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BEFORE THE ARIZONA POWER AND ENERGY BOARD
TRANSMISSION LINE SITING COMMITTEE

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF DUKE ENERGY MARICOPA, L.L.C.)
IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE)
REQUIREMENTS OF ARIZONA REVISED)
STATUTES §40-360.03 AND §40-360.06,)
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF)
ENVIRONMENTAL CAPATIBILITY)
AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION)
OF A NATURAL GAS-FIRED, COMBINED)
CYCLE GENERATING FACILITY AND)
ASSOCIATED TRANSMISSION LINE)
NEAR ARLINGTON IN MARICOPA)
COUNTY, ARIZONA)
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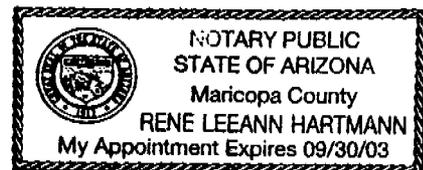
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BEFORE THE ARIZONA POWER PLANT AND TRANSMISSION LINE SITING COMMITTEE

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CASE No. L-00000P-99-
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NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held before the Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee (the "Committee") at the Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona, on Thursday, March 9, 2000, at 9:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, regarding the Application of Duke Energy Maricopa, L.L.C. or their assignee(s) for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility for the Committee for construction of electric power plant and transmission line facilities in Maricopa County, Arizona. The Project will consist of the construction of a 580-megawatt (MW) (nominal) gas turbine/steam turbine combined-cycle merchant power plant and approximately 2.4 miles of new 525-kilovolt (KV) transmission line.

The proposed site of the project is a 40 acre site approximately 50 miles west-southwest of Phoenix, in Maricopa County, Arizona. The project site is situated approximately 1.5 miles southwest of the Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station property and 5 miles west of the Town of Arlington. The site is located on the south side of Elliot Road between 387th Avenue and 391st Avenue, 112°53'28" longitude and 33°20'25" latitude, Section 17, Township 1 South, Range 6 West, Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian.

The application, including detailed maps of the proposed project, is on file with the Docket Control Center of the Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Suite 108, Phoenix, Arizona 85007.

Depending upon the issues raised and the number of intervenors appearing during the hearing, the Committee may deem it appropriate at some point to recess the hearing to a time and place to be announced during the hearing. At the discretion of the Committee, such resumed hearing may be held at a date, time and place to be agreed upon by the Committee and parties of interest.

NOTE: No formal notice of such resumed hearing will be given.

Each county and municipal government and state agency interested in the proposed facilities and desiring to become a party to the certification proceeding, shall, not less than ten (10) days before the date set for hearing, file with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, a notice of its intent to be a party.

Any domestic, non-profit corporation or association, formed in whole or in part to promote conservation of natural beauty, to protect the environment, personal health or other biological values, to preserve historical sites, to promote consumer interests, to represent commercial and industrial groups, or to promote the orderly development of the area in which the facilities are to be located and desiring to become a party to the certification proceeding, shall, not less than ten (10) days before the date set for hearing, file with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, a notice of its intent to be a party.

The Committee or hearing officer, at any time deemed appropriate, may make other persons parties to the proceedings.

Any person may make a limited appearance at the hearing by filing a statement in writing with the Director of Utilities, Arizona Corporation Commission, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007, not less than five (5) days before the date set for hearing. A person making a limited appearance shall not be a party or have the right to present oral testimony or cross-examine witnesses.

The written decision of the Committee shall be submitted to the Arizona Corporation Commission pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes §40-360.07. Any person intending to be a party before the Commission must be a party to the certification proceedings.

ORDERED this 3rd day of February, 2000.

/s/ Deborah R. Scott

Director
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