State of Rhode Island
Department of Environmental Management
Office of Air Resources

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 23-23 of the Rhode Island General Laws and Air Pollution Control Regulation No. 29, notice is hereby given that the Office of Air Resources offers an opportunity for public comment regarding its proposal to renew the Operating Permit for the following stationary source:

Entergy Rhode Island State Energy, L.P., 24 Shun Pike, Johnston, RI 02919

The draft operating permit is being offered for public comment in accordance with Air Pollution Control Regulation No. 29 - "Operating Permits". An Operating Permit consolidates all applicable air pollution control requirements for the stationary source into a single federally enforceable document. An Operating Permit clarifies all applicable requirements; including emission limitations, operating, monitoring, testing, recordkeeping and reporting requirements. The State of Rhode Island's Operating Permit Program has been approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

The public comment period will begin today and continue until 17 August 2015. A public hearing for interested persons to appear and submit written or oral comments on the draft operating permit will be held if requested by 10 or more persons, or by a governmental subdivision or agency or by an association having not less than 10 members. Any interested person may request that a public hearing be held.

Written comments, to be considered part of the record must be submitted during the public comment period. Written comments or requests for a hearing may be sent to the Office of Air Resources at the address below until 4:00 PM, 17 August 2015, at which time the public comment period will close.

The draft operating permit and supporting documentation are available for inspection at the Office of Air Resources, 235 Promenade Street, Providence RI from 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM. Supporting documentation includes the operating permit renewal application, initial permit application, a discussion of the streamlining of certain applicable requirements, a discussion of the federal enforceability of applicable requirements, a summary of changes which were made to the original permit and a document concerning public participation in the operating permit program. For more information, contact Douglas McVay or Ruth Gold at 401-222-2808 (toll free 1-800-752-8088, TTY 711).

Signed this 10th day of July 2015

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