost rate into
22 base rates at a combined level that does not exceed its combined

1 level of such rates which have been approved by the
2 commission as of the effective date of this chapter, the utility
3 shall not be required to reduce its capped rates below the capped
4 level upon the complaint of any party if the commission
5 determines that any excess earnings achieved under the cap are
6 being utilized to mitigate transition or stranded costs for the
7 benefit of ratepayers or to offset other known and measurable
8 cost increases that would be recoverable under traditional
9 ratemaking but are not included within the capped rates.

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11 Duquesne will comply with this provision by (i) rolling into current base rates an
12 energy cost rate at the level approved by the Commission in the Ft. Martin rate plan,
13 and (ii) committing to accelerate the amortization of stranded costs in an amount that,
14 when added to test year revenue requirements, is equal to the revenues produced at
15 current rate levels. As indicated, Duquesne's proposed amortization schedule of \$1.7
16 billion is a minimum commitment. Duquesne's investors bear the risk that maintaining
17 this commitment will depress earnings. Duquesne also will establish an ROE spillover
18 to ensure that, if revenues exceed expected levels or costs are lower than expected, the
19 resulting revenues are used to further mitigate stranded costs. These amortization and
20 ROE spillover commitments are discussed in detail in the testimony of Donald J.
21 Clayton (Statement No. 2).

22 Q. Is this approach to mitigation new for Duquesne?

23 A. No. In December 1995, Duquesne filed a rate plan associated with the sale of its
24 interest in Ft. Martin Unit 1. This rate plan included a commitment to (i) freeze base
25 rates for five years (1996 through 2000), (ii) record a one-time write down of \$130
26 million in nuclear plant investment, and (iii) increase amortization of nuclear

1 investments in the amount of \$25 million for 1996-98. Pursuant to discussions with
2 the Office of Consumer Advocate ("OCA") and the Office of Small Business Advocate
3 ("OSBA"), Duquesne agreed to additional protections, including a cap on the ECR of
4 14.7 mills/kWh and the amortization and write-off of certain rate synchronization costs
5 for Beaver Valley 2 and Perry 1. The Commission approved the modified plan without
6 change, holding:

7 The proposal of Duquesne is a unique opportunity to restructure a
8 portion of the assets and expenses. The combination of elements in the
9 amended petition strikes a reasonable balance through rate stabilization,
10 expense recognition and cost reduction. For these reasons, Duquesne's
11 proposal is in the public interest.

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13 Petition of Duquesne Light Company for Declaratory Order, Docket No. P-00951001

14 et al. (June 20, 1996). Duquesne's restructuring plan provides the same "reasonable
15 balance" of rate stabilization and stranded cost mitigation that the Commission
16 approved in the Ft. Martin proceeding.

17 Q. You previously referred to the revenue requirement filed by Duquesne in this case.
18 Has Duquesne functionally allocated this revenue requirement to generation,
19 transmission and distribution?

20 A. Yes. This functional allocation is set forth in the exhibits to the testimony of Morgan
21 K. O'Brien (Statement No. 4). The functionalized costs are then used to develop
22 unbundled transmission and distribution rates, which are presented in the testimony of
23 Mr. Lahtinen.

24 Q. You mentioned earlier that Duquesne is proposing to redesign its rates. Please explain.

1 A. Duquesne is redesigning its rates in a manner that will allow customers to make more
2 efficient consumption decisions, while also providing additional revenues that can be
3 applied to mitigate stranded costs. The rate redesign consists of moving a significant
4 portion of generation-related costs into a fixed customer charge, which results in a
5 lower variable (per kWh) charge than exists today. For example, a typical residential
6 customer today pays approximately 11.4 cents/kWh under current tariffs, which is a
7 rate far in excess of the short-run marginal cost of supplying the customer's incremental
8 demands during most hours of the year. The Customer Choice Plan redesigns rates to
9 lower the variable charge and thereby provides customers more efficient price signals.
10 As explained in Mr. Lahtinen's testimony, these more efficient rates are set at a level
11 that maximizes stranded cost mitigation. The redesigned rates thus both contribute to
12 stranded cost mitigation and provide customers more efficient price signals.

13 Stranded Cost Recovery

14 Q. Please explain Duquesne's proposal with respect to stranded cost recovery.

15 A. I will summarize two of the principal components of Duquesne's proposal. The first is
16 Duquesne's proposal to satisfy the statutory requirements of Section 2804(4)(v). As
17 indicated, this provision permits Duquesne to charge rates up to current levels provided
18 that "any excess earnings achieved under the cap are being utilized to mitigate
19 transition or stranded costs for the benefit of ratepayers." In applying this provision,
20 the question becomes how long Duquesne is entitled to charge rates up to the price
21 cap? To answer that question, Duquesne must calculate the net present value of its

1 stranded costs over the life of its generating assets. This calculation is provided by Mr.
2 Clayton.

3 The second component is the calculation of CTCs during the transition period.
4 The objective here is to set CTCs at a level that accurately reflects the market choices
5 facing (i) the customer, as it considers purchasing power from a variety of suppliers,
6 and (ii) Duquesne, as it sells power in the market to mitigate stranded costs. Duquesne
7 will meet this objective by calculating customer-specific CTCs on the basis of actual
8 market prices. By using a customer-specific CTC formula, Duquesne will ensure that
9 no customer pays more, assuming the same usage level, than it would have paid under
10 bundled rates. By using a competitive solicitation to set market prices, Duquesne will
11 ensure that CTCs reflect only known and measurable stranded costs, thereby protecting
12 both the customer and Duquesne.

13 Before discussing each component in more detail, I note that they involve
14 different considerations. The first requires Duquesne (i) to calculate a stranded cost
15 amortization schedule that, coupled with the ROE spillover, ensures that available
16 earnings are used to mitigate stranded costs, and (ii) to project the market value of
17 Duquesne's stranded costs over the life of its generating assets. The latter calculation is
18 important in determining how long Duquesne should be entitled to charge rates up to
19 the price cap. The second does not require either of these analyses. Rather, the second
20 requires Duquesne (i) to design a customer-specific CTC that ensures each customer
21 will pay no more, assuming a constant usage level, than it did under current rates, and

1 (ii) to calculate market prices for use in setting the customer-specific CTCs. The latter
2 calculation involves short-term, rather than long-term, market prices. This is because
3 customers have the option to return to service from Duquesne at current rates through-
4 out the transition period. Duquesne therefore cannot sell its generation on a long-term
5 basis to establish CTCs, with the assurance that returning customers will be charged the
6 market rate prevailing at the time of their return.

7 Q. Please provide more detail on Duquesne's proposal to meet the requirements of Section
8 2804(4)(v).

9 A. To determine whether Duquesne can meet the requirements of Section 2804(4)(v)
10 throughout the transition period, Duquesne must compare the book value of its
11 generation at the end of the transition period with the market value of that generation at
12 that time. Duquesne must first calculate the stranded cost amortization that is possible
13 at current rate levels, which Mr. Clayton testifies is \$1.7 billion over the transition peri-
14 od. Duquesne then must compare the book value of generation-related assets (net of
15 amortization) at the end of 2005 to the expected market prices of generation at the end
16 of 2005. Using a range of market prices projected by Michael M. Schnitzer (Statement
17 No. 3), Mr. Clayton concludes that book values will continue to exceed market values
18 at the end of 2005. Duquesne therefore is entitled under Section 2804(4)(v) to charge
19 rates up to current levels throughout the transition period.

1 Q. You mentioned that Mr. Clayton performs his analysis using a range of market price
2 projections supplied by Mr. Schnitzer. Are such projections sufficient to satisfy the
3 requirement that stranded costs be "known and measurable"?

4 A. No. As Mr. Schnitzer explains, his analysis is based on the best available market price
5 information, including the results of Duquesne's recent solicitation to sell firm power
6 for the period 1998-2005 and conservative assumptions concerning the post-2005
7 market price of power. However, as Mr. Schnitzer acknowledges, there is simply too
8 much uncertainty today with respect to long-term market prices for an analyst to
9 "forecast" known and measurable stranded costs. The experience from other
10 restructuring cases in Pennsylvania supports this conclusion. In those cases, the
11 testimony filed by competing experts contains stranded cost estimates, based on long-
12 term market price forecasts, that differ by several billion dollars. Clearly, the
13 uncertainty inherent in such projections poses significant risks for both investors and
14 consumers and cannot be consistent with the known and measurable standard.

15 Q. What is Duquesne's proposal?

16 A. Duquesne is proposing that a final determination of its stranded costs not be made to-
17 day. Instead, Duquesne proposes to initiate a final valuation of stranded costs,
18 computed over the life of Duquesne's generating assets, in 2003. The valuation will be
19 provided by an unbiased three-member arbitration panel. Duquesne will select one
20 member, a consumer representative (such as the OCA and/or Commission Staff) will
21 select the second member and these two will select a third member. The panel will

1 .establish a market value based on objective evidence, not market price "forecasts." The
2 objective market evidence may include consummated market transactions in the
3 relevant market, such as forward contracts, futures contracts and/or comparable
4 generating unit asset sales. The panel also can rely on the results of a competitive
5 solicitation by Duquesne to sell firm power for a term coincident with the average
6 remaining life of its generating assets.

7 Interested parties, including Duquesne, will have the opportunity to provide
8 market price data to the panel and the panel's findings will be submitted to the
9 Commission. Duquesne will commit to be bound by the panel's findings, subject only
10 to one condition: if the Commission rejects the panel's findings and substitutes a
11 market valuation that is adverse to Duquesne, the Commission will allow Duquesne to
12 recalculate stranded costs by divesting some or all of its generating units, or spinning
13 off its generating assets to a separate subsidiary and conducting an initial public
14 offering for a portion of the stock of the new company.

15 Q: Assuming the panel's findings are accepted by the Commission, how will the findings
16 affect stranded cost recovery?

17 A: If the panel's valuation demonstrates, contrary to expectations, that Duquesne will fully
18 recover its stranded costs within the transition period, Duquesne will reduce the
19 transition period accordingly. If, however, this valuation confirms that Duquesne
20 cannot fully recover its stranded costs during the transition, the valuation will provide

1 the basis for any further relief that Duquesne is entitled to seek under the restructuring
2 legislation.

3 Q. Is it possible that market prices will rise sufficiently prior to 2003 that this final market
4 valuation will reveal that Duquesne has over-recovered its stranded costs?

5 A. It is theoretically possible, but highly unlikely given the low market prices revealed in
6 Duquesne's recent solicitation. However, to ensure that there is no such over-recovery,
7 Duquesne commits to accelerate the final valuation to 2001 or 2002 if market prices
8 rise to the levels specified in Mr. Clayton's testimony.

9 Q. You have discussed in some detail the market valuation process to determine whether
10 Duquesne's proposed amortization schedule will reduce book values to market levels at
11 the end of the transition period. Is there anything further you wish to mention re-
12 garding Duquesne's amortization proposal?

13 A. Yes. Duquesne's amortization proposal provides customer benefits that go beyond the
14 protections contained in Section 2808(f) of the legislation. Duquesne is proposing a
15 minimum committed amortization schedule of \$1.7 billion. This means that
16 Duquesne's shareholders will bear the risk that this amortization is achieved at the cost
17 of reduced earnings. For example, under Duquesne's proposal, if sales are above fore-
18 cast levels, the associated revenues will be used for additional stranded cost mitigation;
19 however, if sales are below forecast levels, Duquesne will not reduce its amortization
20 of stranded costs below the minimum \$1.7 billion commitment. Duquesne is pro-
21 posing the same treatment for cost fluctuations. If the cost of service is below expected

1 levels, the resulting savings will be used for further mitigation; but if costs exceed ex-
2 pected levels, amortization will not be reduced below the minimum commitment.

3 Q. Please turn now to the second issue -- setting CTCs during the transition period.

4 A. Duquesne will calculate CTCs using a market-based determination of the value of
5 Duquesne's generation. Each year during the transition period, Duquesne will conduct
6 a public solicitation, or "request for proposals" ("RFP"), to sell a substantial block of
7 power for a one-year term. Customer-specific CTCs will be set using the market prices
8 established by the RFP, information about each customer's baseline consumption and
9 information on class load shapes. The purpose of the customer-specific CTC
10 methodology is to ensure that customers that are more expensive to serve (i.e., those
11 taking a greater proportion of their requirements during peak hours) receive a higher
12 credit and those that are less expensive to serve receive a lower credit. This is
13 consistent with Section 2808(a) of the restructuring legislation, which states that CTCs
14 should be set "in a manner that does not shift interclass or intraclass costs."

15 Q. Why is Duquesne using an RFP to set CTCs?

16 A. The RFP will provide reliable and objective evidence of the market prices prevailing in
17 Duquesne's area. The RFP will protect both consumers and investors because it en-
18 sures, as the restructuring legislation requires, that CTCs are set to recover only known
19 and measurable stranded costs.

- 1 Q. You have stated several times that Duquesne will use a market-based valuation of
2 stranded costs, rather than a market price "forecast." Are other utilities using long-term
3 market price forecasts to calculate stranded costs?
- 4 A. Yes, but as explained in the testimony of Mr. Schnitzer, market price forecasts have
5 routinely proven inaccurate. This Commission's experience with "avoided cost"
6 forecasts under PURPA should alone be sufficient to dissuade it from reliance on long-
7 term forecasts. A market-based approach, by contrast, will protect both consumers and
8 investors from the inaccuracy of forecasts. In Duquesne's opinion, a market-based
9 approach is the best -- and perhaps only -- way to meet the requirement in the
10 restructuring legislation that stranded costs be "known and measurable."
- 11 Q. You have discussed the role of market prices in computing stranded costs. Does the
12 restructuring legislation also require that CTCs include the effects of cost of service
13 mitigation?
- 14 A. Yes. Section 2808(c)(4) provides that the Commission may take into account past
15 mitigation efforts and that utilities have a duty to pursue cost mitigation throughout the
16 transition period. As explained in the testimony of Mr. Clayton, Duquesne is
17 presenting a fully mitigated cost of service. This means that the revenue requirements
18 on which Duquesne is proposing to set rates not only include the benefits of aggressive
19 mitigation in the past, but also project a future cost of service that includes aggressive
20 stranded cost mitigation, particularly the amortization of existing generating assets.
- 21 Q. Please describe Duquesne's past mitigation efforts.

1 A. I will provide only a summary of these efforts, given that Mr. Clayton provides a
2 detailed recital of them. In the 1980s Duquesne faced the challenges of the shrinking
3 steel industry in western Pennsylvania. By the end of the 1970s, the steel industry was
4 predicting rapid expansion of its Pennsylvania production in the next decade. Not only
5 did this growth not materialize, but by 1982 Duquesne had lost 50% of its existing
6 industrial load and 30% of its total load.

7 The company took immediate steps in to deal with this loss of 700 MW of load.

8 In 1980, the Erie nuclear units 1 and 2 and Davis Besse nuclear units 2 and 3 were
9 canceled. The Phillips and Brunot Island units were later placed in cold reserve and
10 removed from rate base. In addition, Perry 2 was declared de facto abandoned in
11 Duquesne's 1986 rate case filing. Consequently, by the time of Duquesne's 1986 and
12 1987 base rate cases, Duquesne had mitigated the worst consequences of the steel
13 decline. However, the Company was still faced with the cost and rate consequences
14 associated with the capacity additions of Beaver Valley 2 and Perry 1. In the 1987 rate
15 case, Duquesne therefore made a commitment to: stabilize rates and reduce costs;
16 pursue marketing and economic development; reshape the company and reduce excess
17 capacity; improve its financial condition; assist low income customers; and pursue
18 shareholder initiatives to create value. Since that time, Duquesne has taken aggressive
19 steps to meet the commitments it made. The specific mitigation measures undertaken
20 by Duquesne in this period are detailed in Mr. Clayton's testimony.

21 Q. What were the tangible results of Duquesne's mitigation efforts?

1 A. Faced with an enormous challenge from the collapse of the steel industry load,
2 Duquesne's innovative response has resulted in \$340 million in stranded cost
3 mitigation and \$700 million in avoided rate increases to date. The continuing effects of
4 this mitigation, calculated through 2005, total \$1 billion in stranded cost mitigation and
5 \$700 million in avoided rate increases. Thus, the stranded cost problem facing
6 Duquesne today is significantly smaller than it would have been had Duquesne not
7 undertaken these mitigation measures.

8 Q. Has the Commission recognized these mitigation efforts?

9 A. Yes. In Duquesne's 1986 general rate case, the Commission recognized what it
10 described as Duquesne's "self-imposed austerity" measures. Duquesne Light
11 Company, Docket Nos. R-860378 et al. (Mar. 10, 1987). More recently, in the
12 proceeding on the Ft. Martin sale, Commissioner Crutchfield observed that the sale
13 was a "smart business decision made by Duquesne in response to the competitive
14 pressures occurring the in the electric industry." Statement of Lisa Crutchfield, Docket
15 No. P-00951001 (May 23, 1996). As indicated previously, the Commission found that
16 the mitigation proposal contained in the Ft. Martin plan struck a "reasonable balance."

17 Q. You also stated that Duquesne's revenue requirements for the transition period include
18 the benefits of aggressive mitigation in the future. Please explain.

19 A. This mitigation plan is described in more detail in the testimony of Duquesne's other
20 witnesses, but I will summarize some of the key elements here:

- 1 • a minimum of \$1.7 billion in total amortization and depreciation of regulatory
2 assets and stranded generation costs during the transition period, with
3 additional amortization and depreciation possible through the ROE spillover
4 mechanism;
- 5 • additional revenues through the redesign of rates to encourage additional
6 consumption at more efficient levels, which may yield approximately \$15
7 million per year in additional stranded cost mitigation;
- 8 • reductions in operation and maintenance expenses and capital expenditures
9 below historic levels at both fossil and nuclear plants, totalling more than \$25
10 million per year;
- 11 • the continuing benefit of past mitigation, including the financial mitigation
12 discussed by Mr. Clayton (nearly \$700 million during the transition period);
13 and
- 14 • approximately \$550 million in additional mitigation due to the cost savings
15 associated with the proposed merger with APS.

16 All the foregoing mitigation will be passed on to Duquesne's ratepayers through the
17 Customer Choice Plan or, as to the last point, the Joint Plan.

18 Q. You have discussed Duquesne's methodology for calculating CTCs and its mitigation
19 plan, but you have not discussed the appropriate standard for stranded cost recovery.
20 Please turn to that subject.

1 A. The Commission should apply the following standard: rates should be set at a level
2 that gives Duquesne a fair opportunity to recover a return on and of all prudent
3 investments that may become stranded in the transition to competition.

4 Q. Does this standard guarantee Duquesne recovery of all its stranded costs?

5 A. No. Duquesne could fail to fully recover its stranded costs for several reasons. Full
6 recovery would be impaired if Duquesne was unable to keep operation and
7 maintenance costs below the levels approved by the Commission in setting rates. Full
8 recovery also would be impaired if sales to retail customers were lower than the level
9 assumed by the Commission in setting rates. Finally, Duquesne is entitled to rates
10 designed to recover only prudently incurred costs.

11 Q. Does Duquesne's Customer Choice Plan fairly balance investor and consumer
12 interests?

13 A. Yes. The Customer Choice Plan balances investor and consumer interests. The
14 following are examples of the benefits and protections for consumers:

- 15 • access to alternative generation suppliers on fair and nondiscriminatory terms;
- 16 • a continued obligation to serve at current rate levels, which provides customers
17 the benefits of a competitive market and the protections of the traditional
18 regulatory compact;
- 19 • unbundled and redesigned rates that reduce rates for incremental consumption
20 an average of 25% and contribute to stranded cost mitigation; and

- 1 • a new economic development rider that will reduce rates an average of 20-25%
- 2 for a typical commercial or industrial customer over a five-year period;
- 3 • rate levels that include a guaranteed level of stranded cost amortization and an
- 4 ROE spillover that ensures that investors do not earn more than a fair return;
- 5 • a CTC based on "known and measurable" market values set by an RFP and
- 6 a final market valuation in 2003 by an unbiased arbitration panel.

7 Investors also will be treated fairly under the Customer Choice Plan. The Plan
8 is designed to provide investors with a fair opportunity, consistent with the customer
9 protections above, to earn a fair return on and recovery of Duquesne's prudent
10 investments.

11 Q. Some have argued that investors have no reasonable expectation of earning a fair return
12 on investments that cannot be recovered in a deregulated market. Please comment.

13 A. I do not agree. Duquesne's investments were made under a regulatory system that
14 provided investors a reasonable expectation that they would earn a fair return on and
15 recovery of prudent investments by the utility.

16 Q. Please explain your point.

17 A. The regulatory system to which I refer, sometimes called the "regulatory contract," is
18 typified by the utility's obligation to serve the demands of all customers within its
19 franchised territory. To meet this obligation, Duquesne forecast the expected demands
20 of its customers over a planning horizon of 20 years and planned to have in place the
21 generation needed reliably to serve these demands. Each of Duquesne's investment

1 decisions in generation was based on this obligation to serve and each investment
2 decision over the last twenty years was scrutinized by the Commission. With minor
3 exceptions, all the associated costs were found to have been prudently incurred.

4 The fact that the remaining book value of these investments may not be
5 recoverable in a deregulated market does not mean that recovery of these investments
6 in a CTC is not appropriate. The *quid pro quo* for Duquesne accepting the foregoing
7 obligation to serve was the grant of an exclusive franchise to serve these customers.
8 Duquesne therefore could reasonably expect that the loads forecasted for its customers
9 would be served by Duquesne, not by other utilities in the region, and thus that
10 Duquesne could reasonably recover its investment in rates over the life of those
11 investments. While there was some risk of self-generation in recent years, there was no
12 obligation to deliver energy produced by others over Duquesne's transmission and
13 distribution wires, as there is under the restructuring legislation. Moreover, any
14 revenue impacts associated with the loss of load were, consistent with traditional
15 regulation, spread across all customer classes, not borne by shareholders. In short,
16 prior to the change in policy reflected in the legislation, Duquesne's rates were
17 sufficient to permit it to earn a fair return on and of its investments; it is the change in
18 regulatory policy that creates the potential of stranded costs at issue in this case.

19 Q. Some have argued that, since the government does not insulate other industrial
20 companies from changes in economic conditions or government policies, utilities
21 should receive no such protections. Please comment.

1 A. There is a material difference between a regulated electric utility and other industrial
2 companies. Take, for example, a large supplier of aircraft. A supplier of aircraft builds
3 fleets of planes and invests large amounts of capital in doing so. The supplier is subject
4 to intense competition from other aircraft manufacturers and is aware that the airlines
5 will have the option of purchasing their aircraft from a number of suppliers. To
6 compete as a manufacturer, the supplier has the choice of investing capital to build
7 aircraft on the assumption that the airlines will purchase their requirements from that
8 supplier (and not others), or of executing contracts under which the airlines make
9 certain quantity and price commitments in return for the supplier making the required
10 investments. In addition, the supplier has the choice not to construct additional aircraft
11 or to limit its production -- for example, because of the unwillingness of airlines to
12 make the necessary contractual commitments.

13 This is in contrast to the contractual opportunities and investment decisions
14 faced by electric utilities. Consider the example of Duquesne when it began its nuclear
15 construction program to meet the expected growth in demand from the steel sector.
16 Duquesne had the legal obligation to plan for and serve that demand growth.
17 Duquesne did not have the option to decline to make the required investments unless
18 the steel companies signed long-term contracts to pay for such investments. Rather,
19 Duquesne was required to make prudent investment decisions to serve all its load based
20 on the information available at that time, with the expectation that the Commission
21 would permit Duquesne to roll such investments into the rates of customers. Now that

1 this regulatory system has been modified it would be unfair to permit customers to
2 avoid responsibility for such investments and to shift such responsibility to Duquesne's
3 investors.

4 To do so would result in an arbitrary and one-sided switch in policies.
5 Traditional regulation does not allow a utility to earn more than a fair return during
6 "good times," such as when growth in customer demand exceeds expectations, the cost
7 of service is lower than expected, or investments have a positive market-to-book value.

8 The sale of Ft. Martin is a good example. Duquesne sold its interest in Ft. Martin for
9 \$130 million (pre-tax) in excess of the remaining book value of the plant. Duquesne
10 was not, however, permitted to return this value to shareholders through excess
11 earnings. Rather, Duquesne returned this value to ratepayers through the accelerated
12 amortization of assets. Another example was Duquesne's proposed sale of 500 MW of
13 firm power to General Public Utilities in 1990 through reactivation of the Phillips and
14 Brunot Island plants. The Commission determined that the net revenues from the
15 proposed sale, estimated at over \$300 million, would be fully credited to ratepayers.

16 This was the case even though Duquesne's investors had been incurring the "caretaker"
17 costs of maintaining those units in a condition that would permit their reactivation.

18 While the sale ultimately fell through due to a lack of regulatory approval in New
19 Jersey, the point is that the Commission determined that ratepayers, not investors,
20 should benefit from market values in excess of the book value on which Duquesne is
21 permitted to earn a fair return.

1 I comment on the Ft. Martin and proposed GPU sales not to criticize the
2 Commission orders issued in those cases. Rather, those orders were entirely consistent
3 with the regulatory contract. I discuss the orders simply as a point of comparison to the
4 arguments of some that the Commission should now, when book values exceed market
5 values, change policy and require Duquesne's investors to absorb the difference.
6 Clearly, this would be an arbitrary and unfair switch in policy and would produce a result
7 for which shareholders have not been compensated. I fully expect and trust that the
8 Commission will not be influenced by such arguments and will set rates that provide
9 Duquesne a fair opportunity to fully recover a return on and of all prudent investments.

10 **The Restructured Business**

- 11 Q. Please summarize the nature of the changes in the organization and operation of
12 Duquesne Light as the result of the Customer Choice Plan.
- 13 A. I will discuss two aspects of this topic. The first is the change in the nature of
14 Duquesne's generation planning function and its obligation to serve customers within
15 its service territory. The second is the functional unbundling of Duquesne's business
16 into those units that will continue to provide services that are regulated on a cost of
17 service basis and those that are not regulated.
- 18 Q. Please turn to Duquesne's generation planning function and the nature of the obligation
19 to serve during and after the transition to competition.
- 20 A. As I discussed earlier in my testimony, electric utilities have operated under a
21 regulatory system that required them to plan to serve all customers within their territory

1 on a reliable basis. The amount of generation constructed to meet these demands was a
2 function of the expected peak customer demand plus a "reserve margin." This reserve
3 margin allowed the utility to continue serving load reliably during periods when
4 demand exceeded forecasts or when a portion of the utility's generation was
5 unavailable due to forced or planned outages. The reserve margin was calculated using
6 a "loss of load probability" model that generally used as its solution a one-day-in-ten-
7 years standard of interruption.

8 This planning process will change in a number of important respects, two of
9 which I will mention here. First, following the transition to competition, utilities in
10 Pennsylvania will no longer be obligated to serve all the energy requirements of the
11 customers in their service territory. Utilities such as Duquesne thus will no longer be
12 obligated as a matter of law to have available sufficient generation to serve these
13 customers. Rather, the regulatory-based obligation to serve will be replaced by
14 contractual obligations between customers and generation suppliers.

15 The second major change will be in the nature of "reliable" service. Today,
16 reliable service means service without interruption -- regardless of the cost to supply
17 customers in a given hour. In the future, as utilities install real-time meters and as
18 hourly spot energy prices become public, customers and suppliers will have the
19 information necessary to determine whether it is economic to increase or decrease
20 consumption at peak periods when the marginal cost of service is very high.
21 Conversely, customers and suppliers will have similar price signals available in off-

1 peak periods when the cost of service is very low. Using this information, I expect
2 many customers will choose to be interrupted or to reduce their consumption in peak
3 hours instead of paying the high cost of energy in those hours.

4 Q. Do you expect these changes to occur immediately?

5 A. No. The restructuring legislation continues to impose on Duquesne an obligation to
6 serve throughout the transition period. Duquesne will choose the most economic
7 means of meeting this obligation, such as making short-term capacity purchases in the
8 wholesale market. The testimony of Mark Karl (Statement No. 9) discusses this
9 continuing obligation to serve in more detail.

10 Q. You have stated that the obligation to serve will be replaced by competition among a
11 variety of suppliers. Do you expect that the introduction of competition to supply retail
12 customers will benefit those customers by reducing rate levels?

13 A. Introducing retail competition will benefit customers by securing for them the
14 efficiencies of a competitive generation sector. This does not necessarily mean,
15 however, that rates will be lower immediately. In the long-run, I am confident that
16 competition will produce lower rates than will continued reliance on comprehensive
17 regulation of the generation sector. However, the Commission should bear in mind
18 that this does not necessarily mean that rates will be "lower" than they are today at all
19 times in the future; rather, the point is that they will be lower than they otherwise
20 would have been under traditional regulation. Competition encourages the efficient
21 utilization of societal resources; it does not guarantee "low" rates or any rate in

1 particular. Rather, the benefits to consumers will consist of more efficient risk bearing
2 by suppliers; increased operational efficiencies of power producers; a greater range of
3 customer choices, products and services; improvements in technological innovation;
4 and better use and expansion of the transmission system.

5 Q. Please turn to the functional unbundling of regulated and unregulated services and
6 business units.

7 A. Duquesne began the unbundling of services and business units in mid-1996 with the
8 implementation of FERC Order Nos. 888 and 889. In these orders, the FERC required
9 that the wholesale merchant function be separated from the transmission function to
10 ensure that the utility's power sales would not receive preferential access to
11 transmission system information.

12 Q. What is Duquesne's position on independent system operators ("ISOs")?

13 A. Duquesne has been a long-standing advocate of ISOs. In 1996, I testified before this
14 Commission that a regional ISO that administers an efficient location-based trans-
15 mission pricing regime was the best way to achieve transmission comparability and
16 efficiency. Duquesne has taken the same position in all its pleadings and testimony
17 filed with the FERC.

18 Q. Has Duquesne been involved in the efforts to form an ISO in its region?

19 A. Yes. Duquesne has been active in the PJM restructuring proceeding. In fact,
20 Duquesne's Section 211 request submitted to PJM in 1994 included many of the

1 principles adopted by PJM in its ISO proposal, including a single-system transmission
2 rate and comparability for all transmission users.

3 Q. Commissioner Hanger has expressed concern that non-PJM utilities in Pennsylvania
4 have not yet joined an ISO. How can Duquesne effect reform in this area?

5 A. Duquesne is a small utility that simply does not have sufficient influence to lead a
6 reform effort in this area. That is one of the advantages of the proposed merger with
7 APS. The merged company will be well situated to be a leader with respect to the
8 trend toward greater separation of the generation and transmission functions. My
9 testimony in the merger proceeding addresses the joint proposals of Duquesne and APS
10 in this area.

11 Q. Do additional functional separation and unbundling issues arise as the result of the
12 transition to retail competition?

13 A. As explained in Mr. Hoffman's testimony, the transition to competition at the retail
14 level will require that Duquesne functionally separate regulated retail functions from
15 those that will not be regulated. Duquesne is taking the first step in this area by
16 proposing a code of conduct that will govern the interaction of the regulated and
17 unregulated units of Duquesne.

18 **IV. INTRODUCTION OF COMPANY WITNESSES**

19 Q. Please identify the other witnesses providing direct testimony on behalf of Duquesne in
20 this proceeding.

1 A. In addition to myself, the following witnesses will be responsible for presenting the
2 Company's case-in-chief:

3 **Donald J. Clayton** is Treasurer of Duquesne. Mr. Clayton describes how
4 Duquesne has aggressively mitigated stranded costs and moderated rates in the past.
5 He also describes how these efforts will continue throughout the transition period,
6 resulting in total mitigation of \$1.0 billion. Mr. Clayton also describes how Duquesne
7 proposes to recover its stranded costs under a rate cap through 2005 and demonstrates
8 why the Company meets the requirements of Section 2804(4)(v). To make this
9 showing, Mr. Clayton calculates a range of stranded costs that are likely to remain in
10 2006, despite a minimum commitment of \$1.7 billion of depreciation and amortization
11 during the transition period. He also describes the equity return spillover mechanism
12 that ensures the committed level of amortization is a floor, and that prospective
13 earnings in excess of the allowed return would be applied to increase this amortization
14 level. Mr. Clayton also describes the events that might trigger an early termination of
15 the transition period.

16 **Michael M. Schnitzer** is President and a Director of The Northbridge Group,
17 an economic and management consulting firm based in Waltham, Massachusetts. Mr.
18 Schnitzer provides independent support for Duquesne's compliance with the known
19 and measurable standard under the Act. He supports use of a market-based approach
20 rather than an administrative determination of stranded costs. Mr. Schnitzer supports
21 Duquesne's proposal to meet the requirements of Section 2804(4)(v) of the

1 restructuring legislation to establish a price cap through 2005. Mr. Schnitzer also
2 supports Mr. Clayton's market valuation as of 2005 with a market price ceiling estimate
3 based on a gas-fired combined cycle unit. In addition, Mr. Schnitzer supports Mr.
4 Lahtinen's use of a market-based approach to CTC calculation. Mr. Schnitzer also
5 provides independent support for the final market valuation mechanism in 2003 used to
6 calculate a residual value for Duquesne's generation assets at the end of the transition
7 period. Finally, Mr. Schnitzer supports the customer safeguards built into the
8 Customer Choice Plan.

9 **Morgan O'Brien** is Controller of Duquesne. Mr. O'Brien supports the
10 Company's claim for recovery of regulatory assets, unfunded nuclear decommissioning
11 expenses and fossil decommissioning expenses under the Act. Mr. O'Brien also
12 presents the 1996 cost of service and the pro forma financial data and the Company's
13 responses to the Commission's restructuring plan filing requirements in Appendix A of
14 the Restructuring Order. The results of Mr. O'Brien's study are used by Mr. Lahtinen
15 to unbundle Duquesne's rates.

16 **James A. Lahtinen** is General Manager, Regulatory and Economic Analysis
17 Unit of Duquesne. Mr. Lahtinen sponsors Duquesne's unbundled allocated cost of
18 service study and unbundled tariffs designed to recover such costs. He supports the
19 approach the Company has taken in unbundling transmission, distribution, ancillary
20 service and generation costs by customer class. Mr. Lahtinen explains Duquesne's
21 approach to calculating Customer Generation Credits and CTCs based on actual market

1 price data. He also describes the rationale underlying Duquesne's proposed rate
2 redesign and how these rates were calculated to comply with the restructuring
3 legislation and to mitigate stranded costs. Finally, he provides public data on market
4 prices that corroborate the prices received by Duquesne in its recent request for
5 proposals.

6 **Frank A. Hoffmann** is General Manager, Marketing and Sales Unit of
7 Duquesne. Mr. Hoffmann outlines Duquesne's method for phasing-in customers for
8 direct access during the three-year phase-in period. Mr. Hoffmann also summarizes
9 Duquesne's proposals on universal service and energy conservation. Duquesne will
10 maintain all existing programs for assisting low income customers. He also describes
11 the Company's proposed consumer education program. This program is multi-faceted
12 and is designed to reach all segments of our diverse customer base. Mr. Hoffmann also
13 presents the proposed Code of Conduct for ensuring that all alternative suppliers are
14 treated fairly and that confidential information is not released without authorization.
15 Finally, Mr. Hoffmann describes the Company's economic development rates and how
16 those rates will change or continue in the future.

17 **Robert Irvin** is General Manager, System Operations Unit of Duquesne. Mr.
18 Irvin describes the current market prices for power delivered in Duquesne's service
19 territory. Mr. Irvin also describes Duquesne's recent RFP. He also discusses the
20 procedures and systems that Duquesne will implement to promote competition and

1 provide unbundled access to electric generation during the transition period. Finally,
2 he describes how Duquesne differentiated between distribution and transmission assets.

3 **Fred Allison** is Assistant Controller of Duquesne. Mr. Allison addresses the
4 implementation of metering, meter reading, billing, payment processing, collections
5 and supplier settlement for purposes of direct access. Mr. Allison describes a new
6 metering technology that Duquesne has begun installing. This new technology will
7 enhance service reliability, allow greater flexibility in meter reading and billing and
8 allow the Company to receive real-time information on customer usage. Mr. Allison
9 also addresses the arguments of some stakeholders that, in addition to unbundling
10 generation, transmission and distribution, all "revenue cycle services" should be
11 unbundled. Finally, Mr. Allison describes the Company's proposed procedures for
12 addressing supplier settlements.

13 **Mark Karl** is a Senior Consultant, responsible for Duquesne's Integrated
14 Resource Planning Department. Mr. Karl supports the forecast of generation output for
15 Duquesne's units used in Mr. Clayton's analysis. Mr. Karl also supports the price
16 duration curve analysis that is used to derive hourly market prices from the annual
17 market data obtained from the Duquesne RFP.

18 **Ralph L. Nelson** is Manager of Operations Services in Duquesne's Fossil
19 Generation Unit. Mr. Nelson provides the calculation of Duquesne's operation and
20 maintenance expense and capital expenditures during the transition period for

1 Duquesne's fossil generation. Mr. Nelson also describes the cost mitigation that has
2 allowed Duquesne to reduce the cost of operating its fossil units.

3 **Ralph E. Duckworth** is Controller of Duquesne's Nuclear Unit. Mr.
4 Duckworth provides the calculation of Duquesne's operation and maintenance expense
5 and capital expenditures during the transition period for Duquesne's nuclear generation.
6 Mr. Duckworth also describes Duquesne's mitigation of nuclear O&M costs.

7 **Jeffrey D. Makholm** is a Senior Vice President of National Economic
8 Research Associates, Inc., an economic consulting firm based in Cambridge,
9 Massachusetts. Dr. Makholm supports the equity cost of capital used by Duquesne to
10 calculate its revenue requirements and by Mr. Clayton to derive present value
11 calculations. Mr. Makholm also explains why utilities should be permitted to recover
12 stranded costs and shareholders have not already been compensated for the risk of
13 stranded costs.

14 **Thomas P. LaGuardia** is President of TLG Services, Inc. Mr. LaGuardia
15 presents the results of his analysis of the nuclear decommissioning costs for Beaver
16 Valley Units 1 & 2 and Perry Unit 1. He also presents fossil decommissioning studies
17 for the Company's fossil-fired generating stations.

18 **V. THE MERGER WITH APS**

19 Q. Please discuss why the Commission should go further and approve the Merger
20 Application and the Joint Plan.

1 A. The rationale for Commission approval of the Merger Application and the Joint Plan is
2 fully set out in the Company's joint application with West Penn. As documented
3 therein, additional synergy benefits will be created by the merger and shared by the
4 customers of Duquesne, West Penn and the other non-jurisdictional subsidiaries of
5 Allegheny Power. In summary, the evidence shows that:

- 6 • In addition to the customer benefits identified in Duquesne's stand-alone
7 Customer Choice Plan, the merger will provide additional savings to Duquesne,
8 on a nominal basis, of \$365 million in generation-related costs, \$173 million in
9 distribution-related costs and \$9 million in transmission-related costs.
- 10 • Duquesne will flow through 100% of these cost reductions during the transition
11 period to its ratepayers by (i) increasing the amortization of stranded costs by
12 \$160 million during the transition period, (ii) reducing distribution rates by \$25
13 million in 2001, and (iii) freezing distribution rates at this reduced level until
14 2005.

15 Q. Does that conclude your testimony?

16 A. Yes it does.

VOLUME I

Duquesne Statement No. 2

**BEFORE THE
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**DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY
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**Direct Testimony
of
Donald J. Clayton**

Contents:

**Regarding Cost Mitigation Efforts, Stranded Cost Calculations
and Recovery, Cost of Capital and Capital Structure.**

DIRECT TESTIMONY OF D. J. CLAYTON

I. QUALIFICATIONS

1 Q. Please state your name and business address for the record.

2 A. My name is Donald J. Clayton. My business address is 411 Seventh Avenue, Pittsburgh,
3 Pennsylvania 15230-1930.

4 Q. By whom are you employed?

5 A. I am employed by Duquesne Light Company ("Duquesne," "Duquesne Light" or "the
6 Company").

7 Q. What is your position with Duquesne?

8 A. I am the Treasurer.

9 Q. How long have you been employed by the Company?

10 A. I have been employed by Duquesne since August of 1985.

11 Q. Please describe your responsibilities as Treasurer of the Company.

12 A. My areas of responsibility include corporate finance, cash management, financial
13 planning, corporate budgeting, electronic commerce and shareholder relations.

14 Q. Please describe your professional and educational background?

15 A. A copy of my curriculum vitae which describes my professional and educational
16 background is provided as Exhibit DJC-1.

17 Q. Have you previously testified before this Commission?

18 A. Yes. I have testified before the Commission in the Company's last two base rate
19 proceedings at Docket Nos. R-860378 and R-870651. I have also supported the

1 Company's filings at P-00951001, related to the sale of the Ft. Martin Plant; P-900485,
2 related to the proposed power sale to GPU and affiliated interest filings at G-00940376
3 (Woods Run) and G-00940392 (Headquarters' Building).

II. PURPOSE AND CONCLUSIONS

4 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding?

5 A. The purpose of my testimony is to explain the efforts that the Company has undertaken to
6 mitigate its stranded costs and to minimize its costs generally, to describe and provide
7 support for the Company's stranded cost calculations and stranded cost recovery plan, and
8 to support the Company's overall cost of capital (excluding return on equity) and capital
9 structure. I am also sponsoring several of the required data items identified in Appendix A
10 to the Commission's Order dated February 13, 1997 at Docket No. M-00960890.

11 Q. Please summarize your conclusions.

12 A. My conclusions correspond to the purposes of my testimony. First, Duquesne has already
13 *implemented the most aggressive mitigation strategy of any utility in Pennsylvania.* These
14 past efforts have resulted in over \$1 billion of mitigation which has enabled the Company
15 to avoid \$700 million in rate increases and to reduce its potentially stranded costs as of
16 January 1, 1999 by \$340 million. The results of this past mitigation will continue after
17 January 1, 1999 through December 31, 2005 (the "Transition Period") and over this period
18 will result in further reductions in potentially stranded costs of \$690 million. Witnesses
19 Marshall, Lahtinen and Karl describe the Company's ongoing mitigation efforts.

20 Second, Duquesne has proposed a restructuring plan that relies on a true market-based
21 determination of stranded costs as of the end of the Transition Period. The plan provides

1 for a generation price cap and a minimum commitment of \$1.7 billion of depreciation and
2 amortization of generation and regulatory assets by December 31, 2005. All of the
3 generating plant and regulatory assets that will be recovered under the accelerated
4 depreciation and amortization for which the Company is now seeking approval were either
5 approved in prior rate and regulatory proceedings or recognized for recovery in future
6 proceedings. Hence, the prudence of these investments has already been determined by
7 the Commission.

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9 Third, the appropriate overall cost of capital for the Company is 9.61% and the appropriate
10 after-tax discount rate for use in the present value calculations is 7.83%. This cost of
11 capital is based on a cost of common equity of 11.50% and a year end 1996 capital
12 structure of 40.08% common equity, 9.69% preferred equity and 50.23% long-term debt.
13 The cost of common equity is independently supported by the testimony of Dr. Jeffrey D.
14 Makhholm.

III. DUQUESNE HAS AGGRESSIVELY MITIGATED STRANDED COSTS AND MODERATED RATES

15 Q. Why are Duquesne's historic and planned mitigation efforts important to the Company's
16 claim for stranded cost recovery?

17 A. In Section 2808(C)(4) of the Customer Choice Act it states that:

18 "the Commission shall consider the extent to which the electric
19 utility has undertaken efforts to mitigate generation-related
20 transition or stranded costs by appropriate means in a manner that
21 is reasonable under all of the circumstances, including
22 consideration of whether mitigation has been commensurate with
23 the magnitude of the electric utility's generation-related transition
24 or stranded costs."

1 Therefore, Duquesne's aggressive historic mitigation efforts should be recognized by the
2 Commission as a proactive solution which reduces the Company's stranded cost to the
3 absolute minimum level possible before the phase in to competition begins in 1999.

4 Q. In your summary of the Company's position with respect to stranded cost recovery you
5 state that Duquesne has implemented the most aggressive mitigation strategy of any
6 company in Pennsylvania. Will you identify the components of this strategy?

7 A. Yes. Duquesne's historic mitigation efforts fall into six major areas, as follows: (1) cost
8 containment; (2) financial restructuring; (3) maximization of market revenues; (4)
9 acceleration of depreciation and amortization; (5) asset sales; and (6) tax planning.

10 Q. Are Duquesne's historic mitigation strategies consistent with the mitigation strategies
11 described in the Customer Choice Act?

12 A. Yes. In Section 2808(c)(4) the act states that:

13 "during the transition period, electric utilities shall have the duty to
14 mitigate generation-related transition or stranded costs to the extent
15 practicable. Efforts may include the following:

- 16 (I) Acceleration of depreciation and amortization of existing
17 rate base generation assets.
18 (II) Minimization of new capital spending for existing rate base
19 generation assets.
20 (III) Reallocation of depreciation reserves to existing rate base
21 generation assets.
22 (IV) Reduction of book assets by application of new proceeds of
23 any sale of idle or under-utilized existing rate base
24 generation assets.
25 (V) Maximization of market revenues from existing rate base
26 generation assets.
27 (VI) Issuance of securitized debt pursuant to the provisions of
28 Section 2812 (relating to approval of transition bonds)."

29 Duquesne's depreciation, cost containment, asset sales and maximization of market
30 revenue strategies are specifically identified in the Act. Duquesne's historic mitigation

1 efforts have, however, gone well beyond the strategies specifically identified in the act.
2 With respect to cost containment Duquesne has not only reduced generation related capital
3 spending but has reduced operating and maintenance expenses throughout the Company as
4 well as capital spending related to transmission and distribution. Duquesne's financial
5 restructuring efforts have significantly reduced its overall cost of capital and these efforts
6 are consistent with the benefits other companies may be able to derive from asset
7 securitization. Duquesne's tax planning strategies are unique and have significantly
8 contributed to the Company's mitigation efforts.

Loss of Steel Load Placed Duquesne in Financial Distress

9 Q. Please describe the historical context for Duquesne's past mitigation efforts.

10 A. Throughout the 1970s, various steel companies had informed Duquesne that they intended
11 to add significant high load factor load over the next several years. With these and other
12 additions, it was expected that the Company's total load would approach 3300 MW. All
13 indications were that the Company was deficient in base load capacity and would have to
14 make significant capacity additions in order to fulfill its public service obligation to meet
15 this demand. Consequently, Duquesne had approximately 3,600 MW of capacity in
16 service or under construction and another 400 MW on the drawing board. (Perry Units
17 No. 1 and No. 2 and Beaver Valley Unit No. 2 were under construction and Erie Nuclear
18 Units No. 1 and No. 2 and Davis Besse Units No. 2 and No. 3 were in the planning and
19 design stages).

20 Q. Did this load growth actually occur?

21 A. No. Quite the contrary. The steel making industry in Pittsburgh virtually collapsed. This
22 factor, and its consequent ripple effect through the Pittsburgh economy, was devastating.

1 In fact, by 1982, the Company had lost 50% of its then existing industrial load (700 MW)
2 and 30% of its total load. At the same time, Duquesne was left with expensive new nuclear
3 generating units to serve the base load that had just evaporated. The resulting upward
4 pressure on rates began to manifest itself immediately, with revenue declining and rate
5 base expanding.

6 Q. What steps did the Company take to address this situation?

7 A. Duquesne acted to reduce its planned and existing capacity. In 1980, the Company
8 canceled the four nuclear plants, Erie Unit Nos. 1 and 2, and Davis Besse Units No. 2 and
9 No. 3 which were in the design phase. In 1986, the Company declared a de facto
10 abandonment of Unit No. 2 at the Perry Nuclear Plant. At about the same time, the
11 Company placed its Phillips Generating Station (an older coal-fired unit) and a portion of
12 its Brunot Island Units in "cold reserve" and removed them from its rate base. These
13 actions had the effect of reducing the Company's capacity to approximately 2,800 MW.
14 At the same time, the Company attempted to address its revenue losses by aggressively
15 selling power at wholesale.

16 Q. Was there a point at which this situation became critical for the Company?

17 A. Yes, the lowest point was reached in 1986. In that year both Beaver Valley Unit No. 2 and
18 Perry Unit No. 1 were nearing completion but not producing any revenue. As one can
19 imagine, the associated drain on the Company's financial resources was devastating.
20 Duquesne's bond rating was reduced to "BBB-", the last notch above a junk bond. In
21 order to begin to restore the Company's financial health, the Company reduced its
22 dividend by 41%. (The Company's dividend level has not yet reached the pre-1986 level).
23 The drain on our human resources was also severe. We were forced to lay off 100

1 employees and implement salary reductions and freezes. Throughout these trying times,
2 the Company managed to maintain its standards of customer service and environmental
3 protection. Nevertheless, 1986 was truly a watershed year despite the hardships endured
4 by the Company and its customers. In 1986 the Company formulated and adopted the
5 "Duquesne Plan," which ultimately restored the Company to financial health and led to its
6 ability to contain costs and obviate the need for rate relief. I will discuss the Duquesne
7 Plan in detail after I discuss the Company's 1987 rate case, which was decided in March
8 1988 in Docket R-870651.

9 Q. What were some of the significant results of the rate case that was decided in 1988?

10 A. In that case, the Commission found that the Company required a revenue increase of
11 approximately \$232 million, to be phased-in over a three year period. The phase-in was to
12 be followed by a three-year rate freeze and then a rate decrease of approximately 8% in
13 1994. Although the Commission deemed that 95% of the costs associated with Beaver
14 Valley Unit No. 2 were prudent, the Company was denied any equity return of the
15 investment associated with that plant through December 31, 1991. The Commission also
16 required as a *quid pro quo* for the inclusion in rate base of the investment in Perry Unit
17 No. 1, that an equivalent amount of capacity of the Company's Elrama units be denied an
18 equity return on rate base. Duquesne was also prohibited from continuing to amortize the
19 costs associated with the canceled nuclear units, (Erie Units No. 1 and No. 2 and Davis
20 Besse Units No. 2 and No. 3) which had been authorized in earlier orders. Duquesne was
21 also required to maintain its equity ratio at a level of 40% to 42%.

22 Q. You stated that you wanted to expand upon your description of the Duquesne Plan. What
23 were the central elements of the Duquesne Plan?

1 A. The Duquesne Plan is, perhaps, best expressed in the following quote from the Company's
2 1986 Annual Report:

3 "To become more efficient, more competitive, more
4 market-driven, more customer-oriented and more
5 profitable, we are determined to evolve and change."
6

7 Clearly, long before electric competition became the law in this State, Duquesne
8 recognized that it needed to become a nimble, active competitor if it was to survive and
9 prosper.

Duquesne Aggressively Pursued Cost Containment

10 Q. What cost containment measures did you undertake?

11 A. The Company began an aggressive fuel cost reduction effort. For example, in 1988 our
12 average fuel component in base rates was 16.45 mills per kwh. Today our fuel cost is
13 capped at 14.70 mills per kwh¹. We established cost containment and reduction
14 programs for both capital expenditures and O&M. Since 1988, the Company's capital
15 expenditures have averaged just \$101 million annually or approximately two thirds of
16 the Company's normal depreciation level. The Company's O&M costs have been
17 reduced in nominal terms from \$342 million in 1988 to \$331 million in 1996. Also,
18 since the implementation of the Duquesne Plan, the Company's workforce has been
19 reduced from 4,500 to today's level of 3,500 with most of this reduction being
20 accomplished through attrition and hiring freezes.

Duquesne Completed an Aggressive Financial Restructuring

21 Q. What other efforts were undertaken?

¹ Under the Fort Martin Agreement, the fuel component is permitted to be no higher than 14.7 mills per kWh and is currently being charged at a much lower rate (12.8 mills per kWh).

1 A. Duquesne embarked upon an aggressive financial restructuring program to reduce our
2 capital costs through the sale and leaseback of Beaver Valley No. 2, debt refinancing
3 and a buy-back of equity. Since 1988, the Company has reduced its outstanding debt
4 by \$216 million, reduced its outstanding preferred and preference stock by \$25 million
5 and has repurchased \$270 million of its common stock. Also, in 1996, the Company
6 declared a one time dividend of \$150 million to DQE which further reduced the
7 Company's equity capitalization. As a result of these programs, the Company's interest
8 cost has been reduced by approximately \$60 million and the Company's overall cost of
9 capital has dropped from 10.94% in 1988 to just 9.61% which compares favorably with
10 the other electric utilities in Pennsylvania. At the same time as we were reducing the
11 cost of capital through financial restructuring, we were adding flexibility to our
12 financing ability by replacing our 1947 mortgage indenture. The Company's new
13 mortgage indenture will make it much easier for the Company to truly "unbundle" its
14 assets and to continue to downsize its capital structure.

Duquesne Aggressively Pursued New Sources of Market Revenues

15 Q. What has Duquesne done to maximize market revenues?

16 A. Earlier, I mentioned the Company's off system sales. We aggressively pursued this
17 source of revenue and flowed through the benefits to our customers. Off-system sales
18 prior to the sale of Ft. Martin have averaged 3,000 gwh per year making the Company a
19 major seller of power in the wholesale market. This has produced significant gross
20 margins (\$10 to \$12 million per year) that lessened the rate burden on our customers
21 through a credit to the Company's fuel clause. We also vigorously pursued economic

1 development activities in our service territory in an effort to increase revenues in a
2 manner that would reduce the need for rate increases for all customers. Duquesne
3 pursued numerous economic development activities, such as: the adoption of economic
4 development riders to our tariff (which offer reduced rates to new customers for up to
5 five years); the adoption of "Rule 4" (which allows the company to negotiate
6 confidential rates with large customers); a loan program for developers who agree to
7 use electric equipment; maintenance of a database of potential development sites; and
8 active participation in the business community. As a result of these programs and
9 others, Duquesne's industrial and commercial sales growth in recent years has been
10 strong and recently our peak load has once again reached its 1981 level.

Accelerated Depreciation and Asset Sales Have Mitigated Stranded Costs

- 11 Q. When did the Company first accelerate depreciation related to its nuclear facilities?
- 12 A. The Company increased the depreciation expense related to Perry by \$25 million in
13 1995. Duquesne was the first company in Pennsylvania to request such an increase in
14 depreciation without a corresponding request for a rate increase. This was made
15 possible because of the previously discussed mitigation strategies.
- 16 Q. Please describe the Ft. Martin sale and rate agreement.
- 17 A. In continued pursuit of its mitigation strategies, the Company negotiated the sale to AYP
18 Capital, Inc. (an unregulated subsidiary of Allegheny Power Systems, Inc. ("APS")) of
19 its 50% interest (267 MW) in Unit 1 of the Ft. Martin Power Station, which is located on
20 the Monongahela River between Morgantown, West Virginia and Point Marion,
21 Pennsylvania. The sale of the Company's interest in this plant enabled it to sell, at a
22 price of \$169 million, an asset that because of the West Virginia Export Tax, was

1 relatively expensive for the Company to operate. Moreover, the Company's sale of this
2 asset enabled it to propose to the Commission the Ft. Martin Agreement which produced
3 very substantial benefits for customers.

4 Q. Please discuss the Ft. Martin Agreement and its attendant benefits.

5 A. The principal elements of the Ft. Martin Agreement, contained in the Company's
6 amended petition to the Commission for its approval of the sale of the Ft. Martin plan to
7 AYP Capital, Inc. are, as follows:

- 8 1. Duquesne shall cap its rates through December 31, 2000.
- 9 2. Duquesne will use its net proceeds from the sale to record a one time
10 reduction of \$130 million (pre-tax) in the value of its nuclear plant investment;
- 11 3. The Company will restore to service its generating units located at its Brunot
12 Island Power Station;
- 13 4. Duquesne will increase its annual depreciation and amortization by \$25
14 million for the years 1996, 1997 and 1998 for its nuclear units;
- 15 5. The Company will increase its annual contribution to its nuclear
16 decommissioning trust fund by \$5 million;
- 17 6. Duquesne will cap its energy costs in its Energy Cost Rate at 14.7 mills
18 per kwh, including a \$5 million credit to offset the loss of potential off-system
19 sales from the Ft. Martin Plant;
- 20 7. Duquesne will begin to amortize its \$51.1 million in rate synchronization costs
21 for Beaver Valley Unit No. 2 and Perry Unit No. 1 with an initial \$9 million
22 charge off followed by a ten year amortization of the remaining balance of \$42
23 million; and

1 8. The Company will contribute \$500,000 annually to assist low income
2 customers.

3 The Office of Consumer Advocate ("OCA") concurred in the Company's proposal, and
4 the Commission, by order entered June 20, 1996, approved it as being in the public
5 interest.

Duquesne Has Used Innovative Tax Planning Strategies to Mitigate Stranded Costs

6 Q. Please explain how Duquesne has and will continue to mitigate its stranded costs
7 through innovative tax planning.

8 A. The Company is providing in its cost of service a tax allocation factor which lowers its
9 effective tax rate from 41% to 24%. This lower tax rate reflects the tax benefits of
10 certain investments made at subsidiaries of Duquesne. *Previously flowed through tax*
11 benefits have now reversed and are causing taxable income for both federal and state
12 income tax purposes to be higher than regulatory book net income. The tax benefits
13 mitigate the taxes that would otherwise be payable by customers in rates. Going
14 forward, the Company is reflecting the future tax benefits of certain investments made at
15 Duquesne and its subsidiaries to mitigate nearly \$300 million of the Company's
16 potential stranded costs.

17

18 The Internal Revenue Code was amended in 1982 to encourage companies to invest
19 capital in fixed assets within the U.S. and allowed for accelerated depreciation of those
20 investments under a system known as the ACRS depreciation system. Under the ACRS
21 system nuclear power plants were depreciated over a ten year period using a 150%
22 declining balance methodology. Thus, Duquesne's investment in Perry Unit No. 1 and

1 Beaver Valley Unit No. 2 were depreciated for tax purposes over 10 years. For
2 ratemaking purposes these investments would be depreciated over their expected
3 operating period of 40 years. In both of its most recent base rate cases, R-860378 and
4 R-870651, Duquesne was required to flow through to customers the state income tax
5 benefit of the ACRS tax depreciation exceeding the ratemaking depreciation, as well as
6 certain federal income tax benefits for deducting certain costs currently for income tax
7 purposes (as opposed to capitalizing for regulatory accounting purposes). This
8 regulatory treatment causes significant income tax liability to be recognized
9 commencing with the year the regulatory depreciation exceeds the income tax
10 depreciation and continuing through the regulatory accounting life of the plant.
11 Duquesne recognized early on that, absent any mitigation, these future tax burdens
12 caused by the reversal of the accelerated depreciation would have to be borne by its
13 customers through higher rates.

14
15 Beginning in 1995, Duquesne and its subsidiaries invested in a series of investments
16 whose returns were centered around the income tax benefits which the Company could
17 use to mitigate its growing tax burden. These investments included investments in
18 affordable housing projects, investments in Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") Section 29
19 alternative fuels projects, as well as, leasehold interest investments. The affordable
20 housing projects are all located within the state of Pennsylvania and the majority of the
21 investments are actually located within the service territory of the Company. These
22 projects provide affordable housing to low-income families and supplement the
23 investors' return with income tax credits. The Section 29 alternative fuels projects are

1 investments in gas projects which economically would not warrant development but for
2 the income tax credits which the U.S. Congress created to enhance energy exploration
3 and development by investors. These projects are also all within the state of
4 Pennsylvania. Finally, Duquesne invested through a subsidiary in a series of leasehold
5 interests which were structured to pass on the tax benefits of lease arrangements from
6 lessees who would not otherwise have been able to realize these tax benefits for a variety
7 of circumstances. In total, through these tax advantaged vehicles, Duquesne is
8 providing a reduction in its effective tax rate from 41% (a rate which reflects the reversal
9 of the previously flowed through benefits) to only 24%.

DQE Passed On Tax Planning Expertise to Benefit Customers

10 Q. How did Duquesne acquire the expertise to enter into tax advantaged investments?

11 A. In 1989, DQE was formed as a holding company, both to help meet competition and to
12 strengthen the Company's financial position. Due to the initial inherent riskiness, an
13 unregulated subsidiary of DQE was used as the vehicle for DQE's first tax advantaged
14 transactions involving leveraged leases. In 1993, DQE entered the field of affordable
15 housing through an unregulated subsidiary. Essentially, the federal government
16 subsidizes affordable housing transactions by providing tax benefits. Prior to DQE's
17 involvement, most of the affordable housing credits in Pennsylvania went to
18 Philadelphia, almost none went to Pittsburgh. Having developed the expertise in this
19 area (and, more importantly, having absorbed the initial risk) DQE then shared that
20 expertise with Duquesne, which allowed the Company to develop its own affordable
21 housing projects in Pittsburgh. These projects provide multiple benefits. They not only
22 help the local economy (by injecting capital) and low income residents (who are given

1 access to good quality, affordable housing), but they also reduce Duquesne's federal
2 income tax rate and, hence, its overall cost of service. These projects also demonstrate
3 the feasibility of "all electric" energy for such developments.

4 Q. Was the expertise in Section 29 transactions and tax advantaged lease transactions
5 similarly transferred from DQE to Duquesne?

6 A. Yes. For the transactions known as alternative fuels transactions which qualify for tax
7 credits under IRC Section 29, as with the affordable housing projects, the expertise was
8 developed by DQE's unregulated subsidiary which took the initial risks associated with
9 the transaction. When it became clear that the risks were manageable, the expertise was
10 then shared with Duquesne so that it could benefit from this tax planning strategy.
11 These transactions were especially valuable because they permitted Duquesne to obtain
12 an entry into the natural gas business and to take advantage of the convergence in the
13 energy market. The expertise for the other type of transactions known as Leasehold
14 Interest transactions were similarly transferred. Again, DQE first entered into these
15 transactions in 1994. When it became clear that they were viable and the risk was
16 manageable, the expertise was shared with Duquesne. In 1995, the Diemen-Flevo
17 transaction became available in the Netherlands and Duquesne was able to take
18 advantage of it due to the expertise developed by DQE, thereby reducing the Company's
19 Federal Income tax rate and, hence, its cost of service.

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21 As a direct consequence of all of these tax planning strategies, Duquesne has been able
22 to lower its effective Federal Income Tax rate to just 24%. In most cases, utilities are
23 seeking to transfer expertise developed at the regulated level to unregulated affiliates or

1 subsidiaries and keep all of the benefits for the shareholders. Here, in stark contrast,
2 DQE developed tax mitigation expertise at the unregulated level and, rather than
3 keeping all of the benefits for shareholders, allowed the regulated subsidiary, Duquesne,
4 to participate in the tax planning strategies. This participation has produced direct
5 benefits to the form of lower costs that have enabled the Company to forego rate
6 increases until 2001 and aggressively mitigate its stranded costs.

Duquesne Has Pursued Other Sources of Mitigation

7 Q. Are there other major areas where the Company has successfully mitigated its stranded
8 costs?

9 A. Yes. We have successfully mitigated our stranded costs by reducing the unfunded portion
10 of nuclear decommissioning costs and by writing off part of our "early window" costs.

11 Q. Explain how the Company reduced the unfunded portion of Nuclear Decommissioning.

12 A. Without additional rate relief from the Commission, Duquesne has increased its annual
13 funding of nuclear decommissioning expense from \$1,345,467 to \$8,762,097. This
14 amount is more than six times higher than the amount authorized by the Commission and
15 included in the Company's rates. In Duquesne's most recent base rate case (R-870651),
16 the Commission allowed annual recovery through then current rates of \$1,345,467. The
17 Company was limited to funding that amount of its estimated decommissioning liability in
18 a "qualified trust" by Internal Revenue Code § 468A. In 1994, the Company sought and
19 obtained a landmark ruling from the National office of the IRS, which for the first time
20 allowed funding for nuclear decommissioning to be placed into a "qualified trust" based
21 on an accounting order of the Commission, rather than a base rate increase, as had been
22 previously required. At the same time, the Company received an order, in Docket P-

1 00940843, which recognized an increase in annual funding of nuclear decommissioning
2 expense to \$3,624,486 without a concomitant base rate increase. In a public meeting held
3 October 17, 1996, the Commission issued an order in Docket P-00911110, which further
4 increased the Company's funding of decommissioning (consistent with the Ft. Martin rate
5 agreement) of the BV Unit Nos. 1 and 2 and Perry Unit 1 to \$8,762,097, again without
6 increasing base rates to customers.

7 Q. Explain how the Company has mitigated its regulatory assets through its treatment of
8 Deferred Rate Synchronization or "Early Window" Costs.

9 A. In Duquesne's petition in Docket P-870222, the PUC granted the Company's request for
10 "early window" rate treatment for Beaver Valley Unit No. 2 and Perry Unit No. 1. As part
11 of the settlement agreement related to the sale of the Ft. Martin plant, Duquesne agreed to
12 write-off \$9.0 million of these deferred, early window costs. Moreover, the company
13 agreed to amortize the remaining \$42 million of these early window costs over a ten year
14 period without any increase in rates to customers.

Duquesne Has Moderated Rates

15 A. Section 2808(c)(5) of the Customer Choice Act states:

16 "of equal importance to the mitigation efforts under paragraph
17 (4)(I) through (VI), the Commission shall consider efforts
18 undertaken over time, prior to the enactment of this chapter to
19 reduce or moderate customer rate levels while maintaining safe and
20 efficient operations."

21 Q. How has Duquesne complied with the Act to moderate rate levels?

22 A. Duquesne has not requested a base rate increase since 1988. Since 1992 (the last year of
23 the Company's rate phase-in from the 1988 rate order) both the nominal and real cost of
24 electricity in Duquesne's service territory has fallen and the decline in real terms is

1 expected to continue throughout the transition. This could not have been accomplished
2 without extraordinary even heroic efforts by Duquesne's employees and the sacrifices
3 made by both employees and the Company's shareholders. Indeed, when one considers
4 the situation with which the Company was faced in 1982, it is nothing short of a miracle
5 that Duquesne has managed to contain its costs and reduce its rates.

6 Q. How do Duquesne's rates compare to other utilities?

7 A. Duquesne's charges to its residential customers are often mischaracterized as being high
8 because they are expressed in terms of cents per kilowatt hour. This ignores the fact that
9 Duquesne has one of the lowest average usage levels (i.e., 500 kwh/month) for residential
10 customers of any Company in the country. When Duquesne's charges to customers are
11 expressed as an average monthly bill the Company finds itself in the middle of the pack
12 when compared to other U.S. utilities and actually lower than the Pennsylvania average.
13 Duquesne's commercial rates compare favorably to the ECAR and MAAC averages and
14 its industrial rates are below average in the ECAR and MAAC regions.

15 Q. Has Duquesne maintained safe and efficient operations?

16 A. Yes. The Company has maintained its commitment to safe and efficient service. Perhaps
17 this is best evidenced by the fact that we are the only electric company in the state to
18 guarantee service by offering a \$25 bill credit if we are not on time for appointments, do
19 not connect a new customer within 24 hours, do not provide an accurate bill or do not act
20 professionally and courteously in our dealings with our customers. While the Company
21 has reduced overall capital spending it has made significant investments in the customer
22 service area. In 1992 the Company completed a new \$24 million customer information
23 system (DISCUS). Our field representatives use laptop computers to enhance their service

1 capabilities and were singled out by Lotus for the development of this unique application
2 of their Notes™ software. Currently the Company is working with ITRON to install the
3 Customer Advanced Reliability System (CARS) which will enable two-way wireless
4 communication between the Company and a customer's meter. Historically Duquesne's
5 reliability and safety records have been above average, and the Company is committed to
6 maintaining its high standards.

7 Q. You spoke earlier about the Ft. Martin Agreement having imposed a rate cap. For how
8 long have Duquesne's rates remained essentially frozen?

9 A. The Company has not sought a base rate increase since 1987. That case produced a rate
10 increase in March 1988. The Ft. Martin Agreement caps the Company's base rates and fuel
11 clause until October of 2001. Therefore, prior to the passage of the Act, Duquesne had
12 already taken actions that resulted in a rate cap through 2001. In effect, the Company was
13 operating under a self-imposed regime of price cap regulation significantly before the
14 Legislature even took action to restructure Pennsylvania's electric industry. While the Act
15 specifically permits the Commission to prospectively employ performance based rates and
16 alternative regulation in Section 2806(I), in fact Duquesne has been operating under the
17 discipline of incentive regulation since 1988.

Duquesne Has Achieved Efficiencies Through Price Cap Regulation

18 Q. Are you equating price cap regulation with performance based regulation?

19 A. Yes, absolutely. In the "old world" of cost plus regulation, cost increases were passed on
20 to customers in the form of higher rates. With our last rate increase in 1988, we concluded
21 that our rates had reached levels that could impede our ability to compete. We therefore

1 determined to completely change our corporate philosophy to stress competition and cost
2 reduction. We were determined to "live within our means," directing all of our efforts to
3 reducing our costs and operating more efficiently, rather than to rate cases and increased
4 prices, to earn appropriate returns for our shareholders.

5 Q. Have these efforts been successful?

6 A. Our record of being able to avoid base rate increases for almost 14 years (March of 1988
7 to October of 2001) speaks for itself. Moreover, we have reduced our rates in nominal
8 terms and the effect of inflation over that period has made our product increasingly less
9 expensive in real terms than it was in 1988.

10 Q. What was the average base rate allowed in the last rate case in 1988?

11 A. In 1988 the average rate level allowed was 9.9 cents/kwh.

12 Q. How does that compare to the average base rate level today?

13 A. Today's average rate level is 8.8 cents/kwh.

14 Q. What percentage decrease does this represent?

15 A. In nominal terms, this is a 12.5% decrease in rates.

16 Q. Is this a representative figure?

17 A. Not particularly, because during the period from 1988 to today, inflation has continued.
18 Therefore, in real terms rates had actually decreased 24% by 1996; and are expected to
19 decrease a total of 40% by 2000.

20 Q. Earlier in your testimony you alluded to the fact that Duquesne's unit cost rates were
21 higher than the average electricity rates in Pennsylvania. Is that a particularly relevant
22 statistic?

1 A. I do not believe it to be. As I have previously pointed out, usage is an important factor.
2 As well, because Duquesne operates primarily in a major urban area with the high cost of
3 an underground system in the downtown area, it is more relevant to compare our rates to
4 those charged by utilities serving other large metropolitan areas. Viewed in that
5 perspective, Duquesne's rates are certainly in line with other companies. Duquesne's
6 average residential rate was approximately 11.7 cents per kwh in 1995. In contrast,
7 PECO's average residential rate was nearly 13 cents in 1995, Boston Edison's rate was
8 12.5 cents and Consolidated Edison's rate was over 16 cents. Additionally, Southern
9 California Edison's and PG&E's residential rate were both over 12 cents. It should be
10 noted, however, that none of those companies suffered load losses comparable to the
11 devastating load losses suffered by Duquesne in the early 1980's and all of these
12 companies have significantly higher average residential usage levels than Duquesne.

Company Shareholders Have Borne Costs of Mitigation

13 Q. How have the Company's shareholders been affected by the Company's mitigation
14 strategies.

15 A. The Company's shareholders have borne a significant portion of the burden of Duquesne's
16 mitigation strategies. Since the Company's last base rate case the Company's shareholders
17 have never achieved the 12.87% return on equity authorized by the Commission and, to
18 date, the DQE dividend level has not returned to the level set for Duquesne at the end of
19 1985.

Duquesne Has Balanced Other Stakeholder Interests While Mitigating Stranded Costs

20 Q. How have the interests of the Company's other stakeholders been balanced?

1 A. I have previously discussed some of the effects of the Company's mitigation strategies on
2 employees and the burdens employees have borne as a result. On the positive side,
3 however, the Company received the EEI Diversity Award in 1994 and 1995 and the EEI
4 Minority Business Development Award in 1996. The Company has extended the current
5 contract with its bargaining unit employees to 2001. Throughout this period the Company
6 has instituted several innovative programs including pay for knowledge at power stations,
7 a performance based 401K matching program, cafeteria style benefit plans, part-time work
8 in certain areas, cost effective health care plans, and other pro-employee benefits. The
9 Company has created a motivated workforce that is expected to perform at high standards
10 and has done this while reducing the size of the total workforce and its costs.

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12 At the same time, the Company has consistently been an environmental leader. This is
13 most recently evidenced by receipt of the 1996 Governor's Award for Environmental
14 Excellence which recognized the Company's efforts in the air pollution area. The
15 Company has a long record of environmental achievement ranging from being the first
16 company in the country to install a full plant scrubber system, to the creation of the natural
17 habitat on Brunot Island. The Company's generation system met all of the requirements of
18 Phase I of the Clean Air Act long before the deadline for compliance.

19 In addition to its environmental leadership, the Company has been an outstanding
20 corporate citizen. Duquesne Light contributes approximately \$2,000,000 (grants and in-
21 kind donations) to educational, health, civic and human service organizations annually.
22 The Company and its customers contribute over \$800,000 to the Dollar Energy Fund

1 annually. This is a matching program in which customer contributions are matched dollar
2 for dollar by Duquesne Light. Duquesne and its employees contribute approximately
3 \$1,000,000 annually to the United Way of Southwestern Pennsylvania, making it the
4 area's 6th largest corporate contributor. Each year, Duquesne Light loans seven employees
5 to the United Way Loaned Representative program, making it the most generous corporate
6 supporter of this program in our region.

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8 In the area of education, our 12-year-old Partners In Education program operates under the
9 philosophy that, by enhancing the physical and human resources in area schools, we can
10 help students increase their level of achievement. Under this special relationship with five
11 area school districts in Allegheny and Beaver counties, Duquesne Light provides grants,
12 job-shadowing experiences with company employees, field trips to company facilities,
13 supplies and equipment, cultural experiences, and teacher development.

14 Employee volunteerism is an equal partner with corporate giving in the company's total
15 community outreach program. An internal organization called the Employee Community
16 Advisory Committee (ECAC) coordinates volunteer activities, offering employees a
17 variety of ways to contribute their time and talents. Among the annual projects ECAC
18 sponsors are: Scouting for Food, Juvenile Diabetes Race for the Cure, and United Way
19 Day of Caring. Some 40 employees also volunteer their time, expertise and enthusiasm as
20 members of the Duquesne Light Speakers Team. Each year, they make nearly 200
21 presentations to schools, community, senior citizen, and professional groups on topics
22 related to electric safety, usage, efficiency, and reliability; and the environment.

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2 The Company has also provided a significant amount of assistance to its low income
3 customers. The Company contributes \$500,000 annually to its Pilot Customer Assistance
4 program which gives low income customers a chance to zero-out arrearages in their
5 electric bills and reduce consumption to affordable levels. \$700,000 is contributed to
6 "Smart Comfort" a program for low income customers to make more efficient use of
7 electricity. The "Smart Comfort" program received the Governor's Energy Award in both
8 1992 and 1993. The "Smart Comfort" program received the Governor's Energy Award in
9 both 1992 and 1993. Our "CARES" program helps payment troubled customers with
10 special needs to obtain the necessary social support and assistance. The Company's
11 hardship fund is a partnership with the Dollar Energy Fund in which the Company's
12 stockholders match contributions up to \$325,000 annually while the Company provides
13 administrative support. The Company also has a "Gatekeeper" program to identify
14 situations where social support is needed and offers consumer credit counseling services.

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16 Overall the Company has done an admirable job of balancing the diverse interests of all of
17 its stakeholders.

**Duquesne Will Mitigate \$1.0 Billion of Potentially Stranded Costs
And Has Avoided \$700 Million of Rate Increases**

18 Q. Could you summarize Duquesne's mitigation efforts?

19 A. Yes. A quantification of the various mitigation strategies previously discussed is
20 presented in Exhibit DJC-2. The exhibit shows that by December 31, 1998 Duquesne will
21 have mitigated \$340 million of potentially stranded costs and that by December 31, 2005

1 the Company will have reduced its potentially stranded costs by approximately \$1,030
2 million. The exhibit also shows that the Company has avoided some \$700 million of rate
3 increases which would have been required had the Company not pursued its aggressive
4 mitigation strategies. Duquesne has actively engaged in mitigation efforts for more than
5 ten years. Even though the Company was dealt crushing blow by the loss of steel load in
6 the early 1980s it has rebounded while balancing the interests of its customers,
7 shareholders, employees and other stakeholders. Duquesne pursued aggressive cost
8 containment for fuel, O&M and capital additions. Duquesne was the only company in
9 Pennsylvania to use the proceeds of a sale and leaseback transaction to financially
10 restructure itself and significantly reduce its cost of capital. Duquesne has been a
11 significant seller of power in the wholesale market and has passed all of the benefits of
12 these sales to ratepayers through its fuel clause. The Company was the first Company in
13 the state to voluntarily accelerate depreciation related to nuclear plants and has increased
14 its depreciation and amortization rate by more than any other utility in the state. Duquesne
15 is the only Company who has voluntarily increased its nuclear decommissioning funding
16 level to over six times the amount originally included in rates. Duquesne is the only
17 company in the state to sell a power plant and use the gain to offset a portion of its
18 stranded cost. Duquesne is the only Company to use innovative tax planning strategies to
19 mitigate stranded costs. Duquesne has reduced its base rates since 1992 while other
20 companies in Pennsylvania have received rate increases. Duquesne's mitigation plan has
21 complied with both the letter and intent of the Act and should be recognized by the
22 Commission in determining that Duquesne is indeed entitled to an opportunity to fully
23 recover its stranded costs. In addition to our stand alone proposals, a critical mitigation

1 strategy to be employed by the Company is the proposed merger with Allegheny Power
2 Systems² Approval of the merger will permit the Company to commit to an additional
3 \$160 million of depreciation and amortization, a \$25 million reduction in our distribution
4 rates beginning July 1, 2001, and a rate freeze for distribution through 2005. In addition,
5 it is likely that our stranded costs as of December 31, 2005 will be \$200 million less than
6 they would be without the merger and that the merger synergies will enable the Company
7 to shorten its stranded cost recovery period.

IV. DUQUESNE PROPOSES A MARKET-BASED RESTRUCTURING PLAN FOR CALCULATION AND RECOVERY OF STRANDED COSTS

8 Q. You have described the mitigation efforts of the Company in the first part of your
9 testimony. How does the Company propose to recover its "Transition or Stranded Costs"
10 during the Transition Period?

11 A. Section 2803 of the Customer Choice Act defines "Transition or Stranded Costs" as:

12 "An electric utility's known and measurable net electric
13 generation-related costs, determined on a net present value basis
14 over the life of the asset or liability as part of its restructuring plan,
15 which traditionally would be recoverable under a regulated
16 environment but which may not be recoverable in a competitive
17 electric generation market and which the Commission determines
18 will remain following mitigation by the electric utility."

19 In my testimony, I have used the term "stranded costs" to refer broadly to these costs.
20 Most of the Company's stranded costs fall into two categories; generation related
21 stranded costs (including future decommissioning expense) and regulatory assets. A third
22 category, transition costs, are smaller in magnitude and include such items as the cost of
23 our restructuring filing, the cost of customer choice education programs, and the cost of

² The details of the Company's merger application and combined restructuring proposals are set forth in the joint restructuring plan filing.

1 implementing the pilot program. Generation related stranded costs arise because it is
2 expected that the market price of power will not support both a return on and return of the
3 historic investments made by companies in generating assets when all future cash flows,
4 including fuel cost, operating and maintenance expenses, future capital expenditures, and
5 taxes are considered. Regulatory assets are assets which have been created because there
6 has been either an explicit or implicit regulatory promise that such amounts will be
7 recoverable and provided for in future revenues. In other words, regulatory assets are
8 created (or impaired) by the actions of regulators. Mr. O'Brien in his testimony
9 (Duquesne Statement No. 4) further explains how investors have relied upon these
10 regulatory promises.

Duquesne Proposes to Recover its Stranded Costs Under a Rate Cap

11 Q. Please describe Duquesne's approach to stranded cost recovery.

12 A. The starting point for Duquesne's approach is section 2804 (4)(v) of the Customer Choice
13 Act, which states:

14 "If an electric distribution utility rolls its energy cost rate into base rates at a
15 combined level that does not exceed its combined level of such rates which have
16 been approved by the Commission as of the Effective Date of this chapter, the
17 utility shall not be required to reduce its capped rates below the capped level upon
18 the compliant of any party if the Commission determines that any excess earnings
19 achieved under the cap are being utilized to mitigate transition or stranded costs
20 for the benefit of ratepayers or to offset other known and measurable cost
21 increases that would be recoverable under traditional ratemaking but are not
22 included within the capped rates."

23 Pursuant to this provision, Duquesne is rolling into current base rates an energy cost rate
24 that is cost-justified and equal to the ECR cap approved by the Commission as part of the
25 Ft. Martin Agreement. In addition, Duquesne is committing to accelerate the
26 depreciation and amortization of stranded costs in an amount that (when added to test

1 year revenue requirements) will result in a total revenue requirement equal to the
2 revenues produced by current rate levels. As I will discuss below, this depreciation and
3 amortization level is a minimum commitment and Duquesne's investors bear the risk that
4 maintaining this commitment will depress earnings. In the event, however, that revenues
5 exceed expected levels, or the cost of service is lower than expected, Duquesne is
6 proposing an ROE spillover mechanism that will, as contemplated by the statute, ensure
7 that the associated revenues are used to further mitigate stranded costs.

8 Q. Section 2804 (4)(v) refers to the mitigation of stranded costs, but does not refer to a
9 specific stranded cost calculation. Why is this?

10 A. Section 2804 (4)(v) contemplates an approach under which a utility can continue to
11 charge rates at current levels if it can support such rate levels with its test year revenue
12 requirement calculation plus an annual depreciation and amortization of stranded costs.
13 Thus, whatever "total" stranded costs may be, the utility can continue to charge rates each
14 year at current levels so long as it uses any potentially excess revenues to accelerate the
15 depreciation and amortization of stranded costs.

16 Q. Will Duquesne do a specific calculation of stranded costs at some time in the future?

17 A. Yes. As discussed in the testimony of Mr. Schnitzer (Duquesne Statement No. 3),
18 Duquesne is proposing a final market-based valuation in mid-2003. This will determine
19 stranded costs after netting out the accelerated depreciation and amortization under the
20 rate cap.

Duquesne is Entitled to a Rate Cap Under Section 2804(4)(V)

21 Q. To show you are entitled to a rate cap, doesn't Duquesne need to calculate the stranded
22 costs that would be amortized?

1 A. Yes, but in a narrow respect. As detailed in Mr. Schnitzer's testimony, Duquesne must
2 make a *prima facie* showing that:

- 3 • Excess earnings achieved under the cap will be utilized to mitigate transition or
4 stranded costs for the benefit of ratepayers under the proposed minimum amortization
5 commitments and ROE spillover mechanism
- 6 • The market value of generation beginning in 2006 is below the book value of
7 generation and generation-related regulatory assets net of the committed minimum
8 level of depreciation and amortization.

9 Q. How will you make the first showing? .

10 A. My analysis quantifies the level of generation related depreciation and amortization that
11 can be achieved between 1999 and 2005 under a generation price freeze, while still
12 providing the Company with an opportunity to earn a fair return on invested capital. As
13 shown in Exhibit DJC-3, this analysis indicates that the net book value of the Company's
14 generation related assets can be reduced by approximately \$1.7 billion under the price cap
15 leaving a net book value of approximately \$535 million.

16 Q. How will you make the second showing?

17 A. My analysis compared the estimated range of market value of the Company's generatory
18 stations as of December 31, 2005, with the projected net book value of its generating
19 assets and regulatory assets with depreciation and amortization of no less than \$1.7
20 billion. This analysis demonstrates that the Company will likely have remaining stranded
21 costs of \$8 to \$582 million at the end of 2005, depending on the level of market prices in
22 2006 and beyond.

1 Q. Please describe the results for each station as shown on Exhibit DJC-3.

2 A. Exhibit DJC-3 shows the gross plant value, accumulated depreciation, accumulated
3 deferred income tax and accumulated investment tax credit balances for each station as of
4 December 31, 1996 and the bring down of these balances to December 31, 2005. These
5 net plant balances are then used as the basis for determining the Company's range of
6 stranded generation cost remaining as of December 31, 2005.

7 Q. How did you estimate the market value of the Company's generating assets as of year end
8 2005 for purposes of showing that Duquesne will still have stranded costs?

9 A. The market value of the Company's generating assets as of year end 2005 was estimated
10 using a margin analysis approach. The future cash flows or "to go" costs were assembled
11 for each of the Company's generating stations through the end of its book life. These
12 amounts were then deducted from a forecast of market revenues for each of the Company's
13 generating stations using a range of market prices as forecasted by Mr. Schnitzer (Duquesne
14 Statement No. 3). As described in Mr. Schnitzer's testimony, the range of prices is a
15 market price ceiling based on the cost of entry of new gas-fired combined cycle capacity.
16 The margin contribution of generation was tax affected and then discounted at the
17 Company's after-tax cost of capital to arrive at the market value of the generating portfolio
18 as of December 31, 2005. These results are summarized in Exhibit DJC-3.

19 Q. I notice that other Duquesne witnesses have criticized the use of market price "forecasts."
20 Why are you using one to estimate stranded costs?

21 A. I am doing so for the narrow purpose of making the *prima facie* showing that Duquesne is
22 entitled to continue its rate cap through 2005. The process of setting a "known and
23 measurable" CTC for individual customers, and of making a final determination of any

1 generation values beyond 2005, is a distinct undertaking and one that uses the market-based
2 valuations described in the testimony of Mr. Schnitzer.

3 Q. What do you conclude based on your comparison of estimated book and market values in
4 2005?

5 A. Given a range of \$(47) million to \$527 million of market value based on Mr. Schnitzer's
6 estimate of the market price ceiling, the results of this analysis show that as of December
7 31, 2005 the Company will likely have from \$582 million of stranded costs under the low
8 market value to \$8 million of stranded costs under the high market value. Thus, it is likely
9 that Duquesne will have stranded costs remaining in 2006 over a wide range of potential
10 market prices.

11 Q. What do you conclude about Duquesne's showing for purposes of Section 2804(4)(v)?

12 A. Duquesne has made a *prima facie* showing of both of the propositions required under
13 Section 2804(4)(v) and is therefore entitled to a price cap during the Transition Period.

Stranded Costs Are Likely to Remain in 2005

14 Q. Please elaborate on the estimate of stranded costs you made as of 2005. What do the unit
15 by unit margin calculations show?

16 A. Pages 44 to 67 of Exhibit DJC-3 shows the margin calculation for each of the Company's
17 stations. The schedule shows the market revenues to be derived from each station. The
18 market revenue for each station was determined based on Mr. Schnitzer's range of market
19 prices. For purposes of the analysis Duquesne's equivalent availability factor were
20 assumed to be maintained at historic levels. Once the market revenues by plant were

1 determined the "to go" costs were deducted to arrive at the contribution margin from each
2 plant.

3 In addition to direct cost at each station an allocation of administrative and general
4 expenses was made based on the overhead allocation methodology described in detail in
5 Mr. O'Brien's testimony (Duquesne Statement No. 4). Once the margin calculations
6 were complete the margin contributions were tax affected and then discounted at the
7 Company's after-tax cost of capital. The sums of these amounts by plant were then
8 compared to the Company's net book value amounts by plant at December 31, 2005.
9 Duquesne's range of generation related stranded costs of \$8 to \$582 million was then
10 computed by deducting the estimated market values from the Company's net book
11 values. The results show that Duquesne's generating plants will have unamortized
12 stranded costs, as follows: Beaver Valley 1 - \$36 to (\$92) million (benefit), Beaver
13 Valley 2 - \$28 to (\$34) million (benefit), Perry - \$34 million, Cheswick - \$20 to \$179
14 million, Elrama - \$35 million, Mansfield - \$129 to (\$11) million (benefit), Sammis - \$11
15 million to \$46 million, Eastlake - \$27 to \$53 million, Brunot Island - \$8 to \$32 million
16 and Phillips - \$10 million.

Supporting Data Confirms Stranded Cost Analysis

17 Q. What other supporting data are provided for the "to go" costs and market based revenue
18 forecasts?

19 A. The fixed and variable production costs, load forecasts and plant availability data are
20 consistent with the revised Integrated Resource Plan which has been provided in response to
21 Appendix A, Item G-7 and is being supported by Mr. Mark Karl (Duquesne Statement No.

1 9). The capital expenditure forecast by generating station is being supported by Messrs.
2 Nelson and Duckworth (Duquesne Statement Nos. 10 and 11). As previously stated, the
3 range of market price ceilings forecast beyond 2005 is supported by the testimony of Mr.
4 Michael Schnitzer (Duquesne Statement No. 3).

5 Q. How were the Beaver Valley Unit No. 2 lease payments included in your analysis of
6 generation related stranded costs?

7 A. The Beaver Valley Unit No. 2 lease payments beyond 2005 were discounted at the after tax
8 cost of capital and the accelerated amortization applied to the lease (including earnings)
9 through 2005 were netted. This amount was then added to the Company's net book values
10 at December 31, 2005 before the comparisons to market values were made.

11 Q. Has the Company included "cold reserved" units in its stranded cost determination?

12 A. Yes. The company has included the Phillips Power Station and the cold reserved portion
13 of the Brunot Island Power station in its determination of stranded costs.

14 Q. Given stranded cost recovery for your cold reserved units, how would the Company treat
15 any proceeds from sales of these assets?

16 A. There is no market for the Company's cold reserved units at this time. However, should
17 these assets prove to be valuable, the proceeds of any sale of these assets would be used to
18 directly reduce the Company's stranded costs. The procedure for crediting the proceeds of
19 any future sales are described in Mr. Schnitzer's testimony.

20 Q. How were possible life extensions of generating plants treated in your analysis of stranded
21 costs?

22 A. No life extensions beyond the currently estimated book lives were assumed in the stranded
23 cost analysis. The purpose for which stranded costs are being calculated as of December

1 31, 2005 is to demonstrate that Duquesne is entitled to continuation of a rate cap throughout
2 the Transition Period under Section 2804(4)(v) of the Customer Choice Act. A final
3 market-based valuation of the plants as of December 31, 2005 will take place in mid-2003
4 under Duquesne's proposal. As part of the final valuation, life extension analyses for
5 Duquesne's fossil generating stations would be completed to assess whether such
6 extensions were economic based on the market price data available in 2003. The analysis
7 would consider the cost of life extension based on more certain information about
8 environmental compliance costs. Any incremental market value from such life extensions
9 would be reflected in the final market valuation.

10 Q. Why were decommissioning costs excluded from the margin analysis?

11 A. Decommissioning costs are truly "sunk costs." That is, the obligation to decommission
12 power plants has already been assumed by the Company. The present value of Duquesne's
13 unfunded decommissioning liability was deducted directly from the Company's market
14 value estimates rather than including the periodic funding as a "to go" cost in the margin
15 analysis. Mathematically the Company's stranded cost claim would be unchanged given
16 this alternative treatment. It should be noted that with the nuclear decommissioning
17 funding proposed, it is estimated that there will be only a small unfunded nuclear liability in
18 2005 (i.e. \$2 million). However, the actual level of required funding would be determined
19 as part of the final market-based valuation in mid-2003.

20 Q. How were the decommissioning costs for fossil and nuclear generation stations determined?

21 A. The estimated decommissioning costs for each of the Company's generation stations were
22 prepared by Mr. Thomas LaGuardia and are supported in his direct testimony (Duquesne
23 Statement No. 13). The decommissioning cost estimates prepared by Mr. LaGuardia were

1 made in current dollars. These estimates were escalated to the end of each of the generating
2 stations' useful lives. A 2.5% escalation rate was used for fossil stations and a 4.0%
3 escalation rate was used for nuclear stations. The inflated amounts were then discounted at
4 the Company's after-tax cost of capital for fossil stations and at 7.5% for nuclear stations
5 (i.e. the expected after-tax earnings rate on the Company's external funds for nuclear
6 decommissioning) to December 31, 2005. The unfunded portion was then deducted from
7 the present value of the margin analysis for each station before the comparison to the
8 Company's net book value at December 31, 2005 was made. A summary of the
9 decommissioning cost estimates and the related calculations are shown in Exhibit DJC-7.

10 Q. You stated previously that Duquesne is proposing to roll into base rates an ECR of \$14.7
11 mills/kWh. Is this the same rate level as the currently effective ECR?

12 A. No.

13 Q. Please explain the basis for this adjustment?

14 A. Section 2804(4) (v) permits Duquesne to roll the ECR into base rates at a combined level
15 that does not exceed that previously approved by the Commission. Duquesne's proposal is
16 consistent with this requirement because the Commission has previously approved, as part
17 of the Ft. Martin rate plan, an ECR of up to 14.7 mills/kWh. As indicated in the fuel cost
18 projections contained in Exhibit DJC-3, Duquesne's fuel costs throughout the transition
19 period will exceed 14.7 mills/kWh.

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21 Q. Does the increase in the ECR mean that customers will pay higher rates that they would
22 have in the absence of restructuring?

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1 A. No. Even in the absence of the restructuring legislation, Duquesne had the right to propose
2 a cost-justified ECR of 14.7 mills/kWh and indeed Duquesne did so earlier this year. The
3 Commission did not approve the proposed increase, however, stating that the matter should
4 be considered in the restructuring case. I also would note that, if, contrary to the projections
5 in Exhibit DJC-3, Duquesne's energy costs fall below 14.7 mills/kWh in the future, the
6 associated excess earnings will be used for further stranded cost mitigation under the ROE
7 spillover. Finally, it is important to remember that, as Mr. Lahtinen testifies, Duquesne's
8 customers will receive a significant rate reduction -- 50% for residential customers -- for
9 incremental usage under Duquesne's proposed rate redesign.
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Regulatory Assets are Fully Amortized By the End of 2005

11 Q. How was the \$758 million of generation related regulatory assets as of December 31, 1998
12 shown in Exhibit DJC-4 determined and amortized?

13 A. The \$758 million of generation related regulatory assets as of January 1, 1998 shown in
14 Exhibit DJC-4 was developed from the Company's balance sheet as of December 31, 1996
15 and a bring down of each of the regulatory asset balances using known and estimated
16 amortization amounts for 1997 and 1998. The December 31, 1998 balance was then
17 amortized on a straight line basis through 2005. Mr. O'Brien in his direct testimony
18 (Duquesne Statement No. 4) details each of the Company's regulatory assets and describes
19 the basis for recovery of each regulatory asset class.

20 Q. Is the Company claiming a return on all of its regulatory assets?

21 A. No. For certain regulatory assets only the present value of amortization (or recovery) is
22 claimed. These assets include deferred rate synchronization or "early window" costs,

1 deferred Employee Costs, DOE Decontamination and decommissioning costs, pre-accrual
2 of nuclear outage costs, deferred pilot program costs. A return as well as recovery is
3 claimed for all of the Company's other regulatory assets.

4 Q. Is it appropriate for the Company to earn a return on the regulatory asset related to FAS
5 109?

6 A. Yes. For purposes of estimating stranded costs as of 2005, the Company has reduced the
7 book value of its generation assets by the full amount of its accumulated deferred tax and
8 accumulated ITC balances. The Company proposes that the final market-based valuation
9 should similarly account for deferred taxes and ITCs. Thus, customers will be credited with
10 the full value of these balances against the book value of generation. Accordingly, it is
11 appropriate for the Company to claim a return on the tax related asset. Since the Company
12 is amortizing its tax related regulatory asset more rapidly than it is reversing its deferred tax
13 balance (i.e., the regulatory asset is being amortized over the Transition Period while the
14 deferred tax balance is being reversed over the remaining life of the Company's plants),
15 Duquesne's customers will actually incur a lower total revenue requirement than they
16 would under traditional ratemaking. Of course, both methods produce the same present
17 value of revenue requirements. If a return were to be denied on the tax related assets, then
18 an offsetting adjustment should be made to the generation related deferred tax balance.

19 Q. How were debt discounts and premiums included in your stranded cost claim?

20 A. Duquesne's cost of capital assumes that debt discounts and premiums will be amortized
21 (and earn a return equal to the Company's cost of capital) over the average remaining life of
22 its outstanding debt and preferred securities. Since the Transition Period is shorter than the
23 remaining average life of the Company's securities, a shortfall would be experienced. As

1 such, the Company has included an amount equal to the amount of debt discounts and
2 premiums above what would normally be amortized through the cost of capital and
3 amortized this amount between 1999 and 2005.

4 Q. How was the Beaver Valley Unit No. 2 sale/leaseback premium handled?

5 A. The sale leaseback premium was handled similarly to the debt premiums and discounts.
6 The portion of the debt premium which would normally be amortized prior to 2006 through
7 the lease payment expense was so amortized. The amount which would have been
8 amortized between 2006 and 2016 (i.e., the end of the lease period) was included in
9 regulatory assets and amortized between 1999 and 2005.

10 Q. Are there any other items which are unusual in Duquesne's stranded cost claim?

11 A. Most of Duquesne's other regulatory assets are normal course of business items. However,
12 the deferred fuel amount has been adjusted to reflect the deferral required as a result of our
13 most recent ECR filing and a new item has been added related to our pilot program
14 participation incentive. Neither of these items was on our 1996 balance sheet but have
15 subsequently been created by the Commission's Orders at (M-00970917) and (P-
16 00971175).

17 Q. How were the \$18.2 million of transition costs determined?

18 A. The transition cost estimates shown in Exhibit DJC-5 are based on the best available
19 information to date. The pilot program implementation expense and restructuring
20 implementation expense were prepared by Mr. Allison. The customer education expenses
21 were estimated by Mr. Hoffmann. The deferred pilot program costs are based on the
22 Company's settlement proposal at Docket No. P-00971175. Restructuring filing expense
23 has been estimated by the Company's legal department.

1 Q. Does the Company have any significant stranded costs related to Non-Utility Generator
2 (NUG) contracts?

3 A. No. The Company has no significant stranded costs related to NUG contracts. The small
4 contracts (56 MW) to which the Company is committed are however included in the
5 Company's generating cost forecasts.

6 Q. Have all of the Company's stranded cost claims been made on a net present value basis and
7 netted against any benefits which would be normally recognized under current
8 Pennsylvania regulatory practice?

9 A. Yes. All of the Company's stranded cost claims are made on a net present value basis and
10 have been reduced by any potential benefits which could have been expected to accrue to
11 the Company under current Pennsylvania regulatory practice.

12 Q. Are all of the Company's claimed stranded costs currently recoverable under current
13 regulatory practice?

14 A. Yes. As further described by Mr. O'Brien, all of the Company's claimed stranded costs
15 have been either specifically approved for recovery by the Commission or have been
16 typically recoverable under current Pennsylvania regulatory practice.

**Duquesne Commits to Generation Related Depreciation and Amortization
of \$1.7 Billion**

17 Q. You have previously indicated that there will be unamortized stranded costs of between \$8
18 million and \$582 million at the end of 2005. Is the Company committing to a certain level
19 of generation related depreciation and amortization by year end 2005?

20 A. Yes. The Company proposes to use the generation related depreciation and amortization
21 schedule shown in Exhibit DJC-6. This schedule is the minimum level of amortization to

1 which the Company is committed. As explained below, the Company will further
2 accelerate depreciation and amortization if it is able to do so while maintaining an 11.5%
3 ROE.

4 Q. How are customers protected by the guarantee of a minimum level of depreciation and
5 amortization?

6 A. Duquesne's minimum depreciation and amortization commitment ensures that the net book
7 value of generation to be used for purposes of finally determining stranded costs will be at
8 the level shown in Exhibit DJC-3 (except for possible deviations in future capital spending
9 or changes in the tax law). Of course, future capital expenditures would have to be cost
10 justified and prudent or the Company would not be able to recover these amounts in any
11 case. Tax law changes are outside of the Company's control and would be addressed as
12 such changes (if any) occur.

13 Q. Please explain the Company's proposed "final market-based valuation"?

14 A. The Company has proposed a final market-based valuation to ensure that residual credit is
15 given to its customers that properly reflects the market value of the Company's generating
16 stations beyond 2005. The Company believes that the range of preliminary estimates of the
17 market value of its generating plant as of December 31, 2005 spans the most likely range of
18 values. However, the actual market value could be higher than the high end of the range or
19 lower than the low end of the range. It is generally accepted that the markets for electricity
20 will be more fully developed in the future than they are today. Given a more fully
21 developed market for electricity in the future, the residual value of the Company's
22 generating plants will then be able to be determined based on market evidence. Mr.

1 Schnitzer's testimony (Duquesne Statement No. 3) provides additional detail on the
2 Company's proposed final market-based valuation.

3 Q. How does the Company propose to recover stranded costs which remain at the end of 2005?

4 A. The Company proposes to extend the rate cap beyond 2005 to recover any stranded cost
5 which will remain after 2005 based on the final market-based determination of stranded
6 costs in mid-2003. .

7 **Triggers Protect Ratepayers from Excess Amortization**

8 Q. Are there any conditions which would trigger an early determination of the final market-
9 based value of the Company's plants.

10 A. Yes, there are two triggers. First if the long term market price of power rises significantly
11 prior to 2003, then it is possible that the residual market value at the end of 2005 will
12 exceed the unamortized book value of generation. The proposed solution is to trigger an
13 early final market valuation based on established price triggers for the years 2001 and 2002.
14 I have calculated the market prices for generation for each of these years based on an
15 adjusted percentage of the high market price ceiling as forecasted by Mr. Schnitzer. I
16 deflated Mr. Schnitzer's 2006 price to 2001 and 2002 using a 2.5% discount rate. I then
17 applied a 75% discount factor to this price to calculate the trigger prices of \$28.5/mwh for
18 2001 and \$29.2/mwh for 2002. The early trigger price is that market price which would be
19 likely to establish a high enough residual value to allow an early end to the rate cap and
20 further collection of CTC. Duquesne will commit to accelerate the final market valuation to
21 2001 or 2002 if the trigger is exceeded. The market evidence to be used for the trigger
22 mechanism is the annual solicitation for sale of firm power held in 2000 and 2001 to
23 establish the customer specific CTCs for 2001 and 2002. If the market price determined in

1 those solicitations exceeds the values set forth above, the final market-based valuation will
2 be accelerated.

3 Q. What is the second trigger?

4 A. Under the ROE spillover proposal described below if the accumulated revenue credit when
5 netted with the net book value of the Company's generating and regulatory assets was equal
6 to (or less than) the Company's net book value estimated in 2005 as shown in Exhibit
7 DJC-3 at any time before mid 2003 an early valuation would be triggered. That is, if the
8 Company were able to complete its minimum committed schedule of amortization and
9 depreciation ahead of schedule then it would be appropriate to trigger an early valuation.

10 Q. How does this second trigger relate to the Company's ROE spillover proposal?

11 A. The Company's proposed "ROE spill over" adjustment will ensure that the Company does
12 not have excessive earnings during the Transition Period and that customers are given the
13 proper credit through a shortening of the rate cap period if the Company's actual results are
14 better than expected. The Company proposes to establish a collar on its earnings of + or -
15 ½% around its claimed ROE of 11.5%. If the Company's earnings exceed 12%, it would
16 establish a deferred revenue credit account which would ultimately be used to fund
17 accelerated depreciation and amortization. If earnings fall below 11% an adjustment to the
18 deferred revenue account will be made to increase the Company's earning to the 11% ROE
19 level or to eliminate the credit and balance in the account, which ever is smaller. If at any
20 time during the transition period, the balance in the deferred revenue credit account
21 (including income tax provisions) when netted against the Company's net book value of
22 generating and regulatory assets was equal to the estimated net book value as of December
23 31, 2005 as shown in Exhibit DJC-3, the final market-based valuation would be triggered.

1 Q. What circumstances would cause the ROE spillover to be used?

2 A. Probably the most important positive factor would be the effect of increased "tail block"
3 sales on the Company's revenue forecast. Under the Company's proposed rate design it is
4 likely that sales levels will increase as marginal consumption increases due to lower rates
5 for consumption above historic levels. Since the magnitude of these sales is unknown they
6 have not been included in the Company's base forecast. These sales could be significant
7 and would be credited through the ROE spillover proposal to reduce the Company's book
8 value below committed levels. Of course, any decreases in the Company's costs could also
9 trigger the ROE spillover mechanism.

10 Q. How would the Company's final market-based valuation and ROE spillover proposal
11 change if the Commission makes different determinations with respect to stranded cost, and
12 CTCs for the Company?

13 A. The Company's final market-based valuation and ROE spillover proposals are part of a
14 comprehensive restructuring plan. The Company believes that it is important to let the
15 market determine the market price of power and that a reasonable opportunity to fully
16 recover its stranded costs must be afforded to the Company. If unfavorable determinations
17 are made then the Company would have to re-evaluate its final market-based valuation and
18 ROE spillover proposals. We believe that our proposals ensure that the Company's
19 customers will never pay more than the minimum amount required to write the company's
20 generation assets down to market value and that the burdens of stranded cost recovery have
21 and will continue to be borne by all of the Company's stakeholders in a balanced manner.
22 If, however, the Commission made a significant disallowance of our stranded cost recovery
23 or if there was no opportunity to let the market make the final determination of stranded

1 costs for the Company, the Company would not be able to implement its restructuring plan.
2 Under these conditions the ROE spillover would be moot because the Company would have
3 little hope of earning a fair return. Similarly, if an artificially determined high market price
4 is used to deny recovery under the rate cap, the Company will have little hope of earning a
5 fair return on its assets.

6 Q. Is the Company proposing to unconditionally cap its rates during the transition period?

7 A. No. Although the Company believes that it will be able to operate under the rate cap, the
8 Company is reserving the right to raise rates as permitted under Section 2804(4) of the Act.

V. COST OF CAPITAL

9 Q. In preparing your overall rate of return recommendations, what underlying principle has
10 served as your guide in establishing the evidence you will present?

11 A. The criterion for establishing a fair rate of return for a public utility has been long
12 established and was a result of landmark decisions of the United States Supreme Court. In
13 1923, in the Bluefield Water Works and Improvement Co. vs. Public Services Commission
14 (262 U.S. 679, 1923) case, the Court said:

15 "A public utility is entitled to such rates as will permit it to earn a return on the
16 value of the property which it employs for the convenience of the public equal to
17 that generally being made at the same time and in the same part of the country on
18 investments in other business undertakings which are attended by corresponding
19 risks and uncertainties; but has no constitutional rights to profits such as are realized
20 or anticipated in highly profitable enterprises or speculative ventures."

21 And, in 1944, in the Federal Power Commission vs. Hope Natural Gas Company (320 U.S.
22 591, 1944) case, the Court said:

23 "From the investor or company point of view, it is important that there be enough
24 revenue not only for operating expenses, but also for the capital costs of the
25 business. These include service on the debt and dividends on the stock. By that
26 standard the return to the equity owner should be commensurate with returns on
27 investment in other enterprises having corresponding risks. That return, moreover,

1 should be sufficient to assure confidence in the financial integrity of the enterprise,
2 so as to maintain its credit and to attract capital.”

3 Thus, the Supreme Court has made it clear that a fair rate of return should result in an
4 overall rate of return sufficient to insure investor confidence in the financial soundness of
5 the utility.

6 Q. Please explain briefly how you have determined the fair rate of return.

7 A. I have followed what is commonly known as the “cost of capital” method. This approach
8 first identifies the various components of the capital structure and their corresponding
9 percentages of the capitalization total. Next, the cost of each type of capital item is
10 determined, and with these two sets of data in hand, the weighted cost of capital is
11 calculated. Thus, the overall cost of capital equals the sum of the weighted costs.

12 Q. What is the overall rate of cost of capital you are recommending?

13 A. Appendix A, Item H-1 shows the development of the Company’s overall cost of capital of
14 9.61%. Appendix A, Item L-8 shows the after-tax discount rate of 7.83% used in the
15 present value calculations which is also based on the Company’s overall cost of capital.
16 The data shows the consolidated capitalization at the end of the test period and it shows the
17 annual cost of each of the capitalization components at that time.

18 Q. How did you develop the capital structure used to generate the overall rate of return
19 recommendations?

20 A. The capital structure used to determine the overall rate of return and after-tax discount rate
21 was the capital structure at year end 1996. As part of the company’s mitigation plan,
22 approved in conjunction with the sale of the Ft. Martin Power Station, the company agreed
23 to target the components of its capital structure to be similar to the levels approved in its last

1 base rate case or 40.2% common equity, 9.96% preferred and preference equity and 49.84%
2 long-term debt. As of year end 1996, the company's capital structure had the following
3 percentages; 40.08% equity, 9.69% preferred equity and 50.23% long-term debt. Since the
4 year end 1996 capital structure is very close to the company's target capital structure I have
5 used the year 1996 capital structure throughout the filing. As previously noted, the detailed
6 capital structure is set forth in Appendix A, Item H-1.

7 Q. Please describe the capital costs you applied to your recommended capital structure.

8 A. The annual cost applied to the consolidated capitalization components is shown under the
9 columns entitled "average rate" on Appendix A, Item H-1. The long-term debt component
10 is shown with a cost of 8.51 percent and is developed in detail in Appendix A, Item H-2.
11 The preferred and preference stock component is shown with a cost rate of 7.45 percent and
12 is developed in detail in Appendix A, Item H-7.

13 Q. Please describe how you developed the cost of long-term debt and preferred and preference
14 stock.

15 A. I developed the Company's long-term debt cost and the cost of preferred and preference
16 stock at the end of the test year using all known interest and dividend rates and applicable
17 terms on the Company's outstanding long-term debt and preferred and preference stock
18 issues. I did not assume that any additional long-term debt or preferred or preference stock
19 would be issued. The Company's claimed costs of both long-term debt and preferred and
20 preference stock are based solely on the Company's embedded cost rates.

21 Q. How did you determine the 11.5% cost of common equity claimed in this proceeding?

- 1 A. An 11.65% cost of common equity for Duquesne has been identified by Dr. Jeffrey D.
2 Makholm in his direct testimony. To be conservative, I have reduced this amount to 11.5%
3 as the Company's claimed cost of common equity.
- 4 Q. How does the Company plan to keep its capital structure in line with the test year capital
5 structure throughout the transition period?
- 6 A. The Company's scheduled debt maturities and the call provisions of its long-term debt will
7 allow it to continue to reduce its outstanding debt throughout the transition period.
8 Common equity can be maintained at the 40% level by paying dividends to DQE (the
9 Company's sole shareholder) which is equivalent to repurchases of common stock for
10 publicly traded companies. The Company can repurchase preferred through open market
11 purchases or tender offers. A sample financing plan which demonstrates the feasibility of
12 maintaining the Company's capital structure is shown on Exhibit DJC-8. Of course the
13 actual financing plan may differ from the sample plan but the sample plan produces a
14 reasonable result given the Company's current forecast and proposed restructuring plan.
- 15 Q. You have stated elsewhere in your testimony that Duquesne's overall cost of capital
16 compares favorably to the other utilities in the state. Is that correct?
- 17 A. Yes. Exhibit DJC-9 shows a comparison of Duquesne's claimed cost of capital with the
18 claimed cost of capital for the other Pennsylvania electric utilities as claimed in their
19 respective restructuring filings.
- 20 Q. Will the company securitize its stranded costs?
- 21 A. At this time, the Company is not requesting to securitize any of its stranded cost. However,
22 the Company reserves the right to request securitization in a future proceeding.
- 23 Q. Is securitization beneficial to the Company at this time?

1 A. No. At this time there are no economic benefits to be derived from asset securitization for
2 Duquesne. There is no economic basis to securitize because the Company has already
3 restructured its finances to the point where its current debt costs are lower than the cost of
4 issuing securitized debt, and the Company is already employing a high degree of debt
5 leverage in its capital structure. In fact, Duquesne's debt leverage is higher than any other
6 Pennsylvania electric company as shown in Exhibit DJC-9. Since 1986 the Company has
7 repurchased 30% of its common stock, has refinanced all of its debt and has refinanced
8 several of its preferred and preference issues. At this point securitization could place
9 Duquesne's current investors at greater risk because the cash flow related to securitized debt
10 would have a higher priority of payment than the payment to Duquesne's other security
11 holders. Since the Company's total revenues will be unchanged, the cash flows to current
12 investors will be more uncertain than they are today and hence more risky than they are
13 without securitization. Since there are no economic benefits to help offset this increased
14 risk, securitization is not appropriate at this time for Duquesne.

15 Q. When would securitization be appropriate?

16 A. Securitization would be appropriate if there were a true economic benefit to be derived from
17 issuing such securities.

1 **V. APPENDIX A ITEMS**

2 Q. Will you please identify the Appendix A items you are sponsoring?

3 A. I am sponsoring the following Appendix A items:

4 G-1 Corporate History

5 G-2 System Map

6 G-3 Base Budget

7 G-4 O&M/capital Budget Projection

8 G-5 Financial Schedules

9 G-6 Property Description

10 H-1 Claimed Capitalization

11 H-2 Embedded Cost of Long Term Debt

12 H-3 Economic Cost of Debt

13 H-4 Short Term Debt - Lines of Credit

14 H-5 Other Short Term Debt

15 H-6 Long Term Debt Reacquisitions

16 H-7 Embedded Cost of Preferred Stock

17 H-8 Common Stock Issuances

18 H-9 Common Stock Offering Information

19 H-10 Parent Company Capitalization

20 H-11 Parent Company Financial Statements

21 H-12 Corporate Organizational Structure

22 H-13 Quarterly and Annual Financial Reports for Company and Parent

23 H-14 Projected Capital Requirements

- 1 H-15 Restrictive Financial Covenants
- 2 H-16 Comparative Financial Data
- 3 L-1 Competitive Transition Charge
- 4 L-2 Stranded Cost Summary
- 5 L-3 Stranded Cost Methodology
- 6 L-4 Securitization Amounts
- 7 L-5 Generating Station Data
- 8 L-6 Return to Revenue Factor
- 9 L-7 Generation Station Costs per Kilowatt Hour
- 10 L-8 Discount Rate
- 11 L-9 Market Price Forecast and Generation Station Information
- 12 L-10 Operating and Maintenance Expense Efficiency Factor
- 13 L-11 Inflation Rate Assumptions
- 14 L-17 *Stranded Cost Graph*
- 15 O-1 Securitization Filing
- 16 O-2 Description of Merger Consolidation, Acquisition or Disclosures
- 17 O-3 New Business Entities
- 18 Q. Does this conclude your testimony?
- 19 A. Yes. It does.

Duquesne Light Company
Summary of
Net Book and Range of
Market Values at
12/31/2005

Net Book Value of Generating Plant Assets	\$535 million
Market Value of Generation Portfolio	
Low	(\$47) million
High	\$527 million
Stranded Cost	
Low - Market Value	\$582 million
High - Market Value	\$8 million

Revenue Requirements Forecast

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total Duquesne Light									
Revenue from Customers	1081.7	1107.4	1,125.2	1,141.8	1,159.7	1,178.2	1,197.4	1,217.7	1,238.6
Deferred Revenue	0.0	0.0	38.9	(25.8)	(13.1)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Off-system Sales	16.9	18.9	42.5	45.0	48.7	47.9	45.2	45.6	13.7
Other Revenues	<u>34.3</u>	<u>32.8</u>	<u>35.9</u>	<u>36.0</u>	<u>36.1</u>	<u>36.2</u>	<u>36.3</u>	<u>36.3</u>	<u>32.2</u>
Total Revenue	1132.9	1159.0	1,242.5	1,197.1	1,231.4	1,262.3	1,278.9	1,299.6	1,284.4
Operating Expenses									
Fuel & Purchased Power	201.5	214.5	246.0	223.5	235.5	247.1	256.2	263.9	295.8
Non Fuel O&M (production)	122.0	113.6	138.2	122.1	119.4	135.1	134.6	139.4	128.6
Outage Accounting	3.1	1.8	(6.9)	(1.8)	7.8	(0.6)	(2.4)	1.6	(4.5)
Non-production Expenses	220.4	233.1	238.7	238.9	251.8	258.9	264.7	270.8	261.0
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8
Book Depreciation	172.5	177.7	180.6	179.7	190.2	212.3	211.5	193.5	183.6
Amortization	64.4	93.6	90.9	91.8	92.8	93.4	94.0	94.3	94.7
Operating Revenue Tax	48.4	49.6	53.2	51.2	52.6	48.1	49.0	49.7	49.0
Property Taxes	20.6	21.1	21.2	21.2	21.1	21.2	21.2	21.1	20.4
Other Taxes	12.4	15.1	19.8	19.9	20.1	20.3	20.5	20.7	20.2
Current Tax	100.2	103.2	96.3	121.2	122.8	119.5	130.7	144.2	134.8
Deferred Tax	(59.1)	(85.5)	(48.9)	(76.0)	(78.7)	(77.8)	(75.2)	(66.8)	(58.0)
ITC Amortization	(8.4)	(8.7)	(8.7)	(8.4)	(8.3)	(8.3)	(8.3)	(8.4)	(5.7)
Total Operating Expenses	906.9	938.0	1,029.0	992.1	1,035.9	1,077.9	1,105.2	1,132.6	1,128.9
Operating Income	226.0	221.1	213.5	205.0	195.5	184.3	173.7	167.0	155.5
Interest Expense	100.6	98.4	95.0	91.2	87.0	82.0	77.3	74.3	69.2
Net Income	125.4	122.7	118.5	113.8	108.5	102.3	96.4	92.7	86.3
Preferred Return	17.0	16.6	16.0	15.4	14.7	13.9	13.1	12.5	11.7
Income Available for Equity Return	108.5	106.1	102.4	98.4	93.8	88.5	83.3	80.2	74.6
Operating Income	226.0	221.1	213.5	205.0	195.5	184.3	173.7	167.0	155.5
Rate Base	2,353.3	2,301.3	2,222.8	2,133.7	2,035.1	1,919.2	1,808.2	1,738.4	1,618.9
Return on Rate Base	9.60%	9.61%	9.60%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	943.2	922.3	890.9	855.2	815.7	769.2	724.7	696.7	648.9
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

Revenue Requirements Forecast

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Generation									
Revenue from Customers	807.8	816.8	866.9	815.3	837.0	860.4	871.8	885.0	893.1
Off-system Sales	16.9	18.9	42.5	45.0	48.7	47.9	45.2	45.6	13.7
Other Revenues	15.3	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0
Total Revenue	840.0	849.6	923.4	874.4	899.7	922.3	931.0	944.6	920.8
Operating Expenses									
Fuel & Purchased Power	200.3	214.3	226.8	203.1	210.3	219.1	227.4	235.8	269.1
Emissions	1.2	0.3	19.1	20.4	25.2	28.0	28.9	28.1	26.6
Non Fuel O&M (production)	122.0	113.6	138.2	122.1	119.4	135.1	134.6	139.4	128.6
Outage Accounting	3.1	1.8	(6.9)	(1.8)	7.8	(0.6)	(2.4)	1.6	(4.5)
Non-production Expenses	110.5	113.5	115.2	117.6	127.3	131.3	133.8	136.5	123.0
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8
Book Depreciation	135.9	139.6	141.1	138.9	148.1	168.9	166.8	147.4	136.1
Amortization	65.6	94.6	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2
Operating Revenue Tax	35.5	36.0	39.2	37.0	38.0	33.1	33.7	34.1	33.0
Property Taxes	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.2	17.1	16.4
Other Taxes	4.3	7.0	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.8	11.9	11.9	10.7
Current Taxes	69.0	69.7	77.2	73.3	78.4	79.7	90.3	103.7	94.2
Deferred Tax	(61.6)	(87.3)	(66.3)	(66.1)	(73.5)	(78.4)	(76.5)	(68.7)	(60.3)
ITC Amortization	(6.4)	(6.7)	(6.7)	(6.5)	(6.4)	(6.4)	(6.4)	(6.4)	(3.7)
Total Operating Expenses	705.4	722.3	805.5	766.9	803.5	838.6	859.1	880.5	869.2
Operating Income	134.7	127.3	117.9	107.5	96.3	83.7	71.9	64.1	51.6
Interest Expense	59.9	56.6	52.5	47.8	42.8	37.3	32.0	28.5	23.0
Net Income	74.7	70.7	65.4	59.7	53.4	46.5	39.9	35.6	28.6
Preferred Return	10.1	9.6	8.9	8.1	7.2	6.3	5.4	4.8	3.9
Income Available for Equity Return	64.6	61.1	56.6	51.6	46.2	40.2	34.5	30.8	24.8
Operating Income	134.7	127.3	117.9	107.5	96.3	83.7	71.9	64.1	51.6
Rate Base	1,402.0	1,325.3	1,227.7	1,118.8	1,001.8	871.9	748.3	667.4	537.0
Return on Rate Base	9.60%	9.61%	9.60%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	561.9	531.2	492.1	448.4	401.5	349.5	299.9	267.5	215.2
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.49%	11.51%	11.51%	11.50%	11.50%	11.51%	11.51%

Revenue Requirements Forecast

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nuclear Generation									
Revenue from Customers	357.0	339.9	330.3	314.5	315.5	312.4	306.1	289.9	298.0
Off-system Sales	5.4	6.1	12.8	14.0	15.4	14.4	13.5	14.7	4.8
Other Revenues	<u>15.3</u>	<u>13.9</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>
Total Revenue	377.7	359.9	357.1	342.5	344.9	340.8	333.7	318.7	316.8
Operating Expenses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fuel	29.9	32.9	29.7	30.7	32.0	31.0	31.2	34.1	32.0
Non Fuel O&M (production)	70.8	49.8	77.9	65.0	61.8	76.6	75.7	68.8	84.7
Outage Accounting	(0.6)	10.8	(8.1)	0.1	5.7	(3.1)	(3.5)	10.1	(7.3)
Non-production Expenses	68.7	64.7	68.5	67.9	75.7	78.9	79.1	76.8	81.8
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8
Book Depreciation	94.6	95.0	95.2	92.4	89.7	89.9	90.3	74.4	71.2
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	15.2	14.5	14.2	13.6	13.6	7.5	7.4	6.5	6.5
Property Taxes	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8	13.8
Other Taxes	6.9	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0
Current Taxes	52.0	55.2	43.9	44.3	43.8	38.3	36.4	33.8	25.8
Deferred Taxes	(33.6)	(38.7)	(30.9)	(33.2)	(34.5)	(30.9)	(30.8)	(29.8)	(21.2)
ITC Amortization	(5.1)	(5.1)	(5.1)	(5.1)	(5.1)	(5.1)	(5.1)	(5.1)	(2.4)
Total Operating Expenses	321.5	308.5	314.7	305.1	312.1	312.7	310.2	299.1	300.7
Operating Income	56.2	51.4	42.4	37.4	32.8	28.1	23.5	19.6	16.1
Interest Expense	25.0	22.9	18.9	16.7	14.6	12.5	10.4	8.7	7.2
Net Income	31.2	28.5	23.5	20.8	18.2	15.6	13.0	10.9	8.9
Preferred Return	4.2	3.9	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.1	1.8	1.5	1.2
Income Available for Equity Return	27.0	24.7	20.3	18.0	15.7	13.5	11.3	9.4	7.7
Operating Income	56.2	51.4	42.4	37.4	32.8	28.1	23.5	19.6	16.1
Rate Base	585.1	535.3	441.2	389.9	341.3	292.4	244.3	203.6	167.4
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	234.5	214.6	176.8	156.3	136.8	117.2	97.9	81.6	67.1
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Nuclear Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Perry									
Off-system Sales Revenue	1.3	1.5	3.2	3.7	3.5	3.9	3.3	3.7	1.2
Revenue from Customers	<u>145.7</u>	<u>138.9</u>	<u>132.0</u>	<u>125.4</u>	<u>121.4</u>	<u>121.3</u>	<u>114.4</u>	<u>98.6</u>	<u>96.7</u>
Total Revenue	147.0	140.4	135.2	129.1	124.9	125.2	117.7	102.3	97.8
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	8.1	9.1	8.6	9.2	8.9	9.6	9.1	9.8	9.1
Non Fuel O&M (production)	17.0	12.2	18.9	15.9	20.0	20.9	21.3	22.3	22.8
Outage Accounting	0.0	2.8	-1.5	1.7	-1.6	1.8	-1.7	2.0	-1.8
Non-Production Expenses	7.6	6.5	7.5	7.2	8.4	8.1	8.4	8.0	9.1
Major Maintenance	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Book Depreciation	58.0	58.1	58.2	56.5	55.0	55.0	55.1	38.7	34.9
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	5.0	4.8	4.5	4.2	3.9	3.7	3.5	2.7	2.6
Property Taxes	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3
Other Taxes	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
Current Taxes	30.7	30.9	27.1	26.5	23.5	23.7	21.0	14.9	12.9
Deferred Taxes	-21.6	-23.0	-21.4	-22.1	-20.3	-21.7	-20.2	-14.9	-11.7
ITC Amortization	-2.9	-2.9	-2.9	-2.9	-2.9	-2.9	-2.9	-2.9	-0.1
Total Operating Expenses	118.8	115.3	115.7	112.8	111.6	115.0	110.4	97.3	94.6
Operating Income	28.3	25.2	19.5	16.3	13.3	10.2	7.3	5.1	3.3
Interest Expense	12.6	11.2	8.7	7.2	5.9	4.6	3.2	2.3	1.5
Net Income	15.7	14.0	10.8	9.0	7.4	5.7	4.0	2.8	1.8
Preferred Return	2.1	1.9	1.5	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.2
Income Available for Equity Return	13.6	12.1	9.4	7.8	6.4	4.9	3.5	2.4	1.6
Operating Income	28.3	25.2	19.5	16.3	13.3	10.2	7.3	5.1	3.3
Rate Base	294.3	262.0	202.9	169.3	138.6	106.5	75.7	53.1	34.1
Return on Operating Income	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	118.0	105.0	81.3	67.9	55.6	42.7	30.3	21.3	13.7
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Nuclear Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Beaver Valley									
Off-system Sales Revenue	4.1	4.6	9.6	10.3	11.8	10.5	10.2	11.0	3.6
Revenue from Customers	211.3	201.0	198.3	189.1	194.1	191.1	191.8	191.3	201.4
Other Revenues	<u>15.3</u>	<u>13.9</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>	<u>14.0</u>
Total Revenue	230.7	219.5	222.0	213.4	220.0	215.6	216.1	216.4	219.0
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	21.8	23.8	21.1	21.5	23.1	21.4	22.1	24.3	22.9
Non Fuel O&M (production)	53.8	37.6	58.9	49.1	41.8	55.8	54.4	46.5	61.8
Outage Accounting	-0.6	8.0	-6.6	-1.6	7.3	-4.9	-1.8	8.1	-5.5
Non-Production Expenses	61.2	58.2	61.0	60.7	67.3	70.7	70.7	68.7	72.7
Major Maintenance	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8
Book Depreciation	36.6	36.9	37.0	35.9	34.7	34.9	35.3	35.7	36.3
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	10.1	9.7	9.8	9.4	9.7	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9
Property Taxes	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
Other Taxes	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6
Current Taxes	21.3	24.4	16.9	17.8	20.3	14.6	15.4	18.9	12.9
Deferred Taxes	-12.0	-15.7	-9.5	-11.1	-14.3	-9.2	-10.6	-14.9	-9.5
ITC Amortization	-2.2	-2.2	-2.2	-2.2	-2.2	-2.2	-2.2	-2.3	-2.3
Total Operating Expenses	202.7	193.2	199.1	192.2	200.5	197.8	199.9	201.9	206.2
Operating Income	27.9	26.3	22.9	21.2	19.5	17.9	16.2	14.5	12.8
Interest Expense	12.4	11.7	10.2	9.4	8.7	7.9	7.2	6.4	5.7
Net Income	15.5	14.6	12.7	11.8	10.8	9.9	9.0	8.0	7.1
Preferred Return	2.1	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0
Income Available for Equity Return	13.4	12.6	11.0	10.2	9.3	8.6	7.8	6.9	6.1
Operating Income	27.9	26.3	22.9	21.2	19.5	17.9	16.2	14.5	12.8
Rate Base	290.7	273.3	238.3	220.5	202.6	185.9	168.6	150.5	133.3
Return on Operating Income	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	116.5	109.5	95.5	88.4	81.2	74.5	67.6	60.3	53.4
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

Revenue Requirements Forecast
Nuclear Generation

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Beaver Valley 1									
Off-system Sales Revenue	3.0	3.6	7.5	7.7	9.4	8.1	7.7	8.8	2.8
Revenue from Customers	135.9	127.1	124.4	116.4	113.1	108.6	109.0	107.7	116.0
Other Revenues	11.9	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9	10.9
Total Revenue	150.9	141.5	142.7	135.0	133.4	127.6	127.5	127.3	129.7
Operating Expenses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fuel	16.9	19.3	16.6	16.2	18.3	16.7	16.6	19.3	17.9
Non Fuel O&M (production)	45.1	26.5	46.4	40.8	30.0	43.5	45.1	33.4	48.3
Outage Accounting	-3.8	9.1	-5.6	-3.7	8.3	-3.9	-4.1	9.2	-4.3
Non-Production Expenses	11.9	8.6	11.2	11.3	9.7	11.8	12.3	9.7	13.6
Major Maintenance	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2
Book Depreciation	33.3	33.4	33.6	32.5	31.4	31.7	32.0	32.4	32.9
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	6.6	6.2	6.3	5.9	5.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Property Taxes	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
Other Taxes	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8
Current Taxes	17.7	22.6	15.5	15.3	19.2	13.6	13.0	18.0	12.0
Deferred Taxes	-9.3	-14.9	-9.0	-9.4	-13.9	-8.9	-8.9	-14.6	-9.2
ITC Amortization	-1.6	-1.6	-1.6	-1.6	-1.6	-1.6	-1.6	-1.6	-1.6
Total Operating Expenses	126.7	119.1	123.3	117.2	117.2	112.9	114.3	115.8	119.7
Operating Income	24.1	22.4	19.4	17.8	16.2	14.7	13.2	11.5	10.0
Interest Expense	10.7	10.0	8.6	7.9	7.2	6.5	5.9	5.1	4.5
Net Income	13.4	12.4	10.8	9.9	9.0	8.2	7.3	6.4	5.6
Preferred Return	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8
Income Available for Equity Return	11.6	10.8	9.3	8.5	7.8	7.0	6.3	5.5	4.8
Operating Income	24.1	22.4	19.4	17.8	16.2	14.7	13.2	11.5	10.0
Rate Base	251.3	233.3	201.7	185.5	168.5	152.9	137.3	120.0	104.1
Return on Operating Income	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	100.7	93.5	80.8	74.3	67.5	61.3	55.0	48.1	41.7
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Nuclear Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Beaver Valley 2									
Off-system Sales Revenue	1.0	0.9	2.2	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.3	0.8
Revenue from Customers	75.4	74.0	73.9	72.7	81.0	82.5	82.8	83.6	85.4
Other Revenues	3.4	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1
Total Revenue	79.8	78.0	79.3	78.4	86.5	88.0	88.5	89.0	89.4
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	4.9	4.5	4.5	5.3	4.8	4.7	5.5	5.0	5.0
Non Fuel O&M (production)	8.7	11.1	12.5	8.4	11.8	12.2	9.3	13.1	13.5
Outage Accounting	3.2	-1.1	-1.0	2.1	-1.0	-1.0	2.3	-1.1	-1.1
Non-Production Expenses	49.3	49.7	49.8	49.4	57.6	58.9	58.4	59.0	59.1
Major Maintenance	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
Book Depreciation	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9
Property Taxes	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Other Taxes	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Current Taxes	3.6	1.8	1.3	2.5	1.1	1.0	2.4	0.9	0.9
Deferred Taxes	-2.7	-0.8	-0.4	-1.7	-0.3	-0.3	-1.7	-0.3	-0.3
ITC Amortization	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7
Total Operating Expenses	76.0	74.2	75.7	75.1	83.2	84.8	85.5	86.1	86.6
Operating Income	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8
Interest Expense	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.2
Net Income	2.1	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6
Preferred Return	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Income Available for Equity Return	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3
Operating Income	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8
Rate Base	39.5	40.0	36.6	35.1	34.1	33.0	31.3	30.5	29.2
Return on Operating Income	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	15.8	16.0	14.7	14.1	13.7	13.2	12.6	12.2	11.7
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

Revenue Requirements Forecast

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Fossil Generation									
Revenue from Customers	392.7	393.7	436.4	407.4	434.9	468.4	475.1	484.6	491.5
Off-system Sales	11.5	12.8	29.6	31.0	33.3	33.5	31.7	30.8	8.9
Other Revenues									
Total Revenue	404.2	406.4	466.0	438.4	468.3	502.0	506.8	515.4	500.4
Operating Expenses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fuel & Purchased Power	170.3	181.3	197.1	172.4	178.2	188.1	196.2	201.7	237.1
Emissions	1.2	0.3	19.1	20.4	25.2	28.0	28.9	28.1	26.6
Non Fuel O&M (production)	51.2	63.8	60.3	57.1	57.7	58.5	58.9	70.7	44.0
Outage Accounting	3.7	(9.0)	1.1	(1.8)	2.1	2.5	1.1	(8.5)	2.8
Non-production Expenses	41.8	48.8	46.7	49.7	51.7	52.4	54.7	59.7	41.2
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fossil Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	41.2	44.6	45.9	46.6	58.4	79.0	76.4	73.0	64.9
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	17.8	17.9	20.5	19.3	20.6	22.1	22.3	22.7	22.0
Property Taxes	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.3	2.6
Other Taxes	(2.6)	0.2	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	3.7
Current Taxes	34.6	21.6	33.7	31.3	38.7	47.4	44.7	36.9	37.2
Deferred Tax	(4.7)	(12.9)	(12.2)	(9.7)	(15.8)	(24.4)	(22.5)	(15.7)	(16.0)
ITC Amortization	(1.3)	(1.6)	(1.6)	(1.4)	(1.3)	(1.3)	(1.3)	(1.3)	(1.4)
Total Operating Expenses	356.6	358.3	418.9	392.0	423.8	460.5	467.8	475.6	464.9
Operating Income	47.5	48.1	47.1	46.4	44.5	41.5	38.9	39.8	35.5
Interest Expense	21.2	21.4	21.0	20.6	19.8	18.5	17.3	17.7	15.8
Net Income	26.4	26.7	26.2	25.7	24.7	23.0	21.6	22.1	19.7
Preferred Return	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.7
Income Available for Equity Return	22.8	23.1	22.6	22.2	21.4	19.9	18.7	19.1	17.0
Operating Income	47.5	48.1	47.1	46.4	44.5	41.5	38.9	39.8	35.5
Rate Base	495.0	500.8	490.8	482.5	463.4	431.6	405.5	414.5	369.5
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	198.4	200.7	196.7	193.4	185.7	173.0	162.5	166.1	148.1
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Elrama									
Off-system Sales Revenue	2.24	2.88	6.76	6.88	7.58	7.82	6.58	7.06	0.00
Revenue from Customers	95.76	105.15	103.48	104.12	106.13	108.66	103.52	107.12	12.48
Total Revenue	98.00	108.02	110.24	111.00	113.71	116.48	110.09	114.18	12.48
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	34.83	41.14	38.38	37.15	39.28	42.10	39.08	42.64	0.00
Emissions	0.00	0.00	6.59	6.93	6.46	7.35	6.05	7.26	0.00
Non Fuel O&M (production)	17.84	16.72	19.99	18.19	17.71	17.64	20.69	18.21	0.00
Outage Accounting	(0.66)	1.72	(2.81)	(1.03)	0.47	0.47	(2.91)	0.00	0.00
Non-production Expenses	11.74	12.29	11.99	13.14	13.23	12.95	12.61	12.21	0.00
Major Maintenance Expense	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Decommissioning	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Book Depreciation	14.64	16.16	17.06	18.10	19.00	19.84	20.52	21.50	12.49
Amortization	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Operating Revenue Tax	4.31	4.75	4.85	4.88	5.00	5.13	4.84	5.02	0.55
Property Taxes	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.00
Other Taxes	1.23	1.24	1.18	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.27	1.27	0.00
Current Taxes	7.24	8.38	6.63	7.63	8.29	8.30	6.74	7.86	2.46
Deferred Taxes	(3.50)	(4.66)	(3.19)	(4.36)	(5.32)	(5.78)	(4.72)	(6.38)	(2.69)
ITC Amortization	(0.24)	(0.24)	(0.24)	(0.24)	(0.24)	(0.24)	(0.24)	(0.24)	(0.33)
Total Operating Expenses	88.07	98.13	101.07	102.27	105.76	109.64	104.56	109.98	12.48
Operating Income	9.93	9.90	9.17	8.73	7.95	6.84	5.54	4.19	0.00
Interest Expense	4.42	4.40	4.08	3.88	3.54	3.05	2.46	1.87	0.00
Net Income	5.51	5.49	5.09	4.84	4.41	3.80	3.07	2.33	0.00
Preferred Return	0.75	0.74	0.69	0.66	0.60	0.51	0.42	0.31	0.00
Income Available for Equity Return	4.77	4.75	4.40	4.19	3.82	3.28	2.66	2.01	0.00
Operating Income	9.9	9.9	9.2	8.7	8.0	6.8	5.5	4.2	0.0
Rate Base	103.4	103.1	95.5	90.9	82.8	71.3	57.6	43.6	0.0
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	41.4	41.3	38.3	36.4	33.2	28.6	23.1	17.5	0.0
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Cheswick									
Off-system Sales Revenue	4.2	3.7	9.6	10.1	10.5	11.1	10.3	9.1	3.6
Revenue from Customers	90.3	92.8	105.6	111.1	116.6	125.1	130.5	137.3	153.2
Total Revenue	94.5	96.5	115.2	121.1	127.0	136.2	140.7	146.4	156.9
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	39.9	36.8	45.8	48.0	47.8	52.9	52.6	48.7	55.4
Emissions	0.7	0.2	5.9	6.2	8.9	10.8	11.0	9.1	11.7
Non Fuel O&M (production)	11.0	24.6	12.6	12.2	14.0	13.8	12.5	25.4	14.7
Outage Accounting	2.7	-10.9	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	-10.4	2.1
Non-production Expenses	10.7	14.3	12.1	14.6	14.5	15.3	18.0	22.4	17.4
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	8.6	9.6	9.9	10.1	10.0	10.3	11.8	15.5	15.9
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	4.2	4.2	5.1	5.3	5.6	6.0	6.2	6.4	6.9
Property Taxes	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Other Taxes	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4
Current Taxes	7.3	1.5	10.8	11.2	13.1	14.5	15.3	10.3	17.2
Deferred Taxes	-2.9	2.9	-2.3	-2.3	-2.4	-2.6	-2.9	2.0	-2.6
ITC Amortization	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Total Operating Expenses	84.2	85.2	103.9	109.4	115.7	125.2	128.7	131.4	140.6
Operating Income	10.3	11.3	11.3	11.7	11.3	11.0	12.0	15.0	16.3
Interest Expense	4.6	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.0	4.9	5.3	6.7	7.2
Net Income	5.7	6.3	6.3	6.5	6.3	6.1	6.7	8.3	9.0
Preferred Return	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.2
Income Available for Equity Return	4.9	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.8	7.2	7.8
Operating Income	10.3	11.3	11.3	11.7	11.3	11.0	12.0	15.0	16.3
Rate Base	106.9	117.7	117.5	121.7	117.9	114.5	125.0	156.5	169.3
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	42.8	47.2	47.1	48.8	47.2	45.9	50.1	62.7	67.9
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Mansfield									
Off-system Sales Revenue	2.4	3.3	7.8	7.1	8.6	7.9	8.2	8.0	3.0
Revenue from Customers	91.1	98.8	109.3	84.3	88.0	87.7	91.7	96.4	105.8
Total Revenue	93.5	102.1	117.1	91.5	96.7	95.6	99.9	104.4	108.8
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	40.5	46.7	52.0	33.3	37.3	35.9	40.0	40.1	42.9
Emissions	0.0	0.0	6.0	5.3	6.2	5.8	6.9	6.9	7.6
Non Fuel O&M (production)	12.6	12.8	14.7	16.1	13.3	14.6	12.2	14.8	14.1
Outage Accounting	1.2	1.2	1.3	-3.6	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.1	1.1
Non-production Expenses	10.0	11.7	12.9	11.6	11.6	11.3	11.7	12.5	13.7
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	8.1	8.4	8.5	8.3	7.9	8.2	8.3	8.9	9.3
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	4.1	4.5	5.2	4.0	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.8
Property Taxes	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Other Taxes	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3
Current Taxes	5.7	6.2	6.5	4.3	5.5	5.5	5.8	6.0	5.8
Deferred Taxes	-1.6	-2.1	-2.5	-0.4	-1.7	-1.7	-2.2	-2.3	-2.2
ITC Amortization	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3
Total Operating Expenses	82.5	91.2	106.4	80.8	86.3	85.5	90.1	94.5	99.1
Operating Income	11.0	11.0	10.7	10.6	10.4	10.1	9.8	9.9	9.7
Interest Expense	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.3
Net Income	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.4	5.5	5.4
Preferred Return	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7
Income Available for Equity Return	5.3	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.8	4.7
Operating Income	11.0	11.0	10.7	10.6	10.4	10.1	9.8	9.9	9.7
Rate Base	114.7	114.3	111.4	110.7	108.2	105.5	102.0	103.4	101.4
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	46.0	45.8	44.6	44.4	43.4	42.3	40.9	41.4	40.6
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Samuels									
Off-system Sales Revenue	1.3	1.6	3.3	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.8	1.3
Revenue from Customers	33.1	36.3	35.2	35.5	37.9	39.7	42.9	42.2	48.6
Total Revenue	34.4	37.8	38.4	39.2	41.5	43.3	46.3	45.9	49.8
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	13.6	17.3	16.1	18.7	17.9	18.5	19.5	21.6	20.8
Emissions	0.2	0.0	-0.7	-0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.7	2.3
Non Fuel O&M (production)	4.4	3.9	5.7	4.3	5.8	5.4	6.7	4.8	7.0
Outage Accounting	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	-0.8	-0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Non-production Expenses	3.8	4.2	4.5	4.5	5.8	5.9	5.6	5.2	6.3
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	4.2	4.3	4.6	4.5	4.7	5.3	5.5	5.6	5.7
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.2
Property Taxes	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Other Taxes	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Current Taxes	2.0	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.6
Deferred Taxes	-0.5	-1.1	-1.2	-1.2	-0.7	-1.0	-1.3	-1.4	-1.4
ITC Amortization	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Total Operating Expenses	30.3	33.9	34.4	35.4	37.6	39.2	42.5	42.4	46.6
Operating Income	4.1	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.9	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.2
Interest Expense	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.4
Net Income	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.8
Preferred Return	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Income Available for Equity Return	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.5
Operating Income	4.1	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.9	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.2
Rate Base	42.7	40.9	41.8	39.5	40.7	42.7	40.3	37.2	33.6
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	17.1	16.4	16.8	15.8	16.3	17.1	16.1	14.9	13.5
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Eastlake									
Off-system Sales Revenue	1.4	1.3	2.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	2.9	1.0
Revenue from Customers	29.6	28.0	29.3	33.7	35.5	37.7	39.8	39.4	42.6
Total Revenue	30.9	29.2	31.5	36.9	38.6	40.7	43.1	42.4	43.6
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	12.3	11.2	9.5	13.8	12.7	13.2	15.2	14.1	13.7
Emissions	0.3	0.1	1.4	2.7	3.3	3.6	4.4	4.2	5.1
Non Fuel O&M (production)	4.7	5.4	6.8	5.7	6.2	6.4	6.2	6.8	7.5
Outage Accounting	0.1	-1.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	-0.8
Non-production Expenses	3.6	3.8	3.5	4.4	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.1	6.0
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.7	4.2	4.3	4.7	5.1
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9
Property Taxes	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Other Taxes	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Current Taxes	1.8	1.3	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.4	1.9
Deferred Taxes	-0.6	0.0	-0.6	-0.6	-0.7	-0.8	-1.0	-1.1	-0.7
ITC Amortization	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Total Operating Expenses	27.5	25.8	28.2	33.8	35.3	37.1	39.6	39.0	40.3
Operating Income	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.3
Interest Expense	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5
Net Income	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8
Preferred Return	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Income Available for Equity Return	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6
Operating Income	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.3
Rate Base	35.5	35.8	34.7	32.9	35.1	37.6	36.0	35.3	34.6
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	14.2	14.3	13.9	13.2	14.1	15.1	14.4	14.1	13.9
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Brunot Island									
Off-system Sales Revenue	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Revenue from Customers	6.0	5.7	7.4	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.6	7.1	6.2
Total Revenue	6.0	5.7	7.4	6.2	5.9	5.7	5.6	7.1	6.2
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Emissions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non Fuel O&M (production)	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
Outage Accounting	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-production Expenses	0.5	0.4	1.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.0	0.3
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.5	2.5
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Property Taxes	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Other Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Current Taxes	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.2
Deferred Taxes	-0.7	-0.6	-0.6	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.6	-0.7	-0.6
ITC Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Operating Expenses	4.4	4.0	5.4	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	5.4	4.7
Operating Income	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.5
Interest Expense	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7
Net Income	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8
Preferred Return	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Income Available for Equity Return	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.7
Operating Income	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.5
Rate Base	17.6	17.5	21.3	19.7	18.2	16.7	15.2	17.6	15.8
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	7.1	7.0	8.5	7.9	7.3	6.7	6.1	7.1	6.3
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Phillips									
Off-system Sales Revenue	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Revenue from Customers	7.2	7.5	6.7	6.6	17.2	33.7	26.3	15.2	-0.3
Total Revenue	7.2	7.5	6.7	6.6	17.2	33.7	26.3	15.2	-0.3
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Emissions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non Fuel O&M (production)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Outage Accounting	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-production Expenses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	0.5	0.8	0.0	0.0	11.0	29.1	23.9	14.4	0.0
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.8	1.5	1.2	0.7	0.0
Property Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Current Taxes	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.6	5.9	12.8	10.1	5.9	-0.2
Deferred Taxes	0.1	-0.1	0.2	0.2	-4.4	-12.0	-9.8	-5.9	0.1
ITC Amortization	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Total Operating Expenses	2.4	2.7	1.9	1.9	13.1	31.2	25.2	14.9	-0.3
Operating Income	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.1	2.5	1.1	0.3	0.0
Interest Expense	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.8	1.1	0.5	0.1	0.0
Net Income	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.3	1.4	0.6	0.2	0.0
Preferred Return	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
Income Available for Equity Return	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.0	1.2	0.6	0.2	0.0
Operating Income	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.1	2.5	1.1	0.3	0.0
Rate Base	50.1	50.1	49.9	49.7	43.2	26.0	11.9	3.4	0.0
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	20.1	20.1	20.0	19.9	17.3	10.4	4.8	1.4	0.0
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
B.L. Gold Reserve									
Off-system Sales Revenue	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Revenue	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	16.5
Total Revenue	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	16.5
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Emissions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non Fuel O&M (production)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Outage Accounting	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-production Expenses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.9
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.7
Property Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Current Taxes	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	6.3
Deferred Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-5.8
ITC Amortization	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Total Operating Expenses	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	15.1
Operating Income	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.4
Interest Expense	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6
Net Income	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8
Preferred Return	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Income Available for Equity Return	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7
Operating Income	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.4
Rate Base	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	14.9
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.0
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Purchaser & Other									
Off-system Sales Revenue	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Revenue from Customers	21.9	2.0	22.2	20.0	25.2	27.8	32.4	37.5	106.3
Total Revenue	21.9	2.0	22.2	20.0	25.2	27.8	32.4	37.5	106.3
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	14.8	13.6	20.7	18.0	23.3	25.4	29.7	34.6	104.2
Emissions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non Fuel O&M (production)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Outage Accounting	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-production Expenses	1.4	2.0	0.5	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.3	1.3	-2.6
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	1.0	0.1	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.7	4.7
Property Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Taxes	-7.4	-4.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Current Taxes	5.0	-3.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Deferred Taxes	6.8	-5.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ITC Amortization	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Operating Expenses	21.9	2.0	22.2	20.0	25.2	27.8	32.4	37.5	106.3
Operating Income	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Interest Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net Income	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Preferred Return	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Income Available for Equity Return	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Income	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Rate Base	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Return on Rate Base	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Rate Base - Equity	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Return on Equity	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

**Revenue Requirements Forecast
Fossil Generation**

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Warwick									
Off-system Sales Revenue	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Revenue	-15.4	15.1	14.9	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Revenue	15.4	15.1	14.9	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Expenses									
Fuel	14.4	14.5	14.7	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Emissions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non Fuel O&M (production)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Outage Accounting	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-production Expenses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Decommissioning	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Revenue Tax	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Property Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Current Taxes	1.9	1.8	1.7	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Deferred Taxes	(1.9)	(1.9)	(1.9)	(0.5)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ITC Amortization	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.1)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Operating Expenses	14.7	14.7	14.8	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Income	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Interest Expense	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net Income	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Preferred Return	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Income Available for Equity Return	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Operating Income	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Rate Base	6.6	3.9	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Return on Rate Base	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	2.7	1.6	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

Revenue Requirements Forecast

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Generation Related Regulatory Assets									
Revenue	58.1	83.3	100.3	93.5	86.5	79.6	90.6	110.5	103.6
Operating Expenses									
Warwick Fuel	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Non-production Expenses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Amortization	65.6	94.6	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2
Operating Revenue Tax	2.6	3.7	4.4	4.1	3.8	3.5	4.0	4.9	4.6
Property Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Taxes	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Current Taxes	(17.7)	(7.1)	(0.5)	(2.3)	(4.2)	(6.0)	9.2	33.0	31.1
Deferred Taxes	(23.3)	(35.7)	(23.2)	(23.2)	(23.2)	(23.2)	(23.2)	(23.2)	(23.2)
ITC Amortization	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Operating Expenses	27.2	55.5	71.9	69.8	67.6	65.4	81.1	105.8	103.6
Operating Income	30.9	27.8	28.4	23.7	19.0	14.2	9.5	4.8	0.0
Interest Expense	13.8	12.4	12.6	10.5	8.4	6.3	4.2	2.1	0.0
Net Income	17.1	15.4	15.7	13.2	10.5	7.9	5.3	2.7	0.0
Preferred Return	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.8	1.4	1.1	0.7	0.4	0.0
Income Available for Equity Return	14.8	13.4	13.6	11.4	9.1	6.8	4.5	2.3	0.0
Operating Income	30.9	27.8	28.4	23.7	19.0	14.2	9.5	4.8	0.0
Rate Base	321.9	289.1	295.7	246.4	197.1	147.8	98.6	49.3	0.0
Return on Operating Income	9.60%	9.61%	9.60%	9.62%	9.62%	9.60%	9.60%	9.66%	0.00%
Rate Base - Equity	129.0	115.9	118.5	98.8	79.0	59.3	39.5	19.8	0.0
Return on Equity	11.49%	11.52%	11.48%	11.54%	11.53%	11.49%	11.49%	11.64%	0.00%

Revenue Requirements Forecast

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Transmission									
Revenue from Customers	33.2	35.4	36.8	37.3	38.3	39.8	40.7	40.9	41.5
Other Revenues	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1
Total Revenues	39.5	41.5	42.8	43.4	44.4	45.9	46.7	47.0	47.5
Operating Expenses									
Non-production Expenses	12.6	13.8	14.2	13.9	14.2	14.6	14.9	15.3	15.7
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3
Amortization	(1.2)	(1.2)	(1.0)	(0.8)	(0.6)	(0.4)	(0.2)	(0.1)	(0.0)
Operating Revenue Tax	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1
Property Taxes	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
Other Taxes	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7
Current Taxes	5.1	5.5	5.9	6.4	6.7	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.4
Deferred Taxes	(1.2)	(1.0)	(0.8)	(0.6)	(0.4)	(0.1)	0.3	0.3	0.5
ITC Amortization	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4)
Total Operating Expenses	23.6	25.6	26.9	27.6	28.7	30.2	31.4	32.0	32.8
Operating Income	15.8	15.9	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.7	15.3	15.0	14.7
Interest Expense	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.5
Net Income	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.3	8.2
Preferred Return	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1
Income Available for Equity Return	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.1
Operating Income	15.8	15.9	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.7	15.3	15.0	14.7
Rate Base	165.0	165.3	165.4	163.7	162.6	163.1	159.7	156.3	153.1
Return on Operating Income	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	66.1	66.3	66.3	65.6	65.2	65.4	64.0	62.6	61.4
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

Revenue Requirements Forecast

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Distribution									
Revenue from Customers	240.7	255.2	260.4	263.4	271.3	278.0	285.0	291.8	304.0
Other Revenues	12.7	12.8	15.9	16.0	16.0	16.1	16.2	16.3	12.1
Total Revenues	253.4	267.9	276.2	279.3	287.4	294.1	301.2	308.0	316.0
Operating Expenses									
Non-production Expenses	97.3	105.9	109.3	107.4	110.3	113.1	116.0	119.0	122.4
Major Maintenance Expense	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Book Depreciation	31.8	33.2	34.5	35.7	37.0	38.3	39.5	40.8	42.2
Amortization	0.1	0.2	0.7	1.4	2.2	2.7	3.1	3.3	3.6
Operating Revenue Tax	11.2	11.8	12.2	12.3	12.6	12.9	13.3	13.6	13.9
Property Taxes	2.7	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
Other Taxes	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.8
Current Taxes	26.2	28.0	29.3	30.8	32.3	32.7	33.0	33.1	33.2
Deferred Taxes	3.7	2.8	2.0	1.4	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.5	1.9
ITC Amortization	(1.6)	(1.6)	(1.6)	(1.6)	(1.6)	(1.6)	(1.6)	(1.6)	(1.6)
Total Operating Expenses	177.9	190.1	196.5	197.6	203.7	209.1	214.7	220.2	226.8
Operating Income	75.5	77.9	79.7	81.8	83.6	84.9	86.5	87.9	89.2
Interest Expense	33.6	34.7	35.5	36.4	37.2	37.8	38.5	39.1	39.7
Net Income	41.9	43.2	44.2	45.4	46.4	47.1	48.0	48.8	49.5
Preferred Return	5.7	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.7
Income Available for Equity Return	36.2	37.4	38.2	39.2	40.1	40.8	41.5	42.2	42.8
Operating Income	75.5	77.9	79.7	81.8	83.6	84.9	86.5	87.9	89.2
Rate Base	786.3	810.7	829.8	851.2	870.7	884.2	900.1	914.7	928.8
Return on Operating Income	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%	9.61%
Rate Base - Equity	315.2	324.9	332.6	341.2	349.0	354.4	360.8	366.6	372.3
Return on Equity	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Rate Base Summary										
Generation	1,101.07	1,080.06	1,036.11	931.99	872.40	804.71	724.05	649.75	618.08	536.98
Regulatory Assets	346.43	322.08	289.14	295.70	246.42	197.13	147.85	98.57	49.28	0.00
Transmission	165.12	164.99	165.34	165.38	163.68	162.59	163.09	159.72	156.27	153.14
Distribution	<u>755.58</u>	<u>786.17</u>	<u>810.67</u>	<u>829.78</u>	<u>851.23</u>	<u>870.65</u>	<u>884.20</u>	<u>900.14</u>	<u>914.74</u>	<u>928.80</u>
Total	2,368.20	2,353.30	2,301.27	2,222.85	2,133.72	2,035.08	1,919.20	1,808.18	1,738.38	1,618.92
Net Book Value Summary										
Generation	959.60	945.65	908.85	812.48	760.34	699.03	624.76	556.83	531.57	465.20
Regulatory Assets Included in Rate Base	346.43	322.08	289.14	295.70	246.42	197.13	147.85	98.57	49.28	0.00
Regulatory Assets Excluded from Rate Base	284.40	264.07	229.10	197.33	176.14	154.95	133.77	112.58	91.39	70.21
Transmission	158.13	158.43	159.19	159.63	158.34	157.66	158.57	155.62	152.58	149.86
Distribution	<u>727.90</u>	<u>760.13</u>	<u>786.19</u>	<u>806.86</u>	<u>829.86</u>	<u>850.84</u>	<u>865.95</u>	<u>883.44</u>	<u>899.61</u>	<u>915.22</u>
Total	2,476.46	2,450.36	2,372.47	2,272.00	2,171.10	2,059.62	1,930.90	1,807.04	1,724.43	1,600.48

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Net Plant										
Nuclear	906.88	836.72	753.87	609.00	525.50	444.76	363.73	283.35	217.07	156.76
Fossil	608.54	614.93	609.49	587.77	569.36	535.33	480.24	432.08	421.88	373.12
Transmission	198.76	196.37	194.65	192.99	190.08	188.14	188.23	185.03	181.85	179.27
Distribution	<u>914.16</u>	<u>947.56</u>	<u>974.02</u>	<u>995.15</u>	<u>1,018.61</u>	<u>1,040.06</u>	<u>1,056.30</u>	<u>1,075.60</u>	<u>1,094.23</u>	<u>1,113.07</u>
	2,628.34	2,595.57	2,532.03	2,384.92	2,303.55	2,208.28	2,088.50	1,976.06	1,915.04	1,822.22
Regulatory Assets										
Generation Regulatory Assets	455.26	420.67	370.73	387.23	322.69	258.15	193.62	129.08	64.54	(0.00)
Nuclear	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fossil	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Transmission	32.68	33.92	35.09	36.13	36.89	37.49	37.90	38.11	38.26	38.30
Distribution	<u>56.85</u>	<u>58.08</u>	<u>59.21</u>	<u>59.76</u>	<u>59.67</u>	<u>58.76</u>	<u>57.38</u>	<u>55.60</u>	<u>53.64</u>	<u>51.30</u>
	544.79	512.67	465.03	483.12	419.25	354.41	288.89	222.79	156.44	89.60
Deferred Income Taxes										
Generation Regulatory Assets	(109.18)	(98.77)	(81.59)	(91.53)	(76.28)	(61.02)	(45.77)	(30.51)	(15.26)	0.00
Nuclear	(306.92)	(273.16)	(238.98)	(187.20)	(154.06)	(121.90)	(89.74)	(57.51)	(31.93)	(7.74)
Fossil	(171.03)	(161.03)	(149.79)	(138.09)	(127.93)	(113.01)	(89.71)	(67.70)	(48.47)	(33.69)
Transmission	(67.54)	(66.50)	(65.62)	(64.96)	(64.52)	(64.26)	(64.26)	(64.64)	(65.06)	(65.65)
Distribution	<u>(220.21)</u>	<u>(224.33)</u>	<u>(227.58)</u>	<u>(230.16)</u>	<u>(232.08)</u>	<u>(233.20)</u>	<u>(234.50)</u>	<u>(236.09)</u>	<u>(238.16)</u>	<u>(240.60)</u>
	(874.88)	(823.79)	(763.56)	(711.94)	(654.86)	(593.39)	(523.98)	(456.45)	(398.88)	(347.67)
Working Capital										
Nuclear	21.84	21.50	20.42	19.40	18.43	18.43	18.43	18.43	18.43	18.43
Fossil	41.76	41.10	41.10	41.10	41.10	41.10	41.10	41.10	41.10	30.10
Transmission	1.24	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
Distribution	<u>5.11</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>
	69.94	68.85	67.77	66.75	65.78	65.78	65.78	65.78	65.78	54.78
Investment Tax Credit										
Nuclear	(56.98)	(52.54)	(48.11)	(43.01)	(37.91)	(32.80)	(27.70)	(22.60)	(17.47)	(15.12)
Fossil	(20.90)	(19.27)	(17.63)	(16.00)	(14.63)	(13.35)	(12.06)	(10.78)	(9.50)	(8.13)
Transmission	(5.75)	(5.34)	(4.93)	(4.52)	(4.11)	(3.70)	(3.29)	(2.89)	(2.48)	(2.07)
Distribution	<u>(22.57)</u>	<u>(21.01)</u>	<u>(19.45)</u>	<u>(17.89)</u>	<u>(16.34)</u>	<u>(14.78)</u>	<u>(13.22)</u>	<u>(11.67)</u>	<u>(10.11)</u>	<u>(8.55)</u>
	(106.20)	(98.16)	(90.13)	(81.42)	(72.98)	(64.63)	(56.28)	(47.93)	(39.56)	(33.87)

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Generation Summary										
Original Cost	2,804.81	2,881.51	2,937.42	2,916.60	2,955.03	2,988.39	3,021.17	3,059.41	3,130.39	3,157.46
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(1,289.38)</u>	<u>(1,429.87)</u>	<u>(1,574.06)</u>	<u>(1,719.82)</u>	<u>(1,860.17)</u>	<u>(2,008.31)</u>	<u>(2,177.20)</u>	<u>(2,343.98)</u>	<u>(2,491.43)</u>	<u>(2,627.58)</u>
Net Plant	1,515.43	1,451.65	1,363.37	1,196.77	1,094.86	980.09	843.97	715.43	638.95	529.88
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(477.95)</u>	<u>(434.19)</u>	<u>(388.77)</u>	<u>(325.29)</u>	<u>(281.99)</u>	<u>(234.91)</u>	<u>(179.45)</u>	<u>(125.21)</u>	<u>(80.41)</u>	<u>(41.42)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	1,037.48	1,017.46	974.59	871.49	812.87	745.18	664.52	590.22	558.55	488.45
Working Capital	<u>63.59</u>	<u>62.60</u>	<u>61.52</u>	<u>60.50</u>	<u>59.53</u>	<u>59.53</u>	<u>59.53</u>	<u>59.53</u>	<u>59.53</u>	<u>48.53</u>
Rate Base	1,101.07	1,080.06	1,036.11	931.99	872.40	804.71	724.05	649.75	618.08	536.98
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	1,037.48	1,017.46	974.59	871.49	812.87	745.18	664.52	590.22	558.55	488.45
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(77.88)</u>	<u>(71.81)</u>	<u>(65.74)</u>	<u>(59.01)</u>	<u>(52.53)</u>	<u>(46.15)</u>	<u>(39.77)</u>	<u>(33.38)</u>	<u>(26.97)</u>	<u>(23.25)</u>
Net Book Value	959.60	945.65	908.85	812.48	760.34	699.03	624.76	556.83	531.57	465.20

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Year.	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Regulatory Assets Summary										
Book Cost	544.79	544.79	544.79	625.83	625.83	625.83	625.83	625.83	625.83	625.83
Accumulated Amortization	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(32.12)</u>	<u>(79.76)</u>	<u>(142.71)</u>	<u>(206.58)</u>	<u>(271.42)</u>	<u>(336.94)</u>	<u>(403.04)</u>	<u>(469.39)</u>	<u>(536.23)</u>
Net Book Cost	544.79	512.67	465.03	483.12	419.25	354.41	288.89	222.79	156.44	89.60
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(198.36)</u>	<u>(190.59)</u>	<u>(175.88)</u>	<u>(187.42)</u>	<u>(172.84)</u>	<u>(157.27)</u>	<u>(141.04)</u>	<u>(124.22)</u>	<u>(107.15)</u>	<u>(89.60)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	346.43	322.08	289.14	295.70	246.42	197.13	147.85	98.57	49.28	0.00
Working Capital	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Rate Base	346.43	322.08	289.14	295.70	246.42	197.13	147.85	98.57	49.28	0.00
Regulatory Assets Excluded from Rate Base (Generation)										
Book Cost	449.13	449.13	449.13	431.03	431.03	431.03	431.03	431.03	431.03	431.03
Accumulated Amortization	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(34.76)</u>	<u>(94.52)</u>	<u>(125.45)</u>	<u>(156.38)</u>	<u>(187.31)</u>	<u>(218.24)</u>	<u>(249.17)</u>	<u>(280.10)</u>	<u>(311.03)</u>
Net Book Cost	449.13	414.37	354.61	305.58	274.65	243.72	212.79	181.86	150.93	120.00
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(164.73)</u>	<u>(150.30)</u>	<u>(125.51)</u>	<u>(108.25)</u>	<u>(98.51)</u>	<u>(88.77)</u>	<u>(79.02)</u>	<u>(69.28)</u>	<u>(59.54)</u>	<u>(49.79)</u>
Net Book Value	284.40	264.07	229.10	197.33	176.14	154.95	133.77	112.58	91.39	70.21

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Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Transmission Summary										
Original Cost	319.05	321.50	324.68	327.98	330.08	333.18	338.40	340.40	342.45	345.13
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(120.29)</u>	<u>(125.14)</u>	<u>(130.03)</u>	<u>(134.99)</u>	<u>(139.99)</u>	<u>(145.04)</u>	<u>(150.17)</u>	<u>(155.37)</u>	<u>(160.60)</u>	<u>(165.86)</u>
Net Plant	198.76	196.37	194.65	192.99	190.08	188.14	188.23	185.03	181.85	179.27
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(34.88)</u>	<u>(32.60)</u>	<u>(30.52)</u>	<u>(28.83)</u>	<u>(27.63)</u>	<u>(26.77)</u>	<u>(26.36)</u>	<u>(26.53)</u>	<u>(26.80)</u>	<u>(27.34)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	163.88	163.77	164.12	164.16	162.46	161.37	161.87	158.50	155.05	151.92
Working Capital	<u>1.24</u>	<u>1.22</u>	<u>1.22</u>	<u>1.22</u>	<u>1.22</u>	<u>1.22</u>	<u>1.22</u>	<u>1.22</u>	<u>1.22</u>	<u>1.22</u>
Rate Base	165.12	164.99	165.34	165.38	163.68	162.59	163.09	159.72	156.27	153.14
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	163.88	163.77	164.12	164.16	162.46	161.37	161.87	158.50	155.05	151.92
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(5.75)</u>	<u>(5.34)</u>	<u>(4.93)</u>	<u>(4.52)</u>	<u>(4.11)</u>	<u>(3.70)</u>	<u>(3.29)</u>	<u>(2.89)</u>	<u>(2.48)</u>	<u>(2.07)</u>
Net Book Value	158.13	158.43	159.19	159.63	158.34	157.66	158.57	155.62	152.58	149.86

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Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Distribution Summary										
Original Cost	1,341.65	1,406.88	1,466.56	1,522.18	1,581.37	1,639.87	1,694.39	1,753.21	1,812.68	1,873.69
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(427.49)</u>	<u>(459.32)</u>	<u>(492.54)</u>	<u>(527.02)</u>	<u>(562.77)</u>	<u>(599.81)</u>	<u>(638.09)</u>	<u>(677.61)</u>	<u>(718.45)</u>	<u>(760.62)</u>
Net Plant	914.16	947.56	974.02	995.15	1,018.61	1,040.06	1,056.30	1,075.60	1,094.23	1,113.07
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(163.69)</u>	<u>(166.42)</u>	<u>(168.38)</u>	<u>(170.40)</u>	<u>(172.41)</u>	<u>(174.44)</u>	<u>(177.13)</u>	<u>(180.49)</u>	<u>(184.52)</u>	<u>(189.31)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	750.46	781.14	805.64	824.75	846.20	865.62	879.17	895.11	909.71	923.77
Working Capital	<u>5.11</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>	<u>5.03</u>
Rate Base	755.58	786.17	810.67	829.78	851.23	870.65	884.20	900.14	914.74	928.80
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	750.46	781.14	805.64	824.75	846.20	865.62	879.17	895.11	909.71	923.77
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(22.57)</u>	<u>(21.01)</u>	<u>(19.45)</u>	<u>(17.89)</u>	<u>(16.34)</u>	<u>(14.78)</u>	<u>(13.22)</u>	<u>(11.67)</u>	<u>(10.11)</u>	<u>(8.55)</u>
Net Book Value	727.90	760.13	786.19	806.86	829.86	850.84	865.95	883.44	899.61	915.22

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Nuclear Generation										
Perry										
Original Cost	868.19	879.05	883.57	847.37	849.39	852.78	854.74	858.05	860.12	863.60
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(394.20)</u>	<u>(452.23)</u>	<u>(510.32)</u>	<u>(568.54)</u>	<u>(625.00)</u>	<u>(679.97)</u>	<u>(734.95)</u>	<u>(790.02)</u>	<u>(828.74)</u>	<u>(863.61)</u>
Net Plant	473.99	426.83	373.25	278.83	224.39	172.81	119.78	68.04	31.39	(0.00)
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(165.73)</u>	<u>(144.14)</u>	<u>(122.29)</u>	<u>(86.36)</u>	<u>(64.97)</u>	<u>(44.05)</u>	<u>(23.14)</u>	<u>(2.22)</u>	<u>11.87</u>	<u>24.32</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	308.26	282.69	250.96	192.47	159.42	128.76	96.65	65.81	43.25	24.32
Working Capital	<u>11.82</u>	<u>11.64</u>	<u>11.03</u>	<u>10.46</u>	<u>9.91</u>	<u>9.89</u>	<u>9.86</u>	<u>9.84</u>	<u>9.82</u>	<u>9.79</u>
Rate Base	320.08	294.33	261.99	202.93	169.33	138.65	106.51	75.65	53.07	34.11
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	308.26	282.69	250.96	192.47	159.42	128.76	96.65	65.81	43.25	24.32
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(24.25)</u>	<u>(21.40)</u>	<u>(18.54)</u>	<u>(15.68)</u>	<u>(12.83)</u>	<u>(9.97)</u>	<u>(7.11)</u>	<u>(4.25)</u>	<u>(1.40)</u>	<u>(1.35)</u>
Net Book Value	284.01	261.30	232.42	176.79	146.59	118.79	89.53	61.56	41.85	22.97

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Nuclear Generation										
Beaver Valley 1										
Original Cost	653.69	663.74	668.54	654.30	659.98	663.94	669.48	675.25	679.59	685.62
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(275.30)</u>	<u>(308.62)</u>	<u>(342.06)</u>	<u>(375.68)</u>	<u>(408.18)</u>	<u>(439.61)</u>	<u>(471.31)</u>	<u>(503.34)</u>	<u>(535.73)</u>	<u>(568.67)</u>
Net Plant	378.39	355.12	326.48	278.62	251.80	224.33	198.16	171.90	143.86	116.95
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(123.51)</u>	<u>(112.63)</u>	<u>(101.53)</u>	<u>(84.85)</u>	<u>(73.89)</u>	<u>(63.39)</u>	<u>(52.84)</u>	<u>(42.22)</u>	<u>(31.45)</u>	<u>(20.46)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	254.88	242.49	224.96	193.77	177.91	160.94	145.33	129.69	112.41	96.49
Working Capital	<u>8.93</u>	<u>8.79</u>	<u>8.34</u>	<u>7.93</u>	<u>7.56</u>	<u>7.56</u>	<u>7.58</u>	<u>7.60</u>	<u>7.61</u>	<u>7.63</u>
Rate Base	263.80	251.28	233.30	201.70	185.47	168.50	152.91	137.28	120.02	104.12
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	254.88	242.49	224.96	193.77	177.91	160.94	145.33	129.69	112.41	96.49
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(19.49)</u>	<u>(17.92)</u>	<u>(16.35)</u>	<u>(14.78)</u>	<u>(13.20)</u>	<u>(11.63)</u>	<u>(10.06)</u>	<u>(8.49)</u>	<u>(6.89)</u>	<u>(5.29)</u>
Net Book Value	235.39	224.57	208.61	178.99	164.71	149.31	135.27	121.20	105.52	91.21

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Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Nuclear Generation										
Beaver Valley 2										
Original Cost	77.52	81.08	83.90	84.68	85.85	87.47	88.84	89.72	91.45	92.83
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(23.02)</u>	<u>(26.32)</u>	<u>(29.76)</u>	<u>(33.13)</u>	<u>(36.54)</u>	<u>(39.85)</u>	<u>(43.06)</u>	<u>(46.31)</u>	<u>(49.62)</u>	<u>(53.02)</u>
Net Plant	54.50	54.77	54.14	51.55	49.31	47.62	45.78	43.41	41.83	39.81
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(17.67)</u>	<u>(16.39)</u>	<u>(15.16)</u>	<u>(15.99)</u>	<u>(15.19)</u>	<u>(14.45)</u>	<u>(13.76)</u>	<u>(13.06)</u>	<u>(12.35)</u>	<u>(11.60)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	36.82	38.38	38.98	35.56	34.12	33.17	32.02	30.35	29.48	28.21
Working Capital	<u>1.09</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.05</u>	<u>1.01</u>	<u>0.96</u>	<u>0.98</u>	<u>0.99</u>	<u>0.99</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>1.01</u>
Rate Base	37.91	39.45	40.02	36.57	35.08	34.14	33.01	31.33	30.48	29.22
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	36.82	38.38	38.98	35.56	34.12	33.17	32.02	30.35	29.48	28.21
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(13.24)</u>	<u>(13.23)</u>	<u>(13.22)</u>	<u>(12.55)</u>	<u>(11.88)</u>	<u>(11.20)</u>	<u>(10.53)</u>	<u>(9.86)</u>	<u>(9.19)</u>	<u>(8.49)</u>
Net Book Value	23.59	25.15	25.76	23.02	22.24	21.96	21.49	20.49	20.29	19.72

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Elrama										
Original Cost	237.66	259.95	271.43	277.56	286.10	291.76	294.49	296.00	297.05	297.05
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(137.74)</u>	<u>(152.38)</u>	<u>(168.54)</u>	<u>(185.59)</u>	<u>(203.70)</u>	<u>(222.70)</u>	<u>(242.54)</u>	<u>(263.06)</u>	<u>(284.56)</u>	<u>(297.05)</u>
Net Plant	99.93	107.57	102.89	91.96	82.40	69.06	51.95	32.94	12.49	0.00
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(18.75)</u>	<u>(14.98)</u>	<u>(11.03)</u>	<u>(6.68)</u>	<u>(1.90)</u>	<u>3.23</u>	<u>8.82</u>	<u>14.75</u>	<u>21.13</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	81.17	92.59	91.86	85.28	80.51	72.29	60.76	47.69	33.62	0.00
Working Capital	<u>10.98</u>	<u>10.81</u>	<u>11.19</u>	<u>10.24</u>	<u>10.36</u>	<u>10.49</u>	<u>10.49</u>	<u>9.95</u>	<u>10.02</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Rate Base	92.16	103.40	103.05	95.52	90.87	82.78	71.25	57.64	43.63	0.00
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	81.17	92.59	91.86	85.28	80.51	72.29	60.76	47.69	33.62	0.00
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(2.22)</u>	<u>(1.98)</u>	<u>(1.74)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.27)</u>	<u>(1.03)</u>	<u>(0.80)</u>	<u>(0.56)</u>	<u>(0.33)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Net Book Value	78.96	90.61	90.12	83.77	79.23	71.26	59.97	47.12	33.29	0.00

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Cheswick										
Original Cost	215.90	233.80	253.13	260.30	272.50	277.30	282.23	302.44	347.00	352.40
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(96.02)</u>	<u>(104.60)</u>	<u>(114.19)</u>	<u>(124.11)</u>	<u>(134.24)</u>	<u>(144.24)</u>	<u>(154.54)</u>	<u>(166.35)</u>	<u>(181.83)</u>	<u>(197.75)</u>
Net Plant	119.88	129.20	138.93	136.19	138.26	133.06	127.69	136.08	165.17	154.65
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(34.85)</u>	<u>(33.11)</u>	<u>(31.54)</u>	<u>(30.10)</u>	<u>(28.69)</u>	<u>(27.18)</u>	<u>(25.48)</u>	<u>(23.48)</u>	<u>(21.12)</u>	<u>2.22</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	85.03	96.08	107.39	106.09	109.57	105.88	102.21	112.61	144.06	156.88
Working Capital	<u>10.96</u>	<u>10.79</u>	<u>10.26</u>	<u>11.39</u>	<u>12.18</u>	<u>11.99</u>	<u>12.27</u>	<u>12.37</u>	<u>12.48</u>	<u>12.45</u>
Rate Base	95.99	106.87	117.65	117.48	121.75	117.88	114.48	124.98	156.54	169.32
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	85.03	96.08	107.39	106.09	109.57	105.88	102.21	112.61	144.06	156.88
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(2.91)</u>	<u>(2.75)</u>	<u>(2.60)</u>	<u>(2.44)</u>	<u>(2.28)</u>	<u>(2.13)</u>	<u>(1.97)</u>	<u>(1.82)</u>	<u>(1.66)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>
Net Book Value	82.13	93.33	104.80	103.65	107.29	103.75	100.24	110.79	142.40	155.37

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Mansfield										
Original Cost	269.35	273.68	279.82	283.33	290.92	294.50	298.60	301.47	310.05	315.92
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(124.63)</u>	<u>(132.74)</u>	<u>(141.10)</u>	<u>(149.58)</u>	<u>(157.87)</u>	<u>(165.82)</u>	<u>(173.97)</u>	<u>(182.27)</u>	<u>(191.13)</u>	<u>(200.39)</u>
Net Plant	144.72	140.93	138.72	133.75	133.05	128.68	124.63	119.20	118.92	115.53
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(39.17)</u>	<u>(38.04)</u>	<u>(36.40)</u>	<u>(34.40)</u>	<u>(32.52)</u>	<u>(30.85)</u>	<u>(29.12)</u>	<u>(27.41)</u>	<u>(25.62)</u>	<u>(23.88)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	105.54	102.89	102.32	99.35	100.53	97.84	95.50	91.79	93.30	91.65
Working Capital	<u>12.04</u>	<u>11.86</u>	<u>12.02</u>	<u>12.05</u>	<u>10.13</u>	<u>10.38</u>	<u>9.99</u>	<u>10.21</u>	<u>10.07</u>	<u>9.74</u>
Rate Base	117.59	114.74	114.35	111.40	110.66	108.22	105.50	102.00	103.36	101.39
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	105.54	102.89	102.32	99.35	100.53	97.84	95.50	91.79	93.30	91.65
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(6.80)</u>	<u>(6.48)</u>	<u>(6.17)</u>	<u>(5.86)</u>	<u>(5.55)</u>	<u>(5.24)</u>	<u>(4.93)</u>	<u>(4.62)</u>	<u>(4.30)</u>	<u>(3.99)</u>
Net Book Value	98.75	96.40	96.15	93.49	94.98	92.60	90.57	87.18	88.99	87.66

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Sammis										
Original Cost	93.56	96.18	97.59	102.13	102.74	107.66	113.74	115.68	116.89	118.11
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(40.17)</u>	<u>(44.41)</u>	<u>(48.72)</u>	<u>(53.35)</u>	<u>(57.80)</u>	<u>(62.50)</u>	<u>(67.79)</u>	<u>(73.26)</u>	<u>(78.86)</u>	<u>(84.61)</u>
Net Plant	53.39	51.76	48.87	48.79	44.94	45.16	45.95	42.42	38.03	33.51
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(13.56)</u>	<u>(13.18)</u>	<u>(12.24)</u>	<u>(11.23)</u>	<u>(10.19)</u>	<u>(9.10)</u>	<u>(7.95)</u>	<u>(6.83)</u>	<u>(5.65)</u>	<u>(4.40)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	39.84	38.59	36.64	37.56	34.75	36.05	38.00	35.59	32.38	29.11
Working Capital	<u>4.16</u>	<u>4.09</u>	<u>4.31</u>	<u>4.28</u>	<u>4.71</u>	<u>4.61</u>	<u>4.66</u>	<u>4.70</u>	<u>4.84</u>	<u>4.45</u>
Rate Base	43.99	42.68	40.95	41.85	39.45	40.66	42.66	40.29	37.23	33.56
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	39.84	38.59	36.64	37.56	34.75	36.05	38.00	35.59	32.38	29.11
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(2.84)</u>	<u>(2.65)</u>	<u>(2.46)</u>	<u>(2.27)</u>	<u>(2.08)</u>	<u>(1.89)</u>	<u>(1.70)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.33)</u>	<u>(1.14)</u>
Net Book Value	37.00	35.94	34.18	35.29	32.67	34.16	36.29	34.08	31.06	27.97

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Eastlake										
Original Cost	78.87	81.38	84.71	86.74	87.29	92.67	98.67	100.35	103.51	107.11
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(36.20)</u>	<u>(39.42)</u>	<u>(42.83)</u>	<u>(46.36)</u>	<u>(49.75)</u>	<u>(53.42)</u>	<u>(57.62)</u>	<u>(61.97)</u>	<u>(66.65)</u>	<u>(71.76)</u>
Net Plant	42.66	41.97	41.89	40.38	37.54	39.25	41.04	38.38	36.86	35.35
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(10.52)</u>	<u>(10.00)</u>	<u>(9.44)</u>	<u>(8.86)</u>	<u>(8.34)</u>	<u>(7.76)</u>	<u>(7.11)</u>	<u>(6.25)</u>	<u>(5.28)</u>	<u>(4.21)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	32.15	31.96	32.44	31.52	29.20	31.49	33.93	32.13	31.58	31.14
Working Capital	<u>3.61</u>	<u>3.55</u>	<u>3.31</u>	<u>3.14</u>	<u>3.73</u>	<u>3.63</u>	<u>3.69</u>	<u>3.86</u>	<u>3.70</u>	<u>3.47</u>
Rate Base	35.76	35.52	35.75	34.66	32.93	35.11	37.62	35.99	35.28	34.60
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	32.15	31.96	32.44	31.52	29.20	31.49	33.93	32.13	31.58	31.14
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(1.70)</u>	<u>(1.59)</u>	<u>(1.49)</u>	<u>(1.38)</u>	<u>(1.27)</u>	<u>(1.17)</u>	<u>(1.06)</u>	<u>(0.96)</u>	<u>(0.85)</u>	<u>(0.74)</u>
Net Book Value	30.45	30.37	30.96	30.14	27.93	30.32	32.87	31.17	30.73	30.40

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Brunot Island In-Service										
Original Cost	45.72	47.82	49.09	54.55	54.62	54.68	54.75	54.82	59.10	59.17
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(20.20)</u>	<u>(22.14)</u>	<u>(24.11)</u>	<u>(26.41)</u>	<u>(28.61)</u>	<u>(30.72)</u>	<u>(32.82)</u>	<u>(34.92)</u>	<u>(37.44)</u>	<u>(39.96)</u>
Net Plant	25.52	25.68	24.98	28.14	26.00	23.96	21.93	19.90	21.66	19.22
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(8.73)</u>	<u>(8.07)</u>	<u>(7.46)</u>	<u>(6.82)</u>	<u>(6.30)</u>	<u>(5.78)</u>	<u>(5.24)</u>	<u>(4.68)</u>	<u>(4.02)</u>	<u>(3.42)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	16.79	17.60	17.52	21.32	19.71	18.18	16.69	15.22	17.64	15.80
Working Capital	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Rate Base	16.79	17.60	17.52	21.32	19.71	18.18	16.69	15.22	17.64	15.80
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	16.79	17.60	17.52	21.32	19.71	18.18	16.69	15.22	17.64	15.80
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(0.73)</u>	<u>(0.69)</u>	<u>(0.64)</u>	<u>(0.60)</u>	<u>(0.55)</u>	<u>(0.51)</u>	<u>(0.47)</u>	<u>(0.42)</u>	<u>(0.38)</u>	<u>(0.33)</u>
Net Book Value	16.06	16.92	16.88	20.73	19.15	17.67	16.22	14.80	17.26	15.46

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Phillips	147.02	147.51	148.31	148.31	148.31	148.31	148.31	148.31	148.31	148.31
Original Cost	<u>(68.63)</u>	<u>(69.12)</u>	<u>(69.92)</u>	<u>(69.92)</u>	<u>(69.92)</u>	<u>(80.92)</u>	<u>(110.02)</u>	<u>(133.92)</u>	<u>(148.32)</u>	<u>(148.32)</u>
Accumulated Depreciation	78.40	78.40	78.40	78.40	78.40	67.40	38.30	14.40	(0.00)	(0.00)
Net Plant	<u>(28.26)</u>	<u>(28.34)</u>	<u>(28.27)</u>	<u>(28.51)</u>	<u>(28.69)</u>	<u>(24.25)</u>	<u>(12.28)</u>	<u>(2.45)</u>	<u>3.44</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	50.14	50.06	50.12	49.89	49.71	43.15	26.02	11.95	3.44	(0.00)
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Working Capital	50.14	50.06	50.12	49.89	49.71	43.15	26.02	11.95	3.44	(0.00)
Rate Base										
	50.14	50.06	50.12	49.89	49.71	43.15	26.02	11.95	3.44	(0.00)
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	<u>(1.68)</u>	<u>(1.49)</u>	<u>(1.31)</u>	<u>(1.12)</u>	<u>(0.93)</u>	<u>(0.75)</u>	<u>(0.56)</u>	<u>(0.37)</u>	<u>(0.19)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Less: Accumulated ITC	48.46	48.57	48.82	48.77	48.78	42.40	25.46	11.57	3.26	(0.00)
Net Book Value										

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Brunot Island Cold Reserve										
Original Cost	44.83	44.83	44.83	44.83	44.83	44.83	44.83	44.83	44.83	44.83
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(16.07)</u>	<u>(29.97)</u>
Net Plant	28.76	28.76	28.76	28.76	28.76	28.76	28.76	28.76	28.76	14.86
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(11.25)</u>	<u>(11.26)</u>	<u>(11.28)</u>	<u>(11.30)</u>	<u>(11.31)</u>	<u>(11.33)</u>	<u>(11.34)</u>	<u>(11.36)</u>	<u>(11.37)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	17.51	17.49	17.48	17.46	17.45	17.43	17.42	17.40	17.39	14.86
Working Capital	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Rate Base	17.51	17.49	17.48	17.46	17.45	17.43	17.42	17.40	17.39	14.86
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	17.51	17.49	17.48	17.46	17.45	17.43	17.42	17.40	17.39	14.86
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(0.89)</u>	<u>(0.84)</u>	<u>(0.78)</u>	<u>(0.73)</u>	<u>(0.68)</u>	<u>(0.63)</u>	<u>(0.57)</u>	<u>(0.52)</u>	<u>(0.47)</u>	<u>(0.42)</u>
Net Book Value	16.62	16.66	16.69	16.73	16.77	16.80	16.84	16.88	16.92	14.44

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Fossil Generation										
Warwick										
Original Cost	72.50	72.50	72.50	72.50	72.50	72.50	72.50	72.50	72.50	72.50
Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(57.20)</u>	<u>(61.83)</u>	<u>(66.46)</u>	<u>(71.09)</u>	<u>(72.49)</u>	<u>(72.49)</u>	<u>(72.49)</u>	<u>(72.49)</u>	<u>(72.49)</u>	<u>(72.49)</u>
Net Plant	15.29	10.67	6.04	1.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(5.96)</u>	<u>(4.04)</u>	<u>(2.12)</u>	<u>(0.20)</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	9.33	6.63	3.92	1.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Working Capital	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Rate Base	9.33	6.63	3.92	1.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	9.33	6.63	3.92	1.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Less: Accumulated ITC	<u>(1.15)</u>	<u>(0.79)</u>	<u>(0.44)</u>	<u>(0.09)</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Net Book Value	8.19	5.83	3.48	1.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Generation-Related Regulatory Assets										
Book Cost	455.26	455.26	455.26	536.30	536.30	536.30	536.30	536.30	536.30	536.30
Accumulated Amortization	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(34.59)</u>	<u>(84.53)</u>	<u>(149.07)</u>	<u>(213.61)</u>	<u>(278.15)</u>	<u>(342.68)</u>	<u>(407.22)</u>	<u>(471.76)</u>	<u>(536.30)</u>
Net Book Cost	455.26	420.67	370.73	387.23	322.69	258.15	193.62	129.08	64.54	0.00
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(109.18)</u>	<u>(98.77)</u>	<u>(81.59)</u>	<u>(91.53)</u>	<u>(76.28)</u>	<u>(61.02)</u>	<u>(45.77)</u>	<u>(30.51)</u>	<u>(15.26)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	346.08	321.90	289.14	295.70	246.42	197.13	147.85	98.57	49.28	0.00
Working Capital	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Rate Base	346.08	321.90	289.14	295.70	246.42	197.13	147.85	98.57	49.28	0.00

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Transmission-Related Regulatory Assets										
Book Cost	32.68	32.68	32.68	32.68	32.68	32.68	32.68	32.68	32.68	32.68
Accumulated Amortization	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1.23</u>	<u>2.41</u>	<u>3.45</u>	<u>4.21</u>	<u>4.81</u>	<u>5.22</u>	<u>5.43</u>	<u>5.58</u>	<u>5.62</u>
Net Book Cost	32.68	33.92	35.09	36.13	36.89	37.49	37.90	38.11	38.26	38.30
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(32.66)</u>	<u>(33.91)</u>	<u>(35.09)</u>	<u>(36.13)</u>	<u>(36.89)</u>	<u>(37.49)</u>	<u>(37.90)</u>	<u>(38.11)</u>	<u>(38.26)</u>	<u>(38.30)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Working Capital	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Rate Base	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Rate Base and Net Book Value Forecast

Year	<u>1996</u>	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Distribution-Related Regulatory Assets										
Book Cost	56.85	56.85	56.85	56.85	56.85	56.85	56.85	56.85	56.85	56.85
Accumulated Amortization	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1.23</u>	<u>2.36</u>	<u>2.91</u>	<u>2.82</u>	<u>1.92</u>	<u>0.53</u>	<u>(1.25)</u>	<u>(3.21)</u>	<u>(5.55)</u>
Net Book Cost	56.85	58.08	59.21	59.76	59.67	58.76	57.38	55.60	53.64	51.30
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	<u>(56.52)</u>	<u>(57.92)</u>	<u>(59.21)</u>	<u>(59.76)</u>	<u>(59.67)</u>	<u>(58.76)</u>	<u>(57.38)</u>	<u>(55.60)</u>	<u>(53.64)</u>	<u>(51.30)</u>
Net Plant Less Accum. Deferred Taxes	0.33	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Working Capital	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Rate Base	0.33	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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Net Present Value of Generating Plant Assets

as of 12/31/05

\$ in Millions

Combined Cycle

@ \$33.8/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	<u>Plant Margin</u>	<u>Decommissioning</u>	<u>Net Plant Value</u>
<u>Fossil Plants:</u>			
Cheswick	0.0	(23.6)	(23.6)
Sammis	9.6	(27.8)	(18.2)
Eastlake	0.0	(22.5)	(22.5)
Elrama	0.0	(35.0)	(35.0)
Mansfield 1	14.7	(43.0)	(28.3)
Mansfield 2	4.6	(11.1)	(6.5)
Mansfield 3	10.6	(16.9)	(6.3)
Brunot Island	11.5	(13.9)	(2.4)
Phillips	0	(9.5)	(9.5)
Total Fossil	50.9	(203.4)	(152.4)
<u>Nuclear Plants:</u>			
Beaver Valley 1	38.5	(0.1)	38.5
Beaver Valley 2	69.3	(0.1)	69.2
Perry	0.0	(1.9)	(1.9)
Total Nuclear	107.8	(2.0)	105.8
TOTAL PLANTS	\$158.7	(\$205.4)	(\$46.6)

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PV of Fossil Plants
 \$ in Millions

@ \$33.8/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

CHESWICK	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73	3.83	3.92	4.02	4.12
Unit Output (gwh)	4,197	4,032	3,876	4,195	3,528	3,865	4,211	4,032	3,828
Delivered Output (gwh)	3,946	3,790	3,644	3,943	3,316	3,633	3,959	3,790	3,599
Revenues	133.46	131.39	129.49	143.63	123.82	139.05	155.29	152.38	148.31
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>									
Fuel Costs	64.40	63.33	63.44	73.77	65.30	73.86	82.77	82.20	81.49
Fuel Related ECR Costs	1.08	1.11	1.14	1.17	1.20	1.23	1.26	1.30	1.32
NOx Emissions	8.65	8.69	8.31	9.92	7.52	9.32	11.41	11.12	10.42
SO2 Emissions	<u>6.53</u>	<u>6.65</u>	<u>6.71</u>	<u>8.18</u>	<u>6.63</u>	<u>8.31</u>	<u>10.27</u>	<u>10.36</u>	<u>10.24</u>
Total Fuel	80.66	79.78	79.60	93.04	80.64	92.72	105.71	104.97	103.48
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>									
Variable O&M	3.93	3.88	3.83	4.25	3.67	4.13	4.61	4.54	4.42
Fixed O&M	9.56	11.72	11.87	10.13	11.03	12.40	10.53	12.83	12.98
Overhaul	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>12.50</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Subtotal	13.49	15.60	15.70	14.38	27.20	16.52	15.14	17.37	17.40
Carbon Injection Costs	3.01	2.80	2.81	3.09	2.52	2.93	3.33	3.13	3.07
FICA	0.48	0.51	0.51	0.46	0.48	0.54	0.56	0.59	0.57
Property Tax	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84
Cap Stock Tax	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88
Total Non-fuel	18.70	20.63	20.73	19.65	31.91	21.72	20.75	22.80	22.76
Capital Expenditures	5.19	5.34	5.50	5.67	15.05	4.53	3.14	1.66	1.06
Direct Expenses	104.55	105.75	105.83	118.36	127.60	118.96	129.59	129.44	127.30
Direct Margin	28.91	25.64	23.67	25.27	(3.78)	20.09	25.69	22.94	21.01
Overhead Allocation	17.70	19.98	19.63	21.63	23.77	22.25	25.16	26.54	25.43
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	122.25	125.73	125.46	139.99	151.37	141.21	154.76	155.98	152.73
Margin after Corp O/H	11.21	5.66	4.04	3.64	(27.55)	(2.16)	0.53	(3.60)	(4.42)
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>									
Fuel	2.04	2.11	2.18	2.36	2.43	2.55	2.67	2.77	2.88
Non-fuel	0.47	0.54	0.57	0.50	0.96	0.60	0.52	0.60	0.63
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.13</u>	<u>0.14</u>	<u>0.15</u>	<u>0.14</u>	<u>0.45</u>	<u>0.12</u>	<u>0.08</u>	<u>0.04</u>	<u>0.03</u>
Direct Expenses	2.65	2.79	2.90	3.00	3.85	3.27	3.27	3.42	3.54
Direct Margin	0.73	0.68	0.65	0.64	(0.11)	0.55	0.65	0.61	0.58
Overhead Allocation	0.45	0.53	0.54	0.55	0.72	0.61	0.64	0.70	0.71
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	3.10	3.32	3.44	3.55	4.56	3.89	3.91	4.12	4.24
Margin after Corp O/H	0.28	0.15	0.11	0.09	(0.83)	(0.06)	0.01	(0.09)	(0.12)
NPV of Margin after O/H	(1.8)								
NPV of Decommissioning	23.6								
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(25.4)								

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PV of Fossil Plants
\$ in Millions

@ \$33.8/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>
SAMMIS					
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73
Unit Output (gwh)	1,493	1,236	1,498	1,378	1,474
Delivered Output (gwh)	1,404	1,162	1,408	1,295	1,385
Revenues	47.48	40.29	50.05	47.18	51.72
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>					
Fuel Costs	23.77	20.33	25.67	24.55	27.34
Fuel Related ECR Costs	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03
NOx Emissions	2.05	1.77	2.24	2.15	2.39
SO2 Emissions	<u>0.98</u>	<u>0.66</u>	<u>1.14</u>	<u>1.02</u>	<u>1.27</u>
Total Fuel	26.83	22.80	29.08	27.75	31.03
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>					
Variable O&M	1.94	1.65	2.05	1.93	2.12
Fixed O&M	3.14	3.82	3.32	6.01	3.44
Overhaul	<u>0.00</u>	<u>2.28</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Subtotal	5.08	7.74	5.36	7.94	5.55
FICA	0.18	0.18	0.17	0.26	0.18
Property Tax	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49
Cap Stock Tax	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31
Total Non-fuel	7.05	9.71	7.33	9.99	7.53
Capital Expenditures	0.58	3.02	0.14	0.43	0.14
Direct Expenses	34.46	35.53	36.55	38.17	38.70
Direct Margin	13.02	4.76	13.50	9.00	13.02
Overhead Allocation	5.83	6.71	6.78	6.97	7.21
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	40.29	42.24	43.33	45.15	45.91
Margin after Corp O/H	7.19	(1.96)	6.72	2.03	5.81
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>					
Fuel	1.91	1.96	2.06	2.14	2.24
Non-fuel	0.50	0.84	0.52	0.77	0.54
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.04</u>	<u>0.26</u>	<u>0.01</u>	<u>0.03</u>	<u>0.01</u>
Direct Expenses	2.45	3.06	2.60	2.95	2.79
Direct Margin	0.93	0.41	0.96	0.70	0.94
Overhead Allocation	0.42	0.58	0.48	0.54	0.52
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	2.87	3.64	3.08	3.49	3.31
Margin after Corp O/H	0.51	(0.17)	0.48	0.16	0.42
NPV of Margin after O/H	<input type="text" value="9.6"/>				
NPV of Decommissioning	27.8				
NPV OF NET MARGIN	<input type="text" value="(18.2)"/>				

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PV of Fossil Plants

\$ in Millions

	@ \$33.8/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%					
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
EASTLAKE						
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73	3.83
Unit Output (gwh)	1,120	1,149	1,166	1,286	1,149	1,178
Delivered Output (gwh)	1,053	1,080	1,096	1,209	1,080	1,108
Revenues	35.62	37.45	38.94	44.03	40.33	42.39
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>						
Fuel Costs	15.56	16.42	17.16	19.52	17.95	18.94
Fuel Related ECR Costs	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.13
NOx Emissions	1.02	1.09	1.16	1.33	1.24	1.32
SO2 Emissions	<u>5.11</u>	<u>5.67</u>	<u>6.21</u>	<u>7.51</u>	<u>7.08</u>	<u>7.86</u>
Total Fuel	21.80	23.31	24.65	28.49	26.40	28.25
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>						
Variable O&M	1.56	1.64	1.71	1.94	1.78	1.87
Fixed O&M	5.27	5.89	5.98	5.57	6.37	5.93
Overhaul	<u>0.80</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.52</u>
Subtotal	7.63	7.54	7.69	7.50	8.14	8.32
FICA	0.24	0.25	0.25	0.24	0.27	0.26
Property Tax	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27
Cap Stock Tax	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26
Total Non-fuel	9.41	9.32	9.48	9.28	9.95	10.12
Capital Expenditures	2.26	0.53	0.77	0.76	0.91	0.62
Direct Expenses	33.47	33.15	34.90	38.53	37.25	38.99
Direct Margin	2.15	4.30	4.04	5.50	3.08	3.40
Overhead Allocation	5.67	6.26	6.47	7.04	6.94	7.29
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	39.14	39.42	41.37	45.57	44.19	46.28
Margin after Corp O/H	(3.52)	(1.96)	(2.43)	(1.55)	(3.86)	(3.90)
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>						
Fuel	2.07	2.16	2.25	2.36	2.44	2.55
Non-fuel	0.89	0.86	0.87	0.77	0.92	0.91
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.21</u>	<u>0.05</u>	<u>0.07</u>	<u>0.06</u>	<u>0.08</u>	<u>0.06</u>
Direct Expenses	3.18	3.07	3.19	3.19	3.45	3.52
Direct Margin	0.20	0.40	0.37	0.45	0.29	0.31
Overhead Allocation	0.54	0.58	0.59	0.58	0.64	0.66
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	3.72	3.65	3.78	3.77	4.09	4.18
Margin after Corp O/H	(0.33)	(0.18)	(0.22)	(0.13)	(0.36)	(0.35)
NPV of Margin after O/H	(8.0)					
NPV of Decommissioning	22.5					
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(30.5)					

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2006

ELRAMA
 kwh Market Price (cents)
 Unit Output (gwh)
 Delivered Output (gwh)

Revenues

Fuel-Related Expenses

Fuel Costs
 Fuel Related ECR Costs
 NOx Emissions
 SO2 Emissions
 Total Fuel

Non-fuel O&M Expenses

Variable O&M
 Fixed O&M
 Overhaul
 Subtotal
 FICA
 Property Tax
 Cap Stock Tax
 Total Non-fuel

Capital Expenditures

Direct Expenses
Direct Margin

Overhead Allocation

Expenses incl. Corp O/H
Margin after Corp O/H

Costs per kwh (cents)

Fuel
 Non-fuel
 Capital Expenditures
Direct Expenses
Direct Margin

Overhead Allocation

Expenses incl. Corp O/H
Margin after Corp O/H

NPV of Margin after O/H	0.0
NPV of Decommissioning	35.0
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(35.0)

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DUQUESNE LIGHT

PV of Fossil Plants

\$ in Millions

@ \$33.8/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

MANSFIELD 1	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73	3.83	3.92	4.02	4.12	4.22
Unit Output (gwh)	1,376	1,789	1,657	1,787	1,652	1,789	1,382	1,789	1,652	1,769
Delivered Output (gwh)	1,293	1,682	1,557	1,679	1,553	1,682	1,299	1,682	1,553	1,663
Revenues	43.75	58.30	55.34	61.17	57.97	64.35	50.96	67.61	63.98	70.25
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>										
Fuel Costs	16.85	22.55	21.48	23.84	22.66	25.26	20.06	26.74	25.38	27.99
Fuel Related ECR Costs	3.48	4.58	4.37	4.82	4.59	5.08	4.09	5.36	5.11	5.59
NOx Emissions	3.25	5.02	4.67	5.43	5.06	5.92	4.21	6.44	5.97	6.87
SO2 Emissions	(0.39)	(0.31)	(0.37)	(0.36)	(0.44)	(0.43)	(0.61)	(0.49)	(0.59)	(0.58)
Total Fuel	23.20	31.84	30.15	33.72	31.87	35.84	27.74	38.04	35.86	39.86
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>										
Variable O&M	1.92	2.56	2.43	2.69	2.55	2.84	2.25	2.99	2.84	3.12
Fixed O&M	5.76	5.84	6.82	6.42	7.54	6.79	6.83	6.94	8.15	8.62
Overhaul	3.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Subtotal	11.64	8.40	9.25	9.11	10.09	9.63	13.81	9.94	10.99	11.74
FICA	0.27	0.28	0.30	0.29	0.33	0.32	0.34	0.34	0.36	0.36
Property Tax	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48
Cap Stock Tax	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Total Non-fuel	12.89	9.65	10.52	10.38	11.40	10.92	15.13	11.25	12.32	13.09
Capital Expenditures	6.38	1.03	0.83	0.99	2.20	2.14	5.71	0.62	0.25	0.18
Direct Expenses	42.47	42.52	41.50	45.09	45.47	48.90	48.58	49.91	48.44	53.13
Direct Margin	1.28	15.78	13.84	16.08	12.49	15.45	2.38	17.70	15.55	17.12
Overhead Allocation	7.19	8.03	7.70	8.24	8.47	9.14	9.43	10.23	9.68	11.66
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	49.66	50.55	49.19	53.33	53.95	58.05	58.02	60.14	58.11	64.79
Margin after Corp O/H	(5.91)	7.75	6.14	7.84	4.02	6.31	(7.06)	7.46	5.87	5.46
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>										
Fuel	1.79	1.89	1.94	2.01	2.05	2.13	2.14	2.26	2.31	2.40
Non-fuel	1.00	0.57	0.68	0.62	0.73	0.65	1.16	0.67	0.79	0.79
Capital Expenditures	0.49	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.13	0.44	0.04	0.02	0.01
Direct Expenses	3.28	2.53	2.66	2.68	2.93	2.91	3.74	2.97	3.12	3.19
Direct Margin	0.10	0.94	0.89	0.96	0.80	0.92	0.18	1.05	1.00	1.03
Overhead Allocation	0.56	0.48	0.49	0.49	0.55	0.54	0.73	0.61	0.62	0.70
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	3.84	3.01	3.16	3.18	3.47	3.45	4.47	3.58	3.74	3.90
Margin after Corp O/H	(0.46)	0.46	0.39	0.47	0.26	0.38	(0.54)	0.44	0.38	0.33
NPV of Margin after O/H	14.7									
NPV of Decommissioning	43.0									
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(28.3)									

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	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
MANSFIELD 2											
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73	3.83	3.92	4.02	4.12	4.22	4.33
Unit Output (gwh)	404	481	463	499	461	500	404	482	461	500	455
Delivered Output (gwh)	379	452	435	469	434	470	380	453	434	470	427
Revenues	12.83	15.66	15.46	17.09	16.19	17.98	14.89	18.21	17.87	19.84	18.50
Fuel-Related Expenses											
Fuel Costs	4.86	5.96	5.91	6.56	6.23	6.95	5.77	7.09	6.98	7.78	7.28
Fuel Related ECR Costs	1.01	1.23	1.21	1.34	1.28	1.41	1.19	1.44	1.42	1.57	1.47
NOx Emissions	1.00	1.36	1.37	1.56	1.44	1.70	1.28	1.75	1.75	2.00	1.81
SO2 Emissions	(0.12)	(0.11)	(0.13)	(0.12)	(0.15)	(0.15)	(0.19)	(0.18)	(0.20)	(0.20)	(0.23)
Total Fuel	6.75	8.44	8.36	9.33	8.80	9.91	8.04	10.11	9.95	11.16	10.33
Non-fuel O&M Expenses											
Variable O&M	0.56	0.68	0.67	0.75	0.71	0.79	0.65	0.80	0.79	0.87	0.82
Fixed O&M	1.52	1.59	1.83	1.72	2.03	1.83	1.82	1.90	2.20	2.35	2.53
Overhaul	1.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.21	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.00
Subtotal	3.07	2.47	2.50	2.47	2.74	2.62	3.67	2.92	2.99	3.23	3.35
FICA	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.14
Property Tax	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13
Cap Stock Tax	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14
Total Non-fuel	3.41	2.81	2.85	2.81	3.09	2.97	4.03	3.28	3.35	3.59	3.75
Capital Expenditures	0.91	1.83	0.41	0.27	0.60	0.36	1.09	1.63	0.24	0.08	0.11
Direct Expenses	11.07	13.07	11.62	12.41	12.50	13.24	13.16	15.02	13.54	14.83	14.18
Direct Margin	1.76	2.59	3.84	4.68	3.70	4.74	1.73	3.20	4.33	5.01	4.32
Overhead Allocation	1.87	2.47	2.16	2.27	2.33	2.48	2.56	3.08	2.71	3.26	2.51
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	12.94	15.54	13.78	14.68	14.82	15.72	15.71	18.10	16.25	18.09	16.70
Margin after Corp O/H	(0.11)	0.12	1.68	2.41	1.37	2.26	(0.82)	0.12	1.62	1.75	1.80
Costs per kwh (cents)											
Fuel	1.78	1.87	1.92	1.99	2.03	2.11	2.12	2.23	2.29	2.38	2.42
Non-fuel	0.90	0.62	0.65	0.60	0.71	0.63	1.06	0.72	0.77	0.77	0.88
Capital Expenditures	0.24	0.40	0.09	0.06	0.14	0.08	0.29	0.36	0.06	0.02	0.03
Direct Expenses	2.92	2.89	2.67	2.65	2.88	2.82	3.47	3.32	3.12	3.16	3.32
Direct Margin	0.46	0.57	0.88	1.00	0.85	1.01	0.46	0.71	1.00	1.07	1.01
Overhead Allocation	0.49	0.55	0.50	0.48	0.54	0.53	0.67	0.68	0.62	0.69	0.59
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	3.41	3.44	3.17	3.13	3.42	3.35	4.14	4.00	3.75	3.85	3.91
Margin after Corp O/H	(0.03)	0.03	0.39	0.51	0.32	0.48	(0.22)	0.03	0.37	0.37	0.42
NPV of Margin after O/H	4.6										
NPV of Decommissioning	11.1										
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(6.5)										

DUQUESNE LIGHT PV of Fossil Plants

\$ in Millions

@ \$33.8/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
MANSFIELD 3														
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73	3.83	3.92	4.02	4.12	4.22	4.33	4.44	4.55	4.66
Unit Output (gwh)	874	839	712	807	875	808	877	719	829	808	877	808	875	870
Delivered Output (gwh)	822	788	669	758	822	759	824	676	779	759	824	759	822	818
Revenues	27.80	27.34	23.78	27.63	30.70	29.05	32.34	27.17	32.12	32.06	35.70	33.69	37.40	38.13
Fuel-Related Expenses														
Fuel Costs	10.33	10.20	8.91	10.39	11.58	11.01	12.28	10.37	12.30	12.33	13.78	13.02	14.49	14.80
Fuel Related ECR Costs	2.18	2.16	1.90	2.19	2.42	2.31	2.56	2.18	2.56	2.57	2.85	2.71	3.00	3.06
NOx Emissions	2.82	2.79	2.32	2.87	3.33	3.16	3.64	2.89	3.67	3.69	4.30	4.06	4.66	4.81
SO2 Emissions	<u>(0.18)</u>	<u>(0.20)</u>	<u>(0.25)</u>	<u>(0.25)</u>	<u>(0.25)</u>	<u>(0.29)</u>	<u>(0.29)</u>	<u>(0.37)</u>	<u>(0.35)</u>	<u>(0.39)</u>	<u>(0.38)</u>	<u>(0.45)</u>	<u>(0.45)</u>	<u>(0.49)</u>
Total Fuel	15.16	14.94	12.87	15.20	17.09	16.18	18.20	15.07	18.17	18.20	20.54	19.34	21.69	22.18
Non-fuel O&M Expenses														
Variable O&M	1.05	1.03	0.90	1.05	1.17	1.11	1.23	1.04	1.23	1.23	1.37	1.30	1.44	1.47
Fixed O&M	2.65	3.01	3.56	3.35	3.71	3.54	3.15	3.76	4.08	4.50	4.67	4.78	4.91	5.01
Overhaul	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.28</u>	<u>1.29</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1.45</u>	<u>0.42</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Subtotal	3.70	4.32	5.75	4.39	4.88	4.64	4.39	6.24	5.73	5.73	6.04	6.07	6.35	6.48
FICA	0.13	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.15	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.18	0.25	0.25	0.26	0.26
Property Tax	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23
Cap Stock Tax	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24
Total Non-fuel	4.31	4.93	6.37	5.01	5.51	5.27	5.02	6.87	6.37	6.38	6.76	6.80	7.08	7.22
Capital Expenditures	0.43	0.69	2.69	0.48	1.07	0.40	0.51	0.82	3.21	0.57	0.96	0.64	0.32	0.19
Direct Expenses	19.90	20.56	21.92	20.69	23.67	21.85	23.74	22.77	27.76	25.15	28.25	26.77	29.09	29.59
Direct Margin	7.90	6.78	1.85	6.94	7.03	7.20	8.61	4.40	4.36	6.91	7.45	6.92	8.32	8.54
Overhead Allocation	3.37	3.88	4.07	3.78	4.41	4.09	4.61	4.67	5.55	5.52	5.00	4.70	5.61	5.18
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	23.27	24.44	25.99	24.47	28.07	25.94	28.35	27.44	33.30	30.67	33.25	31.47	34.70	34.77
Margin after Corp O/H	4.53	2.89	(2.21)	3.16	2.63	3.11	4.00	(0.27)	(1.18)	1.39	2.45	2.22	2.71	3.36
Costs per kwh (cents)														
Fuel	1.84	1.90	1.92	2.00	2.08	2.13	2.21	2.23	2.33	2.40	2.49	2.55	2.64	2.71
Non-fuel	0.52	0.63	0.95	0.66	0.67	0.69	0.61	1.02	0.82	0.84	0.82	0.90	0.86	0.88
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.05</u>	<u>0.09</u>	<u>0.40</u>	<u>0.06</u>	<u>0.13</u>	<u>0.05</u>	<u>0.06</u>	<u>0.12</u>	<u>0.41</u>	<u>0.08</u>	<u>0.12</u>	<u>0.08</u>	<u>0.04</u>	<u>0.02</u>
Direct Expenses	2.42	2.61	3.28	2.73	2.88	2.88	3.37	3.56	3.31	3.43	3.53	3.53	3.54	3.62
Direct Margin	0.96	0.86	0.28	0.91	0.86	0.95	1.04	0.65	0.56	0.91	0.90	0.91	1.01	1.04
Overhead Allocation	0.41	0.49	0.61	0.50	0.54	0.54	0.56	0.69	0.71	0.73	0.61	0.62	0.61	0.62
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	2.83	3.10	3.88	3.23	3.41	3.42	3.44	4.06	4.27	4.04	4.03	4.15	4.1	4.1
Margin after Corp O/H	0.55	0.37	(0.33)	0.42	0.32	0.41	0.48	(0.04)	(0.15)	0.18	0.30	0.29	0.3	0.3
NPV of Margin after O/H	10.6													
NPV of Decommissioning	16.9													
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(6.3)													

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	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
BRUNOT ISLAND							
kwh Market Price (cents)	16.91	17.34	17.77	18.21	18.67	19.13	19.61
Unit Output (gwh)	406	111	111	111	111	111	0
Delivered Output (gwh)	382	104	104	104	104	104	0
Revenues	64.58	18.09	18.54	19.00	19.48	19.97	0.00
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>							
Fuel Costs	40.31	12.52	12.86	13.21	13.56	13.93	0.00
Fuel Related ECR Costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NOx Emissions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
SO2 Emissions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Fuel	40.31	12.52	12.86	13.21	13.56	13.93	0.00
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>							
Variable O&M	0.53	0.15	0.15	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.00
Fixed O&M	0.71	0.73	0.75	0.77	0.79	0.81	0.00
Overhaul	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Subtotal	1.23	0.88	0.90	0.92	0.95	0.98	0.00
FICA	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00
Property Tax	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33
Cap Stock Tax	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34
Total Non-fuel	1.94	1.57	1.59	1.62	1.65	1.67	0.67
Capital Expenditures	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Direct Expenses	42.26	14.09	14.45	14.83	15.21	15.60	0.67
Direct Margin	22.32	4.00	4.09	4.18	4.27	4.36	(0.67)
Overhead Allocation	7.15	2.66	2.68	2.71	2.83	2.92	0.13
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	49.41	16.75	17.13	17.53	18.04	18.52	0.79
Margin after Corp O/H	15.17	1.33	1.41	1.47	1.44	1.45	(0.79)
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>							
Fuel	10.56	12.00	12.32	12.66	13.00	13.35	#DIV/0!
Non-fuel	0.51	1.51	1.53	1.55	1.58	1.60	#DIV/0!
Capital Expenditures	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!
Direct Expenses	11.07	13.51	13.85	14.21	14.58	14.95	#DIV/0!
Direct Margin	5.85	3.83	3.92	4.00	4.09	4.18	#DIV/0!
Overhead Allocation	1.87	2.55	2.57	2.60	2.72	2.80	#DIV/0!
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	12.94	16.06	16.42	16.81	17.29	17.75	#DIV/0!
Margin after Corp O/H	3.97	1.28	1.35	1.41	1.38	1.39	#DIV/0!
NPV of Margin after O/H	11.5						
NPV of Decommissioning	13.9						
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(2.4)						

DUQUESNE LIGHT
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	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
BEAVER VALLEY 1										
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73	3.83	3.92	4.02	4.12	4.22
Unit Output (gwh)	2,781	3,172	2,790	2,781	3,172	2,781	2,790	3,172	2,781	3,137
Delivered Output (gwh)	2,614	2,982	2,622	2,614	2,982	2,614	2,622	2,982	2,614	2,949
Revenues	88.42	103.37	93.19	95.22	111.32	100.04	102.86	119.88	107.73	124.57
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>										
Fuel Costs	15.18	17.99	16.47	17.07	20.28	18.54	19.32	22.84	20.81	24.39
Fuel Related ECR Costs	<u>2.78</u>	<u>3.17</u>	<u>2.79</u>	<u>2.78</u>	<u>3.17</u>	<u>2.78</u>	<u>2.79</u>	<u>3.17</u>	<u>2.78</u>	<u>3.14</u>
Total Fuel	17.96	21.16	19.26	19.85	23.45	21.32	22.11	26.01	23.59	27.53
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>										
Variable O&M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fixed O&M	35.65	36.91	38.31	39.55	40.93	42.37	43.95	45.37	46.96	48.06
CAPCO Billing	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)
Overhaul	<u>14.31</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>15.33</u>	<u>15.86</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>16.99</u>	<u>17.59</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>18.84</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Subtotal	44.66	31.61	48.34	50.11	35.64	54.06	56.24	40.07	60.50	42.76
FICA	1.64	1.67	1.70	1.74	1.77	1.81	1.84	1.88	1.92	1.95
Property Tax	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06
Cap Stock Tax	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15
Total Non-fuel	50.51	37.48	54.25	56.05	41.61	60.08	62.29	46.16	66.63	48.93
Capital Expenditures	5.25	3.54	5.35	5.70	3.84	5.80	6.10	4.14	6.25	6.60
Direct Expenses	73.72	62.19	78.86	81.60	68.91	87.19	90.50	76.31	96.46	83.05
Direct Margin	14.70	41.18	14.33	13.62	42.42	12.84	12.36	43.57	11.27	41.52
Overhead Allocation	12.48	11.75	14.63	14.91	12.84	16.30	17.57	15.65	19.27	18.23
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	86.20	73.94	93.48	96.51	81.74	103.50	108.07	91.96	115.73	101.27
Margin after Corp O/H	2.22	29.43	(0.30)	(1.29)	29.58	(3.46)	(5.21)	27.92	(8.00)	23.30
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>										
Fuel	0.69	0.71	0.73	0.76	0.79	0.82	0.84	0.87	0.90	0.93
Non-fuel	1.93	1.26	2.07	2.14	1.40	2.30	2.38	1.55	2.55	1.66
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.12</u>	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.22</u>	<u>0.13</u>	<u>0.22</u>	<u>0.23</u>	<u>0.14</u>	<u>0.24</u>	<u>0.22</u>
Direct Expenses	2.82	2.09	3.01	3.12	2.31	3.34	3.45	2.56	3.69	2.82
Direct Margin	0.56	1.38	0.55	0.52	1.42	0.49	0.47	1.46	0.43	1.41
Overhead Allocation	0.48	0.39	0.56	0.57	0.43	0.62	0.67	0.52	0.74	0.62
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	3.30	2.48	3.57	3.69	2.74	3.96	4.12	3.08	4.43	3.43
Margin after Corp O/H	0.09	0.99	(0.01)	(0.05)	0.99	(0.13)	(0.20)	0.94	(0.31)	0.79
NPV of Margin after O/H	38.5									
Overfunded Decomm.	0.1									
NPV OF NET MARGIN	38.5									

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	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	
BEAVER VALLEY 2																						
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73	3.83	3.92	4.02	4.12	4.22	4.33	4.44	4.55	4.66	4.78	4.90	5.02	5.15	5.28	5.41	5.54	
Unit Output (gwh)	931	816	819	931	816	816	934	816	816	921	816	816	921	816	816	921	816	816	921	816	921	
Delivered Output (gwh)	875	767	770	875	767	767	878	767	767	866	767	767	866	767	767	866	767	767	866	767	866	
Revenues	29.60	26.60	27.38	31.88	28.65	29.36	34.42	30.85	31.62	36.56	33.22	34.05	39.37	35.77	36.67	42.40	38.53	39.49	45.66	41.49	47.97	
Fuel-Related Expenses																						
Fuel Costs	4.88	4.47	4.68	5.54	5.06	5.26	6.26	5.69	5.92	6.95	6.41	6.66	7.71	7.22	7.50	8.56	8.13	8.45	9.51	9.15	9.51	
Fuel Related ECR Costs	0.93	0.82	0.82	0.93	0.82	0.82	0.93	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	
Total Fuel	5.82	5.29	5.50	6.47	5.87	6.07	7.19	6.51	6.74	7.87	7.23	7.48	8.63	8.03	8.32	9.48	8.94	9.26	10.43	9.97	10.33	
Non-fuel O&M Expenses																						
Variable O&M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Fixed O&M	10.30	10.66	11.06	11.42	11.82	12.24	12.69	13.10	13.56	13.88	14.52	15.03	15.18	16.09	16.66	16.60	17.84	18.47	18.15	19.77	20.47	
CAPCO Billing	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	
Overhaul	0.00	2.85	2.98	0.00	4.26	4.41	0.00	4.73	4.89	0.00	5.24	5.43	0.00	5.81	6.02	0.00	6.45	6.67	0.00	7.15	7.41	
Subtotal	1.59	5.80	6.34	2.72	7.38	7.94	3.99	9.13	9.75	5.17	11.06	11.75	6.47	13.20	13.97	7.89	15.58	16.43	9.44	18.22	19.88	
FICA	0.46	0.47	0.48	0.49	0.50	0.51	0.52	0.53	0.54	0.55	0.58	0.60	0.61	0.62	0.63	0.65	0.66	0.67	0.68	0.70	0.71	
Property Tax	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	
Cap Stock Tax	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	
Total Non-fuel	2.91	7.12	7.67	4.06	8.73	9.31	5.36	10.51	11.15	6.58	12.50	13.20	7.94	14.68	15.46	9.39	17.09	17.96	10.98	19.77	20.73	
Capital Expenditures	0.85	1.76	1.35	0.90	1.86	1.60	0.90	2.06	1.65	1.00	3.70	2.60	2.00	3.90	3.00	2.00	4.30	3.20	2.20	4.80	1.30	
Direct Expenses	9.58	14.17	14.53	11.43	16.47	16.99	13.46	19.08	19.54	15.45	23.43	23.28	18.57	26.61	26.78	20.88	30.34	30.42	23.61	34.54	32.35	
Direct Margin	20.02	12.43	12.82	20.44	12.18	12.38	20.97	11.77	12.08	21.11	9.79	10.77	20.81	9.16	9.89	21.53	8.19	9.07	22.05	6.95	18.62	
Overhead Allocation	1.62	2.68	2.69	2.09	3.07	3.18	2.61	3.91	3.90	3.39	4.15	4.09	3.58	4.66	5.08	4.11	5.99	5.87	5.39	6.90	7.28	
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	11.20	16.85	17.22	13.52	19.53	20.16	16.07	22.99	23.44	18.84	27.57	27.37	22.15	31.28	31.86	24.98	36.33	36.29	29.01	41.44	39.63	
Margin after Corp O/H	18.40	9.75	10.13	18.35	9.11	9.20	18.35	7.86	8.18	17.72	5.65	6.68	17.23	4.50	4.81	17.42	2.20	3.20	16.66	0.05	8.34	
Costs per kwh (cents)																						
Fuel	0.66	0.69	0.71	0.74	0.77	0.79	0.82	0.85	0.88	0.91	0.94	0.97	1.00	1.05	1.08	1.10	1.17	1.21	1.20	1.30	1.19	
Non-fuel	0.33	0.93	1.00	0.46	1.14	1.21	0.61	1.37	1.45	0.76	1.63	1.72	0.92	1.91	2.01	1.09	2.23	2.34	1.27	2.58	2.39	
Capital Expenditures	0.10	0.23	0.18	0.10	0.24	0.21	0.10	0.27	0.22	0.12	0.48	0.34	0.23	0.51	0.39	0.23	0.56	0.42	0.25	0.63	0.15	
Direct Expenses	1.09	1.85	1.89	1.31	2.15	2.21	1.53	2.49	2.55	1.79	3.05	3.03	2.15	3.47	3.49	2.41	3.95	3.97	2.73	4.50	3.74	
Direct Margin	2.29	1.62	1.67	2.34	1.59	1.61	2.39	1.53	1.58	2.44	1.28	1.40	2.40	1.19	1.29	2.49	1.07	1.18	2.55	0.91	1.80	
Overhead Allocation	0.19	0.35	0.35	0.24	0.40	0.41	0.30	0.51	0.51	0.39	0.54	0.53	0.41	0.61	0.66	0.47	0.78	0.77	0.62	0.90	0.84	
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	1.28	2.20	2.24	1.55	2.55	2.63	1.83	3.00	3.05	2.18	3.59	3.57	2.56	4.08	4.15	2.89	4.74	4.73	3.35	5.40	4.58	
Margin after Corp O/H	2.10	1.27	1.32	2.10	1.19	1.20	2.09	1.02	1.07	2.05	0.74	0.87	1.99	0.59	0.63	2.01	0.29	0.42	1.92	0.01	0.91	
NPV of Margin after O/H	69.3																					
Underfunded Decomm.	0.1																					
NPV OF NET MARGIN	69.2																					

DUQUESNE LIGHT
PV of Nuclear Plants
 \$ In Millions

@ 533.8/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	
PERRY																						
kwh Market Price (cents)	3.38	3.47	3.55	3.64	3.73	3.83	3.92	4.02	4.12	4.22	4.33	4.44	4.55	4.66	4.78	4.90	5.02	5.15	5.28	5.41	5.54	
Unit Output (gwh)	1,343	1,195	1,346	1,195	1,343	1,195	1,346	1,195	1,343	1,195	1,346	1,195	1,343	1,195	1,347	1,195	1,343	1,195	1,347	1,195	1,347	
Delivered Output (gwh)	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,266	
Revenues	42.70	38.93	44.98	40.91	47.12	42.98	49.65	45.16	52.02	47.44	54.80	49.84	57.42	52.37	60.50	55.01	63.38	57.80	66.78	60.73	70.16	
Fuel-Related Expenses																						
Fuel Costs	8.55	8.08	9.43	8.68	10.08	9.30	10.84	9.96	11.61	10.69	12.47	11.44	13.20	12.07	13.97	12.39	13.93	12.39	13.97	12.39	13.97	
Fuel Related ECR Costs	1.24	1.20	1.31	1.20	1.24	1.20	1.31	1.20	1.24	1.20	1.31	1.20	1.24	1.20	1.31	1.20	1.34	1.20	1.31	1.20	1.31	
Total Fuel	9.89	9.28	10.77	9.87	11.43	10.50	12.19	11.16	12.95	11.88	13.82	12.64	14.55	13.26	15.31	13.59	15.27	13.59	15.31	13.59	15.31	
Non-fuel O&M Expenses																						
Variable O&M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Fixed O&M	23.84	20.13	25.44	21.54	27.16	23.04	29.08	24.54	31.07	26.25	33.28	34.33	35.53	36.78	38.16	38.06	38.06	38.06	38.16	38.20	38.25	
Overhaul	0.00	4.12	0.00	4.48	0.00	4.80	0.00	5.14	0.00	5.51	0.00	5.90	0.00	6.32	0.00	6.75	0.00	7.21	0.00	7.69	0.00	
Subtotal	23.84	24.31	25.44	26.02	27.16	27.84	29.08	29.68	31.07	31.76	33.28	40.23	35.53	43.10	38.16	44.61	38.06	44.61	38.16	44.85	38.25	
FICA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Property Tax	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	
Cap Stock Tax	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	
Total Non-fuel	37.54	38.01	39.14	39.72	40.87	41.54	42.79	43.38	44.77	45.47	46.98	53.93	49.23	56.81	51.87	58.31	51.76	58.31	51.87	58.55	51.95	
Capital Expenditures	0.73	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	
Direct Expenses	48.16	49.29	50.66	51.59	53.04	54.04	55.72	56.54	58.47	59.35	61.55	68.57	64.53	72.07	67.93	73.89	67.78	73.90	67.93	74.14	68.02	
Direct Margin	(5.46)	(10.35)	(5.69)	(10.68)	(5.92)	(11.06)	(6.08)	(11.38)	(6.45)	(11.91)	(6.75)	(18.72)	(7.12)	(19.70)	(7.43)	(18.88)	(4.41)	(16.09)	(11.5)	(13.41)	2.14	
Overhead Allocation	8.15	9.31	9.40	9.43	9.88	10.10	10.82	11.59	11.68	13.03	10.90	12.04	12.44	12.62	12.88	14.54	13.39	14.26	15.52	14.82	15.29	
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	56.32	58.60	60.06	61.02	62.92	64.14	66.54	68.13	70.15	72.37	72.44	80.60	76.97	84.69	80.81	88.44	81.17	88.15	83.45	88.96	83.31	
Margin after Corp O/H	(13.62)	(19.67)	(15.08)	(20.11)	(15.80)	(21.17)	(16.90)	(22.98)	(18.13)	(24.93)	(17.64)	(30.76)	(19.56)	(32.33)	(20.31)	(33.43)	(17.79)	(30.35)	(16.67)	(28.33)	(13.15)	
Costs per kwh (cents)																						
Fuel	0.78	0.83	0.85	0.88	0.91	0.93	0.96	0.99	1.03	1.06	1.09	1.13	1.15	1.18	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	
Non-fuel	2.97	3.39	3.09	3.54	3.24	3.70	3.38	3.86	3.55	4.05	3.71	4.80	3.90	5.06	4.10	5.19	4.10	5.19	4.10	5.21	4.10	
Capital Expenditures	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	
Direct Expenses	3.82	4.39	4.00	4.59	4.20	4.81	4.40	5.03	4.63	5.28	4.86	6.11	5.11	6.41	5.37	6.58	5.37	6.58	5.37	6.60	5.37	
Direct Margin	(0.43)	(0.92)	(0.45)	(0.95)	(0.47)	(0.99)	(0.48)	(1.01)	(0.51)	(1.06)	(0.53)	(1.67)	(0.56)	(1.75)	(0.59)	(1.68)	(0.35)	(1.43)	(0.09)	(1.19)	0.17	
Overhead Allocation	0.65	0.83	0.74	0.84	0.78	0.90	0.85	1.03	0.93	1.16	0.86	1.07	0.99	1.12	1.02	1.30	1.06	1.27	1.23	1.32	1.21	
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	4.46	5.22	4.75	5.43	4.99	5.71	5.26	6.07	5.56	6.44	5.72	7.18	6.10	7.54	6.38	7.85	6.43	7.85	6.59	7.92	6.58	
Margin after Corp O/H	(1.08)	(1.75)	(1.19)	(1.79)	(1.25)	(1.89)	(1.33)	(2.05)	(1.44)	(2.22)	(1.39)	(2.74)	(1.55)	(2.88)	(1.60)	(2.98)	(1.41)	(2.70)	(1.32)	(2.51)	(1.04)	
NPV of Margin after O/H	(124.8)																					
Underfunded Decomm.	1.9																					
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(126.7)																					

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY
Net Present Value of
Generating Plant Assets
as of 12/31/05
\$ in Millions

Combined Cycle
@ \$44.1/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	<u>Plant Margin</u>	<u>Decommissioning</u>	<u>Net Plant Value</u>
<u>Fossil Plants:</u>			
Cheswick	158.4	(23.6)	134.9
Sammis	44.4	(27.8)	16.7
Eastlake	25.8	(22.5)	3.3
Elrama	0.0	(35.0)	(35.0)
Mansfield 1	87.1	(43.0)	44.1
Mansfield 2	26.3	(11.1)	15.2
Mansfield 3	56.7	(16.9)	39.8
Brunot Island	35.5	(13.9)	21.6
Phillips	0	(9.5)	(9.5)
Total Fossil	434.3	(203.4)	231.0
<u>Nuclear Plants:</u>			
Beaver Valley 1	166.6	(0.1)	166.6
Beaver Valley 2	131.0	(0.1)	131.0
Perry	0.0	(1.9)	(1.9)
Total Nuclear	297.7	(2.0)	295.6
TOTAL PLANTS	\$732.0	(\$205.4)	\$526.6

DUQUESNE LIGHT
PV of Fossil Plants
 \$ In Millions

@ \$44.1/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

CHESWICK	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87	4.99	5.11	5.24	5.37
Unit Output (gwh)	4,197	4,032	3,876	4,195	3,528	3,865	4,211	4,032	3,828
Delivered Output (gwh)	3,946	3,790	3,644	3,943	3,316	3,633	3,959	3,790	3,599
Revenues	173.90	171.21	168.74	187.16	161.34	181.19	202.34	198.56	193.25
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>									
Fuel Costs	64.40	63.33	63.44	73.77	65.30	73.86	82.77	82.20	81.49
Fuel Related ECR Costs	1.08	1.11	1.14	1.17	1.20	1.23	1.26	1.30	1.32
NOx Emissions	8.65	8.69	8.31	9.92	7.52	9.32	11.41	11.12	10.42
SO2 Emissions	6.53	6.65	6.71	8.18	6.63	8.21	10.27	10.36	10.24
Total Fuel	80.66	79.78	79.60	93.04	80.64	92.72	105.71	104.97	103.48
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>									
Variable O&M	3.93	3.88	3.83	4.25	3.67	4.13	4.61	4.54	4.42
Fixed O&M	9.56	11.72	11.87	10.13	11.03	12.40	10.53	12.83	12.98
Overhaul	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>12.50</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Subtotal	13.49	15.60	15.70	14.38	27.20	16.52	15.14	17.37	17.40
Carbon Injection Costs	3.01	2.80	2.81	3.09	2.52	2.93	3.33	3.13	3.07
FICA	0.48	0.51	0.51	0.46	0.48	0.54	0.56	0.59	0.57
Property Tax	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.84
Cap Stock Tax	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88
Total Non-fuel	18.70	20.63	20.73	19.65	31.91	21.72	20.75	22.80	22.76
Capital Expenditures	5.19	5.34	5.50	5.67	15.05	4.53	3.14	1.66	1.06
Direct Expenses	104.55	105.75	105.83	118.36	127.60	118.96	129.59	129.44	127.30
Direct Margin	69.35	65.45	62.91	68.79	33.74	62.22	72.75	69.12	65.95
Overhead Allocation	17.70	19.98	19.63	21.63	23.77	22.25	25.16	26.54	25.43
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	122.25	125.73	125.46	139.99	151.37	141.21	154.76	155.98	152.73
Margin after Corp O/H	51.65	45.47	43.28	47.17	9.97	39.98	47.59	42.58	40.52
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>									
Fuel	2.04	2.11	2.18	2.36	2.43	2.55	2.67	2.77	2.88
Non-fuel	0.47	0.54	0.57	0.50	0.96	0.60	0.52	0.60	0.63
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.13</u>	<u>0.14</u>	<u>0.15</u>	<u>0.14</u>	<u>0.45</u>	<u>0.12</u>	<u>0.08</u>	<u>0.04</u>	<u>0.03</u>
Direct Expenses	2.65	2.79	2.90	3.00	3.85	3.27	3.27	3.42	3.54
Direct Margin	1.76	1.73	1.73	1.74	1.02	1.71	1.84	1.82	1.83
Overhead Allocation	0.45	0.53	0.54	0.55	0.72	0.61	0.64	0.70	0.71
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	3.10	3.32	3.44	3.55	4.56	3.89	3.91	4.12	4.24
Margin after Corp O/H	1.31	1.20	1.19	1.20	0.30	1.10	1.20	1.12	1.13
NPV of Margin after O/H	158.4								
NPV of Decommissioning	23.6								
NPV OF NET MARGIN	134.9								

DUQUESNE LIGHT
PV of Fossil Plants
 \$ In Millions

@ \$44.1/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

SAMMIS	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87
Unit Output (gwh)	1,493	1,236	1,498	1,378	1,474
Delivered Output (gwh)	1,404	1,162	1,408	1,295	1,385
Revenues	61.87	52.50	65.21	61.47	67.39
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>					
Fuel Costs	23.77	20.33	25.67	24.55	27.34
Fuel Related ECR Costs	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03
NOx Emissions	2.05	1.77	2.24	2.15	2.39
SO2 Emissions	0.98	0.66	1.14	1.02	1.27
Total Fuel	26.83	22.80	29.08	27.75	31.03
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>					
Variable O&M	1.94	1.65	2.05	1.93	2.12
Fixed O&M	3.14	3.82	3.32	6.01	3.44
Overhaul	0.00	2.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
Subtotal	5.08	7.74	5.36	7.94	5.55
FICA	0.18	0.18	0.17	0.26	0.18
Property Tax	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49
Cap Stock Tax	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31
Total Non-fuel	7.05	9.71	7.33	9.99	7.53
Capital Expenditures	0.58	3.02	0.14	0.43	0.14
Direct Expenses	34.46	35.53	36.55	38.17	38.70
Direct Margin	27.41	16.97	28.66	23.30	28.69
Overhead Allocation	5.83	6.71	6.78	6.97	7.21
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	40.29	42.24	43.33	45.15	45.91
Margin after Corp O/H	21.57	10.25	21.88	16.33	21.48
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>					
Fuel	1.91	1.96	2.06	2.14	2.24
Non-fuel	0.50	0.84	0.52	0.77	0.54
Capital Expenditures	0.04	0.26	0.01	0.03	0.01
Direct Expenses	2.45	3.06	2.60	2.95	2.79
Direct Margin	1.95	1.46	2.04	1.80	2.07
Overhead Allocation	0.42	0.58	0.48	0.54	0.52
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	2.87	3.64	3.08	3.49	3.31
Margin after Corp O/H	1.54	0.88	1.55	1.26	1.55
NPV of Margin after O/H	44.4				
NPV of Decommissioning	27.8				
NPV OF NET MARGIN	16.7				

DUQUESNE LIGHT

PV of Fossil Plants

\$ In Millions

@ \$44.1/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
EASTLAKE						
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87	4.99
Unit Output (gwh)	1,120	1,149	1,166	1,286	1,149	1,178
Delivered Output (gwh)	1,053	1,080	1,096	1,209	1,080	1,108
Revenues	46.41	48.80	50.73	57.37	52.55	55.23
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>						
Fuel Costs	15.56	16.42	17.16	19.52	17.95	18.94
Fuel Related ECR Costs	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.13
NOx Emissions	1.02	1.09	1.16	1.33	1.24	1.32
SO2 Emissions	<u>5.11</u>	<u>5.67</u>	<u>6.21</u>	<u>7.51</u>	<u>7.08</u>	<u>7.86</u>
Total Fuel	21.80	23.31	24.65	28.49	26.40	28.25
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>						
Variable O&M	1.56	1.64	1.71	1.94	1.78	1.87
Fixed O&M	5.27	5.89	5.98	5.57	6.37	5.93
Overhaul	<u>0.80</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.52</u>
Subtotal	7.63	7.54	7.69	7.50	8.14	8.32
FICA	0.24	0.25	0.25	0.24	0.27	0.26
Property Tax	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27
Cap Stock Tax	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26
Total Non-fuel	9.41	9.32	9.48	9.28	9.95	10.12
Capital Expenditures	2.26	0.53	0.77	0.76	0.91	0.62
Direct Expenses	33.47	33.15	34.90	38.53	37.25	38.99
Direct Margin	12.94	15.65	15.84	18.84	15.31	16.24
Overhead Allocation	5.67	6.26	6.47	7.04	6.94	7.29
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	39.14	39.42	41.37	45.57	44.19	46.28
Margin after Corp O/H	7.27	9.39	9.37	11.80	8.37	8.95
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>						
Fuel	2.07	2.16	2.25	2.36	2.44	2.55
Non-fuel	0.89	0.86	0.87	0.77	0.92	0.91
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.21</u>	<u>0.05</u>	<u>0.07</u>	<u>0.06</u>	<u>0.08</u>	<u>0.06</u>
Direct Expenses	3.18	3.07	3.19	3.19	3.45	3.52
Direct Margin	1.23	1.45	1.45	1.56	1.42	1.47
Overhead Allocation	0.54	0.58	0.59	0.58	0.64	0.66
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	3.72	3.65	3.78	3.77	4.09	4.18
Margin after Corp O/H	0.69	0.87	0.85	0.98	0.77	0.81
NPV of Margin after O/H	<u>25.8</u>					
NPV of Decommissioning	22.5					
NPV OF NET MARGIN	<u>3.3</u>					

DUQUESNE LIGHT
PV of Fossil Plants
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2006

ELRAMA
 kwh Market Price (cents)
 Unit Output (gwh)
 Delivered Output (gwh)

Revenues

Fuel-Related Expenses

Fuel Costs
 Fuel Related ECR Costs
 NOx Emissions
 SO2 Emissions
 Total Fuel

Non-fuel O&M Expenses

Variable O&M
 Fixed O&M
 Overhaul
 Subtotal
 FICA
 Property Tax
 Cap Stock Tax
 Total Non-fuel

Capital Expenditures

Direct Expenses
 Direct Margin

Overhead Allocation

Expenses incl. Corp O/H
 Margin after Corp O/H

Costs per kwh (cents)

Fuel
 Non-fuel
 Capital Expenditures
 Direct Expenses
 Direct Margin

Overhead Allocation

Expenses Incl. Corp O/H
 Margin after Corp O/H

NPV of Margin after O/H
 NPV of Decommissioning
 NPV OF NET MARGIN

0.0
35.0
(35.0)

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PV of Fossil Plants
 \$ in Millions

@ \$44.1/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
MANSFIELD 1										
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87	4.99	5.11	5.24	5.37	5.50
Unit Output (gwh)	1,376	1,789	1,657	1,787	1,652	1,789	1,382	1,789	1,652	1,769
Delivered Output (gwh)	1,293	1,682	1,557	1,679	1,553	1,682	1,299	1,682	1,553	1,663
Revenues	57.01	75.96	72.10	79.71	75.53	83.85	66.40	88.10	83.37	91.53
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>										
Fuel Costs	16.85	22.55	21.48	23.84	22.66	25.26	20.06	26.74	25.38	27.99
Fuel Related ECR Costs	3.48	4.58	4.37	4.82	4.59	5.08	4.09	5.36	5.11	5.59
NOx Emissions	3.25	5.02	4.67	5.43	5.06	5.92	4.21	6.44	5.97	6.87
SO2 Emissions	(0.39)	(0.31)	(0.37)	(0.36)	(0.44)	(0.43)	(0.61)	(0.49)	(0.59)	(0.58)
Total Fuel	23.20	31.84	30.15	33.72	31.87	35.84	27.74	38.04	35.86	39.86
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>										
Variable O&M	1.92	2.56	2.43	2.69	2.55	2.84	2.25	2.99	2.84	3.12
Fixed O&M	5.76	5.84	6.82	6.42	7.54	6.79	6.83	6.94	8.15	8.62
Overhaul	3.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Subtotal	11.64	8.40	9.25	9.11	10.09	9.63	13.81	9.94	10.99	11.74
FICA	0.27	0.28	0.30	0.29	0.33	0.32	0.34	0.34	0.36	0.36
Property Tax	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48
Cap Stock Tax	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Total Non-fuel	12.89	9.65	10.52	10.38	11.40	10.92	15.13	11.25	12.32	13.09
Capital Expenditures	6.38	1.03	0.83	0.99	2.20	2.14	5.71	0.62	0.25	0.18
Direct Expenses	42.47	42.52	41.50	45.09	45.47	48.90	48.58	49.91	48.44	53.13
Direct Margin	14.54	33.44	30.61	34.62	30.06	34.95	17.82	38.19	34.93	38.41
Overhead Allocation	7.19	8.03	7.70	8.24	8.47	9.14	9.43	10.23	9.68	11.66
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	49.66	50.55	49.19	53.33	53.95	58.05	58.02	60.14	58.11	64.79
Margin after Corp O/H	7.35	25.41	22.91	26.38	21.58	25.81	8.39	27.95	25.26	26.75
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>										
Fuel	1.79	1.89	1.94	2.01	2.05	2.13	2.14	2.26	2.31	2.40
Non-fuel	1.00	0.57	0.68	0.62	0.73	0.65	1.16	0.67	0.79	0.79
Capital Expenditures	0.49	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.13	0.44	0.04	0.02	0.01
Direct Expenses	3.28	2.53	2.66	2.68	2.93	2.91	3.74	2.97	3.12	3.19
Direct Margin	1.12	1.99	1.97	2.06	1.94	2.08	1.37	2.27	2.25	2.31
Overhead Allocation	0.56	0.48	0.49	0.49	0.55	0.54	0.73	0.61	0.62	0.70
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	3.84	3.01	3.16	3.18	3.47	3.45	4.47	3.58	3.74	3.90
Margin after Corp O/H	0.57	1.51	1.47	1.57	1.39	1.53	0.65	1.66	1.63	1.61
NPV of Margin after O/H	87.1									
NPV of Decommissioning	43.0									
NPV OF NET MARGIN	44.1									

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@ \$44.1/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>
MANSFIELD 2											
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87	4.99	5.11	5.24	5.37	5.50	5.64
Unit Output (gwh)	404	481	463	499	461	500	404	482	461	500	455
Delivered Output (gwh)	379	452	435	469	434	470	380	453	434	470	427
Revenues	16.72	20.41	20.14	22.27	21.10	23.42	19.41	23.73	23.29	25.85	24.11
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>											
Fuel Costs	4.86	5.96	5.91	6.56	6.23	6.95	5.77	7.09	6.98	7.78	7.28
Fuel Related ECR Costs	1.01	1.23	1.21	1.34	1.28	1.41	1.19	1.44	1.42	1.57	1.47
NOx Emissions	1.00	1.36	1.37	1.56	1.44	1.70	1.28	1.75	1.75	2.00	1.81
SO2 Emissions	<u>(0.12)</u>	<u>(0.11)</u>	<u>(0.13)</u>	<u>(0.12)</u>	<u>(0.15)</u>	<u>(0.15)</u>	<u>(0.19)</u>	<u>(0.18)</u>	<u>(0.20)</u>	<u>(0.20)</u>	<u>(0.23)</u>
Total Fuel	6.75	8.44	8.36	9.33	8.80	9.91	8.04	10.11	9.95	11.16	10.33
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>											
Variable O&M	0.56	0.68	0.67	0.75	0.71	0.79	0.65	0.80	0.79	0.87	0.82
Fixed O&M	1.52	1.59	1.83	1.72	2.03	1.83	1.82	1.90	2.20	2.35	2.53
Overhaul	<u>1.00</u>	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1.21</u>	<u>0.22</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Subtotal	3.07	2.47	2.50	2.47	2.74	2.62	3.67	2.92	2.99	3.23	3.35
FICA	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.14
Property Tax	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13
Cap Stock Tax	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14
Total Non-fuel	3.41	2.81	2.85	2.81	3.09	2.97	4.03	3.28	3.35	3.59	3.75
Capital Expenditures	0.91	1.83	0.41	0.27	0.60	0.36	1.09	1.63	0.24	0.08	0.11
Direct Expenses	11.07	13.07	11.62	12.41	12.50	13.24	13.16	15.02	13.54	14.83	14.18
Direct Margin	5.65	7.34	8.52	9.86	8.60	10.18	6.25	8.72	9.75	11.02	9.92
Overhead Allocation	1.87	2.47	2.16	2.27	2.33	2.48	2.56	3.08	2.71	3.26	2.51
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	12.94	15.54	13.78	14.68	14.82	15.72	15.71	18.10	16.25	18.09	16.70
Margin after Corp O/H	3.78	4.87	6.36	7.59	6.28	7.71	3.69	5.64	7.04	7.77	7.41
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>											
Fuel	1.78	1.87	1.92	1.99	2.03	2.11	2.12	2.23	2.29	2.38	2.42
Non-fuel	0.90	0.62	0.65	0.60	0.71	0.63	1.06	0.72	0.77	0.77	0.88
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.24</u>	<u>0.40</u>	<u>0.09</u>	<u>0.06</u>	<u>0.14</u>	<u>0.08</u>	<u>0.29</u>	<u>0.36</u>	<u>0.06</u>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.03</u>
Direct Expenses	2.92	2.89	2.67	2.65	2.88	2.82	3.47	3.32	3.12	3.16	3.32
Direct Margin	1.49	1.62	1.96	2.10	1.98	2.17	1.65	1.92	2.25	2.35	2.32
Overhead Allocation	0.49	0.55	0.50	0.48	0.54	0.53	0.67	0.68	0.62	0.69	0.59
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	3.41	3.44	3.17	3.13	3.42	3.35	4.14	4.00	3.75	3.85	3.91
Margin after Corp O/H	1.00	1.08	1.46	1.62	1.45	1.64	0.97	1.24	1.62	1.65	1.73
NPV of Margin after O/H	26.3										
NPV of Decommissioning	11.1										
NPV OF NET MARGIN	15.2										

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	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
MANSFIELD 3														
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87	4.99	5.11	5.24	5.37	5.50	5.64	5.78	5.93	6.08
Unit Output (gwh)	874	839	712	807	875	808	877	719	829	808	877	808	875	870
Delivered Output (gwh)	822	788	669	758	822	759	824	676	779	759	824	759	822	818
Revenues	36.23	35.62	30.98	36.00	40.00	37.86	42.14	35.41	41.86	41.78	46.52	43.90	48.74	49.68
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>														
Fuel Costs	10.33	10.20	8.91	10.39	11.58	11.01	12.28	10.37	12.30	12.33	13.78	13.02	14.49	14.80
Fuel Related ECR Costs	2.18	2.16	1.90	2.19	2.42	2.31	2.56	2.18	2.56	2.57	2.85	2.71	3.00	3.06
NOx Emissions	2.82	2.79	2.32	2.87	3.33	3.16	3.64	2.89	3.67	3.69	4.30	4.06	4.66	4.81
SO2 Emissions	(0.18)	(0.20)	(0.25)	(0.25)	(0.25)	(0.29)	(0.29)	(0.37)	(0.35)	(0.39)	(0.38)	(0.45)	(0.45)	(0.49)
Total Fuel	15.16	14.94	12.87	15.20	17.09	16.18	18.20	15.07	18.17	18.20	20.54	19.34	21.69	22.18
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>														
Variable O&M	1.05	1.03	0.90	1.05	1.17	1.11	1.23	1.04	1.23	1.23	1.37	1.30	1.44	1.47
Fixed O&M	2.65	3.01	3.56	3.35	3.71	3.54	3.15	3.76	4.08	4.50	4.67	4.78	4.91	5.01
Overhaul	0.00	0.28	1.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.45	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Subtotal	3.70	4.32	5.75	4.39	4.88	4.64	4.39	6.24	5.73	5.73	6.04	6.07	6.35	6.48
FICA	0.13	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.15	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.18	0.25	0.25	0.26	0.26
Property Tax	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23
Cap Stock Tax	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24
Total Non-fuel	4.31	4.93	6.37	5.01	5.51	5.27	5.02	6.87	6.37	6.38	6.76	6.80	7.08	7.22
Capital Expenditures	0.43	0.69	2.69	0.48	1.07	0.40	0.51	0.82	3.21	0.57	0.96	0.64	0.32	0.19
Direct Expenses	19.90	20.56	21.92	20.69	23.67	21.85	23.74	22.77	27.76	25.15	28.25	26.77	29.09	29.59
Direct Margin	16.33	15.06	9.06	15.31	16.34	16.00	18.41	12.64	14.10	16.63	18.27	17.13	19.65	20.09
Overhead Allocation	3.37	3.88	4.07	3.78	4.41	4.09	4.61	4.67	5.55	5.52	5.00	4.70	5.61	5.18
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	23.27	24.44	25.99	24.47	28.07	25.94	28.35	27.44	33.30	30.67	33.25	31.47	34.70	34.77
Margin after Corp O/H	12.96	11.18	4.99	11.53	11.93	11.92	13.80	7.97	8.55	11.11	13.27	12.43	14.04	14.91
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>														
Fuel	1.84	1.90	1.92	2.00	2.08	2.13	2.21	2.23	2.33	2.40	2.49	2.55	2.64	2.71
Non-fuel	0.52	0.63	0.95	0.66	0.67	0.69	0.61	1.02	0.82	0.84	0.82	0.90	0.86	0.88
Capital Expenditures	0.05	0.09	0.40	0.06	0.13	0.05	0.06	0.12	0.41	0.08	0.12	0.08	0.04	0.02
Direct Expenses	2.42	2.61	3.28	2.73	2.88	2.88	2.88	3.37	3.56	3.31	3.43	3.53	3.54	3.62
Direct Margin	1.99	1.91	1.35	2.02	1.99	2.11	2.23	1.87	1.81	2.19	2.22	2.26	2.39	2.46
Overhead Allocation	0.41	0.49	0.61	0.50	0.54	0.54	0.56	0.69	0.71	0.73	0.61	0.62	0.68	0.63
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	2.83	3.10	3.88	3.23	3.41	3.42	3.44	4.06	4.27	4.04	4.03	4.15	4.22	4.24
Margin after Corp O/H	1.58	1.42	0.75	1.52	1.45	1.57	1.67	1.18	1.10	1.46	1.61	1.64	1.71	1.67
NPV of Margin after O/H	56.7													
NPV of Decommissioning	16.9													
NPV OF NET MARGIN	39.8													

DUQUESNE LIGHT

PV of Fossil Plants

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	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
BRUNOT ISLAND							
kwh Market Price (cents)	22.04	22.59	23.15	23.73	24.33	24.93	25.56
Unit Output (gwh)	406	111	111	111	111	111	0
Delivered Output (gwh)	382	104	104	104	104	104	0
Revenues	84.15	23.57	24.16	24.76	25.38	26.02	0.00
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>							
Fuel Costs	40.31	12.52	12.86	13.21	13.56	13.93	0.00
Fuel Related ECR Costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
NOx Emissions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
SO2 Emissions	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Fuel	40.31	12.52	12.86	13.21	13.56	13.93	0.00
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>							
Variable O&M	0.53	0.15	0.15	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.00
Fixed O&M	0.71	0.73	0.75	0.77	0.79	0.81	0.00
Overhaul	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Subtotal	1.23	0.88	0.90	0.92	0.95	0.98	0.00
FICA	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00
Property Tax	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33
Cap Stock Tax	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34
Total Non-fuel	1.94	1.57	1.59	1.62	1.65	1.67	0.67
Capital Expenditures	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Direct Expenses	42.26	14.09	14.45	14.83	15.21	15.60	0.67
Direct Margin	41.89	9.48	9.70	9.94	10.17	10.41	(0.67)
Overhead Allocation	7.15	2.66	2.68	2.71	2.83	2.92	0.13
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	49.41	16.75	17.13	17.53	18.04	18.52	0.79
Margin after Corp O/H	34.74	6.82	7.02	7.23	7.34	7.50	(0.79)
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>							
Fuel	10.56	12.00	12.32	12.66	13.00	13.35	#DIV/0!
Non-fuel	0.51	1.51	1.53	1.55	1.58	1.60	#DIV/0!
Capital Expenditures	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!
Direct Expenses	11.07	13.51	13.85	14.21	14.58	14.95	#DIV/0!
Direct Margin	10.97	9.08	9.30	9.52	9.75	9.98	#DIV/0!
Overhead Allocation	1.87	2.55	2.57	2.60	2.72	2.80	#DIV/0!
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	12.94	16.06	16.42	16.81	17.29	17.75	#DIV/0!
Margin after Corp O/H	9.10	6.53	6.73	6.93	7.03	7.19	#DIV/0!
NPV of Margin after O/H	35.5						
NPV of Decommissioning	13.9						
NPV OF NET MARGIN	21.6						

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PV of Nuclear Plants
 \$ in Millions

@ \$44.1/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
BEAVER VALLEY 1										
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87	4.99	5.11	5.24	5.37	5.50
Unit Output (gwh)	2,781	3,172	2,790	2,781	3,172	2,781	2,790	3,172	2,781	3,137
Delivered Output (gwh)	2,614	2,982	2,622	2,614	2,982	2,614	2,622	2,982	2,614	2,949
Revenues	115.21	134.70	121.42	124.07	145.06	130.35	134.03	156.21	140.38	162.32
<u>Fuel-Related Expenses</u>										
Fuel Costs	15.18	17.99	16.47	17.07	20.28	18.54	19.32	22.84	20.81	24.39
Fuel Related ECR Costs	<u>2.78</u>	<u>3.17</u>	<u>2.79</u>	<u>2.78</u>	<u>3.17</u>	<u>2.78</u>	<u>2.79</u>	<u>3.17</u>	<u>2.78</u>	<u>3.14</u>
Total Fuel	17.96	21.16	19.26	19.85	23.45	21.32	22.11	26.01	23.59	27.53
<u>Non-fuel O&M Expenses</u>										
Variable O&M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fixed O&M	35.65	36.91	38.31	39.55	40.93	42.37	43.95	45.37	46.96	48.06
CAPCO Billing	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)	(5.30)
Overhaul	<u>14.31</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>15.33</u>	<u>15.86</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>16.99</u>	<u>17.59</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>18.84</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Subtotal	44.66	31.61	48.34	50.11	35.64	54.06	56.24	40.07	60.50	42.76
FICA	1.64	1.67	1.70	1.74	1.77	1.81	1.84	1.88	1.92	1.95
Property Tax	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06	2.06
Cap Stock Tax	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15
Total Non-fuel	50.51	37.48	54.25	56.05	41.61	60.08	62.29	46.16	66.63	48.93
Capital Expenditures	5.25	3.54	5.35	5.70	3.84	5.80	6.10	4.14	6.25	6.60
Direct Expenses	73.72	62.19	78.86	81.60	68.91	87.19	90.50	76.31	96.46	83.05
Direct Margin	41.50	72.51	42.57	42.47	76.15	43.16	43.53	79.90	43.91	79.27
Overhead Allocation	12.48	11.75	14.63	14.91	12.84	16.30	17.57	15.65	19.27	18.23
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	86.20	73.94	93.48	96.51	81.74	103.50	108.07	91.96	115.73	101.27
Margin after Corp O/H	29.02	60.76	27.94	27.56	63.32	26.85	25.96	64.25	24.64	61.05
<u>Costs per kwh (cents)</u>										
Fuel	0.69	0.71	0.73	0.76	0.79	0.82	0.84	0.87	0.90	0.93
Non-fuel	1.93	1.26	2.07	2.14	1.40	2.30	2.38	1.55	2.55	1.66
Capital Expenditures	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.12</u>	<u>0.20</u>	<u>0.22</u>	<u>0.13</u>	<u>0.22</u>	<u>0.23</u>	<u>0.14</u>	<u>0.24</u>	<u>0.22</u>
Direct Expenses	2.82	2.09	3.01	3.12	2.31	3.34	3.45	2.56	3.69	2.82
Direct Margin	1.59	2.43	1.62	1.62	2.55	1.65	1.66	2.68	1.68	2.69
Overhead Allocation	0.48	0.39	0.56	0.57	0.43	0.62	0.67	0.52	0.74	0.62
Expenses Incl. Corp O/H	3.30	2.48	3.57	3.69	2.74	3.96	4.12	3.08	4.43	3.43
Margin after Corp O/H	1.11	2.04	1.07	1.05	2.12	1.03	0.99	2.15	0.94	2.07
NPV of Margin after O/H	166.6									
Overfunded Decomm.	0.1									
NPV OF NET MARGIN	166.6									

DUQUESNE LIGHT
PV of Nuclear Plants
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@ \$44.1/mwh in 2006 with escalations @ 2.5%

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	
BEAVER VALLEY 1																						
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87	4.99	5.11	5.24	5.37	5.50	5.64	5.78	5.93	6.08	6.23	6.38	6.54	6.71	6.87	7.05	7.22	
Unit Output (gwh)	931	816	819	931	816	816	934	816	816	921	816	816	921	816	816	921	816	816	921	816	921	
Delivered Output (gwh)	875	767	770	875	767	767	878	767	767	866	767	767	866	767	767	866	767	767	866	767	866	
Revenues	38.57	34.66	35.64	41.54	37.33	38.26	44.85	40.20	41.20	47.64	43.29	44.37	51.31	46.62	47.78	55.25	50.20	51.45	59.50	54.06	62.51	
Fuel-Related Expenses																						
Fuel Costs	4.88	4.47	4.68	5.34	5.06	5.26	6.26	5.69	5.92	6.95	6.41	6.66	7.71	7.22	7.50	8.56	8.13	8.45	9.51	9.15	9.51	
Fuel Related ECR Costs	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	0.92	0.82	0.82	
Total Fuel	5.82	5.29	5.50	6.47	5.87	6.07	7.19	6.51	6.74	7.87	7.23	7.48	8.63	8.03	8.32	9.48	8.94	9.26	10.43	9.97	10.33	
Non-fuel O&M Expenses																						
Variable O&M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Fixed O&M	10.30	10.66	11.06	11.42	11.82	12.24	12.69	13.10	13.56	13.88	14.52	15.03	15.18	16.09	16.66	16.60	17.84	18.47	18.15	19.77	20.47	
CAPCO Billing	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	(8.70)	
Overhaul	0.00	3.81	3.98	0.00	5.25	5.41	0.00	4.72	4.82	0.00	5.24	5.43	0.00	5.81	6.02	0.00	6.45	6.67	0.00	7.15	7.15	
Subtotal	1.59	5.80	6.34	2.72	7.38	7.94	3.99	9.13	9.75	5.17	11.06	11.75	6.47	13.20	13.97	7.89	15.58	16.43	9.44	18.22	19.77	
FICA	0.46	0.47	0.48	0.49	0.50	0.51	0.52	0.53	0.54	0.55	0.58	0.60	0.61	0.62	0.63	0.65	0.66	0.67	0.68	0.70	0.71	
Property Tax	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	
Cap Stock Tax	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	
Total Non-fuel	2.91	7.12	7.67	4.06	8.73	9.31	5.36	10.51	11.15	6.58	12.50	13.20	7.94	14.68	15.46	9.39	17.09	17.96	10.98	19.77	20.73	
Capital Expenditures	0.85	1.76	1.35	0.90	1.86	1.60	0.90	2.06	1.65	1.00	3.70	2.60	2.00	3.90	3.00	2.00	4.30	3.20	2.20	4.80	1.30	
Direct Expenses	9.58	14.17	14.53	11.43	16.47	16.99	13.46	19.08	19.54	15.45	23.43	23.28	18.57	26.61	26.78	20.88	30.34	30.42	23.61	34.54	32.35	
Direct Margin	28.99	20.49	21.11	30.10	20.86	21.27	31.40	21.12	21.67	32.19	19.86	21.09	32.74	20.00	21.00	34.37	19.86	21.03	35.89	19.52	30.16	
Overhead Allocation	1.62	2.68	2.69	2.09	3.07	3.18	2.61	3.91	3.90	3.39	4.15	4.09	3.58	4.66	5.08	4.11	5.99	5.87	5.39	6.90	7.28	
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	11.20	16.85	17.22	13.52	19.53	20.16	16.07	22.99	23.44	18.84	27.57	27.37	22.15	31.28	31.86	24.98	36.33	36.29	29.01	41.44	39.63	
Margin after Corp O/H	27.37	17.81	18.42	28.01	17.79	18.10	28.78	17.21	17.76	28.80	15.71	17.00	29.16	15.34	15.93	30.27	13.87	15.16	30.49	12.62	22.88	
Costs per kwh (cents)																						
Fuel	0.66	0.69	0.71	0.74	0.77	0.79	0.82	0.85	0.88	0.91	0.94	0.97	1.00	1.05	1.08	1.10	1.17	1.21	1.20	1.30	1.19	
Non-fuel	0.33	0.93	1.00	0.46	1.14	1.21	0.61	1.37	1.45	0.76	1.63	1.72	0.92	1.91	2.01	1.09	2.23	2.34	1.27	2.58	2.39	
Capital Expenditures	0.10	0.23	0.18	0.10	0.24	0.21	0.10	0.22	0.22	0.12	0.48	0.34	0.23	0.51	0.32	0.23	0.56	0.42	0.25	0.63	0.15	
Direct Expenses	1.09	1.85	1.89	1.31	2.15	2.21	1.53	2.49	2.55	1.79	3.05	3.03	2.15	3.47	3.49	2.41	3.95	3.97	2.73	4.50	3.74	
Direct Margin	3.31	2.67	2.74	3.44	2.72	2.77	3.58	2.75	2.82	3.72	2.59	2.75	3.78	2.61	2.74	3.97	2.59	2.74	4.15	2.54	3.48	
Overhead Allocation	0.19	0.35	0.35	0.24	0.40	0.41	0.30	0.51	0.51	0.39	0.54	0.53	0.41	0.61	0.66	0.47	0.78	0.77	0.62	0.90	0.84	
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	1.28	2.20	2.24	1.55	2.55	2.63	1.83	3.00	3.05	2.18	3.59	3.57	2.56	4.08	4.15	2.89	4.74	4.73	3.35	5.40	4.58	
Margin after Corp O/H	3.13	2.32	2.39	3.20	2.32	2.36	3.28	2.24	2.32	3.33	2.05	2.21	3.37	2.00	2.08	3.50	1.81	1.98	3.52	1.64	2.64	
NPV of Margin after O/H	131.0																					
Underfunded Decomm.	0.1																					
NPV OF NET MARGIN	131.0																					

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	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	
PERRY																						
kwh Market Price (cents)	4.41	4.52	4.63	4.75	4.87	4.99	5.11	5.24	5.37	5.50	5.64	5.78	5.93	6.08	6.23	6.38	6.54	6.71	6.87	7.03	7.22	
Unit Output (gwh)	1,343	1,195	1,346	1,195	1,343	1,195	1,346	1,195	1,343	1,195	1,346	1,195	1,343	1,195	1,347	1,195	1,343	1,195	1,347	1,195	1,347	
Delivered Output (gwh)	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,262	1,123	1,266	1,123	1,266	
Revenues	55.64	50.73	58.61	53.31	61.40	56.00	64.69	58.84	67.78	61.82	71.41	64.95	74.81	68.24	78.83	71.68	82.58	75.32	87.01	79.13	91.42	
Fuel-Related Expenses																						
Fuel Costs	8.55	8.08	9.43	8.68	10.08	9.30	10.84	9.96	11.61	10.69	12.47	11.44	13.20	12.07	13.97	12.39	13.93	12.39	13.97	12.39	13.97	
Fuel Related ECR Costs	1.34	1.20	1.35	1.20	1.34	1.20	1.35	1.20	1.34	1.20	1.35	1.20	1.34	1.20	1.35	1.20	1.34	1.20	1.35	1.20	1.35	
Total Fuel	9.89	9.28	10.77	9.87	11.43	10.50	12.19	11.16	12.95	11.88	13.82	12.64	14.55	13.26	15.31	13.59	15.27	13.59	15.31	13.59	15.31	
Non-fuel O&M Expenses																						
Variable O&M	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Fixed O&M	23.84	20.13	25.44	21.54	27.16	23.04	29.08	24.54	31.07	26.25	33.28	34.33	35.53	36.78	38.16	38.06	38.06	38.06	38.16	38.20	38.25	
Overhaul	0.00	4.19	0.00	4.48	0.00	4.80	0.00	5.14	0.00	5.51	0.00	5.90	0.00	6.32	0.00	6.55	0.00	6.55	0.00	6.62	0.00	
Subtotal	23.84	24.31	25.44	26.02	27.16	27.84	29.08	29.68	31.07	31.76	33.28	40.23	35.53	43.10	38.16	44.61	38.06	44.61	38.16	44.85	38.25	
FICA	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Property Tax	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	11.34	
Cap Stock Tax	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	
Total Non-fuel	37.54	38.01	39.14	39.72	40.87	41.54	42.79	43.38	44.77	45.47	46.98	53.93	49.23	56.81	51.87	58.31	51.76	58.31	51.87	58.55	51.95	
Capital Expenditures	0.73	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	2.00	0.75	
Direct Expenses	48.16	49.29	50.66	51.59	53.04	54.04	55.72	56.54	58.47	59.35	61.55	68.57	64.53	72.07	67.93	73.89	67.78	73.90	67.93	74.14	68.02	
Direct Margin	7.47	1.44	7.94	1.71	8.36	1.96	8.97	2.30	9.31	2.47	9.86	(3.62)	10.28	(3.83)	10.90	(2.21)	14.80	1.42	19.08	4.99	23.40	
Overhead Allocation	8.15	9.31	9.40	9.43	9.88	10.10	10.82	11.59	11.68	13.03	10.90	12.04	12.44	12.62	12.88	14.54	13.39	14.26	13.52	14.82	15.29	
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	56.32	58.60	60.06	61.02	62.92	64.14	66.54	68.13	70.15	72.37	72.44	80.60	76.97	84.69	80.81	88.44	81.17	88.15	83.45	88.96	83.31	
Margin after Corp O/H	(0.68)	(7.87)	(1.46)	(7.71)	(1.52)	(8.15)	(1.85)	(9.29)	(2.37)	(10.56)	(1.04)	(15.66)	(2.16)	(16.46)	(1.98)	(16.76)	1.41	(12.83)	3.56	(9.83)	8.11	
Costs per kwh (cents)																						
Fuel	0.78	0.83	0.85	0.88	0.91	0.93	0.96	0.99	1.03	1.06	1.09	1.13	1.15	1.18	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	
Non-fuel	2.97	3.39	3.09	3.54	3.24	3.70	3.38	3.86	3.55	4.05	3.71	4.80	3.90	5.06	4.10	5.19	4.10	5.19	4.10	5.21	4.10	
Capital Expenditures	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18	0.06	
Direct Expenses	3.82	4.39	4.00	4.59	4.20	4.81	4.40	5.03	4.63	5.28	4.86	6.11	5.11	6.42	5.37	6.58	5.37	6.58	5.37	6.60	5.37	
Direct Margin	0.59	0.13	0.63	0.15	0.66	0.17	0.71	0.20	0.74	0.22	0.78	(0.32)	0.81	(0.34)	0.86	(0.20)	1.17	0.13	1.51	0.44	1.85	
Overhead Allocation	0.65	0.83	0.74	0.84	0.78	0.90	0.85	1.03	0.93	1.16	0.86	1.07	0.99	1.12	1.02	1.30	1.06	1.27	1.23	1.32	1.21	
Expenses incl. Corp O/H	4.46	5.22	4.75	5.43	4.99	5.71	5.26	6.07	5.56	6.44	5.72	7.18	6.10	7.54	6.38	7.88	6.43	7.85	6.59	7.92	6.58	
Margin after Corp O/H	(0.05)	(0.70)	(0.11)	(0.69)	(0.12)	(0.73)	(0.15)	(0.83)	(0.19)	(0.94)	(0.08)	(1.39)	(0.17)	(1.47)	(0.16)	(1.49)	0.11	(1.14)	0.28	(0.88)	0.00	
NPV of Margin after O/H	(33.1)																					
Underfunded Decomm.	1.9																					
NPV OF NET MARGIN	(35.0)																					

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CURRICULUM VITAE

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Employment History

1995 - Present	Treasurer, Duquesne Light Company
1990 - 1994	Assistant Treasurer, Duquesne Light Company
1985 - 1990	Manager, Valuation and Property Records, Duquesne Light Company
1983 - 1985	Manager, Public Utility Industry Specialty Group, PriceWaterhouse
1977 - 1983	Analyst and Supervisor, Depreciation and Cost Allocation Studies, Gannett Fleming Valuation and Rate Consultants, Inc.
1974 - 1976	Fellows, Read & Weber, Inc., Assistant Engineer (Co-op Student)

Education

1977	MBA - Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
1976	BS, Civil Engineering - Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Experience

As Treasurer of Duquesne Light Company, manage 50+ person staff including six direct reports and 20 professionals. responsible for Corporate Finance, Financial Planning, Cash Management, Corporate Budgeting, Shareholder Relations and Electronic Commerce.

Experience (cont.)

As Assistant Treasurer of Duquesne Light Company, responsible for Financial Planning and Corporate Budgeting. Activities in this position included the direction and development of financial models and financial forecasts for the Company and affiliates, economic and investment analysis for the Company and affiliates, preparation of credit rating agency reports, reports and filings for the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (PAPUC) and merger and acquisition analysis.

As Manager, Valuation and Property Records, responsible for the Company's construction cost accounting system and continuing Property Record. Also, directed the preparation of economic analysis, tax reports and information for regulatory filing before the PAPUC and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

As a consultant to the utility industry, performed numerous depreciation, valuation, cost-of-service, rate design and other economic and statistical studies for electric, gas, water, sewer, telephone and railroad companies as well as municipalities and municipal agencies.

Prior experience includes community planning and infrastructure design, traffic studies and hydraulics analysis.

Clients Served

Depreciation and Valuation Studies

Duquesne Light Company
The Peoples Natural Gas Company
Dauphin Consolidated Water Supply Company
Northern Telephone Limited
The Penn Central Corporation
The Bloomburg Water Company
Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania
Union Pacific Railroad Company
Philadelphia Suburban Water Company
T. W. Phillips Gas and Oil Company
Atlanta Gas Light Company
The Elizabethville Water Company
The Roaring Creek Water Company
Burlington Northern
United Telephone System - Eastern Group
Anchorage Water and Waste Water Utility

Clients Served (cont.)

Cost of Service and Rate Design Studies

Latrobe Municipal Authority
Greater Johnstown Water Authority
T.W. Phillips Gas and Oil Company
Peoples Gas System, Inc.
The City of Myrtle Beach (Water and Sewer)
The Metropolitan Government of Nashville (Water and Sewer)
Morenci Water and Electric Company
AJO Improvement Company
International Flavors and Fragrances, Inc.

Economic and Statistical Studies

City of Phoenix Arizona (street lighting study)
City of Pittsburgh (street lighting study)
New Jersey Telephone Company
The Penn Central Corporation
Duquesne Light Company

Expert Testimony

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission:

P-00951001 - Sale of Ft. Martin Power Station
G-00940392 - Affiliated Interest Filing - Headquarters Building Lease
G-00940376 - Affiliated Interest Filing - Wood Run Facility Lease
P-900485 - Accounting and ratemaking petition related to the GPU/DQE power sale
and transmission line project
R-870651 - Duquesne Light Company base rate case
R-870378 - Duquesne Light Company base rate case

Superior Court of Monmouth County New Jersey - Cost of service testimony (L-040293-84)

City Council of Phoenix - Testimony related to acquisition of street lighting system

Formal Papers and Presentations

“Regulatory Concerns Associated with Implementing FAS No. 96”, EEI Depreciation Committee, 1986

“Capital recovery concerns in the Electric Utility Industry and the Duquesne Plan”, Iowa State Regulatory Conference, 1987

“Duquesne Light Company’s Past and Future Stranded Cost Mitigation Strategies”, IBC Industry Forum - Stranded Cost Recovery, 1997

Professional Certification

Registered Professional Engineer - Pennsylvania

Other Activities

Treasurer - FEDUPAC and PENNDUPAC (the Company’s Federal and State political action committees)

Board Member - Juvenile Diabetes Foundation of Pittsburgh

Duquesne Light Company
Historic Mitigation Efforts
Reductions to Stranded Cost

	<u>1989-1996</u>	<u>1997-1998</u>	<u>1999-2005</u>	<u>Total</u>
Increase in Nuclear Depreciation <u>Ft. Martin Plan Extended through 2005</u>	50	50	175	275
Increase in Depreciation and Amortization	25	125	525	675
<i>Gain on Sale of Ft. Martin Plant</i>	130	-	-	130
Increase in Decommissioning	5	5	60	70
Early Window Amortization	<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>40</u>
Total Ft. Martin Plan	212	188	790	1,190
Tax Planning	20	50	200	270
Interest Cost Savings	<u>45</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>110</u>
Total Pre-Tax Reduction	277	253	1,040	1,570
Tax Effect	<u>107</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>349</u>	<u>540</u>
Total Stranded Cost Reduction	<u>170</u>	<u>169</u>	<u>691</u>	<u>1,030</u>

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY
Actual - Per Books Income Statements

	<u>1996</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>1994</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>1992</u>	<u>1991</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>1989</u>
Operating Revenues	\$1,177	1,180	\$1,169	\$1,161	\$1,150	\$1,173	\$1,115	\$1,119
Fuel and purchased power	237	232	244	238	239	251	220	215
Operating and maintenance	331	332	349	368	348	346	350	356
Depreciation and amortization	216	191	163	151	128	119	122	120
Taxes other than income	85	86	86	70	85	95	81	93
Interest and other charges	<u>101</u>	<u>103</u>	<u>107</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>132</u>	<u>143</u>	<u>158</u>	<u>165</u>
Income before taxes	207	236	220	214	218	219	184	170
Income taxes	84	93	84	77	108	101	84	75
Net income - operations	<u>\$123</u>	<u>\$143</u>	<u>\$136</u>	<u>\$137</u>	<u>\$110</u>	<u>\$118</u>	<u>\$100</u>	<u>\$95</u>
Return on average common equity	11.6%	12.7%	12.3%	12.4%	10.1%	11.2%	9.7%	9.2%

**DLC MITIGATION STRATEGIES IMPLEMENTED
1989-1996**

Mitigation Strategies:

- Aggressive Fuel Cost Reductions (13%)
- Capital & O&M Targeted Reduction Program
- Work force Reduction (1,000 Employees)
- Sale/leaseback of Beaver Valley Unit No. 2
- Debt Refinancing - \$60 million annual reduction in interest expense
- Equity Buyback \$270 million
- Replacement of restrictive mortgage indenture
- Aggressively pursued long-term power contracts...Sale of Ft. Martin Plant
- Write-down of nuclear with \$130 million gain on sale of plant
- Five-year rate freeze
- Capped ECR at 14.7 cents
- Agreed to increase depreciation of nuclear plants investment
- Increased funding of nuclear decommissioning costs by \$5.0 million annually
- Wrote-off \$9.0 million of regulatory assets associated with "Early Window"
- Began amortizing regulatory asset associated with "Early Window"
- Instituted a \$500,000 credit for low-income customers
- Invested in tax mitigating investments

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY
No Mitigation - Pro-forma Income Statements

	<u>1996</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>1994</u>	<u>1993</u>	<u>1992</u>	<u>1991</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>1989</u>
Operating Revenues	\$1,177	\$1,180	\$1,169	1,161	\$1,150	\$1,173	\$1,115	\$1,119
Fuel and purchased power	273	265	257	249	241	234	227	220
Operating and maintenance	377	364	352	340	321	310	299	288
Depreciation and amortization	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
Taxes other than income	117	113	109	105	102	99	96	93
Interest and other charges	<u>165</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>165</u>	<u>165</u>
Income before taxes	105	133	146	162	181	225	188	213
Income taxes	<u>47</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>89</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>79</u>	<u>89</u>
Net income - operations	<u>\$58</u>	<u>\$80</u>	<u>\$82</u>	<u>\$98</u>	<u>\$92</u>	<u>\$125</u>	<u>\$109</u>	<u>\$124</u>
Return on average common equity	4.2%	5.8%	5.9%	7.1%	6.8%	9.3%	8.3%	9.4%
Annual revenue increase avoided	\$216	\$176	\$172	\$141				
<u>% Annual revenue increase</u>	<u>18.3%</u>	<u>14.9%</u>	<u>14.7%</u>	<u>12.2%</u>				
Cumulative revenue increase avoided for 12.87% ROE	\$705	\$490	\$313	\$141				
<u>% Cumulative revenue increase</u>	<u>15.1%</u>	<u>13.9%</u>	<u>13.4%</u>	<u>12.2%</u>				

Regulatory Assets @ 12/31/96

	Trans.	Distr.	Generation (1)		Generation (2)			Total	Total Duquesne Light
			Fossil	Nuclear	Nuclear	Fossil	Other		
10-K Regulatory Assets									
Regulatory Tax Receivable	32.66	56.52			172.66	132.29		304.94	394.12
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount (3)	6.46	27.18	9.68	16.45	15.95	9.39		25.34	85.11
Beaver Valley 2 Lease Premium				<u>3.68</u>	<u>4.50</u>			<u>4.50</u>	<u>8.19</u>
Total Unamortized Debt Cost	6.46	27.18	9.68	20.13	20.46	9.39	0.00	29.84	93.30
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs					41.45			41.45	41.45
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium				9.05	21.01			21.01	30.06
Deferred Employee Costs (4)	0.70	11.09			10.51	7.29		17.80	29.59
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance					13.46			13.46	13.46
DOE Decom & Decon					9.78			9.78	9.78
Deferred Coal Costs						12.19		12.19	12.19
Other									
Deferred Caretaker Costs						6.77		6.77	6.77
BV2 Training Costs					2.62			2.62	2.62
Low Level Rad. Waste					2.27			2.27	2.27
Coal Cost Equalization						0.32		0.32	0.32
Deferred Oxford Centre Costs	0.00	0.07			0.07	0.05		0.12	0.20
PA Deregulation Expenses	0.01	0.09			0.08	0.06		0.14	0.23
Demand Side Management	0.00	0.06			0.06	0.04		0.10	0.16
Corporate Development Project	0.00	0.04			0.04	0.03		0.07	0.11
Section 211	0.00	0.04			0.04	0.03		0.06	0.10
1996 Management Audit	0.00	0.02			0.02	0.01		0.03	0.05
Administrative & General	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.01</u>			<u>0.01</u>	<u>0.01</u>		<u>0.01</u>	<u>0.02</u>
Total Other	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.33</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>5.20</u>	<u>7.31</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>12.51</u>	<u>12.86</u>
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	39.85	95.12	9.68	29.18	294.52	168.46	0.00	462.99	636.81
Adjustments									
PV Beaver Valley Lease					291.44			291.44	291.44
Nuclear Decommissioning					0.00			0.00	0.00
Pre-Accrue Nuclear Outages					16.64			16.64	16.64
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (5)					61.13			61.13	61.13
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (5)					0.27			0.27	0.27
Beaver Valley 2 (5)					0.17			0.17	0.17
Fossil Decommissioning						0.00		0.00	0.00
Deferred Fuel Cost						14.81		14.81	14.81
Transition Costs							18.10	18.10	18.10
Total Adjustments	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>369.64</u>	<u>14.81</u>	<u>18.10</u>	<u>402.55</u>	<u>402.55</u>
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	39.85	95.12	9.68	29.18	664.16	183.27	18.10	865.54	1,039.35

(1) Recovered through interest and lease expense.

(2) Recovered through amortization.

(3) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(4) Allocation based on labor costs.

(5) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

Allocation Percentages	Trans.	Distr.	Fossil	Nuclear	Total
Labor Costs	2.37%	37.47%	24.65%	35.51%	100.00%
Gross Plant	7.59%	31.94%	22.40%	38.07%	100.00%

Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation

	Actual Year - End <u>1996</u>	Estimated Change <u>1997</u>	Estimated Change <u>1998</u>	Estimated Year - End <u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Net Balance 12/31/2005</u>
Total Regulatory Assets												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	304.84	(32.26)	(36.87)	235.72	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(0.00)
Unamortized Debt Costs (1)	28.84	0.00	0.00	28.84	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(0.00)
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs	41.45	(4.14)	(4.14)	33.16	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(0.00)
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	21.01	0.00	0.00	21.01	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	0.00
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	17.80	0.00	0.00	17.80	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance	13.48	0.56	(10.77)	3.25	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.00)
DOE Decom & Decon	8.78	(1.30)	(1.30)	7.18	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	0.00
Deferred Coal Costs	12.19	0.31	1.00	13.50	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	0.00
Other												
Deferred Caretaker Costs	6.77	0.00	0.00	6.77	(0.87)	(0.87)	(0.87)	(0.87)	(0.87)	(0.87)	(0.87)	0.00
BV2 Training Costs	2.62	(0.10)	(0.10)	2.42	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	0.00
Low Level Rad. Waste	2.27	0.00	0.00	2.27	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	0.00
Coal Cost Equalization	0.32	(0.10)	(0.10)	0.12	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	<u>0.53</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.53</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	0.00
Total Other	12.51	(0.20)	(0.20)	12.11	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	0.00
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	462.89	(37.03)	(52.39)	373.57	(53.37)	(53.37)	(53.37)	(53.37)	(53.37)	(53.37)	(53.37)	(0.00)
Adjustments												
FV Beaver Valley Lease	281.44	(25.00)	(50.00)	216.44	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	120.00
Pre-Accrued Nuclear Outages	16.64	0.00	0.00	16.64	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	0.00
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (3)	81.13	(3.00)	(3.00)	55.13	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (3)	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.27	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (3)	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.17	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.00)
Deferred Fuel Cost	14.81	0.00	0.00	14.81	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	0.00
Transition Costs	<u>18.10</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>18.10</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Adjustments	402.55	(28.00)	(53.00)	321.55	(28.78)	(28.78)	(28.78)	(28.78)	(28.78)	(28.78)	(28.78)	120.00
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	865.54	(65.03)	(105.39)	695.12	(82.16)	(82.16)	(82.16)	(82.16)	(82.16)	(82.16)	(82.16)	120.00
Remove outage accounting (4)		(0.56)	10.77									
FAS 109 Plant (5)	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>62.84</u>	<u>(8.99)</u>	<u>(8.99)</u>	<u>(8.99)</u>	<u>(8.99)</u>	<u>(8.99)</u>	<u>(8.99)</u>	<u>(8.99)</u>	<u>(0.00)</u>
Total	865.54	(85.59)	(94.61)	758.08	(91.15)	(91.15)	(91.15)	(91.15)	(91.15)	(91.15)	(91.15)	120.00
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest/Lease Expense												
Unamortized Debt Cost	28.13	(2.80)	(2.80)	20.32	(2.90)	(2.90)	(2.90)	(2.90)	(2.90)	(2.90)	(2.90)	0.00
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	<u>12.73</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>9.90</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>(1.41)</u>	<u>(0.00)</u>
Total	38.86	(4.32)	(4.32)	30.22	(4.32)	(4.32)	(4.32)	(4.32)	(4.32)	(4.32)	(4.32)	(0.00)
Total Generation	804.39	(69.81)	(98.93)	788.28	(95.47)	(95.47)	(95.47)	(95.47)	(95.47)	(95.47)	(95.47)	120.00

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

(3) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(4) Outage accounting is reflected in the revenue requirement for the generating unit

(5) FAS 109 allocated to plant is reflected in the generating plant balance through 12/31/98

Amortization Schedule

Regulatory Assets

Generation

	Actual Year - End 1998	Estimated Change 1997	Estimated Change 1998	Estimated Year - End 1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Net Balance 12/31/2006
Regulatory Assets												
Nuclear Related												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	172.68	(22.76)	(26.73)	123.17	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	0.00
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount (1)	15.95	0.00	0.00	15.95	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(0.00)
Beaver Valley 2 Lease Premium	4.50	0.00	0.00	4.50	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	0.00
Total Unamortized Debt Cost	20.46	0.00	0.00	20.46	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs	41.45	(4.14)	(4.14)	33.16	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(4.74)	(0.00)
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	21.01	0.00	0.00	21.01	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	0.00
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	10.51	0.00	0.00	10.51	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance	13.48	0.56	(10.77)	3.25	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.00)
DOE Decom & Decon	9.78	(1.30)	(1.30)	7.18	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	(1.03)	0.00
Other												
BV2 Training Costs	2.62	(0.10)	(0.10)	2.42	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	0.00
Low Level Rad. Waste	2.27	0.00	0.00	2.27	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	0.31	0.00	0.00	0.31	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	0.00
Total Other	5.20	(0.10)	(0.10)	5.00	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.00)
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	294.52	(27.75)	(43.05)	223.73	(31.96)	(31.96)	(31.96)	(31.96)	(31.96)	(31.96)	(31.96)	(0.00)
Adjustments												
PV Beaver Valley Lease	291.44	(25.00)	(50.00)	216.44	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	(13.78)	120.00
Pro-Accrue Nuclear Outages	16.64	0.00	0.00	16.64	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	(2.38)	0.00
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (3)	61.13	(3.00)	(3.00)	55.13	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (3)	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.27	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (3)	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.17	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.00)
Total Adjustments	369.64	(28.00)	(53.00)	288.64	(24.09)	(24.09)	(24.09)	(24.09)	(24.09)	(24.09)	(24.09)	120.00
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	664.16	(55.75)	(96.05)	512.37	(56.05)	(56.05)	(56.05)	(56.05)	(56.05)	(56.05)	(56.05)	120.00
Remove outage accounting (4)		(0.56)	10.77									
FAS 109 Plant (5)	0.00	0.00	0.00	62.94	(8.99)	(8.99)	(8.99)	(8.99)	(8.99)	(8.99)	(8.99)	(0.00)
Total	664.16	(56.31)	(85.27)	575.31	(65.04)	(65.04)	(65.04)	(65.04)	(65.04)	(65.04)	(65.04)	120.00
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest/Lease Expense												
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount	16.45	(1.83)	(1.83)	12.79	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(1.83)	(0.00)
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	12.73	(1.41)	(1.41)	9.90	(1.41)	(1.41)	(1.41)	(1.41)	(1.41)	(1.41)	(1.41)	(0.00)
Total	29.18	(3.24)	(3.24)	22.69	(3.24)	(3.24)	(3.24)	(3.24)	(3.24)	(3.24)	(3.24)	(0.00)
Total Nuclear Generation	693.34	(59.55)	(88.52)	598.00	(68.29)	(68.29)	(68.29)	(68.29)	(68.29)	(68.29)	(68.29)	120.00

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

(3) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(4) Outage accounting is reflected in the revenue requirement for the generating unit

(5) FAS 109 allocated to plant is reflected in the generating plant balance through 12/31/98

Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation

	Actual Year - End 1998	Estimated Change 1997	Estimated Change 1998	Estimated Year - End 1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Net Balance 12/31/2005
Regulatory Assets												
Fossil Related												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	132.29	(9.49)	(10.24)	112.55	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	0.00
Unamortized Debt Costs (1)	9.39	0.00	0.00	9.39	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(0.00)
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	7.29	0.00	0.00	7.29	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	0.00
Deferred Coal Costs	12.19	0.31	1.00	13.50	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	0.00
Other												
Deferred Caretaker Costs	6.77	0.00	0.00	6.77	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	0.00
Coal Cost Equalization	0.32	(0.10)	(0.10)	0.12	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.22	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.00)
Total Other	7.31	(0.10)	(0.10)	7.11	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	0.00
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	168.46	(9.28)	(9.34)	149.84	(21.41)	(21.41)	(21.41)	(21.41)	(21.41)	(21.41)	(21.41)	0.00
Adjustments												
Deferred Fuel Cost	14.81	0.00	0.00	14.81	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	0.00
Total Adjustments	14.81	0.00	0.00	14.81	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	(2.12)	0.00
Total	183.27	(9.28)	(9.34)	164.65	(23.52)	(23.52)	(23.52)	(23.52)	(23.52)	(23.52)	(23.52)	0.00
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest Expense												
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount	9.68	(1.08)	(1.08)	7.53	(1.08)	(1.08)	(1.08)	(1.08)	(1.08)	(1.08)	(1.08)	(0.00)
Total Fossil Generation	192.95	(10.36)	(10.42)	172.17	(24.60)	(24.60)	(24.60)	(24.60)	(24.60)	(24.60)	(24.60)	0.00

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

**Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation:**

	Actual Year - End 1996	Estimated Change 1997	Estimated Change 1998	Estimated Year - End 1999	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Net Balance 12/31/2005
Regulatory Assets												
Other												
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Adjustments												
Transaction Costs	18.12	0.00	0.00	18.10	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	0.00
Total Adjustments	18.10	0.00	0.00	18.10	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	0.00
Total Other Regulatory Assets	18.10	0.00	0.00	18.10	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	(2.58)	0.00

Net Regulatory Assets @ 12/31/96
Tax Effect

	Trans.	Distr.	Generation (1)		Generation (2)			Total Duquesne Light
			Fossil	Nuclear	Nuclear	Fossil	Other	
10-K Regulatory Assets								
Regulatory Tax Receivable	(32.66)	(56.52)			(34.22)	(46.22)	(80.44)	(169.61)
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount (3)	(2.68)	(11.28)	(4.02)	(6.83)	(5.70)	(3.35)	(9.05)	(33.85)
Beaver Valley 2 Lease Premium				(1.53)	(1.61)		(1.61)	(3.14)
Total Unamortized Debt Cost	(2.68)	(11.28)	(4.02)	(8.35)	(7.31)	(3.35)	(10.66)	(36.99)
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs					(3.05)		(3.05)	(3.05)
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium				(3.75)	(8.72)		(8.72)	(12.47)
Deferred Employee Costs (4)	(0.29)	(4.60)			0.00	0.00	0.00	(4.89)
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance					(5.59)		(5.59)	(5.59)
DOE Decom & Decon					(4.07)		(4.07)	(4.07)
Deferred Coal Costs						0.00	0.00	0.00
Other								
Deferred Caretaker Costs						(2.86)	(2.86)	(2.86)
BV2 Training Costs					(0.92)		(0.92)	(0.92)
Low Level Rad. Waste					0.00		0.00	0.00
Coal Cost Equalization						0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Oxford Centre Costs	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PA Deregulation Expenses	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Demand Side Management	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Corporate Development Project	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Section 211	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1996 Management Audit	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Administrative & General	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Other	0.00	0.00			(0.92)	(2.86)	0.00	(3.77)
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	(35.63)	(72.40)	(4.02)	(12.11)	(63.87)	(52.43)	0.00	(116.30)
Adjustments								
PV Beaver Valley Lease					(120.93)		(120.93)	(120.93)
Nuclear Decommissioning					0.00		0.00	0.00
Pre-Accrue Nuclear Outages					(6.90)		(6.90)	(6.90)
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (5)					0.00		0.00	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (5)					0.00		0.00	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (5)					0.00		0.00	0.00
Fossil Decommissioning						0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Fuel Cost						(6.14)	(6.14)	(6.14)
Transition Costs							(7.51)	(7.51)
Total Adjustments	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	(127.83)	(6.14)	(7.51)	(141.49)
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	(35.63)	(72.40)	(4.02)	(12.11)	(191.70)	(58.57)	(7.51)	(381.93)

Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation

	Actual Year - End <u>1996</u>	Estimated Change <u>1997</u>	Estimated Change <u>1998</u>	Estimated Year - End <u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Net Balance 12/31/2005</u>
Total Tax Effect												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	(80.44)	10.60	12.67	(57.17)	8.17	8.17	8.17	8.17	8.17	8.17	8.17	0.00
Unamortized Debt Costs (1)	(10.66)	0.00	0.00	(10.66)	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.52	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs	(3.05)	1.72	1.72	0.39	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.00)
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	(8.72)	0.00	0.00	(8.72)	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	(0.00)
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance	(5.59)	(0.23)	4.47	(1.35)	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00
DOE Decom & Decon	(4.07)	0.54	0.54	(2.99)	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.00
Deferred Coal Costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other												
Deferred Caretaker Costs	(2.86)	0.00	0.00	(2.86)	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	(0.00)
BV2 Training Costs	(0.82)	0.04	0.04	(0.84)	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00
Low Level Rad. Waste	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Coal Cost Equalization	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(0.13)</u>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>0.02</u>	(0.00)
Total Other	(3.77)	0.04	0.04	(3.82)	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.00
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	(116.30)	12.67	19.44	(84.32)	12.05	12.05	12.05	12.05	12.05	12.05	12.05	0.00
Adjustments												
PV Beaver Valley Lease	(120.83)	10.37	20.75	(89.81)	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.72	(49.78)
Pre-Accrue Nuclear Outages	(6.90)	0.00	0.00	(6.90)	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	(0.00)
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Fuel Cost	(6.14)	0.00	0.00	(6.14)	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.00
Transition Costs	<u>(7.51)</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(7.51)</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Adjustments	(141.49)	10.37	20.75	(110.37)	8.65	8.65	8.65	8.65	8.65	8.65	8.65	(49.78)
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	(257.78)	23.04	40.19	(194.68)	20.70	20.70	20.70	20.70	20.70	20.70	20.70	(49.78)
Remove outage accounting (4)		0.23	(4.47)									
FAS 109 Plant	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(17.56)</u>	<u>2.51</u>	<u>2.51</u>	<u>2.51</u>	<u>2.51</u>	<u>2.51</u>	<u>2.51</u>	<u>2.51</u>	<u>(0.00)</u>
Total Amortization Tax Effect	(257.78)	23.28	35.71	(212.24)	23.21	23.21	23.21	23.21	23.21	23.21	23.21	(49.78)
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest/Lease Expense												
Unamortized Debt Cost	(10.84)	1.20	1.20	(8.43)	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	0.00
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	<u>(5.28)</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>(4.11)</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>0.59</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total	(16.12)	1.79	1.79	(12.54)	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.79	0.00
Total Generation	(273.91)	25.07	37.51	(224.78)	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	(49.78)

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

(3) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(4) Outage accounting is reflected in the revenue requirement for the generating unit.

(5) FAS 109 allocated to plant is reflected in the generating plant balance through 12/31/98.

Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation

	Actual Year - End 1996	Estimated Change 1997	Estimated Change 1998	Estimated Year - End 1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Net Balance 12/31/2005
Tax Effect												
Nuclear Related												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	(34.22)	7.33	8.97	(17.82)	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58	0.00
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount (1)	(5.70)	0.00	0.00	(5.70)	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.81	(0.00)
Beaver Valley 2 Lease Premium	(1.61)	0.00	0.00	(1.61)	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00
Total Unamortized Debt Cost	(7.31)	0.00	0.00	(7.31)	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.04	(0.00)
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs	(3.05)	1.72	1.72	0.39	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.00)
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	(8.72)	0.00	0.00	(8.72)	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	(0.00)
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance	(5.59)	(0.23)	4.47	(1.35)	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00
DOE Decom & Decon	(4.07)	0.54	0.54	(2.99)	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.00
Other												
BV2 Training Costs	(0.92)	0.04	0.04	(0.84)	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00
Low Level Rad. Waste	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	0.00	0.00	0.00	(0.13)	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	(0.00)
Total Other	(0.92)	0.04	0.04	(0.96)	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	(0.00)
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	(63.87)	9.40	15.74	(38.86)	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	5.55	0.00
Adjustments												
PV Beaver Valley Lease	(120.93)	10.37	20.75	(89.81)	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.72	5.72	(49.79)
Pre-Accrued Nuclear Outages	(6.90)	0.00	0.00	(6.90)	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	(0.00)
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Adjustments	(127.83)	10.37	20.75	(96.71)	6.70	6.70	6.70	6.70	6.70	6.70	6.70	(49.79)
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	(191.70)	19.77	36.49	(135.57)	12.25	12.25	12.25	12.25	12.25	12.25	12.25	(49.79)
Remove outage accounting		0.23	(4.47)									
FAS 109 Plant	0.00	0.00	0.00	(17.56)	2.51	2.51	2.51	2.51	2.51	2.51	2.51	(0.00)
Total	(191.70)	20.00	32.02	(153.13)	14.76	14.76	14.76	14.76	14.76	14.76	14.76	(49.79)
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest/Lease Expense												
Unamortized Debt Cost	(6.83)	0.76	0.76	(5.31)	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.00
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	(5.28)	0.59	0.59	(4.11)	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.00
Total	(12.11)	1.35	1.35	(9.42)	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	0.00
Total Nuclear Generation	(203.81)	21.35	33.37	(162.55)	16.11	16.11	16.11	16.11	16.11	16.11	16.11	(49.79)

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

(3) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(4) Outage accounting is reflected in the revenue requirement for the generating unit.

(5) FAS 109 allocated to plant is reflected in the generating plant balance through 12/31/98.

Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation

	Actual Year - End 1998	Estimated Change 1997	Estimated Change 1998	Estimated Year - End 1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Net Balance 12/31/2005
Tax Effect												
Fossil Related												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	(46.22)	3.27	3.69	(39.25)	5.61	5.61	5.61	5.61	5.61	5.61	5.61	(0.00)
Unamortized Debt Costs (1)	(3.35)	0.00	0.00	(3.35)	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	(0.00)
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Coal Costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other												
Deferred Caretaker Costs	(2.86)	0.00	0.00	(2.86)	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	(0.00)
Coal Cost Equalization	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Other	(2.86)	0.00	0.00	(2.86)	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	(0.00)
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	(52.43)	3.27	3.69	(45.46)	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	6.49	(0.00)
Adjustments												
Deferred Fuel Cost	(6.14)	0.00	0.00	(6.14)	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.00
Total Adjustments	(6.14)	0.00	0.00	(6.14)	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.00
Total	(58.57)	3.27	3.69	(51.60)	7.37	7.37	7.37	7.37	7.37	7.37	7.37	(0.00)
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest Expense												
Unamortized Debt Cost	(4.02)	0.45	0.45	(3.12)	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.00
Total Fossil Generation	(62.59)	3.72	4.14	(54.73)	7.82	7.82	7.82	7.82	7.82	7.82	7.82	(0.00)

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

Amortization Schedule
 Regulatory Assets
 Generation

	Actual Year - End <u>1996</u>	Estimated Change <u>1997</u>	Estimated Change <u>1998</u>	Estimated Year - End <u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Net Balance</u> <u>12/31/2005</u>
<u>Tax Effect</u>												
<u>Other</u>												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Adjustments												
Transition Costs	<u>(7.51)</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(7.51)</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Adjustments	<u>(7.51)</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(7.51)</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Other Regulatory Assets	<u>(7.51)</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>(7.51)</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>1.07</u>	<u>0.00</u>

Net Regulatory Assets @ 12/31/96

	Trans.	Distr.	Generation (1)		Generation (2)			Total	Total Duquesne Light
			Fossil	Nuclear	Nuclear	Fossil	Other		
10-K Regulatory Assets									
Regulatory Tax Receivable	0.00	0.00			138.44	86.07		224.51	224.51
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount (3)	3.78	15.90	5.66	9.62	10.25	6.03		16.29	51.26
Beaver Valley 2 Lease Premium				<u>2.16</u>	<u>2.89</u>			<u>2.89</u>	<u>5.05</u>
Total Unamortized Debt Cost	3.78	15.90	5.66	11.78	13.15	6.03		19.18	56.31
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs					38.39			38.39	38.39
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium				5.29	12.30			12.30	17.59
Deferred Employee Costs (4)	0.41	6.49			10.51	7.29		17.80	24.70
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance					7.87			7.87	7.87
DOE Decom & Decon					5.71			5.71	5.71
Deferred Coal Costs						12.19		12.19	12.19
Other									
Deferred Caretaker Costs						3.92		3.92	3.92
BV2 Training Costs					1.70			1.70	1.70
Low Level Rad. Waste					2.27			2.27	2.27
Coal Cost Equalization						0.32		0.32	0.32
Deferred Oxford Centre Costs	0.00	0.07			0.07	0.05		0.12	0.20
PA Deregulation Expenses	0.01	0.09			0.08	0.06		0.14	0.23
Demand Side Management	0.00	0.06			0.06	0.04		0.10	0.16
Corporate Development Project	0.00	0.04			0.04	0.03		0.07	0.11
Section 211	0.00	0.04			0.04	0.03		0.06	0.10
1996 Management Audit	0.00	0.02			0.02	0.01		0.03	0.05
Administrative & General	0.00	0.01			0.01	0.01		0.01	0.02
Total Other	0.02	0.33			4.29	4.45	0.00	8.73	9.09
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K.	4.21	22.72	5.66	17.07	230.65	116.04	0.00	346.69	396.36
Adjustments									
PV Beaver Valley Lease					170.51			170.51	170.51
Nuclear Decommissioning					0.00			0.00	0.00
Pre-Accrue Nuclear Outages					9.73			9.73	9.73
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (5)					61.13			61.13	61.13
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (5)					0.27			0.27	0.27
Beaver Valley 2 (5)					0.17			0.17	0.17
Fossil Decommissioning						0.00		0.00	0.00
Deferred Fuel Cost						8.66		8.66	8.66
Transition Costs							10.59	10.59	10.59
Total Adjustments	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	241.81	8.66	10.59	261.06	261.06
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	4.21	22.72	5.66	17.07	472.46	124.70	10.59	607.75	657.42

- (1) Recovered through interest and lease expense.
(2) Recovered through amortization.
(3) Allocation based on gross plant balances.
(4) Allocation based on labor costs.
(5) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

Allocation Percentages	Trans.	Distr.	Fossil	Nuclear	Total
Labor Costs	2.37%	37.47%	24.65%	35.51%	100.00%
Gross Plant	7.59%	31.94%	22.40%	38.07%	100.00%
Effective Tax Rate	41.49%				

Amortization Schedule

Regulatory Assets

Generation

	Actual Year - End 1996	Estimated Change 1997	Estimated Change 1998	Estimated Year - End 1999	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Net Balance 12/31/2005
Total Net Regulatory Assets												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	224.51	(21.65)	(24.30)	178.55	(25.51)	(25.51)	(25.51)	(25.51)	(25.51)	(25.51)	(25.51)	0.00
Unamortized Debt Costs (1)	19.18	0.00	0.00	19.18	(2.74)	(2.74)	(2.74)	(2.74)	(2.74)	(2.74)	(2.74)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs	38.39	(2.42)	(2.42)	33.54	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(0.00)
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	12.30	0.00	0.00	12.30	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(0.00)
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	17.80	0.00	0.00	17.80	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	(2.54)	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance	7.87	0.33	(6.30)	1.90	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	0.00
DOE Decom & Decon	5.71	(0.76)	(0.76)	4.19	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.00)
Deferred Coal Costs	12.19	0.31	1.00	13.50	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	0.00
Other												
Deferred Caretaker Costs	3.92	0.00	0.00	3.92	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	0.00
BV2 Training Costs	1.70	(0.06)	(0.06)	1.58	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	0.00
Low Level Rad. Waste	2.27	0.00	0.00	2.27	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	0.00
Coal Cost Equalization	0.32	(0.10)	(0.10)	0.12	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	<u>0.53</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.40</u>	<u>(0.06)</u>	<u>(0.06)</u>	<u>(0.06)</u>	<u>(0.06)</u>	<u>(0.06)</u>	<u>(0.06)</u>	<u>(0.06)</u>	(0.00)
Total Other	8.73	(0.16)	(0.16)	8.29	(1.18)	(1.18)	(1.18)	(1.18)	(1.18)	(1.18)	(1.18)	0.00
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	346.69	(24.36)	(32.85)	289.25	(41.32)	(41.32)	(41.32)	(41.32)	(41.32)	(41.32)	(41.32)	(0.00)
Adjustments												
PV Beaver Valley Lease	170.51	(14.63)	(29.25)	128.63	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	70.21
Pre-Accru Nuclear Outages	9.73	0.00	0.00	9.73	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	0.00
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (3)	61.13	(3.00)	(3.00)	55.13	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (3)	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.27	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (3)	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.17	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.00)
Deferred Fuel Cost	8.66	0.00	0.00	8.66	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(0.00)
Transition Costs	<u>10.59</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>10.59</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Adjustments	261.06	(17.63)	(32.25)	211.18	(20.14)	(20.14)	(20.14)	(20.14)	(20.14)	(20.14)	(20.14)	70.21
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	607.75	(41.99)	(65.20)	500.43	(61.46)	(61.46)	(61.46)	(61.46)	(61.46)	(61.46)	(61.46)	70.21
Remove outage accounting (4)		(0.33)	6.30									
FAS 109 Plant (5)	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>45.38</u>	<u>(6.48)</u>	<u>(6.48)</u>	<u>(6.48)</u>	<u>(6.48)</u>	<u>(6.48)</u>	<u>(6.48)</u>	<u>(6.48)</u>	<u>(0.00)</u>
Total	607.75	(42.31)	(58.90)	545.81	(67.94)	(67.94)	(67.94)	(67.94)	(67.94)	(67.94)	(67.94)	70.21
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest/Lease Expense												
Unamortized Debt Cost	15.29	(1.70)	(1.70)	11.89	(1.70)	(1.70)	(1.70)	(1.70)	(1.70)	(1.70)	(1.70)	0.00
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	<u>7.45</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>5.79</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>(0.83)</u>	<u>(0.00)</u>
Total	22.73	(2.53)	(2.53)	17.68	(2.53)	(2.53)	(2.53)	(2.53)	(2.53)	(2.53)	(2.53)	0.00
Total Generation	630.49	(44.84)	(61.42)	563.50	(70.47)	(70.47)	(70.47)	(70.47)	(70.47)	(70.47)	(70.47)	70.21

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

(3) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(4) Outage accounting is reflected in the revenue requirement for the generating unit

(5) FAS 109 allocated to plant is reflected in the generating plant balance through 12/31/98

Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation

	Actual Year - End 1998	Estimated Change 1997	Estimated Change 1998	Estimated Year - End 1999	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Net Balance 12/31/2005
Net Regulatory Assets												
Nuclear Related												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	138.44	(15.43)	(17.75)	105.25	(15.04)	(15.04)	(15.04)	(15.04)	(15.04)	(15.04)	(15.04)	(0.00)
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount (1)	10.25	0.00	0.00	10.25	(1.46)	(1.46)	(1.46)	(1.46)	(1.46)	(1.46)	(1.46)	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 Lease Premium	2.89	0.00	0.00	2.89	(0.41)	(0.41)	(0.41)	(0.41)	(0.41)	(0.41)	(0.41)	0.00
Total Unamortized Debt Cost	13.15	0.00	0.00	13.15	(1.88)	(1.88)	(1.88)	(1.88)	(1.88)	(1.88)	(1.88)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs	38.99	(2.42)	(2.42)	33.54	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(4.79)	(0.00)
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	12.30	0.00	0.00	12.30	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(1.76)	(0.00)
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	10.51	0.00	0.00	10.51	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	(1.50)	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance	7.87	0.33	(0.30)	1.90	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	(0.27)	0.00
DOE Decon & Decon	5.71	(0.76)	(0.76)	4.19	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.60)	(0.00)
Other												
BV2 Training Costs	1.70	(0.06)	(0.06)	1.58	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	(0.23)	0.00
Low Level Rad. Waste	2.27	0.00	0.00	2.27	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	0.31	0.00	0.00	0.16	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	0.00
Total Other	4.28	(0.06)	(0.06)	4.04	(0.58)	(0.58)	(0.58)	(0.58)	(0.58)	(0.58)	(0.58)	0.00
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	230.65	(18.35)	(27.30)	184.87	(28.41)	(28.41)	(28.41)	(28.41)	(28.41)	(28.41)	(28.41)	0.00
Adjustments												
PV Beaver Valley Lease	170.51	(14.63)	(28.25)	128.63	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	(8.06)	70.21
Pro-Accrue Nuclear Outages	9.73	0.00	0.00	9.73	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	(1.39)	0.00
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (3)	61.13	(3.00)	(3.00)	55.13	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (3)	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.27	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (3)	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.17	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	0.00
Total Adjustments	241.81	(17.63)	(32.25)	191.93	(17.39)	(17.39)	(17.39)	(17.39)	(17.39)	(17.39)	(17.39)	70.21
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	472.46	(35.98)	(59.55)	376.80	(43.80)	(43.80)	(43.80)	(43.80)	(43.80)	(43.80)	(43.80)	70.21
Remove outage accounting (4)		(0.33)	8.30									
FAS 109 Plant (5)	0.00	0.00	0.00	45.38	(6.48)	(6.48)	(6.48)	(6.48)	(6.48)	(6.48)	(6.48)	(0.00)
Total	472.46	(36.30)	(59.25)	422.18	(50.28)	(50.28)	(50.28)	(50.28)	(50.28)	(50.28)	(50.28)	70.21
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest/Lease Expense												
Unamortized Debt Cost	9.62	(1.07)	(1.07)	7.48	(1.07)	(1.07)	(1.07)	(1.07)	(1.07)	(1.07)	(1.07)	0.00
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	7.45	(0.83)	(0.83)	5.79	(0.83)	(0.83)	(0.83)	(0.83)	(0.83)	(0.83)	(0.83)	(0.00)
Total	17.07	(1.90)	(1.90)	13.28	(1.90)	(1.90)	(1.90)	(1.90)	(1.90)	(1.90)	(1.90)	0.00
Total Nuclear Generation	489.53	(38.20)	(55.15)	435.46	(52.18)	(52.18)	(52.18)	(52.18)	(52.18)	(52.18)	(52.18)	70.21

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

(3) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(4) Outage accounting is reflected in the revenue requirement for the generating unit.

(5) FAS 109 allocated to plant is reflected in the generating plant balance through 12/31/99.

Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation

	Actual Year - End <u>1998</u>	Estimated Change <u>1997</u>	Estimated Change <u>1998</u>	Estimated Year - End <u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Net Balance 12/31/2005</u>
Net Regulatory Assets												
Fossil Related												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	86.07	(8.22)	(6.55)	73.30	(10.47)	(10.47)	(10.47)	(10.47)	(10.47)	(10.47)	(10.47)	0.00
Unamortized Debt Costs (1)	6.03	0.00	0.00	6.03	(0.86)	(0.86)	(0.86)	(0.86)	(0.86)	(0.86)	(0.86)	(0.00)
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	7.29	0.00	0.00	7.29	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	(1.04)	0.00
Deferred Coal Costs	12.19	0.31	1.00	13.50	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	0.00
Other												
Deferred Caretaker Costs	3.92	0.00	0.00	3.92	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	(0.56)	0.00
Coal Cost Equalization	0.32	(0.10)	(0.10)	0.12	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.22	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.00)
Total Other	4.45	(0.10)	(0.10)	4.25	(0.61)	(0.61)	(0.61)	(0.61)	(0.61)	(0.61)	(0.61)	0.00
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	116.04	(6.01)	(5.65)	104.38	(14.91)	(14.91)	(14.91)	(14.91)	(14.91)	(14.91)	(14.91)	0.00
Adjustments												
Deferred Fuel Cost	8.66	0.00	0.00	8.66	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(0.00)
Total Adjustments	8.66	0.00	0.00	8.66	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(1.24)	(0.00)
Total	124.70	(6.01)	(5.65)	113.04	(16.15)	(16.15)	(16.15)	(16.15)	(16.15)	(16.15)	(16.15)	0.00
Regulatory Assets Recovered through Interest Expense												
Unamortized Debt Cost	5.66	(0.63)	(0.63)	4.40	(0.63)	(0.63)	(0.63)	(0.63)	(0.63)	(0.63)	(0.63)	(0.00)
Total Fossil Generation	130.36	(6.64)	(6.28)	117.45	(16.78)	(16.78)	(16.78)	(16.78)	(16.78)	(16.78)	(16.78)	(0.00)

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

Amortization Schedule
Regulatory Assets
Generation

	Actual Year - End <u>1996</u>	Estimated Change <u>1997</u>	Estimated Change <u>1998</u>	Estimated Year - End <u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Net Balance</u> <u>12/31/2005</u>
<u>Net Regulatory Assets</u>												
Other												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Adjustments												
Transmission Costs	<u>10.59</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>10.59</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>(1.51)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Adjustments	10.59	0.00	0.00	10.59	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	0.00
Total Other Regulatory Assets	10.59	0.00	0.00	10.59	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	(1.51)	0.00

**Regulatory Assets @ 12/31/96
Included in Rate Base**

	<u>Trans.</u>	<u>Distr.</u>	<u>Generation (1)</u>		<u>Generation (2)</u>			<u>Total</u>	<u>Total Duquesne Light</u>
			<u>Fossil</u>	<u>Nuclear</u>	<u>Nuclear</u>	<u>Fossil</u>	<u>Other</u>		
10-K Regulatory Assets									
Regulatory Tax Receivable	32.66	56.52			172.66	132.29		304.94	394.12
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.95	9.39		25.34	25.34
Beaver Valley 2 Lease Premium				0.00	4.50			4.50	4.50
Total Unamortized Debt Cost	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.46	9.39		29.84	29.84
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs					0.00			0.00	0.00
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium				0.00	21.01			21.01	21.01
Deferred Employee Costs (4)	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance					13.46			13.46	13.46
DOE Decom & Decon					0.00			0.00	0.00
Deferred Coal Costs						12.19		12.19	12.19
Other									
Deferred Caretaker Costs						6.77		6.77	6.77
BV2 Training Costs					2.62			2.62	2.62
Low Level Rad. Waste					2.27			2.27	2.27
Coal Cost Equalization						0.32		0.32	0.32
Deferred Oxford Centre Costs	0.00	0.07			0.07	0.05		0.12	0.20
PA Deregulation Expenses	0.01	0.09			0.08	0.06		0.14	0.23
Demand Side Management	0.00	0.06			0.06	0.04		0.10	0.16
Corporate Development Project	0.00	0.04			0.04	0.03		0.07	0.11
Section 211	0.00	0.04			0.04	0.03		0.06	0.10
1996 Management Audit	0.00	0.02			0.02	0.01		0.03	0.05
Administrative & General	0.00	0.01			0.01	0.01		0.01	0.02
Total Other	0.02	0.33	0.00	0.00	5.20	7.31	0.00	12.51	12.86
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	32.68	56.85	0.00	0.00	232.79	161.17	0.00	393.96	483.49
Adjustments									
PV Beaver Valley Lease					0.00			0.00	0.00
Nuclear Decommissioning					0.00			0.00	0.00
Pre-Accrue Nuclear Outages					0.00			0.00	0.00
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (5)					61.13			61.13	61.13
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (5)					0.00			0.00	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (5)					0.17			0.17	0.17
Fossil Decommissioning						0.00		0.00	0.00
Deferred Fuel Cost						0.00		0.00	0.00
Transition Costs (6)							0.00	0.00	0.00
Total Adjustments	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	61.30	0.00	0.00	61.30	61.30
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	32.68	56.85	0.00	0.00	294.09	161.17	0.00	455.26	544.79

(1) Recovered through interest and lease expense.

(2) Recovered through amortization.

(3) Allocation based on gross plant balances, 8/17 included in rate base.

(4) Allocation based on labor costs.

(5) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(6) Item is included in rate base beginning 1/1/99.

Allocation Percentages	<u>Trans.</u>	<u>Distr.</u>	<u>Fossil</u>	<u>Nuclear</u>	<u>Total</u>
Labor Costs	2.37%	37.47%	24.65%	35.51%	100.00%
Gross Plant	7.59%	31.94%	22.40%	38.07%	100.00%

Amortization Schedule

Generation Regulatory Assets Included in Rate Base

	Actual Year - End <u>1996</u>	Estimated Change <u>1997</u>	Estimated Change <u>1998</u>	Estimated Year - End <u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	Net Balance <u>12/31/2005</u>
Total Generation												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	304.84	(32.28)	(36.87)	235.72	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(33.67)	(0.00)
Unamortized Debt Costs (1)	29.84	0.00	0.00	29.84	(4.28)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(4.26)	(0.00)
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	21.01	0.00	0.00	21.01	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	0.00
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance	13.46	0.56	(10.77)	3.25	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.00)
DOE Decom & Decon	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Coal Costs	12.19	0.31	1.00	13.50	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	0.00
Other												
Deferred Caretaker Costs	6.77	0.00	0.00	6.77	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	0.00
BV2 Training Costs	2.62	(0.10)	(0.10)	2.42	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	0.00
Low Level Rad. Waste	2.27	0.00	0.00	2.27	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	0.00
Coal Cost Equalization	0.32	(0.10)	(0.10)	0.12	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	<u>0.53</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.53</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>(0.08)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Other	12.51	(0.20)	(0.20)	12.11	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	(1.73)	0.00
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	393.96	(31.59)	(48.94)	315.43	(45.06)	(45.06)	(45.06)	(45.06)	(45.06)	(45.06)	(45.06)	(0.00)
Adjustments												
FV Beaver Valley Lease	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nuclear Decommissioning	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pre-Accrue Nuclear Outages	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (3)	61.13	(3.00)	(3.00)	55.13	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (3)	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.17	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.00)
Fossil Decommissioning	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Fuel Cost	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Transition Costs (4)	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>18.10</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Adjustments	61.30	(3.00)	(3.00)	73.40	(10.49)	(10.49)	(10.49)	(10.49)	(10.49)	(10.49)	(10.49)	0.00
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	455.26	(34.59)	(49.94)	388.83	(55.55)	(55.55)	(55.55)	(55.55)	(55.55)	(55.55)	(55.55)	(0.00)
FAS 109 Plant (5)	<u>0</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>62.94</u>	<u>(0.04)</u>	<u>(0.04)</u>	<u>(0.04)</u>	<u>(0.04)</u>	<u>(0.04)</u>	<u>(0.04)</u>	<u>(0.04)</u>	<u>62.87</u>
Total Generation	455.26	(34.59)	(49.94)	451.77	(55.59)	(55.59)	(55.59)	(55.59)	(55.59)	(55.59)	(55.59)	62.87

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

(3) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(4) Included in rate base beginning 1/1/99

(5) FAS 109 allocated to plant is reflected in the generating plant balance through 12/31/98

Amortization Schedule

Generation Regulatory Assets Included in Rate Base

	Actual Year - End <u>1998</u>	Estimated Change <u>1997</u>	Estimated Change <u>1998</u>	Estimated Year - End <u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	Net Balance <u>12/31/2006</u>
Nuclear Related												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	172.66	(22.76)	(26.73)	123.17	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	(17.60)	0.00
Unamortized Debt Premium/Discount (1)	15.95	0.00	0.00	15.95	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(2.28)	(0.00)
Beaver Valley 2 Lease Premium	4.50	0.00	0.00	4.50	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	(0.64)	0.00
Total Unamortized Debt Cost	20.48	0.00	0.00	20.48	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	(2.92)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
BV2 Sale/Leaseback Premium	21.01	0.00	0.00	21.01	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	(3.00)	0.00
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Nuclear Maintenance	13.46	0.58	(10.77)	3.25	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.46)	(0.00)
DOE Decom & Decon	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other												
BV2 Training Costs	2.62	(0.10)	(0.10)	2.42	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.35)	0.00
Low Level Rad. Waste	2.27	0.00	0.00	2.27	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.32)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	0.31	0.00	0.00	0.31	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	0.00
Total Other	5.20	(0.10)	(0.10)	5.00	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.71)	(0.00)
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	232.79	(22.30)	(37.60)	172.89	(24.70)	(24.70)	(24.70)	(24.70)	(24.70)	(24.70)	(24.70)	0.00
Adjustments												
PV Beaver Valley Lease	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nuclear Decommissioning	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pre-Accrue Nuclear Outages	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Gain on Sale/Leaseback (3)	61.13	(3.00)	(3.00)	55.13	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	(7.88)	0.00
Deferred Rate Synch. Costs (3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Beaver Valley 2 (3)	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.17	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.00)
Total Adjustments	61.30	(3.00)	(3.00)	55.30	(7.90)	(7.90)	(7.90)	(7.90)	(7.90)	(7.90)	(7.90)	(0.00)
Adjusted Regulatory Assets	294.09	(25.30)	(40.60)	228.18	(32.60)	(32.60)	(32.60)	(32.60)	(32.60)	(32.60)	(32.60)	0.00
FAS 109 Plant (4)	0.00	0.00	0.00	62.94	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	(0.04)	62.67
Total Nuclear Generation	294.09	(25.30)	(40.60)	291.12	(32.64)	(32.64)	(32.64)	(32.64)	(32.64)	(32.64)	(32.64)	62.67

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

(3) Shown as deferred tax assets in 1996 Form 10-K.

(4) FAS 109 allocated to plant is reflected in the generating plant balance through 12/31/98

Amortization Schedule

Generation Regulatory Assets Included in Rate Base

	Actual Year - End 1996	Estimated Change 1997	Estimated Change 1998	Estimated Year - End 1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Net Balance 12/31/2005
Fossil Related												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Regulatory Tax Receivable	132.29	(9.49)	(10.24)	112.55	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	(16.08)	0.00
Unamortized Debt Costs (1)	9.39	0.00	0.00	9.39	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	(1.34)	0.00
Deferred Employee Costs (2)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Coal Costs	12.19	0.31	1.00	13.50	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	(1.93)	0.00
Other												
Deferred Caretaker Costs	6.77	0.00	0.00	6.77	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	(0.97)	0.00
Coal Cost Equalization	0.32	(0.10)	(0.10)	0.12	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.02)	0.00
Other Regulatory Assets	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.22	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	(0.03)	0.00
Total Other	7.31	(0.10)	(0.10)	7.11	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	(1.02)	0.00
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	161.17	(9.28)	(9.34)	142.55	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(0.00)
Adjustments												
Fossil Decommissioning	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Fuel Cost	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	(0.00)
Total Adjustments	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	(0.00)
Total Fossil Generation	161.17	(9.28)	(9.34)	142.55	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(20.36)	(0.00)

(1) Allocation based on gross plant balances.

(2) Allocation based on labor costs.

Amortization Schedule

Generation Regulatory Assets Included in Rate Base

	Actual Year - End <u>1998</u>	Estimated Change <u>1997</u>	Estimated Change <u>1998</u>	Estimated Year - End <u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Net Balance</u> <u>12/31/2005</u>
<u>Other</u>												
10-K Regulatory Assets												
Total Regulatory Assets per 10-K	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Adjustments												
Transition Costs	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>18.10</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>(2.59)</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Adjustments	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.10	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	0.00
Total Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.10	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	(2.59)	0.00

Duquesne Light Company

Transition Cost Summary
(\$ millions)

Pilot Program Implementation Expense	\$2.5
Customer Education	2.0
Restructuring Filing Expense	1.0
Restructuring Implementation Expense	8.3
Deferred Pilot Program Cost	<u>4.4</u>
Total Transition Cost	<u>\$18.2</u>

Duquesne Light Company

Committed Generation Related Depreciation and Amortization
1999 - 2005
(\$ Millions)

1999	202.2
2000	264.7
2001	261.2
2002	268.9
2003	266.8
2004	247.4
2005	<u>236.1</u>
	<u>1,747.3</u>

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY

Fossil and Nuclear Plant Decommissioning Estimates

\$ in Millions

	<u>Decomm.</u> <u>Cost</u>	<u>NPV @</u> <u>12/31/05</u>	<u>Funding</u> <u>Level</u>	<u>(Under)/Over</u> <u>Funding</u>
Elrama	43.41	35.05	0.00	(35.05)
Cheswick	59.39	23.59	0.00	(23.59)
Eastlake	45.22	22.54	0.00	(22.54)
Sammis	51.83	27.78	0.00	(27.78)
Brunot Island	28.63	13.87	0.00	(13.87)
Phillips	11.76	9.49	0.00	(9.49)
Mansfield 1	114.06	43.00	0.00	(43.00)
Mansfield 2	31.79	11.11	0.00	(11.11)
Mansfield 3	60.74	16.94	0.00	(16.94)
Total Fossil	\$446.82	\$203.36	\$0.00	(\$203.36)
Beaver Valley 1	587.68	106.53	106.46	(0.06)
Beaver Valley 2	198.74	30.06	30.01	(0.06)
Perry	342.64	51.83	49.93	(1.90)
Total Nuclear	\$1,129.06	\$188.42	\$186.40	(\$2.02)
Total Generation	\$1,575.87	\$391.78	\$186.40	(\$205.38)

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY

Detail of Fossil Decommissioning

\$ In Millions

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	Total	NPV @ 2004	
Elrama - Year 1	4,918	4,918	4,918	4,918	4,918																	24,589	20,496	
Elrama - Year 2		3,765	3,765	3,765	3,765	3,765																	18,824	14,531
Elrama - Year 3			0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000																0,000	0,000
Total Elrama	4,918	8,683	8,683	8,683	8,683	3,765	0,000																43,414	35,048
Cheswick - Year 1									4,504	4,504	4,504	4,504	4,504										22,522	9,525
Cheswick - Year 2									4,608	4,608	4,608	4,608	4,608	4,608									21,041	9,037
Cheswick - Year 3									2,764	2,764	2,764	2,764	2,764	2,764	2,764								13,822	5,028
Total Cheswick									4,504	9,113	11,877	11,877	11,877	11,877	11,877	7,373	2,764						59,383	23,590
Eastlake - Year 1							3,190	3,190	3,190	3,190	3,190												15,949	8,457
Eastlake - Year 2								4,135	4,135	4,135	4,135	4,135	4,135										20,673	10,166
Eastlake - Year 3									1,719	1,719	1,719	1,719	1,719	1,719									8,594	3,919
Total Eastlake							3,190	7,324	9,043	9,043	9,043	5,853	1,719										45,216	22,542
Sammis - Year 1						3,772	3,772	3,772	3,772	3,772													18,859	10,783
Sammis - Year 2							4,046	4,046	4,046	4,046	4,046												20,229	10,727
Sammis - Year 3								2,548	2,548	2,548	2,548	2,548	2,548										12,741	6,265
Total Sammis						3,772	7,818	10,366	10,366	10,366	6,594	2,548											51,829	27,775
Brunot Island - Year 1								4,569	4,569	4,569	4,569	4,569											22,843	11,233
Brunot Island - Year 2									1,157	1,157	1,157	1,157	1,157										5,786	2,639
Brunot Island - Year 3										0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000									0,000	0,000
Total Brunot Island								4,569	5,726	5,726	5,726	5,726	1,157	0,000	0,000								28,629	13,871
Phillips - Year 1	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332	1,332																		6,659	5,531
Phillips - Year 2		1,020	1,020	1,020	1,020	1,020																	5,098	3,941
Phillips - Year 3			0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000																0,000	0,000
Total Phillips	1,332	2,351	2,351	2,351	2,351	1,020	0,000																11,757	9,472
Mansfield 1 - Year 1										10,595	10,595	10,595	10,595	10,595									52,975	20,778
Mansfield 1 - Year 2											12,216	12,216	12,216	12,216	12,216	12,216							61,081	22,217
Mansfield 1 - Year 3												0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000						0,000	0,000
Total Mansfield 1										10,595	22,811	22,811	22,811	22,811	22,811	12,216	0,000	0,000					114,056	42,995
Mansfield 2 - Year 1											2,953	2,953	2,953	2,953	2,953								14,766	5,371
Mansfield 2 - Year 2												3,403	3,403	3,403	3,403	3,403							17,023	5,743
Mansfield 2 - Year 3													0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000						0,000	0,000
Total Mansfield 2											2,953	6,356	6,356	6,356	6,356	3,403	0,000	0,000					31,791	11,114
Mansfield 3 - Year 1														5,642	5,642	5,642	5,642	5,642					28,211	8,185
Mansfield 3 - Year 2															6,506	6,506	6,506	6,506	6,506	6,506			32,518	8,751
Mansfield 3 - Year 3																0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000	0,000		0,000	0,000
Total Mansfield 3														5,642	12,148	12,148	12,148	12,148	12,148	6,506	0,000	0,000	60,740	16,936

\$446,816

\$203,344

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY

Detail of Projected Nuclear Decommissioning Trust Fund Activity

\$ in Millions

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Required	Funding
	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>(Over)/</u> <u>Under</u>
After-Tax Interest Rate	7.5%										
Beaver Valley 1											
Trust Fund Beginning Balance	27.667	34.110	41.037	48.482	56.486	65.090	74.340	84.284	94.973		
Interest on Balance	2.075	2.558	3.078	3.636	4.236	4.882	5.576	6.321	7.123		
Contribution	4.210	4.210	4.210	4.210	4.210	4.210	4.210	4.210	4.210		
Interest on Contribution	0.158	0.158	0.158	0.158	0.158	0.158	0.158	0.158	0.158		
End of Year Fund Balance	<u>34.110</u>	<u>41.037</u>	<u>48.482</u>	<u>56.486</u>	<u>65.090</u>	<u>74.340</u>	<u>84.284</u>	<u>94.973</u>	<u>106.464</u>	<u>106.527</u>	<u>0.064</u>
Beaver Valley 2											
Trust Fund Beginning Balance	5.326	7.344	9.513	11.845	14.352	17.047	19.944	23.058	26.406		
Interest on Balance	0.399	0.551	0.713	0.888	1.076	1.279	1.496	1.729	1.980		
Contribution	1.560	1.560	1.560	1.560	1.560	1.560	1.560	1.560	1.560		
Interest on Contribution	0.059	0.059	0.059	0.059	0.059	0.059	0.059	0.059	0.059		
End of Year Fund Balance	<u>7.344</u>	<u>9.513</u>	<u>11.845</u>	<u>14.352</u>	<u>17.047</u>	<u>19.944</u>	<u>23.058</u>	<u>26.406</u>	<u>30.005</u>	<u>30.063</u>	<u>0.057</u>
Perry											
Trust Fund Beginning Balance	6.244	9.816	13.656	17.785	22.223	26.994	32.122	37.636	43.563		
Interest on Balance	0.468	0.736	1.024	1.334	1.667	2.025	2.409	2.823	3.267		
Contribution	2.992	2.992	2.992	2.992	2.992	2.992	2.992	2.992	2.992		
Interest on Contribution	0.112	0.112	0.112	0.112	0.112	0.112	0.112	0.112	0.112		
End of Year Fund Balance	<u>9.816</u>	<u>13.656</u>	<u>17.785</u>	<u>22.223</u>	<u>26.994</u>	<u>32.122</u>	<u>37.636</u>	<u>43.563</u>	<u>49.934</u>	<u>51.831</u>	<u>1.897</u>
Total											
Trust Fund Beginning Balance	39.237	51.270	64.206	78.112	93.061	109.131	126.407	144.978	164.942		
Interest on Balance	2.943	3.845	4.815	5.858	6.980	8.185	9.481	10.873	12.371		
Contribution	8.762	8.762	8.762	8.762	8.762	8.762	8.762	8.762	8.762		
Interest on Contribution	0.329	0.329	0.329	0.329	0.329	0.329	0.329	0.329	0.329		
End of Year Fund Balance	<u>51.270</u>	<u>64.206</u>	<u>78.112</u>	<u>93.061</u>	<u>109.131</u>	<u>126.407</u>	<u>144.978</u>	<u>164.942</u>	<u>186.403</u>	<u>\$188.421</u>	<u>\$2.018</u>

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Detail of Nuclear Decommissioning Costs

\$ in Millions

		<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2026</u>	<u>2027</u>	<u>2028</u>	<u>2029</u>
Beaver Valley 1 (1997 CAPCO\$)		27.464	18.673	3.813	3.813	3.823	3.813	3.813	3.813	3.823	3.813	3.813	3.206	2.810	18.69
Beaver Valley 1 (1997 DLCS)	47.50%	13.045	8.869	1.811	1.811	1.816	1.811	1.811	1.811	1.816	1.811	1.811	1.523	1.335	8.878
Inflation factor		2.107	2.191	2.279	2.370	2.465	2.563	2.666	2.772	2.883	2.999	3.119	3.243	3.373	3.508
Cash Expenditures		27.485	19.434	4.127	4.292	4.476	4.642	4.828	5.021	5.236	5.431	5.648	4.940	4.502	31.145
Discount factor (to year 2005)		2.216	2.382	2.560	2.752	2.959	3.181	3.419	3.676	3.951	4.248	4.566	4.909	5.277	5.673
Amt Required (2005 DLCS)		12.405	8.159	1.612	1.559	1.513	1.459	1.412	1.366	1.325	1.278	1.237	1.006	0.853	5.490
Beaver Valley 2 (1997 CAPCO\$)	47.50%	377.009											25.489	48.963	56.753
Beaver Valley 2 (1997 DLCS)	13.74%												3.502	6.728	7.798
Inflation factor													3.243	3.373	3.508
Cash Expenditures													11.359	22.693	27.355
Discount factor (to year 2005)													4.909	5.277	5.673
Amt Required (2005 DLCS)													2.314	4.300	4.822
Perry (1997 CAPCO\$)	650												43.946	84.417	97.847
Perry (1997 DLCS)	13.74%												6.038	11.599	13.444
Inflation factor													3.243	3.373	3.508
Cash Expenditures													19.584	39.125	47.163
Discount factor (to year 2005)													4.909	5.277	5.673
Amt Required (2005 DLCS)													3.989	7.414	8.314

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Detail of Nuclear Dec

\$ in Millions

	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	
Beaver Valley 1 (1997 CAPCO\$)	42.688	65.805	65.718	52.785	14.326	4.160									
Beaver Valley 1 (1997 DLCS)	20.277	31.257	31.216	25.073	6.805	1.976									
Inflation factor	3.648	3.794	3.946	4.104	4.268	4.439									
Cash Expenditures	73.978	118.600	123.182	102.897	29.044	8.772									587.679
Discount factor (to year 2005)	6.098	6.556	7.047	7.576	8.144	8.755									
Amt Required (2005 DLCS)	12.131	18.091	17.479	13.582	3.566	1.002									106.527
Beaver Valley 2 (1997 CAPCO\$)	53.143	49.267	51.701	30.167	25.320	16.805	1.598	1.593	1.593	1.593	1.598	1.593	1.593	8.238	
Beaver Valley 2 (1997 DLCS)	7.302	6.769	7.104	4.145	3.479	2.309	0.220	0.219	0.219	0.219	0.220	0.219	0.219	1.132	
Inflation factor	3.648	3.794	3.946	4.104	4.268	4.439	4.616	4.801	4.993	5.193	5.400	5.617	5.841	6.075	
Cash Expenditures	26.640	25.685	28.032	17.010	14.849	10.249	1.013	1.051	1.093	1.137	1.186	1.230	1.279	6.876	198.737
Discount factor (to year 2005)	6.098	6.556	7.047	7.576	8.144	8.755	9.412	10.117	10.876	11.692	12.569	13.512	14.525	15.614	
Amt Required (2005 DLCS)	4.368	3.918	3.978	2.245	1.823	1.171	0.108	0.104	0.101	0.097	0.094	0.091	0.088	0.440	30.063
Perry (1997 CAPCO\$)	91.624	84.942	89.137	52.010	43.655	28.973	2.755	2.747	2.747	2.747	2.755	2.747	2.747	14.203	
Perry (1997 DLCS)	12.589	11.671	12.247	7.146	5.998	3.981	0.378	0.377	0.377	0.377	0.378	0.377	0.377	1.952	
Inflation factor	3.648	3.794	3.946	4.104	4.268	4.439	4.616	4.801	4.993	5.193	5.400	5.617	5.841	6.075	
Cash Expenditures	45.930	44.283	48.330	29.328	25.601	17.670	1.747	1.812	1.885	1.960	2.044	2.120	2.205	11.855	342.642
Discount factor (to year 2005)	6.098	6.556	7.047	7.576	8.144	8.755	9.412	10.117	10.876	11.692	12.569	13.512	14.525	15.614	
Amt Required (2005 DLCS)	7.532	6.755	6.858	3.871	3.143	2.018	0.186	0.179	0.173	0.168	0.163	0.157	0.152	0.759	51.831

Duquesne Light Company
Feasibility of Financing Plan

	RATEBASE (\$BILLIONS)	DEBT (\$MILLIONS)	% CAP	PREFERRED (\$MILLIONS)	% CAP	COMMON (\$MILLIONS)	% CAP	TOTAL CAP (\$MILLIONS)
12/31/96	\$2.47	\$1,241	50%	\$239	10%	\$990	40%	\$2,470
1997 REFINANCINGS								
FMB MATURED 6.3%		(\$15)						
FMB MATURED 6.0%		(\$30)						
FMB MATURED 5.9%		(\$5)						
ISSUE NEW DEBT		\$47						
DEBENTURE BT 5.0%		(\$2)						
PREFERRED TENDER				(\$65)				
COMMON EQUITY						(\$50)		
12/31/97	2.35	\$1,236	53%	\$174	7%	\$940	40%	\$2,350
1998 REFINANCINGS								
FMB MATURED 5.85%		(\$35)						
FMB MATURED 6.15%		(\$35)						
FMB MATURED 6.55%		(\$5)						
ISSUE NEW DEBT		\$43						
DEBENTURE BT 5.0%		(\$3)						
COMMON EQUITY						(\$15)		
12/31/98	2.30	\$1,201	52%	\$174	8%	\$925	40%	\$2,300
1999 REFINANCINGS								
FMB MATURED 5.90%		(\$75)						
ISSUE NEW DEBT		\$41						
COMMON EQUITY						(\$46)		
12/31/99	2.22	\$1,167	53%	\$174	8%	\$879	40%	\$2,220
2000 REFINANCINGS								
FMB MATURED 6.45%		(\$45)						
FMB MATURED 6.10%		(\$55)						
ISSUE NEW DEBT		\$40						
COMMON EQUITY						(\$30)		
12/31/2000	2.13	\$1,107	52%	\$174	8%	\$849	40%	\$2,130
2001 REFINANCINGS								
PARTIAL CALL 8.75%		(\$65)						
COMMON EQUITY						(\$25)		
12/31/2001	2.04	\$1,042	51%	\$174	9%	\$824	40%	\$2,040
2002 REFINANCINGS								
PARTIAL CALL 8.75%		(\$35)						
PARTIAL CALL 7.625%		(\$35)						
COMMON EQUITY						(\$45)		
12/31/2002	1.93	\$972	50%	\$174	9%	\$779	40%	\$1,925
2003 REFINANCINGS								
FMB MATURED 6.70%		(\$55)						
FMB MATURED 6.65%		(\$45)						
ISSUE NEW DEBT		\$45						
COMMON EQUITY						(\$50)		
12/31/2003	1.82	\$917	50%	\$174	10%	\$729	40%	\$1,820
2004 REFINANCINGS								
FMB MATURED 6.625%		(\$100)						
ISSUE NEW DEBT		\$65						
COMMON EQUITY						(\$35)		
12/31/2004	1.75	\$882	50%	\$174	10%	\$694	40%	\$1,750
2005 REFINANCINGS *								
FMB MATURED 5.90%		(\$75)						
ISSUE NEW DEBT		\$20						
RETIRE ESOP PREFERENCE STK				(\$24)				
COMMON EQUITY						(\$31)		
12/31/2005	1.64	\$827	50%	\$150	9%	\$663	40%	\$1,640

* Duquesne reserves the right to exclude equity (and associated earnings) from calculations for ratemaking purposes if financial covenants require maintenance of equity above indicated levels.

PENNSYLVANIA ELECTRIC COMPANIES
WEIGHTED COST OF CAPITAL
As of 12/31/96

PP & L Resources	<u>Ratio</u>	<u>Cost Rate</u>	<u>Wtd Cost Rate</u>	
				from 1997 transition filing
Common Equity	45.20%	11.50%	5.20%	
Preferred & Preference	7.80%	7.10%	0.55%	
Long-Term Debt	<u>47.00%</u>	7.89%	<u>3.71%</u>	
	100.00%		9.46%	
			7.92%	Wtd. after-tax

PECO	<u>Ratio</u>	<u>Cost Rate</u>	<u>Wtd Cost Rate</u>	
				from 1997 transition filing
Common Equity	50.60%	11.60%	5.87%	
Preferred & Preference	3.00%	7.70%	0.23%	
Long-Term Debt	<u>46.40%</u>	8.51%	<u>3.95%</u>	
	100.00%		10.05%	
			8.41%	Wtd. after-tax

Metropolitan Edison	<u>Ratio</u>	<u>Cost Rate</u>	<u>Wtd Cost Rate</u>	
				from 1997 transition filing
Common Stock	49.97%	12.20%	6.10%	
Preferred Stock	7.74%	8.76%	0.68%	
Long-Term Debt	<u>42.29%</u>	7.59%	<u>3.21%</u>	
	100.00%		9.98%	

Pennsylvania Electric	<u>Ratio</u>	<u>Cost Rate</u>	<u>Wtd Cost Rate</u>	
				from 1997 transition filing
Common Equity	48.79%	12.00%	5.85%	
Preferred & Preference	7.63%	8.38%	0.64%	
Long-Term Debt	<u>43.58%</u>	7.24%	<u>3.16%</u>	
	100.00%		9.65%	

West Penn Power	<u>Ratio</u>	<u>After tax Cost Rate</u>	<u>Wtd Cost Rate</u>	
				from proposed 1997 transition filing
Common Equity	46.80%	11.50%	5.38%	
Preferred & Preference	4.30%	4.15%	0.18%	
Long-Term Debt	<u>48.90%</u>	7.46%	<u>3.65%</u>	
	100.00%		9.21%	
			7.71%	Wtd. after-tax

VOLUME I

Duquesne Statement No. 1

**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY
DOCKET NO. R-00974104**

**Direct Testimony
of
Michael M. Schnitzer**

Contents:

**Regarding the Known and Measurable Standard and Duquesne's
Market-Based Approach to Stranded Cost Calculation and Recovery**

1 **Qualifications**

2 Q. Please state your name, position and business address.

3 A. My name is Michael M. Schnitzer. I am a Director of The NorthBridge Group, 950
4 Winter Street, Waltham, Massachusetts 02154. The NorthBridge Group is an
5 economic and strategic consulting firm specializing in the electric and natural gas
6 industries.

7 Q. Please briefly describe your educational and business background.

8 A. I received a Master of Science degree in management from the Sloan School of
9 Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in 1979. My concentration was
10 in finance. I received a Bachelor of Arts degree in chemistry, with honors, from
11 Harvard College in 1975.

12 In 1992, I co-founded The NorthBridge Group. Prior to that, I was a Managing
13 Director of Putnam, Hayes & Bartlett, which I joined in 1979. At NorthBridge and
14 Putnam, Hayes and Bartlett, I have consulted for private sector clients in the electric
15 utility, natural gas, private power, steel and coatings industries, and for several public
16 and nonprofit agencies. My utility work has focused on resource planning, regulatory
17 policy, finance, and industry restructuring issues. Further details of my professional
18 and educational background are set forth in Exhibit MMS-1.

19 Q. Please list the regulatory commissions before which you have testified.

1 A. I have provided testimony or affidavits on a variety of matters before the Arkansas,
2 Delaware, Indiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Mexico,
3 New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas, Vermont and Wisconsin Public
4 Utility Commissions.

5 **Purpose of Testimony and Conclusions**

6 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?

7 A. The first purpose of my testimony is to address the proper determination of stranded
8 costs under the Electric Generation Customer Choice and Competition Act, 66 Pa.
9 C.S. Sections 2801-2812 ("Customer Choice Act"). Specifically, I will address the
10 application of the "known and measurable" standard to the determination of stranded
11 costs.

12 The second purpose of my testimony is to address whether Duquesne Light Company
13 ("Duquesne" or "Company") is entitled to a price cap on generation for all years from
14 1999 to 2005 ("Transition Period") under section 2804(4)(v) of the Customer Choice
15 Act. Specifically, I will address the nature of the evidentiary showings by Duquesne
16 necessary to meet the requirements of this section.

17 The third purpose of my testimony is to address the calculation by Duquesne of a
18 known and measurable CTC for each year of the Transition Period using an annual
19 solicitation for sale of power to set the market price. I will also address the benefits
20 of such a proposal from the standpoint of economic efficiency and fairness while

1 Duquesne continues to bear an obligation to serve under a generation price cap.

2 The fourth purpose of my testimony is to address Duquesne's proposal for a final
3 market-based determination of stranded costs under the known and measurable
4 standard. I will also distinguish Duquesne's market valuation proposal from a one-
5 time administrative determination of stranded costs.

6 The fifth purpose of my testimony is to address the customer safeguards built into
7 Duquesne's price cap and market valuation proposal. I will address the customer
8 protection features of the guaranteed amortization, the ROE spillover and the early
9 market valuation trigger mechanisms. I will also address the proper treatment of asset
10 sales and plant shutdowns during the Transition Period.

11 Q. Would you please summarize your conclusions?

12 A. Yes, there are five main conclusions corresponding to the purposes of my testimony.
13 First, a market-based determination of stranded costs is inherently superior to an
14 administrative determination. Only a market-based determination can reasonably
15 satisfy the known and measurable standard required by the Customer Choice Act. By
16 contrast, an administrative determination of future market prices based on inherently
17 uncertain predictions about producer and consumer behavior and forecasts of future
18 events or trends cannot, by definition, establish known stranded costs. There is no
19 reason to rely on an administrative determination of market prices today when a
20 feasible and practical alternative has been proposed by Duquesne that would permit a
21 market-based valuation to take place in 2003.

1 Second, Duquesne is entitled to a price cap on generation rates under section
2 2804(4)(v) of the Customer Choice Act for each year of the Transition Period, subject
3 to early termination of the cap. To meet the requirements of this section Duquesne
4 must make a prima facie showing that:

- 5 • Excess earnings achieved under the cap will be utilized to mitigate transition or
6 stranded costs for the benefit of ratepayers under the proposed minimum
7 amortization commitments and ROE spillover mechanism; and
- 8 • The market value of generation beginning in 2006 will be below the book value of
9 generation and generation-related regulatory assets net of the committed
10 minimum level of amortization.

11 Based on the testimony of Mr. Clayton, I conclude that Duquesne has made these two
12 showings and is therefore entitled to the price cap through 2005.

13 Third, the Duquesne proposal to set customer-specific CTCs annually based on the
14 market price of electricity as determined by the results of a market-based solicitation
15 meets the known and measurable standard. The CTC will be calculated as a residual
16 of the capped generation rate and the market price of power. The winning bids in the
17 solicitation will set the market price of power for the applicable year, which in turn
18 will establish known and measurable CTCs. This will ensure that customers,
19 competitive suppliers and Duquesne's investors will be treated fairly during the
20 Transition Period and that price signals will be economically efficient. By contrast—
21 where customers are protected by a price cap—an *ex ante* calculation of CTCs based

1 on a one-time administrative estimation of market prices is inherently flawed. Use of
2 this method is not consistent with encouraging competition as the resulting market
3 price signals will be distorted. Economic efficiency requires that CTCs be set using
4 market-based evidence of current market prices.

5 Fourth, the proposed market-based determination of stranded costs as of December
6 31, 2005 provides a known and measurable methodology to calculate stranded costs
7 on a net present value basis. Duquesne proposes to determine the fair market value of
8 its generating assets on the basis of prices contained in consummated market
9 transactions in the relevant market. The final market-based valuation will be
10 conducted in 2003 by an unbiased arbitration panel that will issue a report on its
11 findings of market value to the Commission. Duquesne will agree to be bound by the
12 panel's determination of market value, subject only to Duquesne's right to sell assets
13 or sell an equity interest in a subsidiary generation company if the Commission alters
14 or rejects the panel's finding of market value. The panel's valuation (or the valuation
15 from such a sale or spin-off) will be known and measurable and will be used to assess
16 whether Duquesne will have fully amortized its stranded costs under the price cap
17 during the Transition Period.

18 Fifth, the proposed "true-up" methodology of the final market-based valuation
19 protects customers by ensuring that Duquesne does not over recover its stranded costs
20 and that customers do not "pay twice" for the costs of generation. If the market
21 valuation is higher than anticipated, the accelerated recovery under the price cap will

1 be reduced accordingly. In addition, Duquesne has committed to a ROE spillover
2 mechanism to protect customers during the Transition Period. This mechanism
3 ensures that Duquesne will not earn more than the allowed ROE, but provides no
4 symmetric protection to the Company for downside risk. Duquesne has a reasonable
5 opportunity to earn a fair rate of return during the Transition Period, but still bears the
6 risk of fulfilling its depreciation and amortization commitment. Finally, the proposed
7 early trigger mechanisms to the final market-based valuation provide additional
8 protection for customers if market prices rise significantly or if the committed level of
9 depreciation and amortization is fully recovered under the price cap prior to 2003.
10 Duquesne also has the right incentives to sell profitable generation and shutdown
11 unprofitable generation during the Transition Period, and the potential proceeds from
12 sale and savings from shutdown are appropriately credited to customers.

13 **Market-Based Determination of Stranded Costs is Inherently Superior**

14 Q. Please elaborate on your first conclusion.

15 A. The definition of “transition and stranded costs” contained in Section 2803 of the
16 Customer Act is premised on each utility having the burden of demonstrating “known
17 and measurable net electric generation-related costs, determined on a net present
18 value basis over the life of the asset or liability as part of its restructuring plan.” Only
19 a market-based determination can reasonably satisfy that standard. An administrative
20 process is theoretically inferior to a market-based approach and has in practice proven
21 to be grossly inaccurate. Such an administrative determination is also unnecessary; a

1 feasible and practical alternative has been proposed by Duquesne that would permit a
2 market-based valuation to take place in 2003.

3 **Administrative Approaches are Inferior to Market-Based Approaches**

4 Q. In theory, why should a market-based approach be inherently superior to an
5 administrative approach?

6 A. In concept, stranded asset quantification seems simple enough. Utilities currently
7 value generating assets on their books at original cost less accumulated depreciation.
8 But when competition is substituted for regulation, the market value of generation
9 may be less than the book value. The difference between net book value and
10 competitive market value represents that portion of book value stranded by
11 competitive retail access.

12 The key quantification question concerns the market value of generation. The value
13 of an electric generation plant in a competitive market is what a willing buyer would
14 pay for the right to receive the net after-tax cash flows from the plant in the future.
15 These after-tax cash flows, in turn, depend largely on the prevailing market price for
16 power. Thus, in an administrative determination, the critical component is a forecast
17 of future market price. It is this requirement to forecast market price that makes an
18 administrative determination inferior to a market-based determination.

19 Q. Why is that?

1 A. The administrative determination of market prices requires predictions about both
2 supply and demand over a long period of time. Three sets of assumptions are critical.
3 The first is the set of assumptions made about the new supply technology of choice:
4 all such estimates must assume a new supply technology and its associated costs.
5 Historically, the technology chosen has often been wrong (coal instead of gas, for
6 instance) but even in cases where the technology type was correct, technological
7 progress was ignored or underestimated. Costs and thus prices are usually projected
8 assuming that technology never improves, costs never decline and efficiency gains are
9 never realized. This type of “fixed technology” estimate has historically proven to be
10 very inaccurate.

11 The second is the set of assumptions made about new supply timing and market
12 equilibrium: administrative forecasts all assume a “need date” for new supply and
13 typically assume the market stays in equilibrium thereafter. Both assumptions have
14 often proven to be incorrect—the need is often later than forecast, and supply and
15 demand subsequently get out of balance, with the result of falling market prices.

16 The third is the set of assumptions made about fuel prices: estimates of oil and gas
17 prices in particular are made for a long period of time. Historically, these estimates
18 have proven to be far off the mark—almost invariably high. As a consequence,
19 market price projections have been overstated significantly.

20 Q. What is the consequence of basing market forecasts on these types of assumptions?

1 A. The forecasts are highly sensitive to the initial assumptions chosen by the analysts
2 making the forecasts. When the results of the forecasts are used in an administrative
3 context to determine or allocate value, the vastly different results obtained by
4 changing the assumptions leads to a “battle of the experts.” The consequence is a
5 contentious and time-consuming process that seeks to substitute an administrative
6 determination for the judgment of the marketplace.

7 However, there is simply no substitute for the market itself in determining market
8 prices in the future. A myriad of individual buyers and sellers, freely taking positions
9 and risking real dollars enter into numerous transactions. The composite of these
10 voluntary individual economic decisions defines the market. The prices that result are
11 by definition superior to the best documented forecast or most sophisticated model.

12 Q. What is the result of engaging in an administrative determination of stranded costs?

13 A. Outside of Pennsylvania, the restructuring process in other states has advanced to the
14 stage where some state commissions have proposed an administrative determination
15 of an allowable level of utility stranded costs. Although costs and unit performance
16 are also at issue in these proceedings, the greatest sensitivity in the stranded cost
17 value results from differences in the future forecasts of the market price of electricity.
18 As the proceedings progress, the parties and the regulators often back away from a
19 determination on an administrative basis and seek alternative solutions.

20 For example, in Massachusetts the Department of Public Utilities (“MDPU”)
21 originally proposed draft regulations for administratively determining stranded costs.

1 After holding extensive hearings in the summer of 1996, the MDPU declined to
2 promulgate the regulations that would have implemented this procedure. Similarly, in
3 California an administrative determination process was scrapped. The California
4 PUC will use actual market prices from the newly established power exchange to set
5 the CTC equivalent access charges.

6 In New Hampshire, the Public Utility Commission ("NHPUC") retained La Capra
7 Associates³ to estimate market prices and stranded generation costs. The La Capra
8 analysis supported a "high market price" while the experts retained by utilities
9 supported a "low market price." The NHPUC issued an order in that state's
10 restructuring on February 28, 1997 that relied on an initial administrative estimate of
11 market prices to establish an interim stranded cost charge, but recognized the need for
12 a market-based "true-up" of that estimate. However, the NHPUC's Order in the case
13 of Public Service Company of New Hampshire (PSNH) led to a PSNH claim that it
14 had been denied a reasonable opportunity to recover its stranded costs. PSNH sought
15 and obtained a Temporary Restraining Order against the NHPUC. The litigation over
16 the order has been stayed as mediation efforts and settlement discussion attempt to
17 resolve this impasse.

18 Q. What has been the Pennsylvania experience with the administrative determination of
19 stranded costs?

³ La Capra Associates has also been retained by the Pennsylvania Office of Consumer Advocate and has filed testimony on market prices and stranded generation costs in Docket No. R-00973953.

1 A. The Qualified Rate Order (“QRO”) proceeding for PECO Energy Company
2 (“PECO”) illustrates the wide differences in value that can result from different
3 assumptions. PECO had claimed total stranded generation plant of \$3.566 billion of
4 which it was seeking to securitize \$2.435 billion under a QRO. The Commission
5 concluded that PECO had not met its burden of proof with respect to the \$2.435
6 billion estimate and accepted adjustments proposed by the Philadelphia Area
7 Industrial Energy Users Group (“PAIEUG”). In total, these adjustments reduced the
8 \$2.435 billion by \$1.828 billion or approximately 75 percent.

9 The wide bid-ask spread from the QRO proceeding has been reconfirmed in the
10 PECO restructuring docket. PECO has sponsored testimony from three “low market
11 price” experts. In response, the Office of Consumer Advocate (“OCA”) and PAIEUG
12 have filed testimony sponsored by “high market price” experts. Each side finds fault
13 with the other’s methodology, modeling techniques and input assumptions. The
14 estimates confirm the bargaining positions of the parties staked out at the start of the
15 restructuring process. Both sides support the selection of their own estimate as the
16 basis for a one-time determination of stranded costs decades into the future. Thus, the
17 Commission is presented with two diametrically opposed views of the likely path of
18 future market prices and must choose.

19 Q. What do you conclude about market-based and administrative approaches?

20 A. Because expert forecasts of market price depend critically on input assumptions,
21 vastly different results can be obtained by varying the assumptions and calculating

1 present values based on projections far into the future. The results are inconclusive
2 because it costs nothing to change an assumption. Markets are different because
3 participants risk real dollars on their assumptions. Parties may disagree on the future
4 course of events, but in the market they must back up their predictions with cash or
5 credit. This basic difference – bearing the cost of being wrong – separates market
6 evidence from mere forecasts.

7 **Administrative Determinations of Future Costs Have Failed Historically**

8 Q. What is the historical experience with determining future prices in an administrative
9 proceeding?

10 A. There is a great deal of empirical evidence available because administrative
11 determination of market prices is not a new idea. Past administrative determinations
12 of future “avoided costs” have been notoriously inaccurate. Relying on these
13 administrative forecasts has resulted in the payment of billions of dollars of above-
14 market costs by utilities to non-utility generators. The Public Utilities Regulatory
15 Policies Act of 1978 (“PURPA”) resulted in utilities and Commissions forecasting the
16 “avoided cost” of adding new generation capacity in order to determine the prices that
17 would be paid to qualifying facilities (“QFs”) under PURPA. At that time the price
18 of oil was high and then current forecasts called for future prices to exceed \$100 per
19 barrel.

20 In California, one of the first states to implement PURPA, oil was the marginal

1 generating resource for utilities, and the resulting avoided costs and prices offered to
2 QFs were, in retrospect, extremely high. As a result, resources that could qualify
3 under PURPA would still be profitable under California's standard offer prices
4 despite their high costs of producing electricity. The standard offer contracts
5 remained open for an extended period of time. Utilities were required to take all
6 offered power at the posted prices from qualified sellers leading to the purchase of
7 thousands of MWs of very costly power. The magnitude of these above-market
8 commitments became apparent as market oil prices declined significantly throughout
9 the last half of the 1980s, but contract prices remained fixed.

10 In New York, the California experience with administrative forecasting was played
11 out with a new wrinkle. The state legislature took the additional step of mandating a
12 floor to the administratively determined price to encourage development of the
13 independent power industry. Under the so-called "six cent" law, New York PURPA
14 contracts specified that co-generators be paid the greater of utility avoided costs or six
15 cents per kWh. As oil prices declined, the "gas bubble" did not end, and load grew
16 more slowly than forecast, the mandated pricing in these contracts proved very
17 profitable for sellers and extremely burdensome for utilities and customers. The cost
18 of these co-generation commitments ultimately led Niagara Mohawk ("NIMO") to
19 threaten bankruptcy in order to bring sellers under the six cent contracts to the
20 bargaining table. A settlement of these above-market contracts was finally signed by
21 the producers and NIMO in July 1997, calling for payment of \$3.6 billion in cash and
22 46 million shares of NIMO common equity to terminate or restructure the contracts.

1 The QF experience of California and New York was played out to lesser degrees in
2 other jurisdictions around the nation. The worst excesses of the administered QF
3 rates were corrected when Massachusetts, California and other states turned to
4 competitive bidding. However, the bidding was still subject to administrative
5 interference. The quantity to be bought was determined administratively on an own
6 load basis and when load grew more slowly than forecast, a surplus developed and the
7 avoided cost estimate again proved to be above the actual market price. The bid
8 process was further hampered in states such as Massachusetts, where regulators
9 attempted to monetize externalities and assign values to air pollutants. Again, the
10 result of these administrative determinations of value was to artificially inflate the
11 market price and increase the costs that would be ultimately borne by customers of
12 the purchasing utilities.

13 Pennsylvania has had similar experience with avoided cost projections. While
14 Duquesne has virtually no PURPA contract exposure, other Pennsylvania utilities
15 bear the burden of "long-term power supply agreements as required by federal law."
16 Contracts were signed and approved by the Commission at prices discounted from
17 estimated avoided costs that turned out to be well above actual market prices. The
18 above-market cost of PURPA contracts based on administered prices is explicitly
19 recognized in Pennsylvania as Principle 15 in section 2802 of the Customer Choice
20 Act, and again in section 2804(4)(iii). In this later section the legislature specifically
21 exempts the "costs cancellation, buyout, buydown or renegotiation of nonutility
22 generating project obligations of the utility" from the price caps otherwise applicable

1 during the Transition Period. In Pennsylvania, as elsewhere, the hangover from past
2 administrative determinations of avoided costs has worsened the stranded cost
3 problem.

4 Q. What do you conclude based on the experience in California, New York and other
5 states?

6 A. Administrative determinations of cost or price are a poor substitute for the market.
7 Our historical experience with administrative determinations reveals three types of
8 errors repeated over and over again that correspond to the three key inputs over which
9 the "experts" disagree. Errors in these projections have consistently been made on the
10 assumptions about technology of choice, new supply timing and market equilibrium,
11 and fuel prices. As a consequence, market price projections have been overstated
12 significantly.

13 Markets, on the other hand, reflect the collective expectations of all market
14 participants — participants betting their own money. Future expectations of
15 individual parties are not always realized, but contracts freely entered into at arm's
16 length reflect a competitive outcome that fairly allocates risk between the parties and
17 discounts the future appropriately. Administrative determination of market price is an
18 unproductive path which should be avoided — already the predictable debate over
19 technology and cost, need date, and fuel prices has been joined in other Pennsylvania
20 restructuring dockets. Administrative determination was a failure under PURPA,
21 costing customers billions of dollars. This failure should not to be repeated in the

1 Pennsylvania restructuring at the further expense of customers and shareholders.
2 Stranded costs determined from such administrative estimates of market price cannot
3 be known and measurable.

4 **One Time Calculation of Stranded Costs Today is Unnecessary**

5 Q. You also state that a one-time administrative calculation of stranded cost is
6 unnecessary. Why is this?

7 A. An administration determination of stranded costs is unnecessary and unwarranted
8 because a feasible and practical market-based alternative exists and is available to the
9 Commission. As described later in my testimony and also by Mr. Marshall,
10 Duquesne has put forward a specific proposal for a market-based valuation of its
11 generation in 2003. Completing a "once and for all time" stranded cost calculation
12 today based on an administrative determination of future market prices simply places
13 too much weight on the accuracy of the market price forecasts. Both consumer and
14 shareholder advocates are rightly concerned that getting the market price wrong will
15 set the level of stranded costs too high or too low, without recourse should the future
16 turn out differently than forecast.

17 In the PECO restructuring proceeding, the intervenor testimony echoes this concern.
18 The Office of Trial Staff witness Paul J. Metro testified at pp. 16-17 of his testimony
19 that it would be possible for the stranded costs to be zero and also possible for the
20 generation units' market value to be zero, thus indicating that all net generating plant

1 and CWIP were stranded. Thus, he concluded that the range of stranded costs could
2 be \$0 to \$6,688,384,000. Similarly, the Office of Small Business Advocate witness
3 Brian Kalcic proposes at pp. 7-8 of his testimony that the Commission should
4 implement a market value/stranded cost adjustment so as to implicitly share the risks
5 associated with the uncertainty of future market price forecasts between customers
6 and shareholders. The risks associated with an administrative determination are
7 unnecessary and unwarranted given the alternative of Duquesne's market-based
8 proposal.

9 Q. How does Duquesne's proposal answer these concerns?

10 A. Duquesne's proposal for a final market-based valuation in 2003 avoids the problems
11 of an administrative determination of stranded costs today. Consumer advocates are
12 rightly concerned that if the forecast of market price is set too low, and utilities
13 effectively own the generation independent of any obligation to serve following the
14 Transition Period, then any upside value will accrue to shareholders. This is the
15 articulated fear that customers will "pay twice" for generation: once through the CTC
16 charges and again in the form of higher market prices following the Transition Period.
17 Duquesne's proposal to accelerate amortization under a rate cap and make a market
18 valuation late in the Transition Period avoids this risk. As we will demonstrate,
19 Duquesne is entitled to a continuation of its rate cap and the customer is held
20 harmless from the risk that Duquesne will recover too much under the cap, by
21 operation of the ROE spillover, the final market valuation and the early valuation
22 triggers.

1 Q. But, why wait to do a market valuation until 2003?

2 A. A market valuation of utility generation assets that are undergoing deregulation is
3 very difficult to achieve in 1997. First, for electricity there are no clear guideposts to
4 market value as with other commodities. Public markets are not liquid and products
5 are not standardized. Although electricity is becoming a commodity product at the
6 wholesale level, the market in electricity forward and futures contracts is only in its
7 infancy. There are some nascent spot contracts for electricity such as the California-
8 Oregon border contracts. But the physical properties of electricity make a
9 standardized contract problematic. Electricity must be instantaneously produced and
10 consumed as storage opportunities are limited (e.g., pumped hydro). Transmission
11 constraints make the assessment of basis risk between different markets difficult. As
12 a result, the current market for forward electricity contracts specify physical delivery
13 at a particular busbar or interconnection.

14 Contrast the development of forward and futures contracts in natural gas. Henry Hub
15 in Louisiana is the delivery point against which all contracts can be settled. The basis
16 differentials for other delivery points are also established. The standard terms and
17 conditions for allocating risk between buyers and sellers have been hammered out
18 since gas deregulation began in the 1980s. Many financial institutions and energy
19 companies are now quoting fixed gas prices on a forward basis for ten years or more
20 into the future. Electricity markets are at an early stage of development compared to
21 natural gas markets, but they will catch up.

1 Second, current uncertainty about future environmental regulations in a deregulated
2 market casts a shadow over any reasoned debate about market prices. Future
3 environmental standards for existing units are a source of great uncertainty. On June
4 25, 1997 the President announced new rules to be promulgated by the Environmental
5 Protection Agency that would restrict ozone compounds and particulates resulting
6 from the combustion of fossil fuels in power plants. If the rulemaking is implemented
7 and its validity is upheld by the courts, the retrofit costs to existing coal units would
8 make many of these units uneconomic at current prices. The effect of the regulations
9 on overall market prices will depend on the cost impact to the existing supply of
10 generation and the cost of entry of new gas-fired capacity. Thus, shutdown decisions
11 would need to consider both the added costs of compliance with the new standards
12 and the second order impact on market prices as other operating units are shut down
13 and new gas-fired units are built.

14 Third, until the current round of industry restructuring is complete, uncertainty about
15 the details of a fully deregulated market structure and its effect on future market
16 prices is similarly a cause of concern. The structural overhang of continued
17 regulation retards the development of liquidity in the power markets. The debate over
18 bid-based versus cost-based dispatch has been joined in Pennsylvania and elsewhere.
19 On one side certain economists argue that competitive bids for dispatch by an
20 Independent System Operator ("ISO") will largely duplicate the cost-based dispatch
21 seen in PJM and other tight pools today. Critics argue that bids will necessarily be
22 higher in a competitive bid structure because utilities will seek to recover certain costs

1 that today are recovered in embedded cost rates. Similar debates rage over the value
2 of capacity in a deregulated market. Will the capacity value be set by the price
3 required to recover the cost of new combustion turbine construction or will cheaper
4 alternatives (e.g., economic curtailment) be viable as capacity alternatives? The
5 impact of other structural issues (e.g., load pockets and transmission pricing) on the
6 overall level of market prices will become clearer as ISOs are formed and competitive
7 markets develop. The uncertainty today over future market prices will be reduced as
8 these structural issues are resolved.

9 **Market Based Determination of Stranded Cost is a Superior Approach**

10 Q. Please summarize your conclusion regarding the superiority of a market-based
11 determination of stranded costs.

12 A. Only a market-based determination can reasonably satisfy the known and measurable
13 standard required by the Customer Choice Act. Administrative determinations of
14 market price are inherently unreliable and inferior to the market itself. They require
15 key assumptions concerning what customers and competing suppliers will do over
16 long periods of time—assumptions that are unavoidably uncertain. Past experience
17 with avoided cost forecasts under PURPA confirms this unreliability and
18 susceptibility to error—errors in underlying assumptions resulted in significant
19 overestimation of market prices. A one-time administrative determination of stranded
20 costs today can and should be avoided. An alternative market-based approach has
21 been proposed by Duquesne that is both feasible and practical, but must wait for the

1 electricity markets to mature and the uncertainty over structural issues to subside.

2 **Duquesne is Entitled to a Price Cap On Generation Under Section 2804(4)(v)**

3 Q. On what basis is Duquesne entitled to a price cap on generation under the Customer
4 Choice Act?

5 A. Section 2804(4)(v) provides that: "If an electric distribution utility rolls its energy
6 cost rate into base rates at a combined level that does not exceed its combined level of
7 such rates which have been approved by the Commission as of the Effective Date of
8 this Chapter, the utility shall not be required to reduce its capped rates below the
9 capped level upon the complaint of any party if the Commission determines that any
10 excess earnings achieved under the cap are being utilized to mitigate transition or
11 stranded costs for the benefit of ratepayers or to offset other known and measurable
12 cost increases that would be recoverable under traditional ratemaking but are not
13 included within the capped rates."

14 This section of the Customer Choice Act is comparable to the treatment Duquesne
15 received under the Fort Martin plan. Under that plan Duquesne agreed to freeze rates
16 at current levels through 2000 and committed to a schedule of accelerated
17 amortization of its nuclear plants and increased decommissioning funding that would
18 offset any excess earnings from continued collection of current rates.

1 **Duquesne Needs to Make Two Showings to Obtain Rate Cap**

2 Q. How can Duquesne establish that any excess earnings during the Transition Period
3 under the rate cap will be used to mitigate transition and stranded costs?

4 A. To make the case for holding rates at the capped levels throughout the Transition
5 Period, Duquesne must make a prima facie showing of two propositions. The first is
6 that a mechanism exists to ensure that if revenues under the rate cap are greater than
7 the normal cost of service, these “excess earnings” will be utilized to mitigate
8 transition or stranded costs for the benefit of ratepayers.

9 Q. Is proof of that proposition alone sufficient to satisfy the conditions of section
10 2804(4)(v)?

11 A. No, it is not. The second required showing is that the “excess earnings” available
12 under the price cap to mitigate stranded costs are less than or equal to the stranded
13 costs that need to be recovered. Thus, to make this additional showing Duquesne
14 must demonstrate that stranded costs still remain in 2006 even after the “excess
15 earnings” mitigation or, put another way, that the market value of generation
16 beginning in 2006 is still below the book value of generation and generation-related
17 regulatory assets net of all mitigation during the price cap period.

18 Q. Does this two-part showing require that Duquesne calculate a value for stranded costs
19 as of January 1, 1999?

1 A. No, what is important is the potential stranded cost left over in 2006 after all “excess
2 earnings” amortization and depreciation have been recognized on Duquesne’s books.
3 Thus, an estimate of the amount of mitigation that can be achieved under the price cap
4 and an estimate of the range of stranded costs remaining as of January 1, 2006 are
5 necessary to satisfy the conditions of Section 2804(4)(v). Forecasting a likely range
6 of market prices beyond 2005 is necessary to make this latter calculation and
7 showing.

8 **Duquesne has Made the Appropriate Showing for Each Proposition**

9 Q. Has Duquesne made the appropriate showing of the first proposition?

10 A. Yes. Two provisions of Duquesne’s proposal ensure that excess earnings will be used
11 to mitigate stranded costs for the benefit of ratepayers. The first of these is the
12 minimum depreciation and amortization commitment—a commitment by Duquesne
13 to amortize at least \$1.7 billion of generation and generation-related regulatory assets
14 during the price cap period. The second is the ROE spillover mechanism through
15 which Duquesne commits to apply any earnings in excess of the ROE-deadband to
16 further accelerate the \$1.7 billion amortization commitment. The combined effect of
17 the minimum amortization commitment and the ROE spillover mechanism guarantees
18 that “excess earnings achieved under the cap will be utilized to mitigate transition or
19 stranded costs for the benefit of ratepayers” as required by Section 2804(4)(V).

20 Q. Please elaborate on the minimum commitments.

1 A. Mr. Clayton demonstrates in his testimony that under the minimum depreciation and
2 amortization schedule proposed, the projected book value of Duquesne's generating
3 assets and regulatory assets as of December 31, 2005 is \$535 million—reflecting \$1.7
4 billion of depreciation and amortization between 1999 and 2005. Mr. Clayton
5 quantified this \$1.7 billion level of amortization as the amount that can be achieved
6 under the generation price cap, while still providing the Company with an opportunity
7 to earn a fair return on invested capital. He did this by solving for the depreciation
8 and amortization schedule that would yield no more than an 11.5% return in each year
9 given the forecast of revenues earned under the price cap and the projected costs over
10 the price cap period. This is similar to the analysis performed in support of the Fort
11 Martin plan.

12 Q. What is the effect of the ROE spillover mechanism?

13 A. As described by Mr. Clayton, the ROE spillover operates to guarantee that any excess
14 earnings will be used to further accelerate depreciation or amortization and comply
15 with the statutory requirement that excess earnings be used to mitigate transition or
16 stranded costs for the benefit of ratepayers.

17 Q. Turning to the second showing, how do we know that these excess earnings will
18 mitigate stranded costs and not simply reduce the book value of generation below
19 market?

20 A. This is the second showing that Duquesne must make to satisfy the conditions of
21 Section 2804(4)(v). Recall that Mr. Clayton projects a December 31, 2005 generation

1 book value of \$535 million. Based on a present value margin analysis of Duquesne's
2 generating units from 2006 to the end of unit life—comparing the cost of operation to
3 the revenue each unit can earn at market—Mr. Clayton establishes that the market
4 value of Duquesne's generation as of December 31, 2005 will range between \$(47)
5 million and \$527 million -- less than the \$535 million book value. Therefore, there is
6 a prima facie showing that stranded costs will still exist in 2005 even after the \$1.7
7 billion of committed depreciation and amortization is netted from the current book
8 value of generation.

9 Q. On what basis did Mr. Clayton project the market value of Duquesne's generation
10 beyond 2006?

11 A. The revenues he projects are based on a range of ceiling market prices that I have
12 developed based on the cost of new entry beyond 2005. The support for these market
13 prices is detailed in the following section of my testimony.

14 **New Entry Prices Establish Price Ceiling of \$34/MWh to \$44/MWh in 2006**

15 Q. What do you mean by a range of ceiling market prices?

16 A. I have developed an upper bound range of market prices based on the cost of entry by
17 new construction assuming that such entry is in fact economic in 2006. These prices
18 represent a "ceiling" on the market price, because if market prices were to exceed the
19 ceiling it would be economic for new entrants to contest the market at those prices.
20 As I will discuss later in my testimony, this is a conservative assumption that will

1 tend to overstate the range of market prices. Based on this assumption we can
2 establish a ceiling for market prices beyond 2005 based on the costs of new
3 construction and operation. This range of ceiling prices has been used by Mr. Clayton
4 to estimate Duquesne's remaining stranded costs as of December 31, 2005.

5 Q. How did you estimate the price level necessary to permit entry?

6 A. I assumed that the technology of choice for new entrants in 2006 will be a gas-fired
7 combined cycle unit, and I developed a range of break-even prices based on publicly
8 available data on the cost of new construction. The range of prices results from
9 alternate assumptions concerning capital cost, heat rate and the capital structure and
10 payback requirements of the project. The details of each set of alternate assumptions
11 are set out in Exhibit MMS-2 to my testimony⁴.

12 Q. How did you account for gas prices?

13 A. I prepared a gas price forecast consistent with current forward market prices for
14 natural gas. First, I obtained quotes for forward prices through 2005 for gas delivered
15 to Henry Hub in Louisiana. Then, I adjusted the forward price stream to create a risk
16 adjusted present value equivalent spot price stream through 2005. The spot price
17 equivalent shown in Exhibit MMS-3 is \$2.6/MMBtu in 2005. Finally, I assumed that
18 the price of natural gas would escalate beyond 2005 at the general rate of inflation.

⁴ Exhibit MMS-2 contains the assumptions for a 2005 ceiling price range. As shown, I escalated the 2005 ceiling price by 2.5 percent to obtain 2006 values.

1 Q. How did you account for the cost of transporting gas between Henry Hub and ECAR?

2 A. I adjusted for the projected basis differential between Henry Hub and delivery to a
3 new facility located in ECAR based on a 4 year basis differential quote between
4 Henry Hub and the TCO pool. I then assumed that the basis differential would
5 remain the same in real terms thereafter. The calculations and the supporting data for
6 the base case gas analysis are set out in Exhibit MMS-3.

7 Q. What were the resulting ceiling price estimates?

8 A. Exhibit MMS-2 sets out two estimates for the market price ceiling based on different
9 assumptions. I have labeled the estimates Low and High to reflect the resulting
10 market prices for electricity. The estimates are presented as a real levelized price
11 (based on an 84% capacity factor) that begins in 2006 and grows with an annual
12 estimate of general inflation of 2.5%. The Low estimate is \$34/MWH (\$2006) and
13 the High estimate is \$44/MWH (\$2006).

14 Q. Why did you calculate the range of estimates based on an 84% capacity factor?

15 A. The estimates reflect a range of entry prices for new baseload capacity. The
16 Duquesne generation portfolio is almost entirely composed of baseload units. As
17 detailed in Mr. Clayton's testimony, for purposes of his margin analysis, he assumed
18 that the Duquesne units would be fully dispatched at their equivalent availability in
19 2006 and beyond. Based on this dispatch of Duquesne generation, the average
20 capacity factor of the units would be 84%. The appropriate ceiling price to use for the
21 margin analysis is a ceiling price calculated at the same 84% capacity factor.

1 Q. Please describe briefly the steps in the analysis that you used to arrive at your
2 estimates.

3 A. The starting point is a range of estimates of total plant capital costs of a combined
4 cycle unit obtained from a review of industry sources. The revenues necessary to
5 recover the capital costs with a fair return on that capital were then projected using a
6 revenue requirements model. A real levelized charging factor was then calculated for
7 each estimate based on the capital structure and the time horizon for recovery of the
8 equity capital and repayment of the debt.

9 Q. What assumptions have you made about the appropriate capital structure?

10 A. In a competitive merchant plant environment the debt to equity ratio will be smaller
11 and the time horizon for recovery will be shorter than under traditional utility
12 financing and cost recovery assumptions. Therefore, I have assumed that a
13 competitive capital structure would require two-thirds equity and one-third debt using
14 an equity rate of 14% and a debt rate of 8.5% with a recovery period of 10 to 15
15 years. This set of assumptions results in a real levelized charging factor of 18% to
16 23%, depending on the recovery period.

17 Q. But isn't Mr. Clayton using a utility cost of capital to discount the net cash flows in
18 his margin analysis?

19 A. Yes. Therefore, to be totally consistent with his analysis we should use a utility
20 capital structure and time horizon for recovery to project the market price ceiling.
21 Alternatively, he could use a competitive cost of capital to establish the discount rate

1 for purposes of his margin analysis. If the market price is projected using a higher
2 cost of capital than is used for discounting cash flows, the result will be to overstate
3 the market values of Duquesne's generation.

4 Q. How have you accounted for these differences?

5 A. To account for this potential mismatch of ceiling market prices and discount rates, I
6 have completed an alternate set of calculations using the Duquesne capital structure
7 and a recovery period of 20 years. The alternate assumptions result in a real levelized
8 charging factor of 12%. As shown in Exhibit MMS-2, the High estimate of
9 \$44/MWh (\$2006) uses the 23% charging factor, while the Low estimate of
10 \$34/MWh (\$2006) uses the 12% charging factor.

11 Q. How did you project operating costs for the combined cycle unit?

12 A. The fixed and variable operation and maintenance ("O & M") estimates for operation
13 of the combined cycle unit were based on the 1993 EPRI TAG escalated based on the
14 general inflation rate. Estimates for administrative and general ("A & G") expenses
15 were based on 50% of the fixed O & M estimates. The high heat rate for the
16 combined cycle unit was based on a review of industry sources, while the low case
17 assumes further technological progress of 0.5% per year.

18 The case-specific total combined cycle fixed costs for each year are the sum of the
19 fixed O & M and the A & G expenses added to the product of the capital costs and the
20 real levelized carrying charge. The case-specific combined cycle variable costs for

1 each year are the variable O & M expenses added to the product of the forecast spot
2 gas price and the unit heat rate. The new entry ceiling prices are calculated by
3 averaging the combined cycle fixed cost over 7350 hours (for the 84% capacity factor
4 calculation) and adding the combined cycle variable costs.

5 **Market Prices Could be Lower than the Ceiling Price Range**

6 Q. You mentioned earlier that the new entry costs you derived for 2006 were ceiling
7 prices. Do you think the actual market price is likely to be higher or lower?

8 A. The actual market price is likely to be lower.

9 Q. Why?

10 A. There are a number of factors that could drive the market price lower. Improvements
11 in generation technology could reduce the new entry price level below the range I
12 have calculated. This could arise through significant improvement in combined cycle
13 cost or efficiency, or from a breakthrough in a different competing technology. For
14 example, there are a number of promising new peaking technologies under
15 development, some at projected capital costs in the \$100 to \$150 per kW range. As I
16 stated earlier, a major weakness of past avoided cost projections has been the
17 assumption of constant technology.

18 Another group of factors could result in the market clearing at a level below the new
19 entry price, even in 2006. The first of these is customer demand response during
20 "super peak" periods. During these periods, peak load in ECAR tends to decrease by

1 approximately 8.5% between the peak hour and the 100th highest hour. This means
2 that with current technology building new capacity to serve these super peak hours
3 may exceed \$500/MWh. What we don't know is how many customers might be
4 willing to reduce their consumption for a price far less than the cost of new
5 construction. If the response is significant, the new entry date would be delayed, and
6 2006 prices could be lower than the combined cycle market price ceiling.

7 The availability of supply side resources less costly than the combined cycle unit
8 could also cause the market to clear at lower prices than the combined cycle market
9 price ceiling. For example, co-generation opportunities that are not yet economic at
10 today's depressed wholesale prices, but which are cheaper than the new combined
11 cycle, could be available in sufficient quantity to offset or reduce the need for new
12 capacity in ECAR through 2006 resulting in lower market prices. Or, given the
13 availability of coal energy in many hours of the year, it may be that new technology
14 peaking capacity could be the economic choice through 2006 and the prices will not
15 have risen to the combined cycle new entry level. Finally, opportunities in
16 competitive markets and the interest of new entrants in building new plants for
17 "strategic" market reasons could result in excess entry, and the creation of a new
18 "temporary" surplus, driving market prices down again.

19 It is not a certainty that any of these factors will play a role between now and 2006,
20 but there are many of them, they are not mutually exclusive, and they all operate to
21 drive prices down, not up. Moreover, the results of Duquesne's recent solicitation

1 suggest that it is likely prices will be below the ceiling price range, at least for some
2 period of time beyond 2006.

3 **1997 Solicitation Suggests Lower Prices**

4 Q. Does Duquesne have evidence of the market price for power during the Transition
5 Period?

6 A. Yes, as detailed in the testimony of Mr. Irvin, Duquesne issued a solicitation to sell
7 firm power on June 6, 1997 ("1997 Solicitation"). Duquesne offered to sell a
8 minimum of 50 MW of firm power for a one-year period and a minimum of 100 MW
9 of firm power for an eight-year period commencing on January 1, 1998.

10 Q. How were the winning bids selected?

11 A. The winning bids for the one-year contract were selected based on the highest prices
12 offered for 1998. The winning bids for the eight-year contract were selected based on
13 the highest prices offered on a present value basis over the contract term.

14 Q. Please summarize the results of the 1997 Solicitation?

15 A. As Mr. Irvin's testimony indicates the nominal levelized price of the winning eight-
16 year bids was \$20.19/MWh over the term of the contract. Over the same period, the
17 real levelized equivalent bid price⁵ would be \$18.7/MWh (\$1998). The difference

⁵ Beginning in 1998 and growing at an assumed inflation rate of 2.5% per annum.

1 between the two price streams is that the real levelized price stream starts at a value of
2 \$18.7/MWh in 1998 and increases each year by the assumed rate of general inflation
3 (2.5% annually) through 2005. The nominal levelized price stream starts at a higher
4 value of \$20.19/MWh in 1998 and remains the same in each year. On a present value
5 basis the two streams are equivalent.

6 Q. How are the real levelized forward market prices you derived from the 1997
7 Solicitation relevant to the market prices Mr. Clayton used in his margin analysis
8 beyond 2005?

9 A. The forward market price for power of \$18.7/MWh (\$1998) established by the 1997
10 Solicitation is very low compared to the cost of new entry. The winning bids reflect
11 a supply/demand balance in ECAR with ample energy available most hours of the
12 year that continues throughout the Transition Period. When supply and demand
13 comes back into balance in the region, we would expect the market price for power to
14 be rising toward replacement cost levels. However, the solicitation results strongly
15 suggest that combined cycle new entry will not be economic by 2006.

16 Q. How did you conclude that combined cycle new entry is unlikely to be economic by
17 2006?

18 A. The winning bids for the eight-year solicitation were chosen on a present value basis.
19 Therefore, the annual bid prices are only relevant as inputs to the present value of the
20 entire price stream, and not as indicia of the prices in each year. Finance theory
21 suggests that the present value of the forward price stream should be equivalent to the

1 present value of expected future spot prices (appropriately risk adjusted) over the
2 same period. To derive these future spot prices, I first calculated an all-hours
3 equivalent of the winning 75% capacity factor bid prices and discounted this price
4 stream. I then calculated an all-hours spot price stream that was equivalent on a
5 present value basis discounted at a risk-adjusted discount rate. In this calculation, I
6 used a 200 basis point risk premium to solve for the equivalent all-hours real
7 levelized spot price stream. The calculation I describe results in spot prices
8 approximately 8% higher than forward prices in each of the eight years of the contract
9 when presented on a real levelized basis. However, the present value of the spot price
10 stream calculated at a higher risk adjusted discount rate is still equivalent to the
11 present value of the forward price stream calculated a lower risk free discount rate.

12 Q. What does this tell us about the path of expected all-hours spot prices?

13 A. The analysis above is described in terms of present value equivalents. The resulting
14 real levelized all-hours spot price is \$19.4/MWh (\$1998). However, this value is
15 higher than the equivalent all-hours spot price of \$17.8/MWh (\$1998) derived from
16 the winning bids for the one-year contract. Presenting the spot prices on a real
17 levelized basis would likely overstate the expected spot prices in the early years of the
18 contract period and understate them in the later years. Therefore, I recalculated a
19 present value equivalent spot price stream that began at the one-year price of
20 \$17.8/MWh and grew at slightly more than double the rate of inflation through 2005.
21 In effect, I solved for the escalation rate starting from 1998 spot prices that would
22 make the present value of the two streams equivalent. The last year of this equivalent

1 stream is \$25.6/MWh (\$2005), representing the estimated 2005 future spot price
2 implicit in the solicitation results. Exhibit MMS-4 sets out the derivation of the 2005
3 future spot price estimate.

4 Q. What do you conclude based on this analysis?

5 A. The 1997 Solicitation suggests that there is a significant gap between the likely 2005
6 spot market price and the market ceiling established by the cost of new capacity. The
7 all hours spot price equivalent I calculated for 2005 was \$25.6/MWh (\$2005);
8 adjusting to an 84% capacity factor basis would increase this spot price equivalent to
9 \$26.5/MWh (\$2005). This \$26.5/MWh value is still far below even the Low estimate
10 of the market price ceiling based on cost of economic new entry in 2006. Therefore,
11 it is highly unlikely that new combined cycle capacity would be economic to build in
12 2006 based on the results of the 1997 Solicitation, particularly if required new entry
13 prices are at the high end of the range.

14 Q. Have you assessed the impact of new combined cycle capacity not being economic
15 until after 2006?

16 A. Yes. I have developed two additional market price estimates based on the cost of new
17 entry in the year 2010 under the High and Low competitive capital structure
18 assumptions shown on Exhibit MMS-2. In each case, I calculated a spot price
19 trajectory between 2006 and 2010 required to reach the appropriate new entry price in
20 2010. These two additional cases are summarized on Exhibit MMS-5.

1 Q. What do the results of these additional cases show?

2 A. Unsurprisingly, the real levelized prices of these delayed entry cases are lower than
3 their corresponding 2006 entry cases. In the High case, the real levelized price falls
4 from \$44/MWh to \$41/MWh under delayed entry assumptions. In the Low case, the
5 price falls from \$37/MWh to \$35/MWh, a smaller reduction.

6 Q. What do you conclude from this delayed entry analysis?

7 A. Because market evidence indicates that economic combined cycle entry in 2006 is
8 unlikely, particularly at the high end of the new entry range, the \$44/MWh High price
9 estimate is unrealistically high. By using the High estimate of \$44/MWh Mr.
10 Clayton's margin analysis likely overstates the market value of Duquesne's
11 generation and thereby understates the remaining stranded costs. Based on the
12 delayed entry case, \$41/MWh is a more realistic figure for the High case, which
13 would reduce Mr. Clayton's year-end 2005 market value from \$527 million to \$278
14 million, and increase remaining stranded costs by approximately \$249 million.

15 Q. Mr. Schnitzer you have discussed the 1997 Solicitation results only in the context of
16 post-2005 prices. Is the level of market prices between 1999 and 2005 important for
17 any other reason?

18 A. The principal value of 1999 to 2005 prices is as evidence of the likely market price in
19 2006 and beyond. That is because market prices during the Transition Period do not
20 have much effect on the amount of amortization that can be realized under the price
21 cap from sales to existing customers. This amount depends mainly on the revenues

1 that can be earned under the price cap and the cost of producing that power. This is
2 because Duquesne is proposing to calculate its CTC as a residual from the generation
3 cost of service, and thus the combination of market prices and the CTC will result in
4 revenues equal to current rates times purchases by jurisdictional customers. This is
5 true even if the customer has chosen an alternative generation supplier. A higher or
6 lower market price during the Transition Period will only change the proportions of
7 revenue recovered through the CTC and through sales at the market price. Total
8 revenues will remain unchanged as long as the market price has been used to set the
9 CTC. Market prices will have an effect on off-system sales margins, but their
10 contribution to the \$1.7 billion depreciation and amortization commitment is quite
11 modest.

12 Q. You have used the all-hours expected spot prices from 1999 and 2005 to assess the
13 likelihood of new combined cycle entry in 2006. What other use is made of the all-
14 hours expected spot price stream?

15 A. Mr. Karl's testimony describes how he uses the escalating all-hours spot price stream
16 as an input to calculate the prices that would be faced by Duquesne's generation in
17 the market during the Transition Period. Mr. Karl uses this spot market price stream
18 to determine the dispatch of the Duquesne units during the Transition Period and the
19 resulting off-system sales and purchases are reflected in Mr. Clayton's projections of
20 the costs and revenues of operating Duquesne's system.

1 **Use of Market Price Estimates is Appropriate for Section 2804(4)(V) Showing**

2 Q. Why is appropriate to use these market price estimates to determine stranded costs as
3 of 2005?

4 A. The purpose for which these estimates are being used by Mr. Clayton is not to make a
5 claim for a one-time administrative determination of stranded costs in that amount.
6 Rather, he is seeking to establish the more limited claim that Duquesne is entitled to
7 the rate cap under section 2804(4)(v) of the Customer Choice Act. The actual
8 determination of stranded costs under the Duquesne proposal will be completed in
9 2003 using a market-based valuation.

10 I have provided a high and a low estimate of the market price ceiling established by
11 the entry costs of a combined cycle unit coming into service in ECAR in 2006. In
12 discussing the uncertainties surrounding the input to these estimates, I concluded that
13 resolution of the uncertainty would likely result in a decrease in the costs of new entry
14 or a delay in the year of entry beyond 2006. Indeed, the results of the 1997
15 Solicitation suggest that 2006 is highly unlikely as a year of combined cycle entry.

16 However, over the full range of post-2005 ceiling prices, Mr. Clayton demonstrates
17 that the book value of generation and generation-related regulatory assets remaining
18 at the end of 2005 (after netting the committed level of amortization) will exceed the
19 market value of generation. Thus, even under conservative assumptions Duquesne
20 has demonstrated that it will have stranded costs remaining in 2005 even after

1 applying all "excess earnings" under the price cap to stranded cost mitigation.
2 Moreover, even in the unlikely event that prices rise, or stranded costs are amortized
3 more quickly than forecast, Duquesne has proposed specific market-based early
4 valuation triggers that protect customers from a continuation of the rate cap for too
5 long and recovery of too much stranded costs by Duquesne. Thus Duquesne has
6 made both parts of the two part showing, and is entitled to a price cap through 2005.

7 **Market Based CTCs are Superior**

8 Q. How does the calculation of stranded costs relate to the setting of CTCs?

9 A. In Pennsylvania utilities are permitted to collect their stranded costs through a
10 competitive transition charge or CTC. Section 2808(A) of the Customer Choice Act
11 provides in part that: "To provide each electric utility with an opportunity to recover
12 its transition or stranded costs following the Commission's determination under
13 subsection (c), every customer accessing the transmission or distribution network
14 shall pay a competitive transition charge to the electric distribution company in whose
15 certificated territory that customer is located."

16 In the restructuring filings prior to August 1, 1997 (i.e., PECO, Pennsylvania Power
17 and Light and the GPU Companies) the parties have performed a one-time calculation
18 of stranded costs as of the beginning of the Transition Period. This present value of
19 stranded costs is then used to calculate a CTC revenue requirement over the
20 Transition Period to establish CTC rates for each class.

1 Q. How does Duquesne's calculation of CTC's differ from the approach of the other
2 utilities in Pennsylvania?

3 A. Duquesne will sell a substantial block of power in each year of the Transition Period
4 in order to establish an objective market price. The terms and conditions of the sale
5 will be similar to the one-year 1997 Solicitation. These annual solicitations will
6 determine the market value of power and the customer's opportunity cost of leaving
7 Duquesne in that year. The resulting prices will be used to determine customer-
8 specific CTCs.

9 **Administratively Determined CTCs are Inferior**

10 Q. Does the process proposed by the other Pennsylvania utilities send the right price
11 signals to customers and suppliers?

12 A. No, not when customers have the protection of a rate cap during the Transition
13 Period. For example, the methodology offered by PECO in its restructuring case
14 proposes to calculate the CTC revenue requirement and levelize it over the seven-year
15 Transition Period. Because the Customer Choice Act requires utilities to unbundle
16 rates, PECO also proposes to calculate the "market rate" it will offer to generation
17 customers as a residual after deducting the levelized CTC from the generation price
18 cap. As the OCA points out in the testimony of witness Lee Smith (pp. 8-11), the
19 PECO calculation of the "market rate" will set the implicit market price signal too
20 low, and, assuming market prices increase over time, this disparity will widen during
21 the Transition Period.

1 A similar criticism is voiced by PAIEUG in the testimony of witness Stephen J.
2 Baron (pp. 27-34). Both witnesses make the point that if PECO establishes a
3 levelized CTC based on a one-time determination of stranded costs, customers will be
4 sent the same price signal for each year of the Transition Period, even as the actual
5 market price for power changes over time. Customers always have the protection of
6 the PECO generation rate cap, and if the residual "market price" calculated is less
7 than the actual market price, customers will stay with PECO. This result, as the OCA
8 and PAIEUG point out, can hinder competition and retard the development of a
9 healthy retail electricity market. As OCA witness Lee Smith states at p. 8 "The
10 company's proposed generation component, which is fixed for the transition period,
11 does not bear any relationship to the cost of providing power to the retail customer."

12 Q. Does the OCA offer a better alternative to the PECO CTC methodology?

13 A. No, the OCA simply proposes to substitute an administratively determined "avoidable
14 generation component" that increases over time. This component however is subject
15 to the OCA's own criticism, that it does not bear any relationship to the cost (i.e.,
16 purchased at market) of providing power to the retail customer.

17 Q. Does PAIEUG offer a better alternative to the PECO CTC methodology?

18 A. No, PAIEUG simply proposes to replace the administratively determined "market
19 price residual" with an administratively determined "CTC residual." At p. 33 of his
20 testimony witness Baron states: "Under the alternative approach, which I am
21 recommending, estimated market prices for each of the seven years would be

1 subtracted from the unbundled generation component, leaving a residual value that
2 would then become the CTC for each year. Since market prices change during the
3 seven year transition period, increasing over time, the residual CTC would also vary
4 (though fixed for each year at the time of the unbundling) during the seven year
5 period...Under this approach, the market rate component of PECO's unbundled rate
6 schedules would reflect expectations for market rates in each year of the transition
7 period."

8 Both the OCA and PAIEUG are carrying over the administrative determination of
9 stranded costs to an administrative determination of CTCs and implicit market price
10 signals sent to customers. In essence, both the OCA and PAIEUG propose to
11 administratively estimate – in advance – the market price to customers that continue
12 to take generation service from PECO, and do not propose to adjust this price to
13 reflect actual changes in the market.

14 Q. Why is that a problem?

15 A. Under a price cap, the net opportunity cost⁶ to a utility of not selling generation to an
16 existing customer at capped embedded cost generation rates will change. If the
17 market price rises, the net opportunity cost falls and vice-versa. Similarly, for
18 customers, their opportunity cost of not purchasing power from competitive suppliers

⁶ The net opportunity cost is the difference between embedded cost generation rates and the current market price.

1 of generation will rise and fall depending on the market price of power. Only by
2 setting the CTC based on the current year's market price are the customer and
3 competitive suppliers faced with the right price signals.

4 **Estimating the Price Signal in Advance Distorts Economic Behavior**

5 Q. Why is it important to use the current market-determined price to set the CTC price
6 signal?

7 A. Consider the following illustrative example where the incumbent utility is subject to a
8 rate cap. In year 1 the generation rate cap is 6.0 cents/kwh and the market price for
9 year 3 is forecast to be 2.5 cents/kwh. The utility fixes the CTC for year 3 in advance
10 at 3.5 cents/kwh (6.0-2.5) based on the forecast market price. In year 3 the actual
11 market price turns out to be 3.0 cents/kwh, but customers choosing whether to leave
12 their incumbent supplier are still faced with the fixed price signal of 2.5 cents/kwh.
13 By fixing the CTC artificially high based on an erroneous market price forecast
14 customers will not leave the utility in year 3 because the market price has risen above
15 their price signal of 2.5 cents/kwh. Competitive suppliers will be disadvantaged by
16 the combination of the rate cap and the CTC. Customers will choose to stay with
17 their incumbent supplier even if a competing supplier could discount the market price
18 two mills below 3.0 cents/kwh.

19 Conversely, suppose the same example as above, except that in year 3 the actual
20 market price turns out to be 2.0 cents/kwh. Customers choosing whether to leave

1 their incumbent supplier are still faced with the fixed price signal of 2.5 cents/kwh.
2 By fixing the CTC artificially low based on an erroneous market price forecast
3 customers will leave even when it is not economic to do so. A competing supplier
4 could sell to customers at a premium of two mills above the market price of 2.0
5 cents/kwh and still offer them savings. The incumbent utility will be disadvantaged
6 by not being able to resell the lost load above the current market price of 2.0
7 cents/kwh

8 **Duquesne's CTC Methodology is Superior and Sends the Right Price Signals**

9 Q. Why is the Duquesne CTC methodology superior to the administrative proposals
10 already advanced in Pennsylvania?

11 A. Duquesne's proposal properly reflects the uncertainty in future spot market prices.
12 As the market price for power changes over time, the net opportunity cost to
13 Duquesne of not selling generation to an existing customer at capped embedded cost
14 generation rates will change. If the market price rises, the net opportunity cost falls
15 and vice-versa. By having the opportunity to sell the lost load in the market, at the
16 market price, Duquesne offsets the lost opportunity to sell at the capped generation
17 rate by the revenues obtained at current market. The customer's CTC is established
18 annually based on the then current market price for firm power determined in the
19 most recent annual solicitation. In each year of the Transition Period the customer
20 faces a price signal based on the difference between that year's market price and the
21 generation rate cap. Based on this price signal, customers can choose to leave

1 Duquesne when the price of a competitive supplier is favorable compared to
2 Duquesne. Customers can return to Duquesne as a generation supplier at unbundled
3 rates and may do so if the unbundled generation rate is competitive with market.

4 **Market Prices are Required to Establish CTCs**

5 Q. What do you conclude about establishing CTCs under a rate cap?

6 A. Where customers are protected by a rate cap, determining CTCs on a one-time *ex ante*
7 basis using an administrative determination of stranded costs and estimated market
8 prices is inherently flawed. The correct price signals will only be sent if CTCs are
9 determined as a residual of the generation price cap and the current market price
10 determined from market evidence.

11 Q. How does this customer-specific CTC approach proposed by Duquesne meet the
12 known and measurable standard?

13 A. The market-based RFP approach determines a known and measurable one-year
14 market price that is used to calculate stranded costs based on the difference between
15 market and the customer's current embedded cost generation rate.

16 **2003 Market-Based Valuation Meets Known and Measurable Standard**

17 Q. Please explain how the market-based valuation methodology permits a final valuation
18 of stranded costs consistent with the known and measurable standard.

1 A. The Customer Choice Act requires a calculation of stranded costs to meet a known
2 and measurable standard. The conclusion I reached in the first part of my testimony
3 was that a market-based determination of stranded costs was inherently superior to an
4 administrative determination. I concluded that only a market-based approach could
5 reasonably satisfy the known and measurable standard required by the Customer
6 Choice Act. However, because markets for standardized commodity contracts such as
7 forward and futures contracts are only now beginning to develop and environmental
8 and restructuring uncertainties have not been resolved, a market valuation for the
9 years beyond 2005 should be deferred until later in the Transition Period.

10 Accordingly, Duquesne has not sought to calculate a final value for stranded costs as
11 of January 1, 1999 as have the other utilities in Pennsylvania. Duquesne has instead
12 shown that it cannot fully recover its stranded costs through application of "excess
13 earnings" through 2005 under the rate cap.

14 Public sources of objective market data will likely be available late in the Transition
15 Period that will permit a known and measurable valuation of stranded costs as of
16 December 31, 2005. The final market valuation proposed by Duquesne would be
17 scheduled to begin in 2003. The intent of this proposal is to complete the final market
18 valuation by the end of 2003 in time to permit any changes to the CTC to become
19 effective January 1, 2004.

1 **Final Market Valuation Based on Independent Appraisal**

2 Q. How would a final market valuation be conducted?

3 A. The Duquesne proposal has three basic elements. First, the final valuation will be
4 based on objective evidence of market values, not market price forecasts. Second, the
5 final valuation will be conducted by an unbiased arbitration panel that will submit a
6 final valuation report to the Commission. Third, upon receipt of the valuation report,
7 the Commission will retain the final authority to determine the market value of
8 Duquesne's generation assets and, hence, stranded costs under the Customer Choice
9 Act.

10 Q. Please elaborate on the first element of the Duquesne proposal.

11 A. The market value of Duquesne's generation will be set on the basis of actual market
12 prices contained in consummated market transactions in the relevant market, such as
13 futures contracts, forward contracts or asset sales. To ensure the availability of
14 market evidence, Duquesne will commit to sell long-term firm power under a
15 competitive solicitation to provide evidence of long-term forward prices. The sale of
16 power by other utilities will be considered as market evidence if such sales are in the
17 relevant market and, as to asset sales, are for comparable generation assets within the
18 relevant power market.

19 Q. Please elaborate on the second element of the Duquesne proposal.

1 A. A three-member arbitration panel will be selected to ensure a fair and unbiased
2 composition. Duquesne will select one member, a consumer representative (such as
3 the Office of Consumer Advocate or the Commission staff) will select the second
4 member, and these members will select the third member. The panel will base its
5 decision solely on objective evidence of market values as described in the first
6 element.

7 Q. How would the panel calculate the final market value?

8 A. The actual methodology would be up to the panel's discretion. One methodology
9 might determine the final market valuation of Duquesne's remaining generation assets
10 from 2006 onward using a net present value calculation of after-tax cash flows, based
11 on the market evidence gathered by the panel. In such an analysis it is anticipated
12 that the panel would use the then current best estimates of the cost of capital, unit
13 availability, capital expenditures, fuel costs, and operating expenses in making a
14 determination of value.

15 Q. What input from the public will be permitted?

16 A. To ensure public participation, any interested party may submit evidence of such
17 market values to the panel. After considering the evidence and deliberating, the panel
18 will issue a written report detailing its findings on market value. This written report
19 will be submitted to the Commission for review and public comment.

20 Q. Please elaborate on the third element of Duquesne's proposal.

1 A. Upon receipt of the arbitration panel's report, the Commission may solicit public
2 comment and render its decision on the market value of Duquesne's generation, and
3 hence on Duquesne's stranded costs, pursuant to traditional hearing procedures. In
4 reaching its decision, the Commission will, of course, not be bound by the panel's
5 findings on market value. Nor, does Duquesne propose to bind any intervening party
6 to these findings. All intervening parties may contest the Commission's
7 determination of market value, whether or not such determination is based on the
8 panel's findings or other evidence.

9 Q. Will Duquesne be bound by the panel's finding of market value?

10 A. Duquesne will commit to bind itself to the panel's findings subject only to the
11 following condition: if the Commission rejects the panel's findings and substitutes a
12 market valuation that is adverse to Duquesne, Duquesne will be permitted to establish
13 market values through the sale of some or all of its generating assets or the sale of an
14 equity interest in a new corporation ("Genco") to which Duquesne's generating assets
15 would be transferred. If Duquesne sells individual generating assets, the sales prices
16 will determine the value of only those assets sold by Duquesne. If Duquesne sells an
17 equity interest in Genco, the price will set the value of all generating assets owned by
18 Genco. The market values established through the asset sale or the generation
19 company spinoff would be used to calculate the final market value of those generation
20 assets.

21 Q. Does Duquesne have any other recourse if the Commission's decision is adverse?

1 A. If Duquesne chooses not to sell assets or an equity interest in Genco, it may contest
2 the Commission's rejection or modification of the panel's findings by pursuing an
3 appeal of the Commission order or requesting further hearings (or rehearing) before
4 the Commission.

5 Q. What is the ultimate purpose of the final market valuation?

6 A. The final market valuation will provide objective market evidence of Duquesne's
7 stranded costs as of the end of the Transition Period. If this valuation demonstrates
8 that Duquesne will have fully amortized its stranded costs prior to the end of 2005,
9 then Duquesne will reduce the Transition Period accordingly and cease to collect a
10 CTC from its customers. This will ensure that customers do not reimburse Duquesne
11 for more than its stranded costs. Alternatively, if this valuation confirms that
12 Duquesne cannot fully recover its stranded costs prior to the end of 2005, the final
13 market valuation will provide the basis for any further relief that Duquesne is entitled
14 to seek under the Customer Choice Act or pursuant to the protections provided by
15 other laws.

16 Q. Doesn't Duquesne's proposal for an arbitration panel charged with preparing a market
17 valuation fall prey to the criticisms you have made about administrative forecasts?

18 A. No. The key distinction is in the nature of the valuation: the panel proposed by
19 Duquesne will prepare its valuation based on actual market prices contained in
20 transactions between willing buyers and sellers, such as the winning bid prices
21 revealed in a Duquesne solicitation or the prices revealed in other forward market

1 buy/sell transactions. The practice of forecasting that I criticized earlier is something
2 quite different: the prediction of future market prices based on a myriad of
3 assumptions about future market behavior of individual agents that collectively
4 determine supply and demand. It is these assumptions that routinely prove materially
5 inaccurate, and often prove to be grossly so.

6 These assumptions suffer from a related infirmity. Given that they represent the
7 predictions of economists and experts, rather than the risk-taking actions of market
8 participants, they provide Duquesne's investors no reasonable ability to hedge the
9 financial effects of using such assumptions to set the level of stranded costs, and
10 hence CTC rates. For example, if economists predict market prices of \$40/MWH, but
11 market participants are not willing to purchase power at that price, Duquesne cannot
12 effectively sell power in an effort to hedge the risk that such market price estimates
13 will prove inaccurate.

14 Under Duquesne's proposal, only the prices contained in actual market transactions or
15 public offers to buy and sell power would serve as the basis of stranded cost
16 calculations, thus providing Duquesne a reasonable opportunity to recover its
17 stranded costs by accepting the offers of market participants to purchase power at
18 those prices. The use of an independent panel simply provides a neutral party with
19 specific valuation expertise to consider the relevant market data.

1 **Market Valuation Should Be Deferred Until Later in the Transition Period**

2 Q. Assuming you are correct that only a market-based valuation should be used to
3 establish stranded costs, why not simply use the market price data available today to
4 establish the value of Duquesne's generating assets?

5 A. There are two reasons why the market valuation should be deferred until later in the
6 Transition Period. The first is that the market for long-term power in ECAR today is
7 sufficiently illiquid that there are not sufficient long-term transaction data to
8 confidently establish a market value. The results of the 1997 Solicitation provide
9 some market data, but these 8-year bids are not of sufficient term to establish a market
10 value for Duquesne's generation.

11 Q. Will this situation change in the foreseeable future?

12 A. Yes, as I stated earlier in my testimony, I expect that electricity market will follow
13 other deregulated markets, particularly natural gas in developing a more robust and
14 liquid market for forward and futures contracts. In addition, generating asset sales
15 within ECAR may answer the question of whether, as some have suggested, there is a
16 premium associated with asset ownership that would cause values calculated on the
17 basis of market prices for power to understate asset value. In any event, even if none
18 of this evidence does materialize by 2003, the arbitration panel will be able to rely on
19 the market evidence from Duquesne's long-term solicitation in 2003. Therefore, in
20 all cases the final market valuation will be based on actual transactions and hence the
21 final stranded costs will be known and measurable in a meaningful sense.

1 Q. What is the second reason for deferring the market valuation?

2 A. The second reason has to do with the price cap and a customer's right to service at the
3 price cap during the Transition Period. As has already been described, the price cap
4 approach to stranded cost recovery under the Customer Choice Act requires that two
5 questions be addressed:

- 6 • How much "excess earnings" are available to mitigate stranded costs during the
7 price cap period; and
- 8 • Are there stranded costs remaining at the end of the price cap period after taking
9 account of the "excess earnings" mitigation -- does the book value still exceed the
10 market value of generation?

11 It is clear that the required valuation is as of the end of the price cap period -- not at
12 the beginning. Given that the valuation date is as of the end of the price cap period, it
13 is preferable to delay the valuation process to a date much closer to the valuation date.
14 To perform the valuation any earlier, even with market data, is to invite unnecessary
15 risk and uncertainty associated with the volatility in market prices. If we ask the
16 market today, we will get its best estimate of post-2005 market price, an estimate with
17 a high variance (i.e., a greater level of uncertainty). But if we ask the market in 2003,
18 we will get a more certain estimate of post-2005 prices. Duquesne's proposal
19 properly recognizes that a later valuation of generating assets as of 2005 is preferable
20 to an earlier valuation as of 2005. This later valuation is clearly more likely to
21 produce a "known and measurable" calculation of the net present value of stranded

1 costs over the life of Duquesne's generating assets, as required by the Customer
2 Choice Act.

3 **Proposed Final Market Valuation is Fair to Customers and Shareholders**

4 Q. Why is a final market valuation fair to customers and shareholders?

5 A. Mr. Clayton has committed Duquesne to a minimum level of accelerated depreciation
6 and amortization and coupled this with the guarantee of an ROE spillover. This is
7 complemented by the "true-up" of the final market valuation. This ensures that
8 Duquesne does not over recover its stranded costs and that customers do not pay
9 twice for the costs of generation. If the market valuation is higher than the committed
10 level of book value (appropriately adjusted for capital expenditures) then the
11 accelerated recovery under the price cap will end before 2005. A negative residual
12 value determined by the final market valuation will give Duquesne the opportunity to
13 request that the Commission extend the price cap to allow further recovery.

14 Q. When would an earlier valuation date than 2003 be appropriate?

15 A. Two events would trigger an early final market valuation process to determine the
16 residual market value of the generation assets. First, if the long term market price of
17 power rises significantly prior to 2003, then it is possible that the residual market
18 value at the end of 2005 will significantly exceed the unamortized book value of
19 generation and early termination of the CTC might be possible. The proposed solution
20 is to establish market price triggers for the years 2001 and 2002, and to accelerate the

1 final market valuation to 2001 or 2002 if the trigger prices are exceeded. Mr.
2 Clayton's testimony includes the calculation of the "early trigger" market prices for
3 generation for each year. The evidence to determine whether the market price
4 exceeds the trigger price is Duquesne's annual solicitation for sale of firm power held
5 in 2000 and 2001 to established the customer specific CTCs for 2001 and 2002.
6 Second, as described by Mr. Clayton, if Duquesne has fully completed its scheduled
7 \$1.7 billion amortization prior to 2003, then an immediate final market valuation can
8 take place to determine if CTC collection should be reduced or eliminated.

9 Q. Do either of the early triggers settle the issue of residual market value?

10 A. No. The triggers merely accelerate the final market valuation mechanism. That
11 mechanism, and not the triggering events, determines the residual market value.

12 **Asset Sales Should Recognize Margin Contribution Under Price Cap**

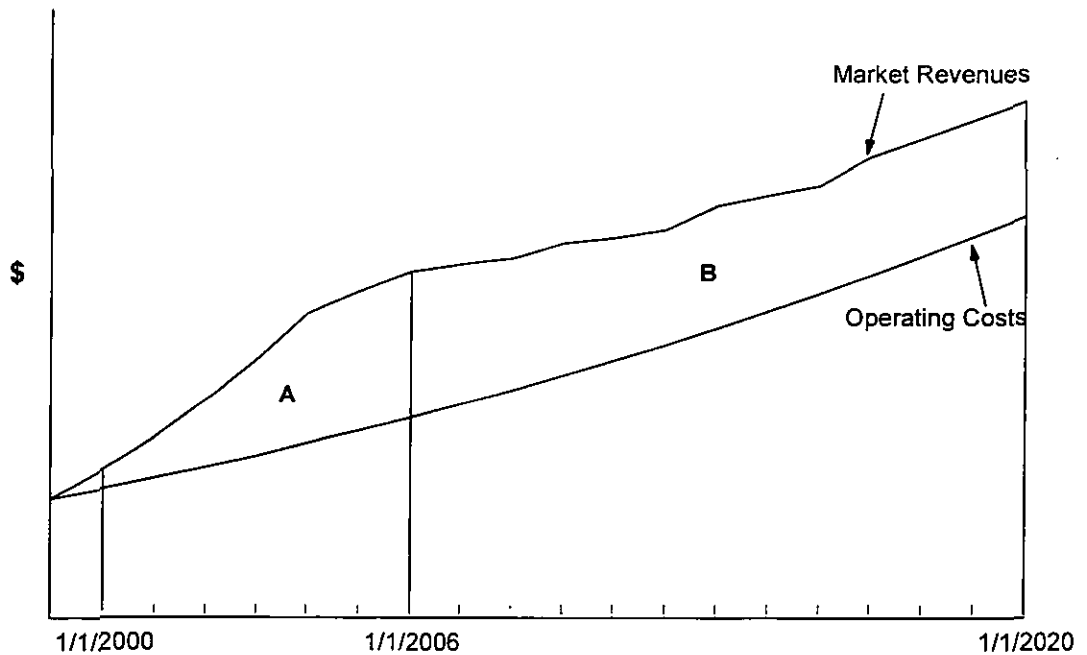
13 Q. Please describe the issues that arise as a result of generating asset sales.

14 A. Sales of generating assets during the Transition Period raise complicated valuation
15 issues while the rate cap remains in place. During the Transition Period Duquesne
16 effectively earns generation revenues equal to the generation rate cap based on a
17 combination of CTC revenue and market generation revenue. This combined revenue
18 level is what has allowed Duquesne to commit to accelerated amortization of
19 generation and regulatory assets. The question is how to treat the proceeds from asset
20 sales for purposes of writing down the book value of generation.

1 Q. When an asset is sold doesn't one simply credit the purchase price against the book
2 value of the asset and any associated regulatory assets?

3 A. No, that would ignore the effect of the rate cap. The operating margin from
4 generation during the Transition Period (i.e., the difference between to go costs and
5 market revenues) helps to fund the accelerated amortization that Duquesne has
6 committed to as part of this proposal. The contribution to amortization by sales made
7 under the rate cap prior to December 31, 2005 is part and parcel of the stranded cost
8 package. With an asset sale, this operating margin contribution is lost to Duquesne
9 and goes instead to the new generation owner. Thus, if an asset is sold, the foregone
10 operating margin contribution through the end of 2005 must be deducted from the
11 sale proceeds before crediting against book value.

12 This can be conceptualized more easily as an asset sale coupled with a contract back
13 through 2005. If Duquesne sold a generating asset that would otherwise have
14 provided power at an average to-go cost of \$15.00/MWH through 2005 then the
15 operating margin from that output will be reflected in the purchase price. As well,
16 any residual market value in the asset beyond 2005 will also be reflected. If the
17 purchaser agrees to sell the output back to Duquesne at the "to go" costs during the
18 Transition Period, then the purchase price paid will be automatically reduced by
19 otherwise foregone operating margin over this period, discounted to the date of
20 purchase. This is illustrated by the graphical example below. The area A represents
21 the contribution margin within the Transition Period.



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3 Area B represents the contribution margin that determines the market value of the
 4 asset beyond 2005. Any credit against the book value must separate the sources of
 5 value to the purchaser and only credit the value of Area B in order to avoid over
 6 crediting.

7 The above described adjustment to sales proceeds protects investors from double
 8 counting Transition Period operating margin. In a similar vein, the book value of the
 9 plant must be adjusted downward to equal the present value of the estimated 2005
 10 book value to ensure that customers receive the full benefit of the committed
 11 amortization.

1 Q. Please summarize your conclusions regarding asset sales.

2 A. The proposed treatment of asset sale proceeds is necessary to properly account for the
3 residual market value in the asset sale price. This accounting can be accomplished
4 through an explicit contract back from the purchaser at the unit's to go costs for the
5 remainder of the Transition Period. Alternatively, an implicit contract could be
6 calculated to remove this source of value from the purchase price. This treatment
7 satisfies the known and measurable standard. Similarly, the proposed book value
8 adjustment also satisfies the known and measurable standard.

9 **Duquesne's Proposal Provides Customers with Any Benefits From Economic**
10 **Shut Downs**

11 Q. The market prices determined by the 1997 Solicitation are quite low: how does
12 Duquesne's proposal address unit shut down during the Transition Period?

13 A. Let me first describe the two principles which define a properly structured shutdown
14 analysis. The first principle is that a proper analysis should only consider the true
15 avoidable costs of continued operation. The second principle is that, given the
16 irreversibility of a shutdown decision for a nuclear unit or some coal units, the
17 analysis should consider the "option value" of continued operation.

18 Q. Please address the first principle regarding avoidable costs.

19 A. A basic economic principle is that sunk costs should play no role in the decision of
20 whether to continue to operate a plant, or to shut it down. The reason for this is that

1 sunk costs cannot be "saved," and thus are irrelevant to the decision of whether it is
2 cheaper to continue to operate a facility, or to shut it down. While the principle may
3 be clear, it is sometimes less clear whether a particular cost is sunk or not. For some
4 categories of cost this determination is quite straightforward. For example, the net
5 book value of a facility is clearly a sunk cost, while the projected cost of fuel not yet
6 purchased is clearly not a sunk cost.

7 While it is tempting to generalize from these examples that all dollars already spent
8 are sunk, and all those not yet spent are not – this is in fact not correct. Two
9 categories of costs "not yet spent" may nevertheless represent sunk costs for the
10 purposes of economic analysis. First, costs which have not yet been incurred but for
11 which there is an obligation or commitment to fund independent of whether the
12 generating facility remains open or shuts down. Obligations such as contractual
13 commitments to pay lease expenses, fuel or equipment costs would all – net of
14 salvage value – represent sunk costs. Second, allocated operating costs which are
15 assigned to a particular project or facility using some accounting convention, rather
16 than being a cost directly incurred by the facility, may represent – at least in part –
17 sunk costs.

18 The common feature of these two exceptions is that they represent operating costs
19 which are not avoidable by shutting down the facility. Contractual purchase
20 obligations, net of salvage or resale value, are not avoidable. Allocated or assigned
21 costs, or a portion thereof, may not be avoidable. Any such costs that are not

1 avoidable by closing the facility, even though the cash costs have literally not yet
2 been spent, are still considered to be sunk costs for purposes of economic evaluation.
3 Thus, a properly structured economic analysis must carefully distinguish between
4 those operating costs that are avoidable, and those that are not.

5 Q. Please elaborate on your second principle related to option value.

6 A. Many types of facilities have the characteristic that once shut down they cannot be
7 restarted except perhaps at great economic costs. Other facilities can be shut down
8 and later reopened at will with little or no economic penalty. For this latter type of
9 facility the economic analysis of continued operation is quite simple. The avoidable
10 costs for a period of time (e.g., a year) can be compared to the anticipated revenue if
11 the facility operates. If avoidable costs exceed anticipated revenues the facility can be
12 closed for the period. This decision can be made without consideration of subsequent
13 periods, because the decision to shut down today has no implications for the ability of
14 the facility to reopen tomorrow should anticipated revenue then exceed avoidable
15 cost.

16 Q. What about facilities that once shutdown cannot be reopened or can be reopened only
17 at great cost?

18 A. For these facilities a simple one period analysis is not adequate. A decision to remain
19 open for one period (a year or a fuel cycle) must consider not just the profit or loss
20 from revenues less avoidable costs in that period, but also the value of the option to
21 remain open the next period. Similarly, a decision to shut down at a particular time

1 carries with it not only the economics of the next period, but also forecloses the
2 option to operate the facility in all subsequent periods.

3 Thus for this second type of facility, a decision to remain open in one period
4 preserves the option – but not the obligation – to remain open in subsequent periods.
5 A decision to close the facility cancels the option to operate the facility in all
6 subsequent periods. In some cases it may make sense to operate the facility at a loss
7 (avoidable costs in excess of revenues) for some length of time to preserve the option
8 to make money in the future. In such cases the value of the option to operate in the
9 future must exceed the cost of preserving the option.

10 The value of the option is an empirical question. It depends on the avoidable cost of
11 operating the facility relative to the expected revenue, but also on the uncertainty or
12 volatility of the revenue. Other things being equal, the more uncertain the revenue,
13 the more valuable the option to remain open. For facilities facing an irreversible
14 shutdown decision this option value must be included in an economic analysis of
15 continued operation.

16 Q. How does Duquesne's proposal deal with shutdown?

17 A. The question is how to deal with the closure of a generating plant that was economic
18 to operate at the time of the Commission's order, but becomes uneconomic to operate
19 during the Transition Period. Under Duquesne's proposal two things are clear. First,
20 Duquesne has the right incentives to shut down uneconomic units, appropriately
21 considering option value. Second, customers receive any benefits from economic

1 shutdown because any "excess earnings" that result from the shutdown will be used to
2 further accelerate the amortization of stranded or transition costs and help end the
3 Transition Period early.

4 Q. Please elaborate on Duquesne's incentives to shut down uneconomic generation.

5 A. Duquesne continues to have an obligation to serve at capped rates during the
6 Transition Period. If the shutdown decision is the result of operating costs that are
7 higher than expected at the time of the restructuring order, then Duquesne must buy at
8 market to cover the lost output. Duquesne will compare the actual avoidable to go
9 costs of operating the unit against market price in making the shutdown decision. If
10 purchases at market are less expensive (appropriately considering option value) then
11 Duquesne will shut the unit down and discharge its obligation to serve from the
12 market. This cost to cover at market may be in fact be greater than the anticipated
13 operating costs for the unit at the time of the restructuring order. However, since
14 actual costs have risen, and Duquesne is at risk for increased market costs due to the
15 shutdown, it has the right incentives to do the analysis correctly and shut down the
16 unit when it is economic to do so.

17 Conversely, if the shutdown decision is the result of market prices that are lower than
18 expected at the time of the restructuring order, then Duquesne lowers its cost of
19 meeting its obligation to serve under the rate cap. This lower cost allows Duquesne a
20 greater opportunity to earn its allowed return under the price cap and to further
21 accelerate the recovery of stranded and transition costs under the ROE spillover.
22 Therefore, in this case too, Duquesne has the right incentives to do the analysis

1 correctly and shut down the unit when it is economic to do so.

2 Q. Please elaborate on the customer benefits and protections if Duquesne shuts down a
3 generation unit.

4 A. As discussed above, Duquesne has the right economic incentives to do the shut down
5 analysis correctly. If shutdown results from higher than anticipated costs or worse
6 performance, customers nonetheless receive the benefit of the guaranteed
7 amortization, whether or not Duquesne is able to earn its allowed return. If shutdown
8 results from lower than expected market prices, customers receive the benefit of any
9 cost reduction through the ROE spillover. Finally, the operating margin from
10 generating assets that are shut down during the Transition Period is effectively valued
11 at zero, thus resolving the question of residual market value. Duquesne will not end
12 up owning a potentially valuable asset after the Transition Period.

13 Q. Please summarize your conclusion with respect to plant shutdown.

14 A. The proper incentives to shut down a plant when it is economic to do so combined
15 with the ROE spillover mechanism ensure that Duquesne will minimize, but not over
16 recover its stranded costs through economic shutdown. The adjustments to the book
17 value of generation and regulatory assets in the event of a plant shutdown are known
18 and measurable.

1 Summary

2 Q. Please summarize your testimony.

3 A. I have five major conclusions concerning the known and measurable standard and
4 Duquesne's market-based approach to stranded cost calculation and recovery:

- 5 • A market-based determination of stranded costs is inherently superior to an
6 administrative determination. Only a market-based determination can reasonably
7 satisfy the known and measurable standard required by the Customer Choice Act.
- 8 • Duquesne is entitled to a price cap on generation rates under section 2804(4)(V)
9 of the Customer Choice Act for each year of the Transition Period, subject to
10 early termination of the cap.
- 11 • The Duquesne proposal to set customer-specific CTCs annually based on the
12 market price of electricity as determined by the results of a market-based
13 solicitation is efficient, fair to investors and customers, and meets the known and
14 measurable standard.
- 15 • The proposed market-based determination of stranded costs as of December 31,
16 2005 provides a known and measurable methodology to calculate stranded costs
17 on a net present value basis.
- 18 • The proposed "true-up" methodology of the final market-based valuation protects
19 customers by ensuring that Duquesne does not over recover its stranded costs and
20 that customers do not "pay twice" for the costs of generation.

1 Q. Does this conclude your testimony?

2 A. Yes it does.

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UTILITY

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DERIVATION OF NEW ENTRY CEILING PRICE RANGE IN 2006

EXHIBIT MMS - 2

		Competitive Capital Structure & Investment Horizon	DQE Capital Structure & Investment Horizon	Units [1]	Proposed Source/Derivation
<i>Inputs</i>	CC capital investment - low	395	395	\$/kw	Survey of recent industry information.
	CC capital investment - high	500	500	\$/kw	Survey of recent industry information.
	Capital structure	67.0	40.1	% equity	Competitive data based on assumption. DQE data provided by the Company.
	Risk-free rate	7.0	7.0	%	Financial market data.
	Equity premium	7.0	4.5	%	Competitive data based on analysis of historic financial market data. DQE data provided by the Company.
	Debt premium	1.5	1.5	%	Competitive data based on analysis of historic financial market data. DQE data provided by the Company.
	Income tax rate	41.5	41.5	%	Data provided by the Company.
	Investment horizon - long	15	20	years	Competitive data based on assumption. DQE data provided by the Company.
	Investment horizon - short	10	20	years	Competitive data based on assumption. DQE data provided by the Company.
	CC Fixed O&M	35.6	35.6	\$/kw-yr	1993 EPRI-TAG escalated at inflation.
	CC A&G	17.8	17.8	\$/kw-yr	Assumption.
	Property tax rate	0.8	0.8	%	Data provided by the Company.
	Gas spot price	2.9	2.9	\$/mmbtu	Analysis of current forward contracts for gas.
	Variable O&M	0.5	0.5	\$/mwh	1993 EPRI-TAG escalated at inflation.
	Heat rate -- low	6,365	6,365	btu/kwh	High heat rate decreased at annual rate of 0.5%.
	Heat rate -- high	6,625	6,625	btu/kwh	Survey of recent industry information.
	Inflation	2.5	2.5	%	Data provided by the Company.
	CC capacity factor	84	84	%	Average of DQE baseload units.
	<i>Intermediate Calculations</i>	Capital carrying charge - low	18	12	%
Capital carrying charge - high		23	12	%	First year real levelized revenue requirement using short investment horizon.
CC fixed cost - low		125.5	101.1	\$/kw-yr	Low investment x low carrying charge (includes property taxes) plus fixed O&M and A&G.
CC fixed cost - high		169.3	113.8	\$/kw-yr	High investment x high carrying charge (includes property taxes) plus fixed O&M and A&G.
Gas expected spot cost		2.9	2.9	\$/mmBtu	Analysis of current forward contracts for gas.
CC variable cost - low		18.9	18.9	\$/mwh	Gas at low heat rate + variable O&M.
CC variable cost - high	19.7	19.7	\$/mwh	Gas at high heat rate + variable O&M.	
<i>Final Calculations</i>	2005 avg long-run mkt price - low	36	33	\$/mwh	Low values for CC fixed cost and CC variable cost.
	2005 avg long-run mkt price - high	43	35	\$/mwh	High values for CC fixed cost and CC variable cost.
	2006 avg long-run mkt price - low	37	34	\$/mwh	2005 average long-run market price (low) escalated at inflation.
	2006 avg long-run mkt price - high	44	36	\$/mwh	2005 average long-run market price (high) escalated at inflation.

Notes: [1] Units are in 2005 dollars unless otherwise noted.

DERIVATION OF NATURAL GAS SPOT PRICE IN 2006

EXHIBIT MMS - 3

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<i>Forward Contract at Henry Hub</i>									
PV of forward quote at risk-free discount rate	13.1								
Equivalent spot price estimate escalated at inflation rate		2.2	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6
PV of equivalent spot price estimate at risk-adjusted discount rate	13.1								
<i>Basis Differential from Henry Hub to TCO</i>									
Basis differential escalated at inflation rate		0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Estimate of delivered natural gas spot price		2.4	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9

Notes:

The risk-free discount rate is assumed to be 7%.
 The risk-adjusted discount rate is assumed to be 9%.
 The annual inflation rate is assumed to be 2.5%.

DERIVATION OF SPOT EQUIVALENT TO SOLICITATION RESULTS IN 2005

EXHIBIT MMS - 4

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<i>All-hours equivalent of 8-Year Solicitation Results</i>									
PV of solicitation results at risk-free discount rate	116.1								
Equivalent spot price estimate escalated at inflation rate		19.4	19.9	20.4	20.9	21.4	22.0	22.5	23.1
PV of equivalent spot price estimate at risk-adjusted discount rate	116.1								
<i>All-hours equivalent of 1-Year Solicitation Results</i>									
PV of solicitation results at risk-free discount rate	16.3								
Equivalent spot price estimate		17.8							
PV of equivalent spot price estimate at risk-adjusted discount rate	16.3								
<i>Alternative all-hours equivalent 8-Year Solicitation Results</i>									
Alternative spot price estimate using 1-year results in 1998		17.8	18.7	19.7	20.8	21.9	23.1	24.3	25.6
PV of alternative spot price estimate at risk-adjusted discount rate	116.1								

Notes:

The risk-free discount rate is assumed to be 7%.
 The risk-adjusted discount rate is assumed to be 9%.
 The annual inflation rate is assumed to be 2.5%.

DERIVATION OF ALTERNATIVE NEW ENTRY CEILING PRICES

EXHIBIT MMS - 5

	High End of Price Range based on Competitive Capital Structure & Investment Horizon	Equivalent Spot Price Ramped-up to High End of Competitive Price Range by 2010	Implied Growth in Spot Price Ramp-up to High End	Real Levelized Equivalent to Spot Price Ramp-up to High End	Low End of Price Range based on Competitive Capital Structure & Investment Horizon	Equivalent Spot Price Ramped-up to Low End of Competitive Price Range by 2010	Implied Growth in Spot Price Ramp-up to Low End	Real Levelized Equivalent to Spot Price Ramp-up
2005	43	27		40	36	27		35
2006	44	30	12.8%	41	37	29	9.0%	35
2007	45	34	12.8%	42	38	32	9.0%	36
2008	46	38	12.8%	43	39	34	9.0%	37
2009	47	43	12.8%	44	40	37	9.0%	38
2010	48	48	12.8%	45	41	41	9.0%	39
2011	50	50	2.5%	47	42	42	2.5%	40
2012	51	51	2.5%	48	43	43	2.5%	41
2013	52	52	2.5%	49	44	44	2.5%	42
2014	53	53	2.5%	50	45	45	2.5%	43
2015	55	55	2.5%	51	46	46	2.5%	44
2016	56	56	2.5%	53	47	47	2.5%	45
2017	58	58	2.5%	54	49	49	2.5%	47
2018	59	59	2.5%	55	50	50	2.5%	48
2019	60	60	2.5%	57	51	51	2.5%	49
2020	62	62	2.5%	58	52	52	2.5%	50
2021	64	64	2.5%	60	54	54	2.5%	51
2022	65	65	2.5%	61	55	55	2.5%	53
2023	67	67	2.5%	63	56	56	2.5%	54
2024	68	68	2.5%	64	58	58	2.5%	55
2025	70	70	2.5%	66	59	59	2.5%	57
Present Value:		492		492		424		424

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