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BEFORE THE ARIZONA POWER PLANT AND 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 COMPATIBILITY)
AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION)
OF A NATURAL GAS-FIRED, COMBINED)
CYCLE GENERATING FACILITY)
(ARLINGTON VALLEY ENERGY FACILITY)
II) NEAR ARLINGTON IN MARICOPA)
COUNTY, ARIZONA)

AZ CORP COMMISSION DOCUMENT CONTROL

Docket No. L- _____

L-00000P-01-0117

CASE No: _____

NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held before the Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee ("Committee") at _____ Arizona, on _____, 2001 at _____ .m. and continuing on _____, 2001 at _____ .m. or as soon as the matter can be heard, regarding the Application of Duke Energy Maricopa, L.L.C. or their assignee(s) ("Duke") for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility authorizing the Arlington Valley Energy Facility II in Maricopa County, Arizona. The Arlington Valley Energy Facility II includes a 600-megawatt (MW) (nominal) gas turbine/steam turbine combined-cycle merchant power plant. This is an expansion of Duke's approved Arlington Valley Energy Facility I. The proposed site of the project is a 65 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' 34" longitude and 33° 20' 54" latitude, Section 17, Township 1 South, Range 6 West, Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian.

The application, including detailed maps of the proposed Arlington Valley Energy Facility II, is on file with the Docket Control Center of the Arizona Corporation Commission's Phoenix Office at 1200 West Washington Street, Suite 108, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 and the Commission's Tucson Office at 400 West Congress, Suite #218, Tucson, Arizona 85701.

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 or its Chairman.

NOTE: Notice of such resumed hearing will be given. Published notice of such resumed hearing is not required.

Each county and municipal government and state agency interested in the proposed facilities and desiring to become a party to the certificate 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.

This proceeding is governed by Arizona Revised Statutes §§40-360 and 40-360.13 and Arizona Administrative Code rules R14-3-201 to R14-3-219. 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 Arizona Corporation Commission must be a party to the certification proceedings.

ORDERED this ____ day of _____, 2001.

Laurie A. Woodall
Chairman
Arizona Power Plant and Transmission
Line Siting Committee