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# **FORM 10-K**

(Mark One)

S ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006, OR £ TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 FOR THE TRANSITION PERIOD FROM TO .

Commission	Registrants, State of Incorporation,	I.R.S. Employer
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# Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Registrant Title of Each Class On Which Registered

Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated par value

Name of Each Exchange On Which Registered

New York Stock Exchange

5.381% Preferred Trust Securities, \$50 liquidation amount per Preferred Trust Security, issued by PSEG Funding Trust I (Registrant) and listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

Trust Originated Preferred Securities (Guaranteed Preferred Beneficial Interest in PSEG s Debentures), \$25 par value at 8.75%, issued by PSEG Funding Trust II (Registrant) and listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

Registrant Public Service Electric and Gas Company	Title of Each Class Cumulative Preferred Stock \$100 par value Series:	Title of Each Class  First and Refunding  Mortgage Bonds:		Name of Each Exchange On Which Registered	
			Series	Due	
	4.08%	91/4 %	CC	2021	
					New York Stock
	4.18%	$6^{3}/_{4}\%$	VV	2016	Exchange
	4.30%	$6^{1}/_{4}\%$	WW	2007	
	5.05%	$6^{3}/_{8}\%$	YY	2023	
	5.28%	8 %		2037	
		5 %		2037	
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# Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:

Registrant	Title of Class
Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated	Floating Rate Capital Securities (Guaranteed Preferred Beneficial Interest in PSEG s Debentures), \$1,000 par value issued by Enterprise Capital Trust II (Registrant), LIBOR plus 1.22%
	Floating Rate Notes, Series A
<b>Public Service Electric and</b>	6.92% Cumulative Preferred Stock \$100 par value
Gas Company	Medium-Term Notes, Series A
	Medium-Term Notes, Series B
	Medium-Term Notes, Series C
	Medium-Term Notes, Series D
<b>PSEG Power LLC</b>	Limited Liability Company Membership Interest
<b>PSEG Energy Holdings</b>	Limited Liability Company Membership Interest

Indicate by check mark whether each registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act.

Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated	Yes S	No £
Public Service Electric and Gas Company	Yes £	No S
PSEG Power LLC	Yes £	No S
PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C.	Yes £	No S

Indicate by check mark if each of the registrants is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Yes £ No S

Indicate by check mark whether each of the registrants (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrants were required to file such reports) and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes S No £

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant s knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K. S

Indicate by check mark whether each registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated	Large accelerated filer S	Accelerated filer £	Non-accelerated filer £
Public Service Electric and Gas Company	Large accelerated filer £	Accelerated filer £	Non-accelerated filer S
PSEG Power L.L.C.	Large accelerated filer £	Accelerated filer £	Non-accelerated filer S
PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C.	Large accelerated filer £	Accelerated filer £	Non-accelerated filer S

Indicate by check mark whether any of the registrants is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes £ No S

The aggregate market value of the Common Stock of Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated held by non-affiliates as of June 30, 2006 was \$16,424,868,840 based upon the New York Stock Exchange Composite Transaction closing price.

The number of shares outstanding of Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated s sole class of Common Stock, as of the latest practicable date, was as follows:

#### Class

# Outstanding at January 31, 2007

Common Stock, without par value

252,771,080

As of January 31, 2007, Public Service Electric and Gas Company had issued and outstanding 132,450,344 shares of Common Stock, without nominal or par value, all of which were privately held, beneficially and of record by Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated.

PSEG Power LLC and PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. are wholly owned subsidiaries of Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated and meet the conditions set forth in General Instruction I(1)(a) and (b) of Form 10-K and are filing their respective Annual Reports on Form 10-K with the reduced disclosure format authorized by General Instruction I.

#### DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

Part of Form 10-K of Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated

#### **Documents Incorporated by Reference**

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Portions of the definitive Proxy Statement for the 2007 Annual Meeting of Stockholders of Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated, which definitive Proxy Statement is expected to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on or about March 5, 2007, as specified herein.

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#### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Certain of the matters discussed in this report constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such forward-looking statements are subject to risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to differ materially from those anticipated. Such statements are based on management s beliefs as well as assumptions made by and information currently available to management. When used herein, the words anticipate, intend, estimate, believe, expect, plan, hypothetical, forecast, of such words and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated (PSEG), Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G), PSEG Power LLC (Power) and PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. (Energy Holdings) undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. The following review should not be construed as a complete list of factors that could affect forward-looking statements. In addition to any assumptions and other factors referred to specifically in connection with such forward-looking statements discussed above, factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated in any forward-looking statements include, among others, the following:

regulatory issues that significantly impact operations;

ability to attain satisfactory regulatory results;

operating performance or cash flow from investments falling below projected levels;

credit, commodity, interest rate, counterparty and other financial market risks;

liquidity and the ability to access capital and maintain adequate credit ratings;

adverse or unanticipated weather conditions that significantly impact costs and/or operations, including

# generation;

ability to attract and retain management and other key employees;

changes in the electric industry, including changes to power pools;

changes in energy policies and regulation;

changes in demand;

changes in the number of market participants and the risk profiles of such participants;

availability of power transmission facilities that impact the ability to deliver output to customers;

growth in costs and expenses;

environmental regulations that significantly impact operations;

changes in rates of return on overall debt and equity markets that could adversely impact the value of pension and other postretirement benefits assets and

liabilities and the Nuclear Decommissioning Trust Funds;

changes in political conditions;

changes in technology that make generation, transmission and/or distribution assets less competitive;

continued availability of insurance coverage at commercially reasonable rates;

involvement in lawsuits, including liability claims and commercial disputes;

acquisitions, divestitures, mergers, restructurings or strategic initiatives that change PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings strategy or structure;

business combinations among competitors and major customers;

general economic conditions, including inflation

or deflation;

changes in tax laws and regulations;

changes to
accounting
standards or
accounting
principles
generally accepted
in the U.S., which
may require
adjustments to
financial
statements;

ability to recover investments or service debt as a result of any of the risks or uncertainties mentioned herein;

acts of war or terrorism;

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# PSEG, PSE&G and Energy Holdings

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adverse
changes in
rate
regulation
and/or
ability to
obtain
adequate
and timely
rate relief;
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# **PSEG, Power and Energy Holdings**

inability to
effectively
manage
portfolios of
electric
generation
assets, gas
supply contracts
and electric and
gas supply
obligations;

inability to meet generation operating performance expectations;

energy transmission constraints or lack thereof;

adverse changes in the market for energy, capacity, natural gas, emissions credits, congestion credits and other commodity prices, especially during significant price movements for natural gas and power;

adverse market developments or changes in market rules, including delays or impediments to implementation of reasonable capacity markets;

surplus of energy capacity and excess supply;

substantial competition in the domestic and worldwide energy markets;

margin posting requirements, especially during significant price movements for natural gas and power;

availability of fuel and timely transportation at reasonable prices;

effects on competitive position of actions involving competitors or major

#### customers;

changes in product or sourcing mix;

delays, cost escalations or unsuccessful construction and development;

# **PSEG** and Power

changes in regulation and safety and security measures at nuclear facilities;

ability to maintain nuclear operating performance at projected levels;

# **PSEG and Energy Holdings**

changes in foreign currency exchange rates;

deterioration in the credit of lessees and their ability to adequately service lease rentals;

ability to realize tax benefits;

changes in political regimes in foreign countries; and

international developments negatively impacting

business.

Consequently, all of the forward-looking statements made in this report are qualified by these cautionary statements and PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings cannot assure you that the results or developments anticipated by management will be realized, or even if realized, will have the expected consequences to, or effects on, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings or their respective business prospects, financial condition or results of operations. Undue reliance should not be placed on these forward-looking statements in making any investment decision. Each of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings expressly disclaims any obligation or undertaking to release publicly any updates or revisions to these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances that occur or arise or are anticipated to occur or arise after the date hereof. In making any investment decision regarding PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings securities, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings are not making, and you should not infer, any representation about the likely existence of any particular future set of facts or circumstances. The forward-looking statements contained in this report are intended to qualify for the safe harbor provisions of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

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#### WHERE TO FIND MORE INFORMATION

Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated (PSEG), Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G), PSEG Power LLC (Power) and PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. (Energy Holdings) file annual, quarterly and special reports, proxy statements and other information with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). You may read and copy any document that PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings file at the Public Reference Room of the SEC at 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330. You may also obtain PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings filings on the Internet at the SEC s website at www.sec.gov or at PSEG s website, www.pseg.com. PSEG s Common Stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the ticker symbol PEG. You can obtain information about PSEG at the offices of the New York Stock Exchange, 20 Broad Street, New York, New York 10005.

#### **PART I**

This combined Annual Report on Form 10-K is separately filed by PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings. Information contained herein relating to any individual company is filed by such company on its own behalf. PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings each makes representations only as to itself and its subsidiaries and makes no other representations whatsoever as to any other company.

#### **ITEM 1. BUSINESS**

#### **GENERAL**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG was incorporated under the laws of the State of New Jersey in 1985 and has its principal executive offices located at 80 Park Plaza, Newark, New Jersey 07102. PSEG has four principal direct wholly owned subsidiaries: PSE&G, Power, Energy Holdings and PSEG Services Corporation (Services). The following organization chart shows PSEG and its principal subsidiaries, as well as the principal operating subsidiaries of Power: PSEG Fossil LLC (Fossil), PSEG Nuclear LLC (Nuclear) and PSEG Energy Resources & Trade LLC (ER&T); and of Energy Holdings: PSEG Global L.L.C. (Global) and PSEG Resources L.L.C. (Resources):

PSEG is an energy company with a diversified business mix. PSEG s operations are primarily in the Northeastern and Mid Atlantic United States (U.S.) and in other select markets. As the competitive portion of PSEG s business has grown, the resulting financial risks and rewards have become greater, causing financial requirements to change and increasing the volatility of earnings and cash flows.

For additional information, see Item 7. Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations (MD&A) Overview of 2006 and Future Outlook.

#### **Termination of Merger Agreement**

On December 20, 2004, PSEG entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (Merger Agreement) with Exelon Corporation (Exelon) providing for a merger of PSEG with and into Exelon (Merger). On September 14, 2006, PSEG received from Exelon a formal notice terminating the Merger under the provisions of the Merger Agreement.

#### PSE&G

PSE&G is a New Jersey corporation, incorporated in 1924, and has its principal executive offices at 80 Park Plaza, Newark, New Jersey 07102. PSE&G is an operating public utility company engaged principally in the transmission and distribution of electric energy and gas in New Jersey. In addition, PSE&G owns PSE&G Transition Funding LLC (Transition Funding) and PSE&G Transition Funding II LLC (Transition Funding II), which are bankruptcy-remote entities that purchased the irrevocable right to receive certain non-bypassable charges per Kilowatt-hour (kWh) of energy delivered to PSE&G customers and issued transition bonds secured by such property.

PSE&G provides electric and gas service in areas of New Jersey in which approximately 5.5 million people, about 70% of the state s population, reside. PSE&G s electric and gas service area is a corridor of approximately 2,600 square miles running diagonally across New Jersey from Bergen County in the northeast to an area below the city of Camden in the southwest. The greater portion of this area is served with both electricity and gas, but some parts are served with electricity only and other parts with gas only. This heavily populated, commercialized and industrialized territory encompasses most of New Jersey s largest municipalities, including its six largest cities Newark, Jersey City, Paterson, Elizabeth, Trenton and Camden in addition to approximately 300 suburban and rural communities. This service territory contains a diversified mix of commerce and industry, including major facilities of many nationally prominent corporations. PSE&G s load requirements are split among residential, commercial and industrial customers, described below under customers. PSE&G believes that it has all the non-exclusive franchise rights (including consents) necessary for its electric and gas distribution operations in the territory it serves.

#### **Energy Supply**

PSE&G distributes electric energy and gas to end-use customers within its designated service territory. All electric and gas customers in New Jersey have the ability to choose an electric energy and/or gas supplier. Pursuant to the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (BPU) requirements, PSE&G serves as the supplier of last resort for electric and gas customers within its service territory. PSE&G earns no margin on the commodity portion of its electric and gas sales.

As shown in the table below, PSE&G continues to provide the electric energy and gas supply for the majority of the customers in its service territory for the year ended December 31, 2006.

			Million	
	GWH	<b>%</b>	Therms	<b>%</b>
PSE&G	34,340	79	1,975	62
Third Party Suppliers	9,323	21	1,194	38
Total Delivered	43,663	100	3,169	100

New Jersey s Electric Distribution Companies (EDCs), including PSE&G, provide two types of Basic Generation Service (BGS). BGS-Fixed Price (FP) provides supply for smaller commercial and residential customers at seasonally-adjusted fixed prices and BGS-Commercial and Industrial Energy Price (CIEP) provides supply for larger

customers at hourly PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM) real- time market prices. BGS prices are determined through annual auctions conducted before the BPU.

PSE&G has a full requirements contract with Power to meet the Basic Gas Supply Service (BGSS) requirements of PSE&G s gas customers. The contract term extends to March 31, 2012, and year-to-year thereafter. Power charges PSE&G for gas commodity costs which PSE&G recovers from its customers.

Any difference between the BGS and BGSS costs and revenues received from PSE&G s residential customers are deferred and collected or refunded through adjustments in future rates.

#### **Distribution Rates**

PSE&G earns margins through the transmission and distribution of electricity and gas. PSE&G s revenues for these services are based upon tariffs approved by the BPU and FERC. Approximately 98% of PSE&G s 2006 revenues were covered by BPU tariffs. The demand for electric energy and gas by PSE&G s customers is affected by customer conservation, economic conditions, weather and other factors not within PSE&G s control.

On November 9, 2006 the BPU approved separate settlements providing for increases in PSE&G s electric and gas base rates. The settlements include a restriction against any further base rate changes becoming effective before November 15, 2009. In addition, PSE&G must file a joint electric and gas petition for any future base rate increases. For additional information on these settlements, see Regulatory Issues State Regulation.

#### **Market Price Environment**

Over the past few years, there has been a significant volatility in commodity prices, including fuel, emission allowances and electricity. Such volatility can have a considerable impact on PSE&G since a rising commodity price environment results in higher delivered electric and gas rates for end-use customers, and may result in decreased demand by end users of both electricity and gas, increased regulatory pressures and greater working capital requirements as the collection of higher commodity costs may be deferred under PSEG s regulated rate structure. For additional information see Item 7. MD&A.

# **Competitive Environment**

The electric and gas transmission and distribution business has minimal risks from competitors. PSE&G s transmission and distribution business is minimally impacted when customers choose alternate electric or gas suppliers since PSE&G earns its return by providing transmission and distribution service, not by supplying the commodity.

#### **Customers**

As of December 31, 2006, PSE&G provided service to approximately 2.1 million electric customers and approximately 1.7 million gas customers, detailed below. In addition to its transmission and distribution business, PSE&G also offers appliance services and repairs to customers throughout its service territory.

	% of Sales		
	Electric	Gas	
<b>Customer Type</b>			
Commercial	56 %	36 %	
Residential	31 %	60 %	
Industrial	13 %	4 %	
Total	100 %	100 %	

# **Employee Relations**

As of December 31, 2006, PSE&G had 6,154 employees. PSE&G has six-year collective bargaining agreements, which were ratified in 2005, with four unions representing 4,955 employees. PSE&G believes that it maintains satisfactory relationships with its employees.

#### **Power**

Power is a Delaware limited liability company, formed in 1999, and has its principal executive offices at 80 Park Plaza, Newark, New Jersey 07102. Power is a multi-regional, wholesale energy supply company that integrates its generating asset operations with its wholesale energy, fuel supply, energy trading and marketing and risk management functions through three principal direct wholly owned subsidiaries: Nuclear, Fossil and ER&T.

As of December 31, 2006, Power s generation portfolio consisted of approximately 14,639 MW of installed capacity, which is primarily located in the Northeast and Mid Atlantic regions of the U.S. where

some of the nation s largest and most developed energy markets are located. For additional information, see Item 2. Properties.

As a merchant generator, Power s profit is derived from selling under contract or on the spot market a range of diverse products such as energy, capacity, emissions credits, congestion credits and a series of energy-related products used to optimize the operation of the energy grid, known as ancillary services. Power s revenues also include gas supply sales under the BGSS contract with PSE&G.

#### Nuclear

Nuclear has an ownership interest in five nuclear generating units: the Salem Nuclear Generating Station, Units 1 and 2 (Salem 1 and 2), each owned 57.41% by Nuclear and 42.59% by Exelon Generation; the Hope Creek Nuclear Generating Station (Hope Creek), which is owned 100% by Nuclear; and, the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station Units 2 and 3 (Peach Bottom 2 and 3), each of which is operated by Exelon Generation and owned 50% by Nuclear and 50% by Exelon Generation. For additional information, see Item 2. Properties Power.

#### **Nuclear Operations**

In January 2005, Nuclear entered into an Operating Service Contract (OSC) with Exelon Generation relating to the operation of the Hope Creek and Salem nuclear generating stations. The OSC requires Exelon Generation to provide key personnel to oversee daily plant operations at the Hope Creek and Salem nuclear generating stations and to implement a management model that Exelon has used to manage its own nuclear facilities. Nuclear continues as the license holder with exclusive legal authority to operate and maintain the Salem and Hope Creek plants, retains responsibility for management oversight and has full authority with respect to the marketing of its share of the output from the facilities. In October 2006, Nuclear informed Exelon Generation that it was electing to continue the OSC for up to two years beyond the initial January 2007 period.

In December 2006, Power announced its plans to resume direct management of the Salem and Hope Creek nuclear generating stations before the expiration of the OSC. As part of this plan, on January 1, 2007, the senior management team at Salem and Hope Creek, which consisted of three senior executives from Exelon Generation, became employees of Power.

During 2006, over half of Power s generating output was from its nuclear generating stations. Nuclear unit capacity factors for 2006 were as follows:

	Capacity Factor*
Unit	
Salem Unit 1	100.7 %
Salem Unit 2	93.6 %
Hope Creek	92.6 %
Peach Bottom Unit 2	93.3 %
Peach Bottom Unit 3	101.8 %
Total Power Ownership	95.9 %

\* Maximum
Dependable
Capacity
(MDC) net.

For additional information on recent operational issues, see Regulatory Issues Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

#### Nuclear Fuel

Nuclear has several long-term purchase contracts for the supply of nuclear fuel for the Salem and Hope Creek Nuclear Generating Stations which include:

purchase of uranium (concentrates and uranium hexafluoride); conversion of

uranium concentrates to uranium hexafluoride;

enrichment of

uranium hexafluoride; and

fabrication of nuclear fuel assemblies.

The nuclear fuel markets are competitive and although prices for uranium, conversion and enrichment are increasing, Nuclear does not anticipate any significant problems in meeting its future requirements.

Nuclear has been advised by Exelon Generation that it has similar purchase contracts to satisfy the fuel requirements for Peach Bottom. For additional information, see Item 7. MD&A Overview of 2006 and Future Outlook Power and Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

#### **Fossil**

Fossil has an ownership interest in 17 generating stations, primarily in the Northeast and Mid Atlantic U.S., including the Bethlehem Energy Center in New York and the Linden station in New Jersey, which were completed and placed in service in 2005 and 2006, respectively. Power s facility in Indiana, the Lawrenceburg Energy Center, is currently under an agreement to be sold. For additional information, see Item 2. Properties Power.

Fossil uses coal, natural gas and oil for electric generation. These fuels are purchased through various contracts and in the spot market and represent a significant portion of Power's working capital requirements. In order to minimize emissions levels, the Bridgeport generating facility uses a specific type of coal, which is obtained from Indonesia through a fixed-price supply contract that runs through 2008. If the supply of coal from Indonesia or equivalent coal from other sources was not available for the Connecticut facilities, additional material capital expenditures could be required to modify the existing plants to enable their continued operation. In addition, the Hudson facility, under a consent decree with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), will also utilize this type of coal. Power believes it has access to sufficient fuel supply, including transportation, for its facilities over the next several years. For additional information, see Item 7.

MD&A Overview of 2006 and Future Outlook Power and Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

#### ER&T

ER&T purchases the capacity and energy produced by each of the generation subsidiaries of Power. In conjunction with these purchases, ER&T uses commodity and financial instruments designed to cover estimated commitments for BGS and other bilateral contract agreements. ER&T also markets electricity, capacity, ancillary services and natural gas products on a wholesale basis. ER&T is a fully integrated wholesale energy marketing and trading organization that is active in the long-term and spot wholesale energy and energy-related markets.

#### Electric Supply

Power s generation capacity is comprised of a diverse mix of fuels of approximately 47% gas, 26% nuclear, 18% coal, 8% oil and 1% pumped storage. Power s fuel diversity serves to mitigate risks associated with fuel price volatility and market demand cycles.

The following table indicates proportionate MWh output of Power s generating stations by fuel type, based on actual 2006 output of approximately 54,000 MWhs, and its estimated 53,000 MWh output by fuel type for 2007.

Conquetion by Evol Type	Actual	Estimated
Generation by Fuel Type	2006	2007(A)
Nuclear:		
New Jersey facilities	37 %	37 %

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Pennsylvania facilities	18 %	18 %
Fossil:		
Coal:		
New Jersey facilities	11 %	11 %
Pennsylvania facilities	11 %	11 %
Connecticut facilities	5 %	4 %
Oil and Natural Gas:		
New Jersey facilities	12 %	14 %
New York facilities	4 %	3 %
Connecticut facilities	1 %	1 %
Pumped Storage	1 %	1 %
Total	100 %	100 %

(A) No
assurances
can be
given that
actual
2007
output by
source will
match
estimates.

For a discussion of Power s management and hedging strategy relating to its energy sales supply and fuel needs, see Market Price Environment and Item 7A. MD&A Overview of 2006 and Future Outlook Power.

#### Gas Supply

As described above, Power sells gas to PSE&G under the BGSS contract. Additionally, based upon availability, Power sells gas to others. About 41% of PSE&G s peak daily gas requirements are provided through firm transportation, which is available every day of the year. The remainder comes from field storage, liquefied natural gas, seasonal purchases, contract peaking supply, propane and refinery and landfill gas. Power purchases gas for its gas operations directly from natural gas producers and marketers. These supplies are transported to New Jersey by four interstate pipeline suppliers.

Power has approximately 1 billion cubic-feet-per-day of firm transportation capacity under contract to meet the primary needs of PSE&G s gas consumers and the needs of its own generation fleet. In addition, Power supplements that supply with a total storage capacity of 78 billion cubic feet that provides a maximum of approximately 1 billion cubic feet-per-day of gas during the winter season.

Power expects to be able to meet the energy-related demands of its firm natural gas customers. However, the ability to maintain an adequate supply could be affected by several factors not within Power s control, including curtailments of natural gas by its suppliers, severe weather and the availability of feedstocks for the production of supplements to its natural gas supply. In addition, supply of all types of gas is affected by the nationwide availability of all sources of fuel for energy production.

#### **Market Price Environment**

System operators in the electric markets in which Power participates will generally dispatch the lowest cost units in the system first, with higher cost units dispatched as demand increases. As such, nuclear units, with their low variable cost of operation, will generally be dispatched whenever they are available. Coal units generally follow next in the merit order of dispatch and gas and oil units generally follow to meet the total amount of demand. The price that all dispatched units receive is set by the last, or marginal unit that is dispatched.

This method of determining supply and pricing creates an environment where natural gas prices often have a major impact on the price that generators will receive for their output, especially in periods of relatively strong demand. As such, significant changes in the price of natural gas will often translate into significant changes in the price of electricity.

As a merchant generator, Power s profit is derived from selling under contract or on the spot market a range of diverse products such as energy, capacity, emissions credits, congestion credits and a series of energy-related products that the system operator uses to optimize the operation of the energy grid, known as ancillary services. Accordingly, commodity prices, such as electricity, gas, coal and emissions, as well as the availability of Power s diverse fleet of generation units to produce these products, when necessary, have a considerable effect on Power s profitability. There is significant volatility in commodity markets, including electricity, fuel and emission allowances. For example, the spot price of electricity at the quoted PJM West market has increased from an average of about \$25 per MWh for 2002 to an average of about \$60 per MWh in 2005 and then decreased to an average of about \$50 per MWh in 2006. Similarly, the price of natural gas at the Henry Hub terminal has increased from an average of about \$3 per one million British Thermal Units (MMBtu) in 2002 to about \$9 per MMBtu in 2005 and then decreased to an average of about \$7 per MMBtu in 2006. The prices at which transactions are entered into for future delivery of these products, as evidenced through the market for forward contracts at points such as PJM West, have escalated as well. The historical spot prices and forward prices as of year-end 2006 are reflected in the graphs below.

In the electricity markets where Power participates, the pricing of electricity can vary by location. For example, prices may be higher in congested areas due to transmission constraints during peak demand periods reflecting the bid prices of the higher cost units that are dispatched to supply demand. This typically occurs in the eastern portion of PJM, where many of Power s plants are located. At various times, depending upon its production and its obligations, these price differentials can serve to increase or decrease Power s profitability.

While the prices reflected in the tables above do not necessarily represent prices at which Power has contracted, they are representative of market prices at relatively liquid hubs, with nearer term forward pricing generally resulting from more liquid markets than pricing for later years. While they provide some perspective on past and future prices and recent prices are considerably higher than in prior years, the forward prices are highly volatile, and there is no assurance that such prices will remain in effect nor that Power will be able to contract its output at these forward prices.

Power is also provided with payments from the various markets for the capability to provide electricity, known as a capacity payments, which are reflective of the value to the grid for having the assurance of sufficient generating capacity to meet system reliability and energy requirements, and to encourage the future investment in adequate sources of new generation to meet system demand. While there is generally sufficient capacity in the markets in which Power operates, there are certain areas in these markets where there are constraints in the transmission system, causing concerns for reliability and a more acute need for capacity. Some generators, including Power, announced the retirement of certain older generating facilities in these constrained areas due to insufficient revenues to support their continued operation. In separate instances, both PJM and the New England Power Pool (NEPOOL) responded with Reliability-Must-Run (RMR) contracts for these units to enable their continued availability that provide their owners with fixed payments which, while not necessarily reflective of the full value of those units contribution to reliability (e.g. they are

cost-based), are nonetheless significant. Such payment structure by its nature acknowledges that these units provide a reliability service that is not compensated in the existing markets. It also suggests that fixed periodic payments, as would be provided in a capacity market, are an appropriate form of compensation for such units for this service. Power receives RMR payments in both PJM and NEPOOL.

In addition, FERC issued certain orders in 2006 related to market design that have changed the nature of capacity payments in the New England Power Pool (NEPOOL) and is scheduled to change the nature of payments in PJM. In PJM, a new capacity-pricing regime known as the Reliability Pricing Model (RPM) will provide generators with differentiated capacity payments based upon the location of their respective facilities. Similarly, the Forward Capacity Market (FCM) settlement in NEPOOL provides for locational capacity payments. Both market designs are based in part on the premise that a more structured, forward-looking, transparent pricing scheme will give prospective investors in new generating facilities more clarity on the future value of capacity, sending a pricing signal to encourage expansion of capacity for future market demands. FERC has approved the market changes in each of these markets, with the anticipated start date for RPM set for June 1, 2007 and FCM transition period having begun on December 1, 2006. Power believes that the majority of its generating capacity may experience changes in value from aspects of these market designs. While Power believes it may derive considerable additional revenue from these changes, it is difficult to predict the ultimate outcome of these changes.

For additional information on Power s collection of RMR payments in PJM and NEPOOL and the RPM and FCM proposals, see Regulatory Issues Federal Regulation.

# **Competitive Environment**

Power s competitors include merchant generators with or without trading capabilities, including banks, funds and other financial entities, utilities that have generating capability or have formed generation and/or trading affiliates, aggregators, wholesale power marketers and developers of transmission and Demand Side Management (DSM) projects and combinations thereof. These participants compete with Power and one another buying and selling in wholesale power pools, entering into bilateral contracts and/or selling to aggregated retail customers.

Power s businesses are also under competitive pressure due to technological advances in the power industry and increased efficiency in certain energy markets. For example, it is possible that advances in technology, such as distributed generation, will reduce the cost of alternative methods of producing electricity to a level that is competitive with that of most central station electric production.

There is also a risk to Power if states should decide to turn away from competition and allow regulated utilities to continue to own or reacquire and operate generating stations in a regulated and potentially uneconomical manner, or to encourage rate-based generation for the construction of new base-load units. This has already occurred in certain states. The lack of consistent rules in energy markets can negatively impact the competitiveness of Power s plants. Also, regional inconsistencies in environmental regulations, particularly those related to emissions, have put some of Power s plants which are located in the Northeast, where rules are more stringent, at an economic disadvantage compared to its competitors in certain Midwest states.

Also, environmental issues such as air pollution controls may have a competitive impact on Power to the extent its plants are more expensive to maintain in compliance, thus affecting its ability to be a lower cost provider compared to competitors without such restrictions.

In addition, as discussed in the Regulatory Issues section herein specifically, in the discussion concerning (i) Transmission Rates and Cost Allocation and (ii) Transmission Infrastructure current rules being developed at FERC, at DOE and at PJM with respect to the construction of transmission and the allocation of costs for such construction may have the effect of altering the level playing field between transmission options and generation options, which could have a competitive impact upon PSEG and Power.

#### **Customers**

As EWGs, Power s subsidiaries do not directly serve retail customers. Power uses its generation facilities primarily for the production of electricity for sale at the wholesale level. Power s customers consist mainly of wholesale buyers, primarily within PJM, but also in New York and Connecticut. Power is at times a direct or indirect supplier of New Jersey s EDCs, including PSE&G, depending on the positions it takes in the New Jersey BGS auction. In prior years, Power had also been a bidder in the CIEP auction, which serves large

industrial and commercial customers at hourly PJM real-time market prices for a term of 12 months. Power s three-year contract with a Connecticut utility ended on December 31, 2006. These contracts are full requirements contracts, where Power is responsible to serve a percentage of the full supply needs of the customer class being served, including energy, capacity, congestion and ancillary services. In addition, Power has four-year contracts with two Pennsylvania utilities expiring in 2008 and is considering pursuing similar opportunities in other states.

PSE&G has a full requirements contract with Power to meet the gas supply requirements of PSE&G s gas customers. The contract term was originally through March 31, 2007, and year-to-year thereafter. In the settlement of the 2005/06 BGSS proceeding the Parties agreed to an amendment to the contract that changed the contract term to March 31, 2012, and year-to-year thereafter. Power charges PSE&G for gas commodity costs which PSE&G recovers from its customers. Any difference between the residential gas cost charged by Power under the BGSS contract and revenues received from PSE&G s residential customers are deferred and collected or refunded through adjustments in future rates.

For the year ended December 31, 2006, approximately 46% of Power s revenue was comprised of billings to PSE&G for BGS and BGSS. See Note 21. Related-Party Transactions of the Notes for additional information.

#### **Employee Relations**

As of December 31, 2006, Power had 2,538 employees, of which 1,414 employees (705 employees for Fossil and 708 employees for Nuclear) are represented by three union groups under six-year collective bargaining agreements, which were ratified in February, July and August 2005, respectively. Power believes that it maintains satisfactory relationships with its employees.

#### **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings is a New Jersey limited liability company and is the successor to PSEG Energy Holdings Inc., which was incorporated in 1989. Energy Holdings principal executive offices are located at 80 Park Plaza, Newark, New Jersey 07102. Energy Holdings has two principal direct wholly owned subsidiaries, which are also its segments: Global and Resources.

Energy Holdings pursued investment opportunities in the domestic and international energy markets, with Global focused on the operating segments of the electric industries and Resources primarily made financial investments in these industries.

#### Global

Global owns investments in power producers and distributors that own and operate electric generation and distribution facilities in selected domestic and international markets. See Item 2. Properties Energy Holdings for discussion of individual investments, including significant power purchase agreements (PPAs), fuel supply agreements, financing structures and other matters.

Global s assets include consolidated projects and those accounted for under the equity method. As of December 31, 2006, Global s share of project MW and number of customers by region are as follows:

As of December 31, 2006

Total Capital Number of Invested (1)

Assets MW Customers

(Millions)

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Chile and Peru Distribution and Generation	\$ 1,245	\$ 1,864	303	1,974,000
U.S. Generation	508	911	2,396	N/A
Other	153	343	172	N/A
Total	\$ 1,906	\$ 3,118	2,871	1,974,000

(1) Total Capital Invested represents Global s equity invested in the projects, excluding currency translation adjustments.

Energy Holdings has reduced its international risk by opportunistically monetizing investments at Global that no longer had a strategic fit. During the past three years, Global has received proceeds of over \$1 billion from sales of investments in China, Brazil, Poland, India, Africa and the Middle East. The decrease in Global s portfolio size due to the above sales was partially offset by strong earnings from its Texas generation facilities and its electric distribution companies in Chile and Peru. As a result, Global s current portfolio is primarily comprised of investments in Chile, Peru and the United States. Global also has modest sized investments in Italy, India and Venezuela totaling about 8% of Global s total investment balance.

As a result of these sales, approximately 50% of Global s future earnings is expected to be derived from its domestic generation business, of which, over half are from its 2,000 MW gas-fired combined cycle merchant generation business in Texas, with the balance from its 12 fully-contracted generating facilities in which Global s ownership interests equate to nearly 400 MW. The other 50% of Global s earnings is expected to be essentially from three electric distribution businesses in Chile and Peru and a 183 MW hydro generation facility in Peru. The regulatory environments in both Chile and Peru have been generally constructive since Global acquired these investments. Rate cases are held every four years (with the next rate case beginning in 2008) and the rate calculation methodologies are designed to achieve a reasonable return on the net replacement value of each system. See Regulation for additional information on the regulatory process in Chile and Peru. Chile also maintains an investment grade rating and Peru s rating, although non-investment grade, has improved.

Energy Holdings continues to review Global s portfolio, with a focus on its international investments. As part of this review, Energy Holdings considers the returns of its remaining investments against alternative investments across the PSEG companies, while considering the strategic fit and relative risks of these businesses.

#### **Market Price Environment**

Global s projects in California, Hawaii and New Hampshire are fully contracted under long-term PPAs with the public utilities or power procurers in those areas. Therefore, Global does not have price risk with respect to the output of such assets, and generally, with respect to such assets, has limited risk with respect to fuel prices. Global s risks related to these projects are primarily operational in nature and have historically been minimal.

Global s generation business in Texas (Texas Independent Energy. L. P. (TIE)) is a merchant generation business with higher risks. TIE seeks to enter into a mix of contracts to sell its output approximately 20% of its output is sold under a five-year contract, which expires in 2010, and another 10% to 20% is sold forward under one-year on-peak calendar or seasonal contracts and the balance is sold during the year. As a result, TIE s business is subject to substantial volatility in earnings and cash flows as power prices fluctuate. Although Global s business in Texas has performed very well as high natural gas prices and the resulting high energy prices led to strong margins in 2005 and 2006, there can be no assurances that such pricing in the market will continue at these levels.

#### **Competitive Environment**

Although TIE s generating stations operate very efficiently relative to other gas-fired generating plants, new technology could make TIE s plants less economical in the future. Also, several competitors have announced plans to build a substantial amount of capacity in the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) market. Although it is not clear if this capacity will be built or, if so, what the economic impact would be, such additions could impact market prices and TIE s competitiveness. Also, as ERCOT transitions to nodal pricing from zonal pricing the competitiveness of TIE s generating plants could be impacted. As TIE represents a substantial portion of Energy Holdings and Global s business, volatility in that portion of the business will impact Global s and Energy Holdings overall portfolio results.

Of the remaining portion of Global s business, the majority of its earnings are generated by two major rate-regulated distribution businesses in Chile and one in Peru. Although these entities are not granted exclusive franchises, there is minimal competition for distribution companies. See Regulatory Issues International Regulation for a discussion of the

ratemaking process in Chile and Peru. Global also owns a

hydro generation facility in Peru. Although new generation capacity is being built in Peru, there are not many opportunities for hydro expansion, mitigating competition with Global s hydro generation investment.

#### **Customers**

Global has ownership interests in three distribution companies in South America which serve approximately two million customers. Global also has ownership interests in electric generation facilities which sell energy, capacity and ancillary services to numerous customers through PPAs, as well as into the wholesale market. For additional information, see Item 2. Properties Energy Holdings.

#### Resources

Resources has investments in energy-related financial transactions and manages a diversified portfolio of assets, including leveraged leases, operating leases, leveraged buyout funds, limited partnerships and marketable securities. Established in 1985, Resources has a portfolio of approximately 45 separate investments. Resources does not anticipate making significant additional investments in the near term.

Resources also owns and manages a Demand Side Management (DSM) business. DSM revenues are earned principally from monthly payments received from utilities, which represent shared electricity savings from the installation of the energy efficient equipment.

The major components of Resources investment portfolio as a percent of its total assets as of December 31, 2006 were:

	As of December 31, 2006		
	Amount (Millions)		% of Resources Total Assets
Leveraged Leases			
Energy-Related			
Foreign	\$	1,499	51 %
Domestic		1,041	35 %
Real Estate Domestic		182	6 %
Commuter Railcars Foreign		88	3 %
Total Leveraged Leases		2,810	95 %
Owned Property (real estate and aircraft)		124	4 %
Limited Partnerships, Other Investments & Current and Other Assets		35	1 %
Total Resources Assets	\$	2,969	100 %

As of December 31, 2006, no single investment represented more than 10% of Resources total assets.

#### Leveraged Lease Investments

Resources maintains a portfolio that is designed to provide a fixed rate of return. Income on leveraged leases is recognized by a method which produces a constant rate of return on the outstanding investment in the lease, net of the related deferred tax liability, in the years in which the net investment is positive. Any gains or losses incurred as a result of a lease termination are recorded as Operating Revenues as these events occur in the ordinary course of business of managing the investment portfolio.

In a leveraged lease, the lessor acquires an asset by investing equity representing approximately 15% to 20% of the cost of the asset and incurring non-recourse lease debt for the balance. The lessor acquires economic and tax ownership of the asset and then leases it to the lessee for a period of time no greater than 80% of its remaining useful life. As the owner, the lessor is entitled to depreciate the asset under applicable federal and state tax guidelines. In addition, the lessor receives income from lease payments made by the lessee during the term of the lease and from tax benefits associated with interest and depreciation deductions with respect to the leased property. The ability of Resources to realize these tax benefits is dependent on operating gains generated by its affiliates and allocated pursuant to PSEG s consolidated tax sharing agreement. The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has recently disallowed certain tax deductions claimed by Resources for certain of these leases. See Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes for further discussion. Lease rental payments are unconditional obligations of the lessee and are set at levels at

least sufficient to service the non-recourse lease debt. The lessor is also entitled to any residual value associated with the leased asset at the end of the lease term. An evaluation of the after-tax cash flows to the lessor determines the return on the investment. Under generally accepted accounting principles in the U.S. (GAAP), the lease investment is recorded on a net basis and income is recognized as a constant return on the net unrecovered investment.

Resources has evaluated the lease investments it has made against specific risk factors. The assumed residual-value risk, if any, is analyzed and verified by third parties at the time an investment is made. Credit risk is assessed and, in some cases, mitigated or eliminated through various structuring techniques, such as defeasance mechanisms and letters of credit. As of December 31, 2006, the weighted average credit rating of the lessees in the portfolio was A /A3. Resources has not taken currency risk in its cross-border lease investments. Transactions have been structured with rental payments denominated and payable in U.S. dollars. Resources, as a passive lessor or investor, has not taken operating risk with respect to the assets it owns, so leveraged leases have been structured with the lessee having an absolute obligation to make rental payments whether or not the related assets operate. The assets subject to lease are an integral element in Resources—overall security and collateral position. If the value of such assets were to be impaired, the rate of return on a particular transaction could be affected. The operating characteristics and the business environment in which the assets operate are, therefore, important and must be understood and periodically evaluated. For this reason, Resources will retain, as necessary, experts to conduct appraisals on the assets it owns and leases.

On December 28, 2005, Resources sold its interest in the Seminole Generation Station Unit 2 in Palatka, Florida. For additional information relating to this disposition, see Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments of the Notes.

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Resources ten largest lease investments as of December 31, 2006 were as follows:

Investment	Investment Balances as of December 31, 2006  (Millions)		% of Resources Total Assets	
Reliant Energy MidAtlantic Power				
Holdings, LLC	Three generating stations (Keystone, Conemaugh and Shawville)	\$	284	10 %
Dynegy Holdings Inc	Two electric generating stations (Danskammer and Roseton)		239	8 %
Midwest Generation (Guaranteed				
by Edison Mission Energy)	Two electric generating stations (Powerton and Joliet)		206	7 %
ENECO	Gas distribution network (Netherlands)		168	6 %
ESG	Electric distribution system (Austria)		145	5 %
EZH			133	4 %

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Electric generating station (Netherlands) Merrill Creek Merrill Creek Reservoir Project 130 4 % Grand Gulf 121 4 % Nuclear generating station (U.S.) Gas distribution network Nuon 4 % (Netherlands) 111 Gas distribution network **EDON** 105 (Netherlands) 3 % 1,642 55 %

For additional information on leases, including credit, tax and accounting risk related to certain lessees, see Item 7. MD&A Results of Operations Energy Holdings, Item 7A. Qualitative and Quantitative Disclosures About Market Risk Credit Risk Energy Holdings and Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

As of December 31, 2006, Resources has a remaining gross investment in three leased aircraft of approximately \$41 million. On September 14, 2005, Delta Airlines (Delta) and Northwest Airlines (Northwest), the lessees for Resources four remaining aircraft at that time, filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection. This had no material effect on Energy Holdings as it continues to believe that it will be able to recover the recorded amount of its investments in these aircraft as of December 31, 2006, although no assurances can be given. In 2004 and 2005, Resources successfully restructured the leases and converted the Delta and Northwest leases from leveraged leases to operating leases. The Delta aircraft was sold in January 2006 generating a small gain for Resources.

#### Other Subsidiaries

Enterprise Group Development Corporation (EGDC), a commercial real estate property management business, is conducting a controlled exit from its real estate business. Total assets of EGDC as of December 31, 2006 and 2005 were \$70 million and \$71 million, respectively, less non-recourse debt of \$19 million and \$21 million, respectively less minority interest of \$6 million for each year, for a net investment of approximately \$45 million and \$44 million, respectively. These investments are composed of three properties in New Jersey, Maryland and Virginia and an 80% partnership interest in buildings and land in New Jersey.

## **Employee Relations**

As of December 31, 2006, Energy Holdings had 53 direct employees. In addition, Energy Holdings subsidiaries had a total of 1,091 employees, of which 692 were represented by unions under collective bargaining agreements expiring between June 2007 and January 2010. Energy Holdings believes that it maintains satisfactory relationships with its employees.

#### **Services**

Services is a New Jersey corporation with its principal executive offices at 80 Park Plaza, Newark, New Jersey 07102. Services provides management and administrative and general services to PSEG and its subsidiaries. These include accounting, treasury, financial risk management, law, tax, communications, planning, development, human resources, corporate secretarial, information technology, investor relations, stockholder services, real estate, insurance, library, records and information services, security and certain other services. Services charges PSEG and its subsidiaries for the cost of work performed and services provided pursuant to the terms and conditions of intercompany service agreements. As of December 31, 2006, Services had 932 employees, including 100 employees represented by a union group under a six-year collective bargaining agreement that was ratified in February 2005. Services believes that it maintains satisfactory relationships with its employees.

# **REGULATORY ISSUES**

#### **Federal Regulation**

**Public Utility Holding Company Act (PUHCA)** 

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The Energy Policy Act (EP Act), which became law on August 8, 2005, repealed PUHCA as of February 8, 2006 and established PUHCA 2005, which grants to FERC books and records oversight of public utility holding companies. PSEG had historically claimed an exemption from regulation by the SEC as a registered holding company under PUHCA. As part of that exemption, Fossil, Nuclear, certain subsidiaries of Fossil and certain subsidiaries of Energy Holdings with domestic operations obtained EWG or Qualifying Facility (QF) status (the latter designation obtained under the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA)), while most of Energy Holdings foreign investments obtained Foreign Utility Company (FUCO) status. Notwithstanding the repeal of PUHCA, these

companies have retained their designations as EWGs, FUCOs or QFs, since such designation affords certain protections under FERC s PUHCA 2005. Specifically, companies subject to the provisions of PUHCA 2005 must provide state regulators access to their books and records. PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings do not expect PUHCA 2005 to materially affect their respective businesses, prospects or properties, and in October 2006, PSEG obtained from FERC a waiver of

PUHCA 2005 s accounting, record retention and reporting requirements. For additional information on the impact of PUHCA repeal, see State Regulation.

#### **Environmental**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG and its subsidiaries are subject to the rules and regulations relating to environmental issues promulgated by the EPA, the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) and other regulators. For information on environmental regulation, see Environmental Matters.

## **FERC**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

FERC is an independent federal agency that regulates the transmission of electric energy and sale of electric energy at wholesale in interstate commerce pursuant to the Federal Power Act (FPA). FERC also regulates the interstate transportation of, as well as certain wholesale sales of, natural gas pursuant to the Natural Gas Act. FERC s oversight includes: merger review, compliance, including Standards of Conduct issues, transmission rates and terms and conditions of service, and market power, market design and capacity design and rates. Several PSEG subsidiaries, including PSE&G, Fossil, Nuclear, and ER&T, as well as certain subsidiaries of Fossil and certain domestic subsidiaries of Energy Holdings are public utilities as defined by the FPA and subject to extensive regulation by FERC. FERC s regulation of public utilities is comprehensive and governs such matters as rates, services, mergers, financings, affiliate transactions, market conduct and reporting. FERC is also responsible under PURPA for administering PURPA s requirements for QFs. PSEG, through its subsidiaries, owns several QF plants. QFs are subject to many, but not all, of the same FERC requirements as public utilities.

#### **Expanded Merger Review Authority**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The EP Act expanded FERC s authority to review mergers and acquisitions under the FPA. It extended the scope of FERC s authority to require prior FERC approval regarding transactions involving certain transfers of generation facilities, certain holding company transactions, and utility mergers and consolidations having a value in excess of \$10 million. The EP Act requires that FERC, when reviewing proposed transactions, examine cross-subsidization and pledges or encumbrances of utility assets. PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings are unable to predict the effect of this authority on any potential future transactions in which they may be involved.

#### **Compliance**

## **Reliability Standards**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The EP Act required FERC to empower a single, national Electric Reliability Organization (ERO) to develop and enforce national and regional reliability standards for the U.S. bulk power system. FERC has designated the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) as this ERO. NERC has filed with FERC delegation agreements that would in turn delegate, to a significant degree, the enforcement of such reliability standards to eight regional reliability councils approved by NERC, such as ReliabilityFirst. Thus, the relationship between NERC and the regional reliability councils (responsible for reliability standards compliance within a particular geographic region) is a contractual one. PSE&G s transmission assets, and most of Power s generation assets, are located within the

geographic scope of Reliability First, and PSEG s remaining domestic assets, including the New York, Connecticut and Texas generating assets, are within the scope of other regional reliability councils such as NPCC and ERCOT.

After being designated as an ERO, NERC asked FERC to approve a set of proposed mandatory Reliability Standards, many of which mirrored existing, voluntary standards. On October 20, 2006, FERC issued a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NOPR), which proposed to approve 83 of the 107 filed standards and asked for additional information regarding the remaining 24 standards. Compliance with these 83

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standards, enforcement of which will largely be delegated to the regional reliability councils such as Reliability First, is mandatory and sanctions may attach for non-compliance. Pursuant to the EP Act, FERC has the ability to impose penalties of up to \$1 million a day for violations of these standards. Under the NOPR, which is not yet a Final Rule, compliance with these Standards will be required by the commencement of the 2007 summer peak season. These Standards are applicable to transmission owners and generation owners, and thus PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings (or their subsidiaries) will be obligated to comply with the Standards. PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings are currently evaluating all of the requirements imposed by the Standards and are preparing to ensure that they will be in compliance by FERC-required date. It should be noted in this regard that PSE&G s local control center (LCC) was the first control center voluntarily audited by NERC in January 2006 with respect to LCC readiness. NERC concluded in this audit that PSE&G has adequate facilities, processes, plans, procedures, tools, and trained personnel to effectively operate as an LLC within PJM and found no significant operational problems.

#### **FERC Standards of Conduct**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

On January 18, 2007, FERC issued a NOPR which proposes to make certain changes to its Standards of Conduct applicable to both electric and natural gas transmission providers. The NOPR was issued in response to a decision by the United States Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, which vacated FERC s existing Standards of Conduct as they applied to natural gas pipelines. The NOPR, however, proposes changes to the Standards of Conduct for both natural gas and electric providers Some of the proposed changes include modifying the definition of Energy Affiliate and thereby changing the scope of applicability of the Standards of Conduct, changing the regulations with respect to the permissible tasks of shared employees (employees that may be shared by both the Transmission Provider and the Energy Affiliates) and modifying the information disclosure regulations. PSE&G is currently subject to FERC s Standards of Conduct as a Transmission Provider and subsidiaries of Power and Energy Holdings are subject to the Standards of Conduct as Energy Affiliates. Thus, FERC s proposed changes may have an impact on PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings and the interactions between these entities, although its impact is not clear at this time. PSEG is currently evaluating the NOPR and will file comments to the same prior to FERC issuing a Final Rule. The outcome of this proceeding cannot be predicted at this time.

## **Transmission Rates and Cost Allocation**

## PSEG, PSE&G and Power

#### PJM Schedule 12 Cost Allocation for Regional Transmission Expansion Planning (RTEP) Projects

On January 5, 2006, PJM proposed cost allocation recommendations for new transmission projects pursuant to Schedule 6 of its FERC-approved Operating Agreement and Schedule 12 of its Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). PJM identified the Responsible Customers that would be required to pay for certain transmission upgrades approved through PJM s Regional Transmission Expansion Planning (RTEP) process and the percentage of the project cost that would be allocated to such Responsible Customers. This was the first filing by PJM pursuant to these new cost allocation mechanisms and it included (i) large cost allocations to eastern load as a result of proposed construction in the western and southern portions of PJM and (ii) allocations to merchant transmission projects such as Neptune Regional Transmission System, LLC. On May 26, 2006, FERC issued an order that accepted and suspended PJM s cost allocation filing, made the filing effective subject to refund as of May 30, 2006 and established a hearing and settlement judicial procedure.

In addition, on May 4, 2006, PJM made a second RTEP cost allocation filing at FERC, addressing cost allocations to Responsible Customers associated with additional RTEP projects. PSEG protested the filing, objecting to, among other things, PJM s netting of cost impacts within a PJM zone to allocate RTEP costs and PJM s failure to consider the impact of certain adjustments in determining zonal cost allocation.

On July 19, 2006, FERC consolidated PJM s January 5, 2006 and May 4, 2006 filings that propose to allocate the costs of new transmission projects that PJM has directed to be built through its RTEP process. On July 21, 2006, PJM submitted to FERC a further proposal to allocate the costs of an additional group of new transmission projects that PJM has directed be built through its RTEP. The July 21, 2006 filing includes

allocations for the \$850 million, 200-mile 500 kV Loudon transmission line which runs from Allegheny Power s service territory, through West Virginia to Northern Virginia, as well as many other transmission projects in the PJM region. This proceeding was consolidated with the other two PJM cost allocation filings and was then the subject of settlement proceedings before a ALJ. Settlement discussions terminated in November 2006 and, on November 7, 2006, the proceedings were set for hearing, with a hearing to commence no later than June 19, 2007. PJM has used the same allocation methodology to identify which load should pay for these new transmission projects through regulated transmission rates. PSEG is actively participating in this proceeding, as the cost allocation methodology used by PJM may result in a disproportionate allocation of costs to loads in the eastern portion of PJM. However, assuming continued pass-through of transmission charges to retail customers, neither Power nor PSE&G are expected to be impacted by the allocation of Schedule 12 charges. PSEG, PSE&G and Power are unable to predict the outcome of this hearing at this time.

## Regional through and out rates (RTOR)

RTOR are separate transmission rates for transactions where electricity originated in one transmission control area is transmitted to a point outside that control area. Both the Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc. (MISO) and PJM charged RTORs through December 1, 2004. FERC approved a new regional rate design, which became effective December 1, 2004 for the entire PJM/MISO region and approved the continuation of license plate rates and a transitional Seams Elimination Charge/Cost Adjustment/Assignment (SECA) methodology effective from December 1, 2004 through March 2006.

On February 10, 2005, FERC issued an order that accepted various SECA filings, established December 2004 as the effective date for the SECA rates, made them subject to refund and surcharge, and established hearing procedures to resolve the outstanding factual issues raised in the filings and the responsive pleadings.

A trial-type hearing was held in May 2006, encompassing a review of the actual amount of lost revenues to be recovered via the SECA mechanism. On August 10, 2006, the ALJ issued an initial decision finding that the rate design for the recovery of SECA charges is flawed, and that the SECA rate charges are therefore unjust, unreasonable and unduly discriminatory. FERC has not yet issued an order on review of the ALJ initial decision. In addition, in March 2006, PSE&G and Power entered into a settlement with a limited group of parties in PJM, which settlement was certified to FERC, under which the parties have agreed to pay and collect reductions of SECA revenues. On October 12, 2006, the limited settlement agreement was expanded to include additional parties and on January 18, 2007, an additional settlement agreement was entered into with certain MISO parties. FERC has not yet acted to approve the March, October or January SECA settlements. Due to the uncertainty of this proceeding, PSE&G has continued to defer the collection of any SECA revenues on its books. At the present time, PSEG, PSE&G and Power do not anticipate any adverse impact as a result of the SECA decision.

#### PJM Long-Term Transmission Rate Design

On May 31, 2005, FERC issued an order addressing the recovery of costs for transmission upgrades designated through PJM s RTEP process. Among other matters, FERC s order responded to a proposal to continue PJM s current rate design, under which transmission customers pay rates within the particular transmission zone in which they take service. FERC concluded that the existing rate design may not be just and reasonable and it established a hearing to examine the justness and reasonableness of continuing PJM s modified zonal rate design. Certain entities filed proposals with FERC on September 30, 2005 for alternative rate designs for the PJM region. PSE&G, as part of a coalition of potentially affected PJM transmission owners, filed answering testimony on November 22, 2005 that supported continuation of the zonal rate design in PJM.

A hearing was held in April 2006 and on July 13, 2006, a FERC ALJ issued a decision concluding that the existing PJM modified zonal rate design for existing facilities has been shown to be unjust and unreasonable, and should be replaced with a postage stamp rate design (single postage stamp rate paid by all transmission customers in PJM) for

such facilities to be effective April 1, 2006. To mitigate rate impacts, the ALJ determined that the rate design should be phased in, so that no customer receives greater than a 10% annual rate increase. The ALJ also determined that the existing process for allocating costs of new transmission projects pursuant to Schedule 6 of PJM s Operating Agreement and Schedule 12 of the PJM Tariff was just and reasonable. Briefs on exceptions to the ALJ s initial decision and reply briefs were filed in this proceeding challenging the decision to find the existing rate design unjust and unreasonable, the appropriateness of imposing a postage stamp rate design, the decision as to the appropriateness of applying

the current Schedule 6 and Schedule 12 process for allocating costs of new transmission projects and the phase-in of the new rate design. FERC has not yet issued a decision on review of the ALJ s initial decision. Should FERC ultimately approve this postage stamp rate design on review of the ALJ s initial decision, or adopt one or a combination of the alternative rate designs proposed, assuming continued pass-through of transmission charges to retail customers, PSEG s and PSE&G s results of operations could be adversely impacted with no adverse impact currently anticipated for Power.

## Market Power, Market Design and Capacity Issues

#### PSEG, PSE&G and Power

#### Market Power

Under FERC regulations, public utilities may sell power at cost-based rates or apply to FERC for authority to sell at market-based rates (MBR). PSE&G, ER&T and certain other subsidiaries of Fossil and Energy Holdings have applied for and received MBR authority from FERC, which permits them to sell power into the wholesale market at market-based rates. FERC requires that holders of MBR tariffs file an update, on a triennial basis, demonstrating that they continue to lack market power. On November 30, 2006, PSE&G and ER&T filed their respective triennial updated market power reports with FERC. FERC has not yet acted on these updated market power reports.

On May 19, 2006, FERC issued a NOPR concerning the standards to be used by FERC in granting market-based rate authority. The proposed regulations would adopt, in most respects, FERC s current standards. In its NOPR, FERC suggests certain changes, such as in the areas of cost-based market power mitigation, modifications to the horizontal (generation) market power screens, and clarifications to existing vertical market power screens. On September 20, 2006, PSE&G and Power submitted comments in this NOPR proceeding. FERC has not yet issued a Final Rule in this rulemaking proceeding. The outcome of this proceeding and its impact on PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings cannot be predicted at this time, but Power does not expect the new rules to disqualify its MBR authority. However, no assurances can be given.

FERC s MBR policies and the wholesale electricity markets which they help support are evolving and subject to change. Specifically, on December 19, 2006, the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit overturned certain FERC orders in a series of cases, to which PSEG was not a party, which involved long term wholesale contracts entered into during the California Energy Crisis and, by so doing, seriously undermined the contract sanctity doctrine that had previously been applied to preserve these contracts. Moreover, the court held that FERC s MBR policies are insufficient to establish that agreements reached under MBR tariffs are just and reasonable at the outset. Thus, the fact that a contract is entered into under a MBR tariff may not render it immune from just and reasonable review by FERC. This case will likely be appealed to the U.S. Supreme Court but represents a significant development and is one that will be monitored for its impact on the wholesale electric market in the future.

## RMR Status

#### P.JM

Although applicable tariff provisions differ from region to region, RMR tariff provisions provide compensation to a generation owner when a unit proposed for retirement must continue operating for reliability purposes. In September 2004, Power filed notice with PJM that it was considering the retirement of seven generating units in New Jersey, effective December 7, 2004, due to concerns about the economic viability of the units under the then current market structure. The units that were being considered for retirement were Sewaren 1, 2, 3 and 4, Kearny 7 and 8 and Hudson 1. Kearny 7 and 8 were retired in 2005. In response to Power s filed notice, PJM identified certain system reliability concerns associated with the proposed retirements.

Effective February 24, 2005, subject to refund and hearing, Power began to collect a monthly fixed payment of \$3.3 million, pre-tax, net of operating margins for the Sewaren 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Hudson 1 units. A detailed settlement was filed with FERC on September 23, 2005 that permits Power to recover annual fixed costs of approximately \$19 million and \$14.5 million, pre-tax, for the Sewaren and Hudson units, respectively, plus reimbursements of Power s expenditures in connection with certain construction at the units that are necessary to maintain reliability, offset by certain revenues earned in PJM s energy market.

FERC accepted this settlement retroactive to February 24, 2005. On March 28, 2006, Power filed a refund report with FERC pursuant to which Power refunded \$11 million to PJM, although most of this refund related to the timing of payments under the settlement agreement and thus will be repaid to Power, with carrying charges, at a later date. FERC did not issue a public notice requesting comments on the report and no party has made any objections or other comments with respect to the report. Power is in the process of extending its RMR contract for Hudson Unit 1 through September 2010. For additional information, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

## New England

In the New England electricity market, many owners of generation facilities have filed with FERC for RMR treatment under the NEPOOL Open Access Transmission Tariff. If FERC grants RMR status for a generation facility located in the New England market, the owner is entitled to receive cost-of-service treatment for its facility for the duration of an RMR contract that it enters into with ISO New England Inc. On November 17, 2004, PSEG Power Connecticut LLC (Power Connecticut), a wholly owned indirect subsidiary of Power, filed a request for RMR treatment for the New Haven Harbor generation station and Unit 2 at the Bridgeport Harbor generation station. FERC issued an order on January 14, 2005, subject to refund and hearing which allowed Power Connecticut to begin collecting monthly fixed payments of approximately \$1.6 million and \$3.9 million, pre-tax, for reliability services provided by the Bridgeport Harbor Station, Unit 2 and the New Haven Harbor Station, respectively, net of operating margins. On June 17, 2005, Power Connecticut filed revised studies supporting monthly recovery of \$1.3 million and \$3.3 million, pre-tax, for the Bridgeport Harbor and New Haven Harbor units, respectively.

On April 21, 2006, Power Connecticut, the Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control, the Connecticut Office of Consumer Counsel and ISO New England Inc. filed with FERC a Joint Stipulation and Settlement Agreement and Motion for Expedited Consideration. The Joint Stipulation and Settlement settled all matters associated with the RMR agreements filed by Power Connecticut for its Bridgeport Harbor 2 and New Haven Harbor stations. Among other things, the settlement provides for monthly fixed payments of approximately \$1 million for Bridgeport Harbor and \$3 million for New Haven Harbor. The only disputed issues concern the standard of review applicable to certain types of potential tariff changes that could be filed in the future. No party has challenged the settlement rates proposed to become effective. The ALJ certified the settlement to FERC on June 21, 2006 as a contested offer of settlement. It is anticipated that the settlement will be approved as certified or, if modified, will not be modified in a manner that adversely affects the settlement rates. However, Power Connecticut cannot predict a final outcome at this time, as FERC has not yet acted to approve the settlement.

#### PJM Reliability Pricing Model (RPM)

On August 31, 2005, PJM filed its RPM with FERC. The RPM constitutes a locational installed capacity market design for the PJM region, including a forward auction for installed capacity priced according to a downward-sloping demand curve and a transitional implementation of the market design. FERC issued an order on April 20, 2006 that accepted most of the core concepts of the RPM filing with an implementation date of June 1, 2007. The April 20, 2006 order set certain details of the filing for paper hearing and technical conference procedures including the slope of the demand curve and the mechanism for identification of the locational capacity zones. Such hearing and technical conference procedures have now been completed. Also, commencing in June 2006, settlement discussions mediated by a FERC ALJ commenced at the request of certain intervenors. A final settlement was filed with FERC on September 29, 2006 with a requested approval date of no later than December 22, 2006. PSE&G and Power filed comments to the settlement supporting the basic structural elements of the RPM proposal but nonetheless requesting certain modifications which, in their view, would better promote the adequacy of generation reserves on a cost-effective basis. On December 22, 2006, FERC issued an order approving the September 29 settlement, with certain conditions. FERC s approval of this settlement is expected to have a favorable impact on generation facilities located in constrained locational zones. The final revenue impact on Power of the settlement approved in the December 22, 2006 FERC order could result in incremental margin of \$100 million to \$150 million in 2007, with higher increases in future years as the full year impact is realized and existing capacity contracts expire. The April 20,

2006 order remains subject to rehearing requests filed by several parties. Moreover, on January 22, 2007, PSEG as well as other parties to the proceeding filed for rehearing of the December 22, 2006 order.

Given the pending rehearing requests and the likelihood of eventual judicial appeals, PSEG, PSE&G and Power are unable to predict the outcome of this proceeding.

## Forward Capacity Market (FCM) Settlement in New England

On January 31, 2006, certain interested market participants in New England agreed to a settlement in principle of litigation regarding the design of the region s market for installed capacity, which would institute a transition period leading to the implementation of a new market design for capacity as early as 2010. Commencing in December 2006, all generators in New England began receiving fixed capacity payments that escalate gradually over the transition period. RMR contracts, such as Power s, would continue to be effective until the implementation of the new market design. The new market design is expected to consist of a forward auction for installed capacity that is intended to recognize the locational value of generators on the system, and is expected to contain incentive mechanisms to encourage generator availability during generation shortages. During the transition period, these payments are expected to benefit Power s Bridgeport Harbor 2 plant. The final version of the settlement was filed with FERC on March 6, 2006 and was approved by order dated June 16, 2006 finding that, as a package, the settlement represents a just and reasonable outcome. The settlement was contested by certain parties and a rehearing was sought of the June 16, 2006 order. On October 31, 2006, FERC denied rehearing and accepted the FCM settlement in a final order; the order, however, remains subject to judicial challenge.

## **Transmission Infrastructure**

PSEG, PSE&G, and Power

#### RTEP

On September 8, 2006, PJM filed with FERC a proposal that would significantly modify its regional transmission planning process for economic transmission planning. Currently, the PJM RTEP identifies transmission that is needed to address reliability, operational performance and economic needs of the PJM region based on historic congestion. The PJM proposal sought to expand the economic portion of the RTEP by forecasting economic congestion over its transmission planning horizon, which, in 2006, PJM modified from five to 15 years, PSE&G and Power filed a protest to the PJM proposal requesting that FERC reject PJM s proposal or set it for hearing. On November 21, 2006, FERC issued an order conditionally accepting PJM s proposed changes to the RTEP for economic transmission planning. FERC directed PJM to make certain modifications to its proposal, including requiring PJM to make a compliance filing within 120 days identifying how it will weigh and/or combine the metrics it proposes for determining the net benefits of a particular project and to make a compliance filing within 90 days elaborating on the criteria it will use to determine if an alternative project is more economic than an RTEP project. Nonetheless, PJM s changes to its economic transmission planning process may result in the establishment of a preference for rate-based transmission solutions to address congestion, as opposed to reliance on private investment and competitive non-transmission market solutions. PSE&G and Power filed for rehearing of the November 21, 2006 FERC order on December 21, 2006. FERC has not yet issued an order on rehearing. PSEG, PSE&G and Power are unable to predict the final outcome of this proceeding.

#### **DOE Congestion Study**

On August 8, 2006, the DOE issued a National Electric Transmission Congestion Study (Congestion Study), as directed by Congress in the EP Act. This Congestion Study identified two areas in the U.S. as critical congestion areas; one of the areas is the region between New York and Washington, D.C. Under the EP Act, the DOE has the ability to designate transmission corridors in these critical congestion areas, to which FERC back-stop transmission siting authority will attach. Thus, corridor designation may facilitate the construction of rate-based transmission projects to address congestion in these corridors. The DOE has not yet designated any transmission corridors as a result of this Congestion Study but will likely do so in the first quarter of 2007. PSE&G and Power filed comments to

the Congestion Study, in which they contended that the Congestion Study contained several analytical flaws. PSEG, PSE&G and Power are unable to predict the outcome of this proceeding at this time.

## LDV Complaint Proceeding

On December 30, 2004, Jersey Central Power & Light Company (JCP&L) filed a complaint at FERC against the other four signatories, including PSE&G, to the Lower Delaware Valley (LDV) Transmission System Agreement, which expires in 2027 and governs the construction of, and investment in, certain 500 kV transmission facilities in New Jersey. In the complaint proceeding, JCP&L seeks to terminate its payment obligations to the other contract signatories. A hearing was conducted in this proceeding in November 2006 and an initial decision is expected by the ALJ in March 2007. In this litigation, JCP&L is not only seeking to terminate its payment obligations to PSE&G of approximately \$3 million per year through 2027, but also to receive credit from PSE&G and the other LDV Agreement parties for transmission facilities previously constructed by JCP&L in New Jersey; if the ALJ were to accept all of JCP&L s crediting arguments, an outcome that is unlikely, PSE&G would owe approximately \$5 million to JCP&L under the LDV Agreement. PSE&G cannot predict the outcome of this proceeding at this time.

#### PJM Strategic Initiative

In the fourth quarter of 2006, PJM launched a strategic initiative to more specifically define its role in the evolving wholesale energy markets. As part of this initiative, PJM sought comments from its members, including PSEG, on a number of items, including whether PJM should consider splitting its wholesale market operations from its transmission grid operations and whether PJM should consider changes to its current corporate governance structure. PJM has since pulled back from its idea of splitting market and grid operations but continues to consider whether there is a need to modify aspects of its current market and governance structure. PSEG will continue to actively participate in these discussions.

#### **NRC**

#### **PSEG** and Power

Nuclear s operation of nuclear generating facilities is subject to continuous regulation by the NRC, a federal agency established to regulate nuclear activities to ensure protection of public health and safety, as well as the security and protection of the environment. Such regulation involves testing, evaluation and modification of all aspects of plant operation in light of NRC safety and environmental requirements. Continuous demonstration to the NRC that plant operations meet requirements is also necessary. The NRC has the ultimate authority to determine whether any nuclear generating unit may operate. Power has recently commenced the process to extend the operating licenses for the Salem and Hope Creek facilities. The current operating licenses of Power s nuclear facilities expire in the years shown below:

Facility	Year
Salem 1	2016
Salem 2	2020
Hope Creek	2026
Peach Bottom 2	2033
Peach Bottom 3	2034

## **Nuclear Safety Issues**

In January 2004, the NRC issued a letter requesting Power to conduct a review of its Salem and Hope Creek nuclear generation facilities to assess the workplace environment for raising and addressing safety issues. Power responded to the letter in February 2004 and had independent assessments of the work environment at both facilities performed

which concluded that Salem and Hope Creek were safe for continued operations, but also identified issues that needed to be addressed. These facilities were under enhanced oversight by the NRC related to the work environment until August 31, 2006, at which time the NRC provided a letter informing Power that its mid-cycle performance review had concluded that the substantive cross-cutting issue in the safety-conscious work environment area at Salem and Hope Creek was closed. The NRC has restored Salem and Hope Creek to normal oversight levels.

## Recirculation Pump

In a letter to the NRC dated January 9, 2005, Power committed to install vibration-monitoring equipment on Hope Creek s B Reactor Recirculation Pump prior to the unit s return to service to address pump vibration concerns and replace the pump s shaft during the next refueling outage or any sooner outage of sufficient duration. This commitment was the subject of a January 11, 2005 Confirmatory Action Letter

from the NRC. The shaft was replaced during the Hope Creek outage in April 2006. On April 20, 2006, the NRC issued a Closure of Confirmatory Action Letter indicating that all of the commitments were completed.

#### Other

#### PSE&G

#### Investment Tax Credits (ITC)

As of June 1999, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) had issued several private letter rulings (PLRs) that concluded that the refunding of excess deferred tax and ITC balances to utility customers was permitted only over the related assets regulatory lives, which were terminated upon New Jersey's electric industry deregulation. Based on this fact, PSEG and PSE&G reversed the deferred tax and ITC liability relating to PSE&G s generation assets that were transferred to Power, and recorded a \$235 million reduction of the extraordinary charge in 1999 due to the restructuring of the utility industry in New Jersey. PSE&G was directed by the BPU to seek a PLR from the IRS to determine if the ITC included in the impairment write-down of generation assets could be credited to customers without violating the tax normalization rules of the Internal Revenue Code. PSE&G filed a PLR request with the IRS in 2002.

On December 21, 2005, the U.S. Department of the Treasury (Treasury) proposed new regulations for comment addressing the normalization of ITC, replacing regulations originally proposed in 2003. The new proposed regulations, if finalized, would not permit retroactive application. Accordingly, the IRS s conclusions in the above referenced PLRs would continue to remain in effect for all industry deregulations prior to December 21, 2005.

On April 26, 2006, the BPU issued an order to PSE&G revoking its previous instruction and directing PSE&G to withdraw its request for a PLR by April 27, 2006. The BPU asserted that the Treasury s proposed regulation project was the more appropriate authority to rely upon in deciding the ITC issue.

On May 1, 2006, PSE&G filed a motion for reconsideration with the BPU requesting that it modify its April 26, 2006 order to PSE&G to withdraw the PLR request. On May 5, 2006, the BPU denied PSE&G s motion for reconsideration and reiterated its order to withdraw the PLR request. On May 8, 2006, PSE&G filed a petition with the Appellate Court of New Jersey challenging the BPU s order to withdraw the PLR. On May 11, 2006, the IRS issued a PLR to PSE&G. The PLR concluded that none of the generation ITC could be passed to utility customers without violating the normalization rules. While the holding in the PLR is a favorable development for PSE&G, the outstanding Treasury regulation project could overturn the holding in the PLR if the Treasury were to alter the position set out in the December 21, 2005 proposed regulations. The issue cannot be fully resolved until the final Treasury regulations are issued.

On May 16, 2006, the BPU voted in favor of a special investigation and hearing before the BPU concerning PSE&G s actions leading up to receiving the PLR, specifically its failure to abide by the BPU order to withdraw the request. An order detailing such special investigation has not yet been issued and no investigation has begun.

On October 13, 2006, the Appellate Division of the Superior Court of New Jersey granted PSE&G s motion to dismiss PSE&G s appeal of the BPU s order to withdraw the PLR since PSE&G has already received the PLR. The court also determined that if the BPU seeks to take future action against PSE&G based on the alleged violation of its order, PSE&G can restart the appeal.

## **State Regulation**

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The BPU is the regulatory authority that oversees electric and natural gas distribution companies in New Jersey. PSE&G is subject to comprehensive regulation by the BPU including, among other matters, regulation of retail electric and gas distribution rates and service and the issuance and sale of securities. Power s partial ownership of generating facilities in Pennsylvania, as well as PSE&G s ownership of certain transmission facilities in Pennsylvania, are subject to regulation by the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (PAPUC), which oversees retail electric and natural gas service in Pennsylvania. PSE&G and Power are also subject to rules and regulations of the NJDEP and the New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT).

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As discussed below, various Power subsidiaries and Energy Holdings subsidiaries are subject to some state regulation in other individual states where they operate facilities, including New York, Connecticut, Indiana, Texas, California, Hawaii and New Hampshire.

## **PUHCA Repeal**

On August 1, 2005, the BPU initiated a proceeding to consider whether additional ratepayer protections were necessary in light of the repeal of PUHCA by the EP Act. The proceeding considered the BPU s current authority to protect utility ratepayers from risks associated with a utility being part of a holding company structure. The BPU determined that additional protections were necessary and commenced a two phase rulemaking to address its view of potential risks associated with a utility being part of a holding company structure. Phase I of the rulemaking effort resulted in the adoption of new regulations effective October 2, 2006, addressing the diversification activities of New Jersey utilities and their holding companies. These new rules impose a requirement that each New Jersey public utility and its holding company ensure that the aggregate assets of all nonutility activities in the holding company system do not exceed a defined percentage (25%) of the aggregate assets of the utility and utility-related assets in the holding company system without BPU consent. The rules broadly define utility-related activities to include such things as the production, generation, transmitting, delivering, storing, selling, marketing of natural gas, propane, electricity and other fuels to wholesale or retail customers, energy management services and sale of energy appliances. Both PSE&G and PSEG currently satisfy these requirements and expect to continue to satisfy them based on the companies current business plans. However, constant monitoring will be required to ensure that the regulation is satisfied and to meet the annual certification process. The BPU is currently developing Phase II of the rulemaking in a stakeholder process. In Phase II the BPU is proposing new regulations that would increase the BPU s access to books and records, impose restrictions on service agreements between utilities and their affiliated service companies and impose additional requirements on utility board of director composition, utility participation in money pools and additional reporting obligations.

## New Jersey Energy Master Plan

The Governor of New Jersey has recently directed the BPU, in partnership with other New Jersey agencies, to develop an energy master plan. State law in New Jersey requires that an energy master plan be developed every three years, the purpose of which is to ensure safe, secure and reasonably-priced energy supply, foster economic growth and development and protect the environment. In the Governor s directive regarding the energy master plan, the Governor established three specific goals: (1) reduce the State s projected energy use by 20% by the year 2020; (2) supply 20% of the State s electricity needs with certain renewable energy sources by 2020; and (3) emphasize energy efficiency, conservation and renewable energy resources to meet future increases in New Jersey electric demand without increasing New Jersey s reliance on non-renewable resources. In November, PSEG submitted a number of strategies designed to improve efficiencies in customer use and increase the level of renewable generation. During January and February 2007, PSEG has been actively involved in the broad-based constituent working groups created to develop specific strategies to achieve the goals and objectives. Public meetings on the energy master plan are expected take place during the first and second quarters of 2007, and a final plan is expected to be completed by October 2007. The outcome of this proceeding and its impact on PSEG, PSE&G and Power cannot be predicted at this time.

#### **PSE&G** and Power

#### **BGS** Auctions

All of New Jersey s EDCs jointly procure the supply to meet their BGS obligations through two concurrent auctions authorized by the BPU for New Jersey s total BGS requirement. Results of these auctions determine which energy suppliers are authorized to supply BGS to New Jersey s EDCs. Certain conditions are required to participate in these auctions. Energy suppliers must agree to execute the BGS Master Service Agreement, provide required security within three days of BPU certification of auction results and satisfy certain creditworthiness requirements.

In 2006, the BPU initiated a proceeding to review the annual BGS procurement process as well as the policy issues thereto for all of the New Jersey EDCs. In June 2006, the BPU ruled on certain issues regarding the acquisition of BGS for the period beginning in June 2007. The BPU agreed that a descending clock auction format should be used for the procurement of BGS-FP supply for 2007.

On July 10, 2006, PSE&G filed the Joint EDC proposal for the procurement of BGS for the period beginning June 1, 2007. This proposal includes a descending clock auction format to be held in February 2007 for the procurement of all BGS supply. On October 28, 2006, the BPU approved a descending clock auction format for BGS-FP and BGS-CIEP supply for the period beginning June 1, 2007. On December 22, 2006, the BPU approved the remainder of the items in the EDCs filing, without material changes. The BPU also directed the EDCs to remit all remaining retail margin monies previously collected from larger customers to the State Treasurer in January 2007, and to remit any future collections of the retail margin to the State Treasurer on a quarterly basis. In 2003, the BPU directed the EDCs to collect a 0.5 per kWh retail adder from all BGS customers greater than 750 kW. These monies were held in a regulatory liability account. For additional information see Note 5 Regulatory Matters and Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

#### PSE&G

#### Electric Distribution Financial Review

Based on the Electric Base Rate Case approved in July 2003, PSE&G recorded a regulatory liability in the second quarter of 2003 by reducing its depreciation reserve for its electric distribution assets by \$155 million and amortized this liability from August 1, 2003 through December 31, 2005. The \$64 million annual amortization of this liability resulted in a reduction of Depreciation and Amortization expense. PSE&G filed for a \$64 million (based on 2003 test year sales volumes) annual increase in electric distribution rates effective January 1, 2006, subject to BPU approval, including a review of PSE&G s earnings and other relevant financial information. Based on current sales volumes, the amount approximates \$69 million.

On November 9, 2006, the BPU approved a settlement agreement reached by the parties to the proceeding authorizing a \$22 million reduction to electric distribution rates, resulting in additional revenue to PSE&G of approximately \$47 million annually based on current sales volumes.

The settlement includes a restriction against any further base rate changes becoming effective before November 15, 2009. In addition, PSE&G must file a joint electric and gas petition for any future base rate increases.

## **BGSS Filings**

The parties to the 2005/2006 BGSS proceeding entered into a Stipulation in which the parties agreed that the BGSS Commodity Charge increases of September 1, 2005 and December 15, 2005 that were previously approved by the BPU on a provisional basis should become final. The BPU approved the Stipulation. In addition, all the remaining gas contract issues were also resolved and an amended Gas Requirements Contract was attached to the Stipulation and also approved by the BPU. The primary changes were the term was extended by five years and the default provision was changed from three days to one day.

PSE&G made its 2006/2007 BGSS filing on May 26, 2006. In this filing, PSE&G requested a reduction in annual BGSS gas revenues of approximately \$19.7 million (excluding losses and New Jersey Sales and Use Tax) or approximately a 1.0% decrease to be implemented for service rendered on and after October 1, 2006 or earlier. Additionally, PSE&G requested an increase in its Balancing Charge. The combined impact of both changes for the class average residential heating customer is an increase in the winter monthly bills of approximately 0.1%; however, on an annual basis the impact is a decrease of approximately 0.2%.

The parties entered into a Stipulation to make the filed BGSS rate effective October 1, 2006 on a provisional basis. However, since the time of the filing, prices of gas futures have dropped significantly and as a result, additional BGSS data has been requested by and provided to the BPU. Settlement discussions with the BPU Staff were completed and a new Stipulation, dated October 27, 2006, was executed by the parties. This new Stipulation was approved by the BPU and results in a decrease in annual BGSS revenues of approximately \$120 million, which is approximately a 6%

reduction in a typical residential gas customer s bill. The new BGSS rate became effective on November 9, 2006. The Stipulation did not include any change in the Balancing Charge.

The parties entered into a second Stipulation, which addresses the Balancing Charge only. The BPU Staff recommended a lower Balancing Charge than proposed by the Company and received agreement from Rate Counsel. The parties executed the Stipulation for the lower rate and BPU approval was received on January 17, 2007.

## Remediation Adjustment Clause (RAC) Filing

PSE&G is engaged in a program to address potential environmental concerns regarding its former Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) properties in cooperation with and under the supervision of NJDEP. The costs of the program are recovered through the Remediation Adjustment Clause (RAC). The RAC addresses costs in annual periods ending July 31st of each year. The expenditures in each RAC period are recovered over seven years. The costs of the program, including interest, are deferred and amortized as collected in revenues.

On December 5, 2005 the BPU approved for recovery \$18 million for the RAC-12 remediation expenditures incurred from August 1, 2003 through July 31, 2004. No change in the RAC recovery factor was required.

In February 2007, PSE&G submitted its RAC-13 and RAC-14 filings with the BPU. In these filings, PSE&G seeks an order finding that the \$71 million of RAC program costs incurred during the two-year period, August 1, 2004 through July 31, 2006, are reasonable and are available for recovery. PSE&G proposes that the current gas and electric RAC rates be reduced by approximately \$18 million annually, effective July 1, 2007.

#### Gas Base Rate Case

On September 30, 2005, PSE&G filed a petition with the BPU seeking an overall 3.78% increase in its gas base rates to cover the cost of gas delivery to be effective June 30, 2006. Approximately \$55 million of the \$133 million request was for an increase in book depreciation rates.

On November 9, 2006, the BPU approved a settlement agreement reached by the parties to the proceeding. The agreement provides for an annual increase in gas revenues of \$40 million or approximately 1.1%. In addition, the settlement provides for an adjustment to lower book depreciation and amortization expense for PSE&G by approximately \$26 million annually and the amortization of accumulated cost of removal that will further reduce depreciation and amortization expense by \$13 million annually for five years.

The settlement includes a restriction against any further base rate changes becoming effective before November 15, 2009. In addition, PSE&G must file a joint electric and gas petition for any future base rate increases.

## Societal Benefits Clause (SBC) Filing

On August 12, 2005, PSE&G filed a motion with the BPU seeking approval of changes in its electric and gas SBC rates and its electric non-utility generation transition charge (NTC) rates. For electric customers, the rates proposed were designed to recover approximately \$106 million in SBC revenues offset by lower NTC rates of \$93 million beginning January 1, 2006. For gas, the rates proposed were designed to recover approximately \$10 million in SBC revenues. In 2006, PSE&G filed updates to its filing, modifying its requested changes to electric SBC/NTC rates and gas SBC rates. Public hearings were held and settlement discussions began on outstanding issues. On January 19, 2007, settlement documents were filed with the ALJ, which upon approval, would result in an annual increase of approximately \$16 million in electric SBC/NTC revenues and \$12 million in gas SBC revenues.

#### Deferral Audit

The BPU Energy and Audit Division conducts audits of deferred balances. A draft Deferral Audit Phase II report relating to the 12-month period ended July 31, 2003 was released by the consultant to the BPU in April 2005. The draft report addressed the SBC, Market Transition Charge (MTC) and Non-Utility Generation (NUG) deferred balances. The consultant to the BPU found that the Phase II deferral balances complied in all material respects with the BPU orders regarding such deferrals, the consultant noted that the BPU Staff had raised certain questions with respect to the reconciliation method PSE&G employed in calculating the overrecovery of its MTC and other charges during the Phase I and Phase II four-year transition period. For additional information regarding PSE&G s Deferral

Audit, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

## Gas Purchasing Strategies Audit

In January 2007, the BPU has issued an RFP to solicit bid proposals to engage a contractor to perform an analysis of the gas purchasing practices and hedging strategies of the four New Jersey gas distribution companies (GDC s), including PSE&G. The primary focus will be to examine and compare the financial and physical hedging policies and practices of each GDC and to provide recommendations for improvements to these policies and practices. PSE&G cannot predict the outcome of this process.

#### New Jersey Clean Energy Program

In December 2004, the BPU has approved a funding requirement for each New Jersey utility applicable to Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency programs for the years 2005 through 2008. The State of New Jersey has awarded contracts to two market managers, TRC Energy Services and Honeywell Utility Solutions to take over program management functions from the utilities. This transition is now expected to take place in the first half of 2007. For additional information regarding PSE&G s Clean Energy Program, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

#### **Power**

#### Connecticut

Legislation has been introduced in the Connecticut General Assembly that would impose a tax on electric generators of 50% on earnings above a 20% return on equity. Proceeds from this proposed windfall profits tax would be used to provide consumer rate relief. Legislation also has been introduced that would allow the state s electric utility companies to build and place into rate base up to 300 megawatts of peaking electric generation.

Neither PSEG nor Power is able to predict whether any of such proposals will be enacted into law or their impact, if any, or whether similar initiatives may be considered in other jurisdictions.

## Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control (DPUC)

To reduce the impact of federally-mandated congestion charges on Connecticut ratepayers, Connecticut has launched a procurement process to facilitate the development of incremental generation capacity, as authorized by legislation which permits the DPUC to establish a competitive procurement process intended to encourage new supply-side and demand-side resources. Specifically, the DPUC is required to develop and issue a request for proposals (RFP) to solicit the development of long-term projects, with local distribution companies serving as the counterparties to these contracts. The impact of this RFP process on Power Connecticut s assets is unclear at the present time.

## **Energy Holdings**

## Texas

Global s generation business in Texas (TIE) is a merchant generation business that participates, through its subsidiaries, Odessa-Ector Power Partners, L.P. (Odessa) and Guadalupe Power Partners, L.P (Guadalupe), in the Texas wholesale energy market administered by ERCOT. Under the regulation of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, ERCOT performs three main roles in managing the electric power grid and marketplace: ensuring that the grid can accommodate scheduled energy transfers, ensuring grid reliability, and overseeing retail transactions. While neither TIE, Odessa nor Guadalupe are public utilities subject to the jurisdiction of FERC, they are subject to FERC jurisdiction for purposes of complying with NERC s Reliability Standards (see discussion in Federal Regulation Compliance Reliability Standards).

Like other energy markets, energy prices in ERCOT have risen over the past few years due, in large measure, to higher fuel costs. In an attempt to lower electricity prices, the legislature in Texas is currently examining proposals for draft legislation that could affect the Texas market. PSEG does not know at this time if any legislation will ultimately pass, or if it does, what its effect will be on Global s generation business in Texas.

## **International Regulation**

## **Energy Holdings**

#### Global

Global s electric distribution facilities in South America are rate-regulated enterprises. Rates charged to customers are established by government authorities and are viewed by Global as currently sufficient to cover operating costs and provide a return on its investments. Global can give no assurances that future rates will be established at levels sufficient to cover such costs, provide a return on its investments or generate adequate cash flow to pay principal and interest on its debt or to enable it to comply with the terms of its debt agreements.

#### Chile

Distribution companies in Chile, including Chilquinta Energia S.A. (Chilquinta) and associated companies, Sociedad Austral de Electricidad S.A. (SAESA) and other members of the SAESA Group, are subject to rate regulation by the Comision Nacional de Energia (CNE), a national governmental regulatory authority. The Chilean regulatory framework has been in existence since 1982, with rates set every four years based on a model company for each typical concession area. The tariff which distribution companies charge to regulated customers consists of two components: the actual cost of energy purchased and an additional amount to compensate for the value added in distribution (DVA tariff). The DVA tariff considers allowed losses incurred in the distribution of electricity, administrative costs of providing service to customers, costs of maintaining and operating the distribution systems and an annual return on investment between 6% to 14% over inflation applied to the replacement cost of distribution assets. Changes in electricity distribution companies cost of energy are passed through to customers, with no impact on the distributors margins (equal to the DVA tariff). Therefore, distributors, including members of the SAESA Group and Chilquinta, should not be affected by changes in the generation sector which affect prices. The most recent tariff adjustments for members of the SAESA Group and Chilquinta occurred in 2004 and have been reviewed and approved by the CNE.

In addition, the first auction for long-term supply contracts for Chilean distribution companies was simultaneously conducted during 2006. SAESA and Chilquinta were successful in contracting for approximately 2,900 Gwh/yr and 800 Gwh/yr, respectively from various generation companies to supply their regulated customers needs starting in 2010 and continuing through 2020 and 2025 for SAESA and Chilquinta, respectively. A second auction process for additional needs for Chilquinta (approximately 1,800 Gwh/year) will be held during 2007.

#### Peru

Distribution companies in Peru, including Luz del Sur S.A.A. (LDS), are subject to tariff regulation by the Organismo Supervisor de la Inversion en Energia, a national governmental regulatory authority. The Peruvian regulatory framework has been in existence since 1992, with tariffs set every four years based on a model company. The tariff which distribution companies charge to regulated customers consists of two components: the actual cost of energy purchased plus an additional amount to compensate for the DVA tariff. The DVA tariff considers allowed losses incurred in the distribution of electricity, administrative costs of providing service to customers, costs of maintaining and operating the distribution systems and an annual return on investment of 8% to 16% over inflation, based on the replacement cost of distribution assets. Changes in electricity distribution companies—cost of energy are passed through to customers, with no impact on the distributors—margins (equal to the DVA tariff). Therefore, distributors, including LDS, should not be affected by changes in the generation sector, which affect prices. The most recent tariff adjustments for LDS occurred in connection with the 2005 tariff-setting process. New tariffs were effective as of November 1, 2005.

In addition, in accordance with local regulations, an auction was conducted at the end of December 2006 for prospective energy supply requirements for LDS. The total amount bid by Peruvian power producers was 650 MW of capacity. This supply combined with the contracts still in force are expected to be sufficient to meet LDS s energy supply needs for 2007. In order to secure the growing supply needs for 2008 and beyond, management plans to conduct additional energy supply auctions, as necessary, during 2007. Management is concurrently exploring the feasibility of other forms of bilateral supply contracts, as well as advocating the extension of a law beyond December 2007, which currently allows LDS and other distribution companies without supply contracts, to draw energy from the grid, as required, at regulated prices to satisfy the regulated market s demand.

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#### SEGMENT INFORMATION

Financial information with respect to the business segments of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings is set forth in Note 18. Financial Information by Business Segment of the Notes.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Federal, regional, state and local authorities regulate the environmental impacts of PSEG s operations within the U.S. Laws and regulations particular to the region, country or locality where PSEG s operations are located govern the environmental impacts associated with its foreign operations. For both domestic and foreign operations, areas of regulation may include air quality, water quality, site remediation, land use, waste disposal, aesthetics, impact on global climate and other matters.

To the extent that environmental requirements are more stringent and compliance more costly in certain states where PSEG operates compared to other states that are part of the same market, such rules may impact its ability to compete within that market. Due to evolving environmental regulations, it is difficult to project expected costs of compliance and its impact on competition. For additional information related to environmental matters, see Item 3. Legal Proceedings.

## **PSEG, Power and Energy Holdings**

#### Air Pollution Control

The Federal Clean Air Act (CAA) and its implementing regulations require controls of emissions from sources of air pollution and also impose record keeping, reporting and permit requirements. Facilities in the U.S. that Power and Energy Holdings operate or in which they have an ownership interest are subject to these Federal requirements, as well as requirements established under state and local air pollution laws applicable where those facilities are located. Capital costs of complying with air pollution control requirements through 2010 are included in Power s estimate of construction expenditures in Item 7. MD&A Capital Requirements.

## Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD)/New Source Review (NSR)

The PSD/NSR regulations, promulgated under the Clean Air Act (CAA), require major sources of certain air pollutants to obtain permits, install pollution control technology and obtain offsets, in some circumstances, when those sources undergo a major modification, as defined in the regulations. The Federal government may order companies not in compliance with the PSD/NSR regulations to install the best available control technology at the affected plants and to pay monetary penalties of up to approximately \$27,500 for each day of continued violation.

The EPA and the NJDEP issued a demand in March 2000 under the CAA requiring information to assess whether projects completed since 1978 at the Hudson and Mercer coal-burning units were implemented in accordance with applicable PSD/NSR regulations. Power completed its response to requests for information and, in January 2002, reached an agreement with the NJDEP and the EPA to resolve allegations of noncompliance with PSD/NSR regulations. Under that agreement, over the course of 10 years, Power agreed to install advanced air pollution controls to reduce emissions of Sulfur Dioxide (SO2), Nitrogen Oxide (NOx), particulate matter and mercury from the coal-burning units at the Mercer and Hudson generating stations to ensure compliance with PSD/NSR. Power also agreed to spend at least \$6 million on supplemental environmental projects and pay a \$1 million civil penalty. The agreement resolving the NSR allegations concerning the Hudson and Mercer coal-fired units also resolved a dispute over Bergen 2 regarding the applicability of PSD requirements and allowed construction of the unit to be completed and operations to commence.

Power notified the EPA and the NJDEP that it was evaluating the continued operation of the Hudson coal unit in light of changes in the energy and capacity markets, increases in the cost of pollution control equipment and other necessary modifications to the unit. On November 30, 2006, Power, reached an agreement with the EPA and NJDEP on an amendment to its 2002 agreement intended to achieve the emissions reductions targets of this agreement while providing more time to assess the feasibility of installing additional advanced emissions controls at Hudson.

The amended agreement with the EPA and the NJDEP will allow Power to continue operating Hudson and extend for four years the deadline for installing environmental controls beyond the previous December 31, 2006 deadline. Power will be required to undertake a number of technology projects (SCRs, scrubbers, baghouses, and carbon injection), plant modifications, and operating procedure changes at Hudson and Mercer designed to meet targeted reductions in emissions of NOx, SO2, particulate matter, and mercury. In addition, Power has agreed to notify the EPA and NJDEP by the end of 2007 whether it will install the additional emissions controls at Hudson by the end of 2010, or plan for the orderly shut down of the unit.

Under the program to date, Power has installed Selective Catalytic Reduction Systems (SCRs) at Mercer at a cost of approximately \$113 million. The cost of implementing the balance of the amended agreement at Mercer and Hudson is estimated at \$400 million to \$500 million for Mercer and at \$600 million to \$750 million for Hudson and will be incurred in the 2007-2010 timeframe. As part of the agreement, Fossil has agreed to purchase and retire emissions allowances, contribute approximately \$3 million for programs to reduce particulate emissions from diesel engines in New Jersey, and pay a \$6 million civil penalty.

# $SO_2/NO_x$

To reduce emissions of SO2 for acid rain prevention, the CAA sets a cap on total SO2 emissions from affected units and allocates SO2 allowances (each allowance authorizes the emission of one ton of SO2) to those units. Generation units with emissions greater than their allocations can obtain allowances from sources that have excess allowances. At this time, Power does not expect to incur material expenditures to continue complying with the acid rain SO2 emissions program.

The EPA has issued regulations (commonly known as the NOx State Implementation Plan (SIP) Call) requiring 19 states in the eastern half of the U.S. and the District of Colombia to reduce and cap NOx emissions from power plant and industrial sources. The NOx reduction requirements are consistent with requirements already in place in New Jersey, New York, Connecticut and Pennsylvania, and therefore have not had an additional impact on the capacity available from Power's facilities in those states. Power has been implementing measures to reduce NOx emissions at several of its units (including the installation of selective catalytic reduction systems at the Mercer Generating Station), which has reduced the impact of any further increases to the costs of allowances.

In 1997, the EPA adopted a new air quality standard for fine particulate matter and a revised air quality standard for ozone. In 2004, the EPA identified and designated areas of the U.S. that fail to meet the revised federal health standard for ozone or the new federal health standard for fine particulates. States are expected to develop regulatory measures necessary to achieve and maintain the health standards, which may require reductions in NOx and SO2 emissions. Additional NOx and SO2 reductions also may be required to satisfy requirements of an EPA rule protecting visibility in many of the nation s Class 1 (pristine) environmental areas. Most of Power s fossil facilities would be affected by this initiative.

In May 2005, the EPA published the final Clean Air Interstate Rule (CAIR) that identifies 28 states and the District of Columbia as contributing significantly to the levels of fine particulates and/or eight-hour ozone in downwind states. New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Texas and Connecticut are among the states the EPA lists in the CAIR. Based on state obligations to address interstate transport of pollutants under the CAA, the EPA has proposed a two-phased emission reduction program for NOx and SO2, with Phase 1 beginning in 2009 (NOx) and 2010 (SO2) and Phase 2 beginning in 2015. The EPA is recommending that the program be implemented through a cap-and-trade program, although states are not required to proceed in this manner.

In December 2005, the EPA proposed new National Ambient Air Quality Standards for particulate matter.

Power is unable to determine whether any costs it may incur to comply with the above standards would be material.

# Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) Emissions

Several states, primarily in the Northeastern U.S., are developing state-specific or regional legislative initiatives to stimulate CO2 emissions reductions in the electric power industry. New York initiated the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI) in April 2003. Currently, in the RGGI, seven Northeastern states have signed a memorandum of understanding (MOU) intended to cap and reduce CO2 emissions from the electric power sector in the RGGI region. A final model rule was issued on August 15, 2006 that includes

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MOU commitments and makes recommendations for states to move forward. The model rule contemplates the creation of a CO<sub>2</sub> allowance allocation and auction whereby CO<sub>2</sub> generators in the electric power industry would be expected to acquire through allocation, or purchase through an auction, CO<sub>2</sub> allowances in an amount corresponding to each facility s emissions. Facilities with an insufficient number of allowances would be required to purchase additional allowances. New York has publicly announced its intent to subject 100% of the allowances to auction, and other states, including New Jersey, may do the same. States are expected to enact legislation and/or regulation representing, at least, the minimum requirements stipulated in the MOU. The RGGI program is scheduled to start in 2009. The NJDEP in 2005 finalized amendments to its regulations governing air pollution control that would designate CO<sub>2</sub> as an air contaminant subject to regulation. In February 2007, the Governor of New Jersey issued an executive order committing the State to reduce emissions of greenhouse gasses 20% by 2020 and 80% by 2050. The outcome of this initiative cannot be determined at this time; however, adoption of stringent CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reduction requirements in the Northeast, including the allocation of allowances to PSEG s facilities and the prices of allowances available through auction, could materially impact Power s operation of its fossil fuel-fired electric generating units.

#### Other Air Pollutants

In March 2005, the EPA promulgated two rules: one revising its December 2000 determination that Hazardous Air Pollutants from coal-fired and oil-fired Electric Generating Units (EGUs) should be regulated under section 112 of the CAA and, on that basis, removing those units from the section 112(c) source category list (known as the delisting rule); the second establishing a New Source Performance Standard limit for nickel emissions from oil-fired EGUs, and a cap-and-trade program for mercury emissions from coal-fired EGUs, with a first phase cap of 38 tons per year (tpy) in 2010 and a second phase cap of 15 tpy in 2018 (the cap-and-trade rule). The EPA determined that it would not regulate other emissions from coal-fired and oil-fired EGUs.

A number of environmental and medical groups, the city of Baltimore and a total of 16 states (all six New England states, New Jersey, California, Delaware, Illinois, New Mexico, New York, Minnesota, Pennsylvania, Michigan and Wisconsin) have sued the EPA challenging that the rules should be more restrictive. The environmental petitioners, but not the states, also sought a stay of the rules from both the agency and the court, but the request was denied. The outcome of these litigations cannot be determined at this time.

New Jersey and Connecticut have adopted standards for the reduction of emissions of mercury from coal-fired electric generating units. The Connecticut legislation requires coal-fired power plants in Connecticut to achieve either an emissions limit or a 90% mercury removal efficiency through technology installed to control mercury emissions effective in July 2008. The regulations in New Jersey require coal-fired electric generating units in New Jersey to meet certain emission limits or reduce emissions by 90% by December 15, 2007. Companies that are parties to multi-pollutant reduction agreements are permitted to postpone such reductions on half of their coal-fired electric generating capacity until December 15, 2012. Power has a multi-pollutant reduction agreement with the NJDEP as a result of a consent decree that resolved issues arising out of the PSD and NSR air pollution control programs at the Hudson, Mercer and Bergen facilities. Substantial uncertainty exists regarding the feasibility of achieving the reductions in mercury emissions required by the New Jersey regulations and Connecticut statute; however, the estimated costs of technology believed to be capable of meeting these emissions limits at Power s coal-fired unit in Connecticut by July 2008 and at its Mercer Station by December 15, 2007 are included in Power s capital expenditure forecast.

## Water Pollution Control

The Federal Water Pollution Control Act (FWPCA) prohibits the discharge of pollutants to waters of the U.S. from point sources, except pursuant to a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit issued by the EPA or by a state under a federally authorized state program. The FWPCA authorizes the imposition of technology-based and water quality-based effluent limits to regulate the discharge of pollutants into surface waters and ground waters. The EPA has delegated authority to a number of state agencies, including the NJDEP, to

administer the NPDES program through state acts. The New Jersey Water Pollution Control Act (NJWPCA) authorizes the NJDEP to implement regulations and to administer the NPDES program with EPA oversight, and to issue and enforce New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) permits. Power and Energy Holdings also have ownership interests in domestic facilities in

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other jurisdictions that have their own laws and implement regulations to control discharges to their surface waters and ground waters that directly govern Power s or Energy Holdings facilities in these jurisdictions.

The EPA promulgated regulations under FWPCA Section 316(b), which requires that cooling water intake structures reflect the best technology available (BTA) for minimizing adverse environmental impact. Phase I of the rule covering new facilities became effective on January 17, 2002. None of the projects that Power currently has under construction or in development is subject to the Phase I rule. The Phase II rule covering large existing power plants became effective on September 7, 2004. The Phase II regulations provided five alternative methods by which a facility can demonstrate that it complies with the requirement for BTA for minimizing adverse environmental impacts associated with cooling water intake structures.

On January 25, 2007, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit issued its decision in litigation of the Phase II rule brought by several environmental groups, the Attorneys General of six Northeastern states, the Utility Water Act Group and several of its members, including Power. The court remanded major portions of the rule and determined that Section 316(b) of the Clean Water Act does not support the use of restoration and the site specific cost-benefit test. Among the provisions the court remanded back to EPA for further consideration and rulemaking, the court instructed EPA to reconsider the definition of BTA without comparing the costs of the best performing technology to its benefits. Prior to this decision, Power has used restoration and site-specific cost benefit tests in applications it has filed to renew the NJPDES permits at its once-though cooled plants, including Salem, Hudson and Mercer. Although the rule applies to all of Power s electric generating units that use surface waters for once-through cooling purposes, the impact of the rule and the decision of the court cannot be determined at this time for all of Power s facilities. Depending on the outcome of any appeals, or actions by EPA to repromulgate the rule, this decision could have a material impact on Power s ability to renew its NPDES permits at its larger once-through cooled plants, including Salem, Hudson, Mercer, New Haven and Bridgeport, without making significant upgrades to their existing intake structures and cooling systems. The costs of those upgrades could be material to one or more of Power s once-through cooled plants.

#### **Power**

#### Permit Renewals

For information on permit renewals for Salem, see Note 12, Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

#### PSE&G and Power

Federal Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (CERCLA) and New Jersey Spill Compensation and Control Act (Spill Act)

CERCLA and the Spill Act authorize Federal and state trustees for natural resources to assess damages against persons who have discharged a hazardous substance, causing an injury to natural resources. Pursuant to the Spill Act, the NJDEP requires persons conducting remediation to characterize injuries to natural resources and to address those injuries through restoration or damages. The NJDEP adopted regulations concerning site investigation and remediation that require an ecological evaluation of potential damages to natural resources in connection with an environmental investigation of contaminated sites. In 2003, the NJDEP issued a policy directive memorializing its efforts to recover natural resource damages and its intent to continue to pursue the recovery of natural resource damages. The NJDEP also issued guidance to assist parties in calculating their natural resource damage liability for settlement purposes, but has stated that those calculations are applicable only for those parties that volunteer to settle a claim for natural resource damages before a claim is asserted by the NJDEP. PSE&G and Power cannot assess the magnitude of the potential financial impact of this regulatory change. See Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes for additional information.

Because of the nature of PSE&G s and Power s respective businesses, including the production and delivery of electricity, the distribution of gas and, formerly, the manufacture of gas, various by- products and substances are or were produced or handled that contain constituents classified by Federal and state authorities as hazardous. For discussions of these hazardous substance issues and a discussion of potential liability for remedial action regarding the Passaic River, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent

Liabilities of the Notes. For a discussion of remediation/clean-up actions involving PSE&G and Power, see Item 3. Legal Proceedings.

#### Uranium Enrichment Decontamination and Decommissioning Fund

In accordance with the EP Act, domestic entities that own nuclear generating stations are required to pay into a decontamination and decommissioning fund, based on their past purchases of U.S. government enrichment services. Since these amounts are being collected from PSE&G s customers over a period of 15 years, this obligation remained with PSE&G following the generation asset transfer to Power in 2000. PSE&G s obligation for the nuclear generating stations in which it had an interest was \$76 million (adjusted for inflation). As of December 31, 2006, PSE&G and Power had both paid their remaining obligations.

# New Jersey Operating Permits

The New Jersey Air Pollution Control Act requires that certain sources of air emissions obtain operating permits issued by NJDEP. All of Power s generating facilities in New Jersey are required to have such operating permits. The costs of compliance associated with any new requirements that may be imposed by these permits in the future are not known at this time and are not included in capital expenditures, but may be material.

#### Power

## Nuclear Fuel Disposal

Under the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982, as amended (NWPA), the Federal government has entered into contracts with the operators of nuclear power plants for transportation and ultimate disposal of spent nuclear fuel. To pay for this service, nuclear plant owners are required to contribute to a Nuclear Waste Fund at a rate of one mil (\$0.001) per kWh of nuclear generation, subject to such escalation as may be required to assure full cost recovery by the Federal government. Under the NWPA, the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) was required to begin taking possession of the spent nuclear fuel by no later than 1998. The DOE has announced that it does not expect a facility for such purpose to be available earlier than 2017.

Pursuant to NRC rules, spent nuclear fuel generated in any reactor can be stored in reactor facility storage pools or in independent spent fuel storage installations located at reactors or away-from- reactor sites for at least 30 years beyond the licensed life for reactor operation (which may include the term of a revised or renewed license). Adequate spent fuel storage capacity is estimated to be available through 2011 for Salem 1 and 2015 for Salem 2. Power completed, in August 2006, construction of an on-site storage facility that will satisfy the spent fuel storage needs of Hope Creek through the end of its current license. Exelon Generation has advised Power that it has a licensed and operational on-site storage facility at Peach Bottom that will satisfy Peach Bottom s spent fuel storage requirements until at least 2014.

Exelon Generation had previously advised Power that it had signed an agreement with the DOE, applicable to Peach Bottom, under which Exelon Generation would be reimbursed for costs incurred resulting from the DOE in accepting spent nuclear fuel for permanent storage. Future costs incurred resulting from the DOE delays in accepting spent fuel will be reimbursed annually until the DOE fulfills its obligation to accept spent nuclear fuel. In addition, Exelon Generation and Nuclear are required to reimburse the DOE for the previously received credits from the Nuclear Waste Fund, plus lost earnings. Under this settlement, Power received approximately \$27 million for its share of previously incurred storage costs for Peach Bottom, \$22 million of which was used for the required reimbursement to the Nuclear Waste Fund. Exelon Generation paid Power approximately \$5.4 million for its portion of the spent fuel storage costs reimbursed by the DOE in 2005 for costs incurred between October 1, 2003 and June 30, 2005.

In September 2001, Power filed a complaint in the U.S. Court of Federal Claims seeking damages for Salem and Hope Creek caused by the DOE not taking possession of spent nuclear fuel in 1998. On October 14, 2004, an order to show cause was issued regarding whether the U.S. Court of Federal Claims has jurisdiction over the matter. Power responded to this order in November 2004. On January 31, 2005, the Court dismissed the breach-of-contract claims of Power and three other utilities. Power moved for reconsideration in the U.S. Court of Federal Claims and jointly petitioned for permission to appeal the January 31, 2005 order to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit. On September 29, 2006, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit reversed the adverse U.S. Court of Federal Claims jurisdictional

ruling and reinstated Power s claims in the U.S. Court of Federal Claims. No assurances can be given as to any damage recovery or the ultimate availability of a disposal facility.

#### Spent Fuel Pool

The spent fuel pool at each Salem unit has an installed leakage collection system. This system was found to be obstructed at Salem Unit 1. Power developed a solution to maintain the design function of the leakage collection system at Salem Unit 1 and investigated the existence of any structural degradation that might have been caused by the obstruction. The concrete and reinforcing steel laboratory tests results were completed in March 2006. Test results that have been collected as part of the ongoing testing indicate that no repairs are anticipated. The NRC issued Information Notice 2004-05 in March 2004 concerning this emerging industry issue and Power cannot predict what further actions the NRC may take on this matter.

Elevated concentrations of tritium in the shallow groundwater at Salem Unit 1 were detected in early 2003. This information was reported to the NJDEP and the NRC, as required. Power conducted a comprehensive investigation in accordance with NJDEP site remediation regulations to determine the source and extent of the tritium in the groundwater. Power is conducting remedial actions to address the contamination in accordance with a remedial action workplan approved by the NJDEP in November 2004. The remedial actions are expected to be ongoing for several years. The costs necessary to address this on-site groundwater contamination issue are not expected to be material.

## Low Level Radioactive Waste (LLRW)

As a by-product of their operations, nuclear generation units produce LLRW. Such wastes include paper, plastics, protective clothing, water purification materials and other materials. LLRW materials are accumulated on-site and disposed of at licensed permanent disposal facilities. New Jersey, Connecticut and South Carolina have formed the Atlantic Compact, which gives New Jersey nuclear generators, including Power, continued access to the Barnwell LLRW disposal facility which is owned by South Carolina. Power believes that the Atlantic Compact will provide for adequate LLRW disposal for Salem and Hope Creek through the end of their current licenses, although no assurances can be given. Both Power and Exelon have on-site LLRW storage facilities for Salem, Hope Creek and Peach Bottom, which have the capacity for at least five years of temporary storage for each facility. For information regarding Nuclear Spent Fuel Pool, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

#### PSE&G

#### MGP Remediation Program

For information regarding PSE&G s MGP Remediation Program, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

#### ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The following factors should be considered when reviewing the businesses of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings. These factors could significantly impact the businesses and cause results to differ materially from those expressed in any statements made by, or on behalf of PSEG, PSE&G, Power or Energy Holdings herein. Some or all of these factors may apply to each of PSEG, PSE&G, Power, Energy Holdings and their respective subsidiaries.

#### Generation operating performance may fall below projected levels

## **Power and Energy Holdings**

Operating generating stations below expected capacity levels, especially at low-cost nuclear and coal facilities, may result in lost revenues and increased expenses, including replacement power costs. Factors that could cause generating station operations to fall below expected levels include, but are not limited to, the following:

breakdown or failure of equipment, processes or management effectiveness; disruptions in the transmission of electricity;

labor disputes;

fuel supply interruptions or transportation constraints;

limitations which may be imposed by environmental or other regulatory requirements;

permit limitations; and

operator error or catastrophic events such as fires, earthquakes, explosions, floods, acts of terrorism or other similar occurrences.

The potential lost revenues and increased expenses could result in a case where sufficient cash may not be available to service debt. In addition, any prolonged operating performance issues could potentially result in an impairment of the value of the affected facility.

# Failure to obtain adequate and timely rate relief could negatively impact results

#### PSE&G

As a public utility, PSE&G s rates are regulated. These rates are designed to allow PSE&G the opportunity to recover its operating expenses and earn a fair return on its rate base, which primarily consists of its property, plant and equipment. These rates include its electric and gas tariff rates that are subject to regulation by the BPU as well as its transmission rates that are subject to regulation by FERC. PSE&G s base rates are set by the BPU for electric distribution and gas distribution and are effective until the time a new rate case is brought to the BPU. These base rate cases generally take place when equity returns fall below reasonable levels. Some categories of costs, such as energy costs, are recovered through adjustment charges that are periodically reset to reflect actual costs. If these costs exceed the amount included in PSE&G s adjustment charges, there may be a negative impact on cash flows.

If PSE&G does not obtain adequate rate treatment on a timely basis in order to meet its operating expenses, there may be a negative impact on earnings and operating cash flows. PSE&G can give no assurances that tariff relief will be timely or sufficient for it to recover its costs and provide a sufficient return for its investors.

#### **Energy Holdings**

Global s distribution facilities are rate-regulated enterprises. Governmental authorities establish rates charged to customers. While these rates are designed to cover all operating costs and provide a return on investment, Energy Holdings can give no assurances that rates will, in the future, be sufficient to cover Global s costs and provide a sufficient return on its investments. In addition, future rates may not be adequate to provide cash flow to pay principal and interest on the debt of Global s subsidiaries and affiliates or to enable its subsidiaries and affiliates to comply with the terms of debt agreements.

#### Inability to balance energy obligations, available supply and trading risks could negatively impact results

#### **Power and Energy Holdings**

The revenues generated by the operation of the generating stations are subject to market risks that are beyond each company s control. Generation output will either be used to satisfy wholesale contract requirements, other bilateral contracts or be sold into other competitive power markets. Participants in the competitive power markets are not guaranteed any specified rate of return on their capital investments through recovery of mandated rates payable by purchasers of electricity.

Generation revenues and results of operations are dependent upon prevailing market prices for energy, capacity, ancillary services and fuel supply in the markets served.

#### **Power**

Power s energy trading and marketing activities frequently involve the establishment of forward sale positions in the wholesale energy markets on long-term and short-term bases. To the extent that Power has produced or purchased energy in excess of its contracted obligations a reduction in market prices could reduce profitability.

Conversely, to the extent that Power has contracted obligations in excess of energy it has produced or purchased, an increase in market prices could reduce profitability.

If the strategy Power utilizes to hedge its exposures to these various risks is not effective, it could incur significant losses. Power s substantial market positions can also be adversely affected by the level of volatility in the energy markets that, in turn, depends on various factors, including weather in various geographical areas, short-term supply and demand imbalances and pricing differentials at various geographic locations, which cannot be predicted with any certainty.

Increases in market prices also affect Power s ability to hedge generation output and fuel requirements as the obligation to post margin increases with increasing prices and, resultingly, could require the maintenance of liquidity resources that would be prohibitively expensive.

## **Environmental regulations could limit operations**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings are required to comply with numerous statutes, regulations and ordinances relating to the safety and health of employees and the public, the protection of the environment and land use. These statutes, regulations and ordinances are constantly changing. While management believes that PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings have obtained all material approvals currently required to own and operate their respective facilities and that approvals will be issued in a timely manner, significant additional costs could be incurred in order to comply with these requirements. In some cases, the cost of compliance could exceed the marginal value of the facility. Failure to comply with environmental statutes, regulations and ordinances could have a material effect on PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings, including potential civil or criminal liability, the imposition of clean-up liens or fines and expenditures of funds to bring facilities into compliance or possible impairment of the value of the affected facility.

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings can give no assurance that they will be able to:

obtain all required environmental approvals not yet received or that may be required in the future;

obtain any necessary modifications to existing environmental approvals;

maintain compliance with all applicable

environmental laws, regulations and approvals; or

recover any resulting costs through future sales.

Delay in obtaining or failure to obtain and maintain in full force and effect any environmental approvals, or delay or failure to satisfy any applicable environmental regulatory requirements, could prevent construction of new facilities, operation of existing facilities or sale of energy from these facilities or could result in significant additional costs.

#### **Power**

Many of Power s generating facilities are located in the State of New Jersey where environmental programs are generally considered to be more stringent in comparison to similar programs in other states. As such, there may be instances where the facilities located in New Jersey are subject to more stringent and, therefore, more costly pollution control requirements than competitive facilities in other states.

#### Regulatory issues significantly impact operations and profitability

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Federal, state and local authorities impose substantial regulation and permitting requirements on the electric power generation business. Power and Energy Holdings are required to comply with numerous laws and regulations and to obtain numerous governmental permits in order to operate generation stations. In addition, PSE&G s and certain of Global s distribution facilities could be subject to financial penalties if reliability performance standards are not met.

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings can give no assurance that existing regulations will not be revised or reinterpreted, that new laws and regulations will not be adopted or become applicable or that future changes in laws and regulations, including the possibility of reregulation in some deregulated markets, will not have a detrimental effect on their respective businesses.

## **Power and Energy Holdings**

Power and Energy Holdings believe that they have obtained all material energy-related federal, state and local approvals currently required to operate their respective generation stations and sell energy output, including MBR authority from FERC. Although not currently required, additional regulatory approvals may be required in the future due to changes in laws and regulations or for other reasons. No assurance can be given that Power and Energy Holdings will be able to obtain any required regulatory approval in the future, or that they will be able to obtain any necessary extensions in receiving any required regulatory approvals.

Power is also subject to pervasive regulation by the NRC with respect to the operation of nuclear generation stations. This regulation involves testing, evaluation and modification of all aspects of plant operation in light of NRC safety, environmental and personnel management requirements. The NRC also requires continuous demonstrations that plant operations meet applicable requirements. The NRC has the ultimate authority to determine whether any nuclear generation unit may operate.

Any failure to obtain or comply with any required regulatory approvals could materially adversely affect Power s and Energy Holdings ability to operate generation stations or sell electricity to third parties.

In addition, there is also a risk to Power and Energy Holdings if states decide to turn away from competition and allow regulated utilities to continue to own or reacquire and operate generating stations in a regulated and potentially uneconomical manner, or to encourage rate-based treatment for the construction of new base-load generating units. This has already occurred in certain states. The lack of consistent rules in markets outside of PJM can negatively impact the competitiveness of Power s plants.

Moreover, current rules being developed at FERC, at DOE and at PJM with respect to the access to and construction of transmission and the allocation of costs for such construction may have the effect of altering the level playing field between transmission options and generation options, which could have a competitive impact upon PSEG and Power.

#### Availability of adequate power transmission facilities

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The ability to sell and deliver electric energy products may be adversely impacted and the ability to generate revenues may be limited if:

transmission is disrupted;

transmission capacity is inadequate; or

a region s power transmission infrastructure is inadequate.

Inability to access sufficient capital in the amounts and at the times needed

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Capital for projects and investments has been provided by internally-generated cash flow, equity issuances by PSEG and borrowings by PSEG, PSE&G, Power, Energy Holdings and their respective subsidiaries. Continued access to debt capital from outside sources is required in order to efficiently fund the cash flow needs of the businesses. The ability to arrange financing and the costs of capital depend on numerous factors including, among other things, general economic and market conditions, the availability of credit from banks and other financial institutions, investor confidence, the success of current projects and the quality of new projects.

The ability to access sufficient capital in the bank and debt capital markets is dependent upon current and future capital structure, performance, financial condition and the availability of capital at a reasonable economic cost. As a result, no assurance can be given that PSEG, PSE&G, Power or Energy Holdings will be successful in obtaining financing for projects and investments or funding the equity commitments required for such projects and investments in the future.

#### Counterparty credit risks or a deterioration of credit quality

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

As market prices for energy and fuel fluctuate, Power s forward energy sale and forward fuel purchase contracts could require substantial collateral requiring Power to source additional liquidity during periods when Power s ability to source such liquidity may be limited. Also, in connection with its energy trading

activities, Power must meet credit quality standards required by counterparties. Standard industry contracts generally require trading counterparties to maintain investment grade ratings. These same contracts provide reciprocal benefits to Power. If Power loses its investment grade credit rating, ER&T would have to provide additional collateral in the form of letters of credit or cash, which would significantly impact the energy trading business. This would increase Power s costs of doing business and limit its ability to successfully conduct energy trading operations.

Power sells generation output through the execution of bilateral contracts. These contracts are subject to credit risk, which relates to the ability of counterparties to meet their contractual obligations. Any failure to perform on the part of these counterparties could have a material impact on PSEG s and Power s results of operations, cash flows and financial position. As market prices rise above contracted price levels, Power is required to post collateral with purchasers. Collateral posting requirements for BGS contracts in particular are one-sided. If market prices fall below BGS contracted price levels for a single contract, power purchasers are not required to post collateral with Power. However, such margin positions can be netted against margin due from Power in other BGS contracts with the same counterparty.

#### Substantial competition from well-capitalized participants in the worldwide energy markets

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Restructuring of worldwide energy markets is creating opportunities for, and substantial competition from, well-capitalized entities that may adversely affect the ability of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings to make investments on favorable terms and achieve growth objectives. Increased competition could contribute to a reduction in prices offered for power and could result in lower returns which may affect PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings ability to service their respective outstanding indebtedness, including short-term debt. Some of the competitors include:

merchant generators; banks, funds and other financial entities; domestic and multi-national utility generators; energy marketers; fuel supply companies; and affiliates of other industrial companies.

#### As a holding company, the ability to service debt could be limited

#### **PSEG and Energy Holdings**

PSEG and Energy Holdings are holding companies with no material assets other than the stock or membership interests of their subsidiaries and project affiliates. As such, PSEG and Energy Holdings depend on their respective subsidiaries and project affiliates cash flow and their respective access to capital in order to service their indebtedness. Each of PSEG s and Energy Holdings respective subsidiaries and project affiliates are separate and distinct legal entities that have no obligation, contingent or otherwise, to pay any amounts when due on PSEG s or Energy Holdings debt or to make any funds available to pay such amounts. As a result, PSEG s and Energy Holdings debt will effectively be subordinated to all existing and future debt, trade creditors, and other liabilities of their respective subsidiaries and project affiliates and PSEG s and Energy Holdings rights and hence the rights of their respective creditors to participate in any distribution of assets of any subsidiary or project affiliate upon its liquidation or reorganization or otherwise would be subject to the prior claims of that subsidiary s or project affiliate s creditors, except to the extent that PSEG s or Energy Holdings claims as a creditor of such subsidiary or project affiliate may be recognized.

In addition, Energy Holdings subsidiaries project-related debt agreements generally restrict the subsidiaries ability to pay dividends, make cash distributions or otherwise transfer funds. These restrictions may include achieving and maintaining financial performance or debt coverage ratios, absence of events of default, or priority in payment of other current or prospective obligations. Also, Energy Holdings is structurally designed to be able to meet its obligations without any support from its parent, PSEG. These restrictions could further restrict Energy Holdings ability to service its outstanding indebtedness.

# Adverse international developments could negatively impact results

#### **Energy Holdings**

A component of PSEG s and Energy Holdings business is international distribution and generation, primarily in Chile and Peru. The economic and political conditions in certain countries where Global has interests present risks that may be different than those found in the U.S. which could affect the value of its investments, cash flows from projects and make it more difficult to obtain non-recourse project refinancing on suitable terms or could impair Global s ability to enforce its rights under agreements relating to such projects. Such risks include:

expropriation or nationalization of energy assets; renegotiation or abrogation of existing contracts; and changes in law or tax policy.

Operations in foreign countries also present risks associated with currency exchange rates and convertibility, inflation and repatriation of earnings. In some countries, economic and monetary conditions and other factors could affect Global s ability to convert its cash distributions to U.S. Dollars or other freely convertible currencies, or to move funds offshore from these countries. Furthermore, the central bank of any of these countries may have the authority to suspend, restrict or otherwise impose conditions on foreign exchange transactions or to approve distributions to foreign investors.

#### Inability to realize tax benefits

#### **Energy Holdings**

Through its leveraged lease investments, Resources acquired an asset by investing equity representing approximately 15% to 20% of the cost of the asset and incurring non-recourse lease debt for the balance. As the owner, Resources is entitled to depreciate the asset under applicable federal and state tax guidelines and receives income from the tax benefits associated with interest and depreciation deductions with respect to the leased property. The ability of Resources to realize these tax benefits is dependent on operating income generated by its affiliates and allocated pursuant to PSEG s consolidated tax sharing agreement. A reduction of operating income could impair Resources ability to receive such benefits, which would result in a reduction of earnings and cash flows. In addition, during 2006, the IRS disallowed certain deductions associated with some of the leveraged leases which have been designated by the IRS as listed transactions. For additional information see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes. Any material disallowance of deductions could impact Energy Holdings earnings and ability to service its outstanding indebtedness.

Decreases in the value of the pension and other postretirement assets could require additional funding

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Adverse changes in the rates of return or performance of the investments in which the pension and other postretirement trust assets are held could lower the value of the funds and the trust assets. Such a decline in value could result in additional funding obligations to meet the applicable legal and regulatory requirements. To the extent that these additional funding obligations are significant, this could impact PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings ability to service debt.

## Changes in technology may make power generation assets less competitive

#### **Power and Energy Holdings**

A key element of the business plan is that generating power at central power plants produces electricity at relatively low cost. There are alternative technologies to produce electricity that continue to attract capital for research and development, most notably fuel cells, microturbines, windmills and photovoltaic (solar) cells. It is possible that advances in technology will reduce the cost of alternative methods of producing electricity to a level that is competitive with that of most central station electric production. If this were to happen, Power s and Energy Holdings market share could be eroded and the value of their respective power plants could be significantly impaired. Changes in technology could also alter the channels through which retail electric customers buy electricity, which could affect financial results.

## Insurance coverages may not be sufficient

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings have insurance for their respective facilities, including:

all-risk property damage insurance; commercial general public liability insurance; boiler and machinery coverage; nuclear liability; and for nuclear generating units, replacement power and business interruption insurance in amounts and with deductibles that management considers appropriate.

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings can give no assurance that this insurance coverage will be available in the future on commercially reasonable terms or that the insurance proceeds received for any loss of or any damage to any of their respective facilities will be sufficient to fund future payments on debt. Additionally, some properties may not be insured in the event of an act of terrorism.

#### Recession, acts of war or terrorism

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The consequences of a prolonged recession and adverse market conditions may include the continued uncertainty of energy prices and the capital and commodity markets. Management cannot predict the impact of any continued

economic slowdown, reduced growth rate in energy usage or fluctuating energy prices; however, such impact could have a material adverse effect on PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings financial condition, results of operations and net cash flows.

Major industrial facilities, generation plants, fuel storage facilities and transmission and distribution facilities may be targets of terrorist activities that could result in disruption of PSE&G s, Power s or Energy Holdings ability to produce or distribute some portion of their respective energy products. Any such disruption could result in a significant decrease in revenues and/or significant additional costs to repair, which could have a material adverse impact on the financial condition, results of operation and net cash flows of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings.

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**PSEG** 

None.

PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Not Applicable.

#### **ITEM 2. PROPERTIES**

#### **PSEG and Services**

PSEG does not own any property. All property is owned by PSEG s subsidiaries.

Services leases a 25-story office tower for PSEG s corporate headquarters at 80 Park Plaza, Newark, New Jersey, together with an adjoining three-story building. In addition, Services owns the Maplewood Test Services Facility in Maplewood, New Jersey.

PSEG believes that it and its subsidiaries maintain adequate insurance coverage against loss or damage to plants and properties, subject to certain exceptions, to the extent such property is usually insured and insurance is available at a reasonable cost.

#### PSE&G

PSE&G s First and Refunding Mortgage (Mortgage), securing the bonds issued thereunder, constitutes a direct first mortgage lien on substantially all of PSE&G s property.

PSE&G s electric lines and gas mains are located over or under public highways, streets, alleys or lands, except where they are located over or under property owned by PSE&G or occupied by it under easements or other rights. These easements and other rights are deemed by PSE&G to be adequate for the purposes for which they are being used.

PSE&G believes that it maintains adequate insurance coverage against loss or damage to its principal properties, subject to certain exceptions, to the extent such property is usually insured and insurance is available at a reasonable cost.

#### **Electric Transmission and Distribution Properties**

As of December 31, 2006, PSE&G s transmission and distribution system included approximately 21,745 circuit miles, of which approximately 7,710 circuit miles were underground, and approximately 804,936 poles, of which approximately 538,811 poles were jointly-owned. Approximately 99% of this property is located in New Jersey.

In addition, as of December 31, 2006, PSE&G owned four electric distribution headquarters and five subheadquarters in four operating divisions, all located in New Jersey.

## **Gas Distribution Properties**

As of December 31, 2006, the daily gas capacity of PSE&G s 100%-owned peaking facilities (the maximum daily gas delivery available during the three peak winter months) consisted of liquid petroleum air gas (LPG) and liquefied natural gas (LNG) and aggregated 2,973,000 therms (approximately 2,886,000 cubic feet on an equivalent basis of 1.030 Btu/cubic foot) as shown in the following table:

Plant	Location	Daily Capacity (Therms)
Burlington LNG	Burlington, NJ	773,000
Camden LPG	Camden, NJ	280,000

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Central LPG	Edison Twp., NJ	960,000
Harrison LPG	Harrison, NJ	960,000
Total		2,973,000

As of December 31, 2006, PSE&G owned and operated approximately 17,556 miles of gas mains, owned 12 gas distribution headquarters and two subheadquarters, all in three operating regions located in New Jersey and owned one meter shop in New Jersey serving all such areas. In addition, PSE&G operated 62 natural gas metering or regulating stations, all located in New Jersey, of which 28 were located on land owned by customers or natural gas pipeline suppliers and were operated under lease, easement or other similar arrangement. In some instances, the pipeline companies owned portions of the metering and regulating facilities.

#### Office Buildings and Facilities

PSE&G rents office space from Services as its headquarters in Newark, New Jersey. PSE&G also leases office space at various locations throughout New Jersey for district offices and offices for various corporate groups and services. PSE&G also owns various other sites for training, testing, parking, records storage, research, repair and maintenance, warehouse facilities and for other purposes related to its business.

In addition to the facilities discussed above, as of December 31, 2006, PSE&G owned 42 switching stations in New Jersey with an aggregate installed capacity of 22,809 megavolt-amperes and 244 substations with an aggregate installed capacity of 7,790 megavolt-amperes. In addition, four substations in New Jersey having an aggregate installed capacity of 109 megavolt-amperes were operated on leased property.

#### **Power**

Power rents office space from Services as its headquarters in Newark, New Jersey. Other leased properties include office, warehouse, classroom and storage space, primarily located in New Jersey. Power also owns the Central Maintenance Shop at Sewaren, New Jersey.

Power has a 57.41% ownership interest in approximately 13,000 acres in the Delaware River Estuary region to satisfy the condition of the NJPDES permit issued for Salem. Power also owns several other facilities, including the on-site Nuclear Administration and Processing Center buildings.

Power has a 13.91% ownership interest in the 650-acre Merrill Creek Reservoir in Warren County, New Jersey and approximately 2,158 acres of land surrounding the reservoir. The reservoir was constructed to store water for release to the Delaware River during periods of low flow. Merrill Creek is jointly-owned by seven companies that have generation facilities along the Delaware River or its tributaries and use the river water in their operations.

Power believes that it maintains adequate insurance coverage against loss or damage to its plants and properties, subject to certain exceptions, to the extent such property is usually insured and insurance is available at a reasonable cost. For a discussion of nuclear insurance, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

As of December 31, 2006, Power s share of installed generating capacity was 14,639 MW, as shown in the following table:

# **OPERATING POWER PLANTS**

Name	Location	Total Capacity (MV)	% Owned	Owned Capacity (MV)	Principal Fuels Used	Mission
Steam:						
Hudson	NJ	991	100 %	991	Coal/Gas	Load Following
Mercer	NJ	648	100 %	648	Coal/Gas	Load Following
Sewaren	NJ	453	100 %	453	Gas/Oil	Load Following
Keystone(A)(B)	PA	1,700	23 %	388	Coal	Base Load
Conemaugh(A)(B)	PA	1,700	23 %	382	Coal	Base Load
Bridgeport Harbor	CT	518	100 %	518	Coal/Oil	Base Load
New Haven Harbor	CT	455	100 %	455	Oil/Gas	Load Following
Total Steam		6,465		3,835		
Nuclear:		4.054	400 %	. 0.51		
Hope Creek	NJ	1,061	100 %	1,061	Nuclear	Base Load
Salem 1 & 2(A)	NJ	2,304	57 %	1,323	Nuclear	Base Load
Peach Bottom 2 & 3(A)(C)	PA	2,224	50 %	1,112	Nuclear	Base Load
Total Nuclear		5,589		3,496		
Combined Cycle:						
Bergen	NJ	1,225	100 %	1,225	Gas/Oil	Load Following
Linden	NJ	1,186	100 %	1,186	Gas	Load Following
Lawrenceburg(F)	IN	1,080	100 %	1,080	Gas	Load Following
Bethlehem	NY	793	100 %	793	Gas	Load Following
Total Combined Cycle		4,284		4,284		

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Combustion Turbine:						
Essex	NJ	617	100 %	617	Gas/Oil	Peaking
Edison	NJ	504	100 %	504	Gas/Oil	Peaking
Kearny	NJ	443	100 %	443	Gas/Oil	Peaking
Burlington	NJ	557	100 %	557	Gas/Oil	Peaking
Linden	NJ	340	100 %	340	Gas/Oil	Peaking
Mercer	NJ	129	100 %	129	Oil	Peaking
Sewaren	NJ	129	100 %	129	Oil	Peaking
Bergen	NJ	21	100 %	21	Gas	Peaking
National Park	NJ	21	100 %	21	Oil	Peaking
Kearny	NJ	21	100 %	21	Gas	Peaking
Salem(A)	NJ	38	57 %	22	Oil	Peaking
Bridgeport Harbor	CT	15	100 %	15	Oil	Peaking
Total Combustion Turbine		2,835		2,819		
Internal Combustion:						
Conemaugh(A)(B)	PA	11	23 %	2	Oil	Peaking
Keystone(A)(B)	PA	11	23 %	3	Oil	Peaking
Total Internal Combustion		22		5		
Pumped Storage:						
Yards Creek(A)(D)(E)	NJ	400	50 %	200	Peaking	
Total Operating Generation Plants		19,595		14,639		

- (A) Power s share of jointly-owned facility.
- (B) Operated by Reliant Energy.
- (C) Operated by Exelon

Generation.

- (D) Operated by JCP&L.
- (E) Excludes energy for pumping and synchronous condensers.
- (F) On December 29, 2006,
  Power entered into an agreement to sell
  Lawrenceburg.
  See Note 4.
  Discontinued Operations,
  Dispositions,
  Acquisitions and
  Impairments of the Notes.

As of December 31, 2006, Power had generating capacity in construction or advanced development, as shown in the following table:

# POWER PLANTS IN ADVANCED DEVELOPMENT

Name	Location	Total Capacity (MW)	% Owned	Owned Capacity (MW)	Principal Fuels Used	Scheduled In Service Date
Nuclear Uprates	NJ/PA	160	Various	142	Nuclear	2007-2008
Total Advanced						
Development.		160		142		

Projected Capacity	Total Owned Capacity (MW)	
Total Owned Operating Generation Plants	14,639	
Advanced Development	142	
Less: Planned Sales	(1,080)	
Projected Capacity	13,701	

## **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings rents office space from Services as its headquarters in Newark, New Jersey.

Energy Holdings believes that it maintains adequate insurance coverage for properties in which its subsidiaries have an equity interest, subject to certain exceptions, to the extent such property is usually insured and insurance is available at a reasonable cost.

Global has invested in the following generation facilities that were in operation as of December 31, 2006:

# **OPERATING POWER PLANTS**

Name	Location	Total Capacity (MW)	% Owned	Owned Capacity (MW)	Principal Fuels Used
United States(A)					
Texas Independent Energy, L.P. (TIE) Guadalupe Power Partners, LP (Guadalupe)	TX	1,000	100 %	1,000	Natural gas
Odessa-Ector Power Partners, L.P. (Odessa)	TX	1,000	100 %	1,000	Natural gas
Total TIE		2,000		2,000	
Kalaeloa Partners L.P. (Kalaeloa)	НІ	208	50 %	104	Oil
GWF Power Systems, L.P. (GWF)	CA	105	50 %	53	Petroleum coke
Hanford L.P. (Hanford)	CA	27	50 %	13	Petroleum coke
GWF Energy LLC (GWF Energy)					
Hanford Peaker Plant	CA	95	60 %	57	Natural gas
Henrietta Peaker Plant	CA	97	60 %	58	Natural gas
Tracy Peaker Plant	CA	171	60 %	103	Natural gas
Total GWF Energy		363		218	
Bridgewater	NH	16	40 %	6	Biomass
Conemaugh	PA	15	4 %	1	Hydro
<b>Total United States</b>		2,734		2,395	
International					
PPN Power Generating Company Limited (PPN)	India	330	20 %	66	Naphtha/Natural gas
Prisma					
Crotone	Italy	20	43 %	9	Biomass
Bando D Argenta I	Italy	20	85 %	17	Biomass
Strongoli	Italy	40	43 %	17	Biomass
Total Prisma		80		43	

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Electroandes	Peru	180	100 %	180	Hydro
Turboven					
Maracay	Venezuela	60	50 %	30	Natural gas
Cagua	Venezuela	60	50 %	30	Natural gas
Total Turboven		120		60	
Turbogeneradores de Maracay	X7 1	40	0.04	4	N 1
(TGM)	Venezuela	40	9 %	4	Natural gas
					Natural gas/
SAESA Group	Chile	120	100 %	120	Gas/Oil/Hydro/Wind
<b>Total International</b>		870		473	
<b>Total Operating Power Plants</b>		3,604		2,868	

(A) On December 22, 2006, Global entered into an agreement to sell its 34.5% interest in Thermal Energy Development Partnership, L.P. which owns the 21 MWbiomass-fueled Tracy project in California and therefore, has been excluded. The sale closed in January 2007. See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments of

the Notes.

#### **Domestic Generation**

#### TIE

Global owns 100% of TIE which owns and operates two electric generation facilities, one in Guadalupe County in south central Texas (Guadalupe) and one in Odessa in western Texas (Odessa). Approximately 30% of the total expected output of TIE for 2007 has been sold via bilateral agreements and additional bilateral sales for peak and off-peak services will be signed as the year progresses. Any remaining uncommitted output is sold in the Texas spot market. Included in the amounts above is a 350 MW daily capacity call option at Odessa that expires on December 31, 2010.

#### Kalaeloa

Global s 50% partner in Kalaeloa is a power fund managed by Harbert Power Corporation (Harbert). All of the electricity generated by the Kalaeloa power plant is sold to the Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. (HECO) under a PPA expiring in May 2016. Under a steam purchase and sale agreement expiring in May 2016, the Kalaeloa power plant supplies steam to the adjacent Tesoro refinery. The primary fuel, low sulfur fuel oil, is provided from the adjacent Tesoro refinery under a long-term all requirements contract. The refinery is interconnected to the power plant by a pipeline and preconditions the fuel oil prior to delivery. Back-up fuel supply is provided by HECO.

The two combustion turbines of Kalaeloa were upgraded in 2004 resulting in both an increase in the net plant output by approximately 20 MW and an improvement in the efficiency of consuming fuel. As a result of the upgrades, Kalaeloa and HECO entered into two amendments to the PPA. The amendments were effective upon final approval from the Public Utility Commission of the State of Hawaii in September 2005. The amendments increased Kalaeloa s firm capacity and associated energy sales to HECO from 180 MW to 208 MW.

#### **GWF** and Hanford

Global and an affiliate of Harbert each own 50% of GWF. PPAs for the five GWF Bay Area plants net output are in place with Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) ending in 2020 and 2021. GWF acquires the petroleum coke used to fuel its plants through contracts with three local oil refineries with minimum volumes nominated by GWF annually and price negotiated between the parties either semi-annually or annually. Three of the five GWF plants have been modified to burn a wider variety of petroleum coke products to mitigate fuel supply and pricing risk.

Global and an affiliate of Harbert each own 50% of Hanford. A PPA for the plant s net output is in place with PG&E ending in August 2011. Hanford acquires the petroleum coke fired in its plant through a contract with a refinery with price negotiated semi-annually.

#### Hanford, Henrietta and Tracy Peaker Plants

GWF Energy, which is 60% owned by Global and 40% owned by a power fund managed by Harbert, owns and operates three peaker plants in California. Global owned approximately 75% of GWF Energy until February 2004 when it sold a 14.9% interest to Harbinger for approximately \$14 million. The output of these plants is sold under a PPA with the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) with maturities in 2011 and 2012. DWR has the right to schedule energy and/or reserve capacity from each unit of the three plants for a maximum of 2,000 hours each year. Energy and capacity not scheduled by DWR is available for sale by GWF Energy. DWR supplies the natural gas when the units are scheduled for dispatch by DWR. GWF Energy obtains the natural gas used to fuel its plants for non-DWR sales from the spot market on a non-firm basis.

#### **International Generation**

India

**PPN** 

Global owns a 20% interest in PPN located in Tamil Nadu, India. Global s partners include the Apollo Infrastructure Company Ltd., with a 46.9% interest, Marubeni Corporation, with a 26% interest, Housing

Development Finance Corporation (HDFC) and HDFC Life Insurance Corporation, with a 5% and 2.1% interest respectively. PPN has entered into a PPA for the sale of 100% of its output to the State Electricity Board of Tamil Nadu (TNEB) for 30 years, with an agreement to take-or-pay equal to a plant load factor of at least 68.5%.

#### *Italy*

#### Prisma

Global owns an 85% interest in Prisma which indirectly owns and operates three biomass generation plants in Italy through its ownership of 100% of San Marco Bioenergie S.p.A., which owns a 20 MW plant, and 50% of Biomasse, a partnership with Api Holding S.p.A., which owns two plants totaling 60 MW. Global records Prisma s investment in Biomasse as an equity method investment due to Global s approximate 43% indirect ownership in Biomasse. The output of the plants is sold under power purchase agreements with the Italian national grid (CIP contracts), which include a premium for the renewable energy output. These contracts expire from 2009 through 2012. For additional information relating to Prisma, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

#### Peru

#### **Electroandes**

Global owns a 100% interest in Electroandes located in Peru. Electroandes main assets include four hydroelectric facilities with a combined installed capacity of 180 MW and 437 miles of transmission lines located in the central Andean region east of Lima. Electroandes revenues were obtained through various PPAs, denominated in U.S. Dollars. Electroandes has contracted for 95% and 91% in 2007 and 2008, respectively, and over 50% for 2009 and 2010. Approximately 75% of the PPAs in 2007 are with unregulated customers with a more balanced split between regulated and unregulated in 2008 and beyond.

#### Venezuela

#### Turboven

The facilities in Maracay and Cagua are owned and operated by Turboven, an entity which is jointly-owned by Global (50%) and Corporacion Industrial de Energia (CIE). PPAs expiring between 2007 and 2011 have been entered into for the sale of approximately 40% of the output of Maracay and Cagua to various industrial customers. The PPAs are structured to provide energy only with minimum take provisions. Fuel costs are passed through directly to customers and the energy tariffs are calculated in U.S. Dollars and paid in local currency. See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments of the Notes for a discussion of recent events in Venezuela.

#### **TGM**

Global has a 9% indirect interest in TGM through a partnership with CIE. TGM sells all of the energy produced under a PPA with Manufacturas del Papel (MANPA), a paper manufacturing concern located in Maracay. MANPA and CIE have common controlling shareholders. See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments of the Notes for a discussion of recent events in Venezuela.

#### **Electric Distribution Facilities**

Global has invested in the following major distribution systems:

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Name	Location	Number of Customers	Global s Ownership Interest
SAESA Group	Chile	617,000	100 %
Chilquinta	Chile	534,000	50 %
LDS	Peru	788,000	38 %
Total		1,939,000	
			45

#### Chile and Peru

#### SAESA Group

Global owns a 99.99% equity interest in SAESA, 98.99% of Empresa Electrica de la Frontera S.A. (Frontel) and 100% of PSEG Generacion y Energia Chile Limitada (Generacion), collectively known as the SAESA Group. The SAESA Group consists of four distribution companies and one transmission company that provide electric service to 390 cities and towns over 900 miles in southern Chile and a generating company. The SAESA Group has 120 MW of installed generating capacity in operation (46 MW of natural gas-fired peaker capacity, 51 MW oil-fired, 21 MW hydro and 2 MW wind). The transmission company, Sistema de Transmission del Sur S.A. (STS), provides transmission services to electric generation facilities that have PPAs with distributors in Regions VIII, IX and X and has installed transformation capacity of 918 megavolt-amperes.

The SAESA Group also owned a 50% interest in an Argentine distribution company, Empresa de Energia Rio Negro S.A., which provides generation, transmission and distribution services to approximately 147,000 customers in the Province of Rio Negro, Argentina, but was sold in the last quarter of 2006. The management of the SAESA Group is organized and administered according to a centralized administrative structure designed to maximize operational synergies. For additional information related to the SAESA Group, see Item 1. Business Regulatory Issues.

#### Chilquinta and LDS

Global and Sempra Energy (Sempra), each own 50% of the shares of Chilquinta, an energy distribution company with numerous energy holdings, based in Valparaiso, Chile. Following the sale in 2004 of 12% of the shares of LDS to the public, Global and Sempra own 75.9% of LDS, an electric distribution company located in Lima, Peru. As part of the Chilquinta and LDS investments, Global and Sempra also own Tecnored and Tecsur, located in Chile and Peru, respectively. These companies provide procurement and contracting services to Chilquinta, LDS and others.

As equal partners, Global and Sempra share in the management of Chilquinta and LDS. However, Sempra has assumed lead operational responsibilities at Chilquinta, while Global has assumed lead operational responsibilities at LDS. The shareholders agreement provides for important veto rights over major partnership decisions including dividend policy, budget approvals, management appointments and indebtedness.

Chilquinta operates under a non-exclusive perpetual franchise within Chile s Region V which is located just north and west of Santiago. Global believes that direct competition for distribution customers would be uneconomical for potential competitors. LDS operates under an exclusive, perpetual franchise in the southern portion of the city of Lima and in an area just south of the city along the coast serving a population of approximately 3.2 million. Both Chilquinta and LDS purchase energy for distribution from generators in their respective markets on a contract basis. For additional information related to Chilquinta and LDS, see Item 1. Business Regulatory Issues.

#### ITEM 3. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

#### PSE&G

In November 2001, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (Con Edison) filed a complaint against PSE&G, PJM and NYISO with FERC asserting a failure to comply with agreements between PSE&G and Con Edison covering 1,000 MW of transmission. PSE&G denied the allegations set forth in the complaint. An Initial Decision issued by an ALJ in April 2002 upheld PSE&G s claim in part but also accepted Con Edison s contentions in part. In December 2002, FERC issued an order modifying the Initial Decision and remanding a number of issues to the ALJ for additional hearings, including issues related to the development of protocols to implement the findings of the order and regarding Phase II of the complaint. The ALJ issued an Initial Decision on the Phase II issues in June 2003 and in August 2004, FERC issued its decision on Phase II issues. While those decisions were largely favorable to PSE&G,

PSE&G sought rehearing as to certain issues, as did Con Edison. Those rehearing applications are currently pending.

The August 2004 order required that PJM, NYISO, Con Edison and PSE&G meet for the purpose of developing operational protocols to implement FERC s directives. On February 18, 2005, NYISO, PJM and

PSE&G submitted a joint compliance filing pursuant to FERC s August 2004 decision. FERC approved the joint proposals on May 18, 2005 and they took effect on July 1, 2005. In subsequent filings to FERC regarding the efficacy of these protocols, Con Edison continues to claim that the obligations under the agreements as interpreted by the FERC s orders are not being met. In December 30, 2005 and January 19, 2007 filings with FERC, Con Edison claims to have incurred \$111 million in damages, and has requested FERC to require refunds of this amount. To the extent that this claim is directed at PSE&G, PSE&G believes that the claim has no legal basis and that, in any event, PSE&G has meritorious defenses to the claim. PJM, NYISO, Con Edison and PSE&G have agreed to a work plan under which they will attempt, during the Spring of 2007, to address operational issues associated with the protocols and to address Con Edison s refund claim. Con Edison has also requested that, if these settlement discussions are not successful, that FERC convene judge-mediated settlement discussions, to be followed by hearings if necessary. The scope of the discussions envisioned under the work plan are not currently expected, however, to encompass a comprehensive review of all matters raised in the November 2001 complaint or the pending rehearing requests of the FERC s orders. As this matter is currently pending before FERC, PSEG and PSE&G are unable to predict the outcome of this proceeding.

#### **Energy Holdings**

#### India

Global has a 20% ownership interest in PPN, which sells its output under a long-term PPA with the TNEB. TNEB has not made full payment to PPN for the purchase of energy under the PPA. Resolution of the past due receivables against which PPN has established reserves was expected to be achieved in 2005 by a joint working group including the Central Electric Authority (CEA), PPN and TNEB. However, in the latter part of 2005, the CEA reportedly stated that it had no jurisdiction in the matter and referred the parties to the Tamil Nadu Electric Regulatory Commission (TNERC). Neither PPN nor Global believe that TNERC has jurisdiction over Capital Cost Approval, a significant component of the receivables reserve. An adverse outcome concerning the disputed Capital Cost Approvals could result in impairment of this investment.

On March 26, 2004, Global and El Paso Energy Corporation (which sold its ownership interest in PPN in 2005) filed a notice of arbitration on behalf of PPN against TNEB under the arbitration clause of the PPA, asserting that they have the right as minority shareholders to protect the contractual rights of PPN where PPN has failed to exercise those rights itself. In response, PPN filed a petition for an anti-suit injunction against the arbitration. Global successfully defended against the petition in two lower courts. PPN has filed its final appeal in the Supreme Court of India (SLP Civil No. 23169). Hearings that began on January 24, 2005 have resulted in a stay of PSEG s continued actions in the arbitral court pending a decision by the Indian Supreme Court, which is expected in due course.

On December 30, 2006, Global petitioned the Company Law Board (Law Board) in Chennai, India to withdraw, without prejudice, its case against certain other members of PPN s Board of Directors, PPN management and certain other PPN shareholders for failure to act in PPN s best interest and other assertions. The Law Board issued the order as requested and the other parties did not object. The withdrawal of the Law Board case is expected to result in an eventual dismissal of the injunction against the arbitration described above.

As of December 31, 2006, Global s total investment in PPN was approximately \$34 million.

#### **Turkey**

From about 1995 through 2001, Global and its partners expended approximately \$12 million towards the construction of a power plant in the Konya-Ilgin region of Turkey. In 2001, Turkey passed legislation and otherwise deprived Global of rights and fair and equitable treatment and expropriated Global s Concession contract for the power plant project without compensation, despite the Turkish Government s obligation to compensate Global for its costs under the existing contract and Turkish law. In 2002, Global initiated arbitration before the International Centre for

Settlement of International Disputes seeking return of sunk costs, lost profits, interest and attorney fees and costs. A decision in this matter was made in January 2007 under which the Turkish Government will be required to pay Global and its partners approximately \$20 million for sunk costs, interest and arbitration fees. After legal contingency fees, Global expects to receive approximately \$7 million, after tax, for its share of the project. Global expects to receive payment in the second quarter of 2007.

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

In addition to matters discussed above, see information on the following proceedings at the pages indicated for PSEG and each of PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings as noted:

- (1) Page 16. (PSEG, PSE&G and Power) FERC proceedings with MISO and PJM relating to RTOR and SECA methodology, Docket No. ER05-6-000 et al.
- (2) Page 16. (PSEG, PSE&G and Power) FERC proceeding relating to PJM Long-Term Transmission Rate Design, Docket No. EL05-121-000.
- (3) Page 18. (Power)
  PSEG Power
  Connecticut s filing
  with FERC on
  November 17, 2004,
  Docket
  No. ER05-231-000,
  to request RMR
  compensation.
- (4) Page 18. (PSEG, PSE&G and Power) PJM Reliability Pricing Model filed with FERC on August 31, 2005, Docket Nos. ERO5-1410-000 and EL05-148-000.
- (5) Page 22. (PSEG and PSE&G) BPU proceeding on August 1, 2005 relating to ratepayer protections due to

repeal of PUHCA under the Energy Policy Act of 2005. Docket No. AX05070641.

- (6) Page 23. (PSE&G)
  BPU proceeding
  relating to Electric
  Base Rate Case
  financial review,
  Docket
  No. ER02050303.
- (7) Page 23. (PSE&G)
  PSE&G s BGSS
  Commodity filing
  with the BPU on
  May 28, 2004,
  Docket
  No. GR04050390.
- (8) Page 24. (PSE&G) Remediation Adjustment Clause filing with the BPU on April 25, 2005, Docket No. GR05040383.
- (9) Page 24. (PSE&G)
  PSE&G Petition for increase of gas base rates filed with BPU on September 30, 2005, Docket No. GR05100845.
- (10) Page 24. (PSE&G)
  Deferral Proceeding
  filed with the BPU
  on August 28, 2002,
  Docket No.
  EX02060363, and
  Deferral Audit
  beginning on
  October 2, 2002 at
  the BPU, Docket
  No. EA02060366.

Page 25. (PSE&G) BPU Order dated December 23, 2003, Docket No. EO02120955 relating to the New Jersey Interim Clean Energy Program.

# (12) Page 29. (Power) Power s Petition for Review filed in the **United States Court** of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit on July 30, 2004 challenging the final rule of the United States Environmental **Protection Agency** entitled National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Final Regulations to Establish Requirements for Cooling Water Intake Structures at Phase II Existing Facilities, now transferred to and venued in the **United States Court** of Appeals for the Second Circuit with Docket No. 04-6696-ag.

(13) Page 31. (Power)
Filing of Complaint
by Nuclear against
the DOE on
September 26, 2001
in the U.S. Court of
Federal Claims,
Docket No.
01-0551C seeking

damages caused by DOE s failure to take possession of spent nuclear fuel. The complaint was amended to include PSE&G as a prior owner in interest.

- (14) Page 152. (PSE&G)
  Investigation
  Directive of NJDEP
  dated September 19,
  2003 and additional
  investigation Notice
  dated September 15,
  2003 by the EPA
  regarding the
  Passaic River site.
  Docket
  No. EX93060255.
- (15) Page 153. (Power)
  PSE&G s MGP
  Remediation
  Program instituted
  by NJDEP s Coal
  Gasification Facility
  Sites letter dated
  March 25, 1988.
- (16) Page 155. (Energy Holdings) Italian government investigation regarding allegations of violations of Prisma s air permit for the San Marco facility.

# **PSE&G** and Power

In addition, see the following environmental related matters involving governmental authorities. PSE&G and Power do not expect expenditures for any such site relating to the items listed below, individually or for all such current sites in the aggregate, to have a material effect on their respective financial condition, results of operations and net cash flows.

(1) Claim made in 1985 by the U.S. Department of the Interior under CERCLA with respect to the Pennsylvania Avenue and Fountain Avenue municipal landfills in Brooklyn, New York, for damages to

natural resources. The U.S. Government alleges damages of approximately \$200 million. To PSE&G s knowledge there has been no action on this matter since 1988.

- (2) Duane Marine Salvage Corporation Superfund Site is in Perth Amboy, Middlesex County, New Jersey. The EPA had named PSE&G as one of several potentially responsible parties (PRPs) through a series of administrative orders between December 1984 and March 1985. Following work performed by the PRPs, the EPA declared on May 20, 1987 that all of its administrative orders had been satisfied. The NJDEP, however, named PSE&G as a PRP and issued its own directive dated October 21, 1987. Remediation is currently ongoing.
- (3) Various Spill Act directives were issued by NJDEP to PRPs, including PSE&G with respect to the PJP Landfill in Jersey City, Hudson County, New Jersey, ordering payment of costs associated with operation and maintenance, interim remedial measures and a Remedial Investigation and Feasibility Study (RI/FS) in excess of \$25 million. The directives also sought reimbursement of NJDEP s past and future oversight costs and the costs of any future remedial action.
- (4) Claim by the EPA, Region III, under CERCLA with respect to a Cottman Avenue Superfund Site, a former non-ferrous scrap reclamation facility located in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, owned and formerly operated by Metal Bank of America, Inc. PSE&G, other utilities and other companies are alleged to be liable for contamination at the site and PSE&G has been named as a PRP. A Final Remedial Design Report was submitted to the EPA in September of 2002. This document presents the design details that will implement the EPA s selected remediation remedy. The costs of remedy implementation are estimated to range from \$14 million to \$24 million. PSE&G s share of the remedy implementation costs are estimated between \$4 million and \$8 million.
- (5) The Klockner Road site is located in Hamilton Township, Mercer County, New Jersey, and occupies approximately two acres on PSE&G s Trenton Switching Station property. PSE&G entered into a memorandum of agreement with the NJDEP for the Klockner Road site pursuant to which PSE&G conducted an RI/FS and remedial action at the site to address the presence of soil and groundwater contamination at the site.
- (6) The NJDEP assumed control of a former petroleum products blending and mixing operation and waste oil recycling facility in Elizabeth, Union County, New Jersey (Borne Chemical Co. site) and issued various directives to a number of entities, including PSE&G, requiring performance of various remedial actions. PSE&G s nexus to the site is based upon the shipment of certain waste oils to the site for recycling. PSE&G and certain of the other entities named in NJDEP directives are members of a PRP group that have been working together to satisfy NJDEP requirements including: funding of the site security program; containerized waste removal; and a site remedial investigation program.
- (7) The EPA sent PSE&G, Power and approximately 157 other entities a notice that the EPA considered each of the entities to be a potentially responsible party (PRP) with respect to contamination in Berry s Creek in Bergen County, New Jersey and requesting that the PRPs perform a Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) on Berry s Creek and the connected tributaries and wetlands. Berry s Creek flows through approximately 6.5 miles of areas that have been used for a variety of industrial purposes and landfills. The EPA estimates that the study could be completed in approximately five years at a total cost of approximately \$18 million. PSE&G and Power are unable to predict the outcome of this matter; however, the related costs of this study are not expected to be material.
- (8) The EPA sent PSE&G and three other entities a notice that the EPA considered each of the entities to be a PRP with respect to contamination in the Newark Bay Study Area, which it defined as Newark Bay and portions of the Hackensack River, the Arthur Kill, and the Kill Van Kull. The notice letter requested that PSE&G participate and fund the EPA-approved study in the Newark Bay Study Area and encouraged PSE&G to contact Occidental Chemical Corporation (OCC) to discuss participating in the RI/FS that OCC is conducting in the Newark Bay Study Area. EPA considers the Newark Bay Study Area, along with the Passaic River Study Area, to be part of the Diamond Alkali Superfund Site. The notice states EPA s belief that hazardous substances were released from sites owned by PSE&G

and located on the Hackensack River. The sites included two operating electric generating stations (Hudson and Kearny Sites), and one former MGP. PSE&G s costs to clean up former MGPs are recoverable from utility customers through the SBC. The Hudson and Kearny Sites were transferred to Power in August 2000. Power assumed any environmental liabilities of PSE&G associated with the electric generating stations that PSE&G transferred to it, including the Hudson and Kearny Sites. Power has provided notice to insurers concerning this potential claim. PSE&G and Power are unable to estimate the cost of the investigation at this time.

# ITEM 4. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS

PSEG s Annual Meeting of Stockholders was held on November 21, 2006. Proxies for the meeting were solicited pursuant to Regulation 14A under the Securities Act of 1934. There was no solicitation of proxies in opposition to management s nominees as listed in the proxy statement and all of management s nominees were elected to the Board of Directors. Details of the voting are provided below:

	Votes For	Votes Withheld
Proposal:		
<b>Election of Directors</b>		
Caroline Dorsa	209,520,856	10,007,648
E. James Ferland	207,098,164	12,430,340
Albert R. Gamper, Jr.	209,440,773	10,087,731
Ralph Izzo	208,006,028	11,522,476

		Votes		Broker
	<b>Votes For</b>	Against	Abstentions	Non-Votes
Proposal:				
Ratification of Appointment of Deloitte &				
Touche LLP as Independent Auditor	214,052,603	3,273,939	2,210,538	
Proposal:				
Stockholder Proposal	31,230,349 50	144,720,275	4,552,843	

#### **PART II**

# MARKET FOR REGISTRANT S COMMON EQUITY, RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS AND ISSUER PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES

PSEG s Common Stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. As of December 31, 2006, there were 94,972 holders of record.

The graph below shows a comparison of the five-year cumulative return assuming \$100 invested on December 31, 2001 in PSEG common stock, the S&P Composite Stock Price Index, the Dow Jones Utilities Index and the S&P Electric Utilities Index.

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
PSEG	100.00	80.66	115.97	143.91	187.34	198.28
S&P 500	100.00	77.95	100.27	111.15	116.59	134.96
DJ Utilities	100.00	76.68	98.97	128.72	160.85	187.61
S&P Electrics	100.00	84.92	105.17	132.94	156.24	192.43

The following table indicates the high and low sale prices for PSEG s Common Stock and dividends paid for the periods indicated:

Common Stock	High	Low	Dividend Per Share		
2006:					
First Quarter	\$ 72.45	\$ 63.97	\$	0.57	
Second Quarter	\$ 67.63	\$ 59.00	\$	0.57	
Third Quarter	\$ 72.61	\$ 60.47	\$	0.57	
Fourth Quarter	\$ 68.10	\$ 59.12	\$	0.57	
2005:					
First Quarter	\$ 56.23	\$ 49.32	\$	0.56	
Second Quarter	\$ 61.66	\$ 52.00	\$	0.56	
Third Quarter	\$ 68.47	\$ 59.09	\$	0.56	
Fourth Quarter	\$ 67.58	\$ 56.05	\$	0.56	

In January 2007, PSEG s Board of Directors approved a one and one half-cent increase in its quarterly common stock dividend, from \$0.57 to \$0.585 per share, for the first quarter of 2007. This increase reflects an indicated annual dividend rate of \$2.34 per share. For additional information concerning dividend payments, dividend history, policy and potential preferred voting rights, restrictions on payment and common stock repurchase programs, see Item 7. MD&A Overview of 2006 and Future Outlook and Liquidity and Capital Resources and Note 9. Schedule of Consolidated Capital Stock and Other Securities of the Notes.

The following table indicates the securities authorized for issuance under equity compensation plans as of December 31, 2006:

Plan Category	Number of Securities to be Issued Upon Exercise of Outstanding Options, Warrants and Rights (#)	Weighted-Average Exercise Price of Outstanding Options, Warrants and Rights (\$)	Number of Securities Remaining Available for Future Issuance Under Equity Compensation Plans (#)
Equity compensation plans approved by security holders	1,623,169	42.42	11,851,709
Equity compensation plans not approved by security holders	192,833	44.37	1,909,235 (A)
Total	1,816,002	42.63	13,760,944

(A) Shares

issuable under

the PSEG

Employee

Stock

Purchase Plan,

Compensation

Plan for

Outside

Directors and

Stock Plan for

Outside

Directors.

For additional discussion of specific plans concerning equity-based compensation, see Note 17. Stock Options and Employee Stock Purchase Plan of the Notes.

#### PSE&G

All of the common stock of PSE&G is owned by PSEG. For additional information regarding PSE&G s ability to continue to pay dividends, see Item 7. MD&A Overview of 2006 and Future Outlook.

#### Power

All of Power s outstanding limited liability company membership interests are owned by PSEG. For additional information regarding Power s ability to pay dividends, see Item 7. MD&A Overview of 2006 and Future Outlook.

# **Energy Holdings**

All of Energy Holdings outstanding limited liability company membership interests are owned by PSEG. For additional information regarding Energy Holdings ability to pay dividends, see Item 7. MD&A Overview of 2006 and Future Outlook.

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# ITEM 6. SELECTED FINANCIAL DATA PSEG

The information presented below should be read in conjunction with the Management s Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) and the Consolidated Financial Statements and Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Notes).

	For the Years Ended December 31,										
		2006		2005		2004		2003		2002	
				(Mill	lions, v	where appl	icable)	1			
Operating Revenues(A)	\$	12,164	\$	12,164	\$	10,610	\$	10,839	\$	8,037	
Income from Continuing Operations(B)	\$	752	\$	886	\$	795	\$	855	\$	403	
Net Income	\$	739	\$	661	\$	726	\$	1,160	\$	235	
Earnings per Share:											
Income from Continuing Operations:											
Basic(B)	\$	2.99	\$	3.69	\$	3.35	\$	3.75	\$	1.94	
Diluted(B)	\$	2.98	\$	3.63	\$	3.34	\$	3.75	\$	1.94	
Net Income:											
Basic	\$	2.94	\$	2.75	\$	3.06	\$	5.08	\$	1.13	
Diluted	\$	2.93	\$	2.71	\$	3.05	\$	5.07	\$	1.13	
Dividends Declared per Share	\$	2.28	\$	2.24	\$	2.20	\$	2.16	\$	2.16	
As of December 31:											
Total Assets	\$	28,570	\$	29,821	\$	29,260	\$	28,132	\$	26,113	
Long-Term Obligations(C)	\$	10,417	\$	11,329	\$	12,663	\$	12,729	\$	10,889	

(A) Includes adjustments to net revenues and expenses for prior years related to one of PSE&G s contracts that had previously been recorded on a gross basis.

For the years ended December 31, 2005, 2004, 2003 and 2002, the adjustments reduced Operating Revenues by \$214 million, \$162 million, \$142 million and \$90 million, respectively, with no impact on Operating Income. See Note 1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies for additional

# Continuing Operations for 2006 include an after-tax charge of \$178 million, or \$0.70 per share related to the sale of RGE. Income from Continuing

Operations for 2002 include after-tax charges of \$368 million, or \$1.76 per

information.

(B) Income from

share, related to losses from Energy Holdings Argentine investments.

(C) Includes capital lease obligations.

# PSE&G

The information presented below should be read in conjunction with the MD&A, the Consolidated Financial Statements and the Notes.

		For the Years Ended December 31,									
	2006			2005		2004 (Tillions)	2003		2002		
Operating Revenues(A)	\$	7,569	\$	7,514	\$	6,810	\$	6,598	\$	5,829	
Income Before Extraordinary Item	\$	265	\$	348	\$	346	\$	247	\$	205	
Net Income	\$	265	\$	348	\$	346	\$	229	\$	205	
As of December 31:											
Total Assets	\$	14,553	\$	14,297	\$	13,586	\$	13,177	\$	12,867	
Long-Term Obligations	\$	4,711	\$	4,745	\$	4,877	\$	5,129	\$	5,050	

(A) Includes adjustments to net revenues and expenses for prior years related to one of PSE&G s contracts that had previously been recorded on a gross basis. For the years ended December 31, 2005,

2004, 2003 and 2002, the adjustments reduced Operating Revenues by \$214 million, \$162 million, \$142 million and \$90 million, respectively, with no impact on Operating Income. See Note 1. Organization

and

Summary of

Significant

Accounting

Policies for

additional

information.

## **Power**

Omitted pursuant to conditions set forth in General Instruction I of Form 10-K.

# **Energy Holdings**

Omitted pursuant to conditions set forth in General Instruction I of Form 10-K.

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# ITEM 7. MANAGEMENT S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS (MD&A)

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#### OVERVIEW OF 2006 AND FUTURE OUTLOOK

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG s business consists of four reportable segments, which are PSE&G, Power and the two direct subsidiaries of Energy Holdings: PSEG Global L.L.C. (Global) and PSEG Resources L.L.C. (Resources). The following discussion relates to the markets in which PSEG s subsidiaries compete, the corporate strategy for the conduct of PSEG s businesses within these markets and significant events that have occurred during 2006 and expectations for 2007 for PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings, as well as the key factors that will drive the future performance of these businesses.

#### **Termination of Merger Agreement**

On December 20, 2004, PSEG entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (Merger Agreement) with Exelon Corporation (Exelon) providing for a merger of PSEG with and into Exelon (Merger). On September 14, 2006, PSEG received from Exelon a formal notice terminating the Merger under the provisions of the Merger Agreement.

#### PSE&G

PSE&G operates as an electric and gas public utility in New Jersey under cost-based regulation by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (BPU) for its distribution operations and by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) for its electric transmission and wholesale sales operations.

Consequently, the earnings of PSE&G are largely determined by the regulation of its rates by those agencies. In February 2007, the BPU approved the results of New Jersey s annual Basic Generation Service (BGS)-Fixed Price (FP) and BGS-Commercial and Industrial Energy Price (CIEP) auctions and PSE&G successfully secured contracts to provide the electricity requirements for the majority of its customers needs.

# Overview of 2006

During 2006 PSE&G:

reached a settlement agreement in the Gas Base Rate Case with the BPU Staff, New Jersey Public

Ratepayer Advocate (RPA) and other intervening parties which was approved by the BPU on November 9, 2006 and provides for an annual increase in gas revenues of

adjustment to

\$40 million, an

lower book

depreciation

expense for

PSE&G by

approximately

\$26 million

annually and

the

amortization

of

accumulated

cost of

removal that

will further

reduce

depreciation

and

amortization

expense by

\$13 million

annually for

five years.

reached a settlement agreement in the Electric Distribution Financial Review with

the BPU Staff,

RPA and other

intervening

parties

concerning the

excess depreciation rate credit which was approved by the BPU on November 9, 2006 and authorizes a reduction in the credit to \$22 million, resulting in additional revenue to PSE&G of approximately \$47 million annually based on current sales volumes.

#### **Future Outlook**

PSE&G believes that the decisions in November 2006 for both gas and electric base rates positions it to earn reasonable returns on investment in the future. The full year impact of these decisions combined with an anticipated return to more normal weather conditions is expected to improve PSE&G s margins for 2007 and beyond.

The risks to PSE&G s business generally relate to the treatment of the various rate and other issues by the state and federal regulatory agencies, specifically the BPU and FERC. PSE&G s success will depend, in part, on its ability to attain a reasonable rate of return, continue cost containment initiatives, maintain system reliability and safety levels and continued recovery, with an adequate return, of the regulatory assets it has deferred and the investments it plans to make in its electric and gas transmission and distribution system. Since PSE&G earns no margin on the commodity portion of its electric and gas sales through tariff agreements, there is no anticipated commodity price volatility for PSE&G.

#### **Power**

Power is an electric generation and wholesale energy marketing and trading company that is focused on a generation market in the Northeast and Mid Atlantic U.S. Power sprincipal operating subsidiaries, PSEG Fossil LLC (Fossil), PSEG Nuclear LLC (Nuclear) and PSEG Energy Resources & Trade LLC (ER&T) are regulated by FERC. Through its subsidiaries, Power seeks to balance its generation production, fuel requirements and supply obligations through integrated energy marketing and trading, enhance its ability to produce low-cost energy through efficient nuclear and coal operations and pursue modest growth based on market conditions. Changes in the operation of Power s generating facilities, fuel and capacity prices, expected contract prices, capacity factors or other assumptions could materially affect its ability to meet earnings targets and/or liquidity requirements. In addition to the electric generation business described above, Power s revenues include gas supply sales under the Basic Gas Supply Service (BGSS) contract with PSE&G.

As a merchant generator, Power s profit is derived from selling under contract or on the spot market a range of diverse products such as energy, capacity, emissions credits, congestion credits, and a series of energy-related products that the system operator uses to optimize the operation of the energy grid, known as ancillary services. Accordingly, the prices of commodities, such as electricity, gas, coal and emissions, as well as the availability of Power's diverse fleet of generation units to produce these products, can have a material effect on Power s profitability. In recent years, the prices at which transactions are entered into for future delivery of these products, as evidenced through the market for forward contracts at points such as PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM) West, have escalated considerably over historical prices. Broad market price increases such as these are expected to have a positive effect on Power s results. Historically, Power s nuclear and coal-fired facilities have produced over 50% and 25% of Power s production, respectively. With the vast majority of its power sourced from lower-cost units, the rise in electric prices is anticipated to yield higher near-term margins for Power. Power anticipates recognizing these higher near-term margins, especially on the portion of its output that was more recently contracted or sold on the spot market. Over a longer-term horizon, if these higher prices are sustained at prices reflective of what the current forward markets indicate, it would yield an attractive environment for Power to contract the sale of its anticipated output, allowing for potentially sustained higher profitability than recognized in prior years. These escalated prices also increase the cost of replacement power, thereby placing incremental risk on the operations of the generating units to produce these products.

Power seeks to mitigate volatility in its results by contracting in advance for a significant portion of its anticipated electric output and fuel needs. Power believes this contracting strategy increases stability of earnings and cash flow. By keeping some portion of its output uncontracted, Power is able to retain some exposure to market changes as well as provide some protection in the event of unexpected generation outages.

Power seeks to sell a portion of its anticipated low-cost nuclear and coal-fired generation over a multi-year forward horizon, normally over a period of approximately two to four years. As of February 14, 2007, Power has contracted for approximately 100% of its anticipated 2007 nuclear and coal-fired generation, with 90% to 100% contracted for 2008 and 35% to 50% contracted for 2009, with a modest amount contracted beyond 2009.

Power has also entered into contracts for the future delivery of nuclear fuel and coal to support its contracted sales discussed above. As of February 1, 2007, Power had contracted for 100% of its anticipated nuclear uranium fuel needs through 2011, and approximately 70% of its average anticipated coal needs, including transportation, through 2009.

These estimates are subject to change based upon the level of operation, and in particular for coal, are subject to market demands and pricing.

By contrast, Power takes a more opportunistic approach in hedging its anticipated natural gas-fired generation. The generation from these units is less predictable, as these units are generally dispatched only

when aggregate market demand has exceeded the supply provided by lower-cost units. The natural gas-fired units generally provide a lower contribution to the margin of Power than either the nuclear or coal units. Power will generally purchase natural gas as gas-fired generation is required to supply forward sale commitments.

In a changing market environment, this hedging strategy may cause Power s realized prices to be materially different than current market prices. At the present time, some of Power s existing contractual obligations, entered into during lower-priced periods, are anticipated to result in lower margins than would have been the case if no or little hedging activity had been conducted. Alternatively, in a falling price environment, this hedging strategy will tend to create margins in excess of those implied by the then current market.

#### Overview of 2006

During 2006, FERC issued certain orders related to market design that have changed the nature of capacity payments in the New England Power Pool (NEPOOL) and are scheduled to change the nature of payments in PJM. In PJM, the Reliability Pricing Model (RPM) will provide generators with differentiated capacity payments based upon the location of their respective facilities. Similarly, the Forward Capacity Market (FCM) settlement in NEPOOL provides for locational capacity payments. FERC has approved the market changes in each of these markets, with the anticipated start date for RPM set for June 1, 2007 and FCM transition period having begun on December 1, 2006. Power currently receives fixed Reliability-Must-Run (RMR) payments in PJM and NEPOOL for certain of its facilities which are provided to ensure the continued availability of those facilities.

## Also during 2006 Power:

commenced commercial operations of its 1,186 MW, natural gas-fired combined cycle power generation plant in Linden, New Jersey;

reached an agreement with the EPA and NJDEP that will allow the continued operation of the Hudson facility and extends for four years the deadline for installing environmental controls beyond the

previous December 31, 2006 deadline;

announced its plans to resume direct management of the Salem and Hope Creek facilities before the expiration of the Operating Service Contract with Exelon Generation and to have the senior management team at those facilities to become employees of Power effective January 1, 2007; and

entered into an agreement to sell its
Lawrenceburg
Energy Center,
a 1,080 MW
gas-fired
combined cycle
electric
generating
plant in
Lawrenceburg,
Indiana.

#### **Future Outlook**

Power expects margin improvements in 2007 as higher prices for its nuclear and coal output are realized due to the rolling nature of its forward hedge positions and the expiration of its contract in Connecticut. The sale of Lawrenceburg and anticipated improvements in margins on serving the BGSS contract are also expected to benefit future results.

In addition, Power believes that the redesign in capacity markets, discussed above, could lead to changes in the value of the majority of its generating capacity and result in incremental margin of \$100 million to \$150 million in 2007,

with higher increases in future years as the full year impact is realized and existing capacity contracts expire.

A key factor in Power s ability to achieve its objectives is its capability to operate its nuclear and fossil stations at sufficient capacity factors to limit the need to purchase higher-priced electricity to satisfy its obligations. Power s ability to achieve its objectives will also depend on the implementation of reasonable capacity markets. Power must also be able to effectively manage its construction projects and continue to economically operate its generation facilities under increasingly stringent environmental requirements. In addition, with an increase in competition and market complexity and constantly changing forward prices, there is no assurance that Power will be able to contract its output at attractive prices. While these increases may have a potentially significant beneficial impact on margins, they could also raise any replacement power costs that Power may incur in the event of unanticipated outages, and could also further increase liquidity requirements as a result of contract obligations. Power could also be impacted by the lack of consistent rules in markets outside of PJM, including rate-regulated utility ownership of generation and other regulatory

actions favoring non-competitive markets. For additional information on liquidity requirements, see Liquidity and Capital Resources.

#### **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings operations are principally conducted through its subsidiaries Global, which has invested in international, rate-regulated distribution companies and domestic and international generation companies, and Resources, which primarily invests in energy-related leveraged leases.

#### Global

Global has reduced its international risk by opportunistically monetizing investments that no longer had a strategic fit. During the past three years, Global has reduced its overall investments from \$2.6 billion to \$1.9 billion, driven by sales of over \$1 billion of investments in China, Brazil, Poland, India, Africa and the Middle East. See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Acquisitions, Dispositions and Impairments of the Notes, for a discussion of these sales. The decrease in Global s portfolio size due to the above sales was partially offset by strong earnings from its Texas merchant generation business and its electric distribution companies in Chile and Peru. Approximately 65% of Global s remaining investments are in Chile and Peru with another 27% in the United States. Other modest sized investments in Italy, India and Venezuela comprise the remaining 8% of Global s portfolio.

As a result of the investment sales, approximately 50% of Global s future earnings is expected to be derived from its domestic generation business, of which over half is from its 2,000 MW gas-fired combined cycle merchant generation business in Texas with the balance from its 12 fully contracted generating facilities in which Global s ownership percentage equates to nearly 400 MW. The other 50% of Global s earnings is expected to be essentially from three rate-regulated electric distribution businesses in Chile and Peru which serve approximately two million customers and a 183 MW hydro generation facility in Peru. The regulatory environment in both Chile and Peru has generally been constructive since Global acquired these investments. Chile maintains an investment grade rating and Peru s rating, although non-investment grade, has improved.

Energy Holdings continues to review Global s portfolio, with a focus on its international investments. As part of this review, Energy Holdings considers the returns of its remaining investments against alternative investments across the PSEG companies, while considering the strategic fit and relative risks of these businesses. Energy Holdings is also considering the impact of any potential sales of its investments on its targeted credit metrics and debt service requirements and at present, Global anticipates that it will take into consideration an appropriate balance of the use of proceeds from any sales with returns of equity to PSEG and debt repayments.

#### Resources

Resources primarily has invested in energy-related leveraged leases. Resources is focused on maintaining its current investment portfolio and does not expect to make any new investments.

#### Overview of 2006

During 2006, Energy Holdings had over \$600 million of proceeds from the sales of Global s investments in two generating stations in Poland, the sale of its interest in RGE, a distribution company in Brazil and from its sale of its remaining 46% interest in Dhofar Power.

Energy Holdings used this cash as well as funds on hand at December 31, 2005 and cash from operations to return \$520 million of capital to PSEG, redeem all \$309 million of its 7.75% 2007 Senior Notes in January 2006 and redeem \$300 million of its 8.625% 2008 Senior Notes in October 2006.

#### **Future Outlook**

Energy Holdings expects decreased margins at Global in 2007 primarily relating to the absence of mark-to-market gains, a slight reduction in spark spreads and anticipated maintenance outages at Texas Independent Energy L.P. (TIE) s plants. Also contributing to the expected decrease are higher taxes, the impact of adopting FIN 48, Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes an Interpretation of FASB

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Statement 109 (FIN 48) and related standards and lower earnings due to asset sales partly offset by the impact of early adoption of FAS 157.

As discussed above, Global s earnings are primarily derived from its investments in the United States, Chile and Peru. As such, Global s success will depend on continued strong energy markets in Texas and the economic and efficient operation of its electric distribution companies in Chile and Peru, including its ability to achieve reasonable rates and meeting expected growth in usage. The success of Global s foreign investments will also depend on stable political, regulatory and economic policies, including foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates, particularly for Chile and Peru.

Resources ability to realize tax benefits associated with its leveraged lease investments is dependent upon taxable income generated by its affiliates. Resources earnings and cash flows are expected to decrease in the future as the investment portfolio matures. Resources faces risks with regard to the creditworthiness of its counterparties; the weighted average credit rating of its lessees at December 31, 2006 was A /A3. Certain lessees ratings are below investment grade. The lease structures have various credit enhancement mechanisms. Resources monitors the credit rating of the lessees very closely, calling letters of credit and taking other measures when appropriate.

Energy Holdings also faces risks related to the tax treatment of uncertain tax positions which will be impacted by new accounting guidance under FIN 48 and FASB Staff Position No. FAS 13-2, Accounting for a Change or Projected Change in the Timing of Cash Flows Relating to Income Taxes Generated by a Leveraged Lease Transaction, both of which are effective as of January 1, 2007. Based on its evaluation of this new guidance, Energy Holdings estimates that it will record a reduction to Retained Earnings of approximately \$190 million to \$215 million, effective January 1, 2007. In addition, this new guidance will have an impact on Energy Holdings future revenues and earnings, including an anticipated earnings reduction of \$25 million to \$35 million in 2007, as compared to 2006, which represents the majority of the anticipated impact on PSEG. See Note 2. Recent Accounting Standards of the Notes for further discussion.

#### **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Net Income for the year ended December 31, 2006 was \$739 million or \$2.93 per share of common stock, diluted, based on approximately 252 million average shares outstanding. Net Income for the year ended December 31, 2005 was \$661 million or \$2.71 per share of common stock, diluted, based on approximately 244 million average shares outstanding. Included in 2006 Net Income was a \$208 million after-tax estimated loss on disposal related to an agreement to sell Lawrenceburg. Included in 2005 Net Income was a \$178 million after-tax loss from the sale of Power s Waterford generation facility. See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Acquisitions, Dispositions and Impairments of the Notes. Net Income for the year ended December 31, 2004 was approximately \$726 million or \$3.05 per share of common stock, diluted, based on approximately 238 million average shares outstanding.

			Earniı	ngs (Losses	s)				
	Years Ended December 31,								
		2006		2005		2004			
			(N	(Illions					
PSE&G	\$	265	\$	348	\$	346			
Power		515		434		367			
Energy Holdings:									
Global		(11)		112		93			
Resources		63		92		68			
Other(A)		(3)		(5)		(10)			
Total Energy Holdings		49		199		151			
Other(B)		(77)		(95)		(69)			
<b>PSEG Income from Continuing Operations</b> (C)		752		886		795			
Loss from Discontinued Operations, including Gain (Loss) on									
Disposal(D)		(13)		(208)		(69)			
Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle(E)				(17)					
PSEG Net Income	\$	739	\$	661	\$	726			

	Years Ended December 31,									
		2006		2005		2004				
PSE&G	\$	1.05	\$	1.42	\$	1.45				
Power		2.04		1.78		1.55				
Energy Holdings:										
Global		(0.04)		0.46		0.39				

Contribution to Earnings Per Share (Diluted)(F)

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Resources	0.25	0.38	0.28
Other(A)	(0.01)	(0.02)	(0.04)
Total Energy Holdings	0.20	0.82	0.63
Other(B)	(0.31)	(0.39)	(0.29)
<b>PSEG Income from Continuing Operations</b> (C)	2.98	3.63	3.34
Loss from Discontinued Operations, including Gain (Loss) on Disposal(D)	(0.05)	(0.85)	(0.29)
Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle(E)		(0.07)	
PSEG Net Income	\$ 2.93	\$ 2.71	\$ 3.05

(A) Other activities include non-segment amounts of Energy Holdings and its subsidiaries and intercompany eliminations. Non-segment amounts include interest on certain financing transactions and certain other administrative and general expenses at Energy Holdings.

(B) Other activities include non-segment amounts of

PSEG (as parent company) and intercompany eliminations. Specific amounts include interest on certain financing transactions, Merger expenses and certain administrative and general

(C) Global s

Income from

Continuing

expenses at PSEG (as parent company).

Operations for

2006 includes

the \$178

million

after-tax loss

on the sale of

Rio Grande

Energia S.A.

(RGE) in June

2006.

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#### (D) Includes

Discontinued

Operations of

Lawrenceburg,

Skawina and

Elcho in 2006,

2005 and 2004,

Waterford in

2005 and 2004

and Carthage

Power

Company

(CPC) in 2004

as well as an

estimated loss

in 2006 on the

disposal of

Lawrenceburg,

the gain on

disposal of

Elcho and

Skawina in

2006, the loss

on disposal of

Waterford in

2005 and the

gain on

disposal of

CPC in 2004.

See Note 4.

Discontinued

Operations,

Dispositions,

Acquisitions

and

Impairments of

the Notes.

# (E) Relates to the

adoption of

FASB

Interpretation

(FIN) No. 47,

Accounting for

Conditional

Asset

Retirement

Obligations. in

2005. See Note

3. Asset

Retirement Obligations of the Notes.

Earnings Per Share of any segment does not represent a direct legal interest in the assets and liabilities allocated to any one segment but rather represents a direct interest in PSEG s assets and liabilities as a whole.

The year over year changes in PSEG s Net Income primarily relates to changes in Net Income for PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings, discussed below. Also included in PSEG s results for each of the periods were financing costs at the parent level and Merger and Merger-related costs. For the year ended December 31, 2006, PSEG s after-tax costs were \$77 million, a decrease \$18 million as compared to 2005. For the year ended December 31, 2005, PSEG s after-tax costs were \$95 million, an increase of \$26 million as compared to 2004. The primary reason for these changes was the change in after-tax Merger and Merger-related costs which amounted to \$8 million, \$32 million and \$4 million for the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, respectively.

#### **PSEG**

		_	the Years December	31,		2006 vs	2005	2005 vs 200		
	2006		2005 2004 (Millions)		 ecrease)	%	(D	ncrease Decrease) Millions)		
Operating			,						,	
Revenues	\$ 12,164	\$	12,164	\$	10,610	\$		\$	1,554	
<b>Energy Costs</b>	\$ 6,769	\$	7,040	\$	5,824	\$ (271)	(4)	\$	1,216	
Operation and Maintenance	\$ 2,297	\$	2,282	\$	2,147	\$ 15	1	\$	135	
Write-down of Assets	\$ 318	\$		\$		\$ 318	N/A	\$		
Depreciation and	\$ 832	\$	731	\$	683	\$ 101	14	\$	48	

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Amortization						
Income from Equity Method Investments	\$ 120	\$ 124	\$ 119	\$ (4)	(3)	\$ 5
Other Income and Deductions	\$ 83	\$ 140	\$ 121	\$ (57)	(41)	\$ 19
Interest Expense	\$ (808)	\$ (784)	\$ (774)	\$ 24	3	\$ 10
Income Tax Expense	\$ (454)	\$ (560)	\$ (484)	\$ (106)	(19)	\$ 76
Loss from Discontinued Operations, including Gain (Loss) on Disposal, net of tax	\$ (13)	\$ (208)	\$ (69)	\$ (195)	(94)	\$ 139
Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle, net						
of tax	\$	\$ (17)	\$	\$ 17	N/A	\$ (17)

PSEG s results of operations are primarily comprised of the results of operations of its operating subsidiaries, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings, excluding changes related to intercompany transactions, which are eliminated in consolidation. It also includes certain financing costs at the parent company. For additional information on intercompany transactions, see Note 21. Related-Party Transactions of the Notes. For a discussion of the causes for the variances at PSEG in the table above, see the discussions for PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings that follow.

#### PSE&G

For the year ended December 31, 2006, PSE&G had Net Income of \$265 million, a decrease of \$83 million as compared to the year ended December 31, 2005. This decrease was primarily due to delayed decisions in its electric and gas base rate cases combined with the decline in electric and gas delivery volumes. Gas delivery volumes dropped 10% in 2006 as compared with 2005 and electric delivery volumes were down 3%. The weather was the primary cause of these declines with a drop of 16% in the number of degree days impacting gas. Gas commodity prices were extremely high early in 2006, which also contributed

to a decline in weather normalized sales. THI hours were normal in 2006 but 18% less than 2005 negatively impacting electric sales.

For the year ended December 31, 2005, PSE&G had Net Income of \$348 million, a \$2 million increase as compared to the year ended December 31, 2004. This slight increase resulted primarily from higher margins, due to favorable weather conditions, and reduced interest expense being substantially offset by higher Operation and Maintenance costs.

The year-over-year detail for these variances for these periods are discussed in more detail below:

	For the Years Ended December 31,						2006 vs 2005			2005 vs 2004		
	2006		2005 (Milli		lions)	2004 ions)		crease ecrease)	%	Increase (Decrease) (Millions)		%
Operating Revenues Energy Costs	\$ \$	7,569 4,884	\$ \$	7,514 4,756	\$ \$	6,810 4,122	\$ \$	55 128	1 3	\$ \$	704 634	10 15
Operation and Maintenance	\$	1,160	\$	1,151	\$	1,083	\$	9	1	\$	68	6
Depreciation and Amortization	\$	620	\$	553	\$	523	\$	67	12	\$	30	6
Other Income and Deductions	\$	22	\$	12	\$	11	\$	10	83	\$	1	9
Interest Expense	\$	(346)	\$	(342)	\$	(362)	\$	4	1	\$	(20)	(6)
Income Tax Expense	\$	(183)	\$	(235)	\$	(246)	\$	(52)	(22)	\$	(11)	(4)

## **Operating Revenues**

PSE&G has three sources of revenue: commodity revenues from the sales of energy to customers and in the PJM spot market; delivery revenues from the transmission and distribution of energy through its system; and other operating revenues from the provision of various services.

PSE&G makes no margin on gas commodity sales as the costs are passed through to customers. The difference between the gas costs paid under the requirements contract for residential customers and the revenues received from residential customers is deferred and collected from or returned to customers in future periods. Gas commodity prices fluctuate monthly for commercial and industrial customers and annually through the BGSS tariff for residential customers. In addition, for residential gas customers, PSE&G has the ability to adjust rates upward two additional times and downward at any time, if warranted, between annual BGSS proceedings.

PSE&G makes no margin on electric commodity sales as the costs are passed through to customers. PSE&G secures its electric commodity through the annual BGS auction. Electric commodity supply prices are set based on the results of these auctions for residential and smaller industrial and commercial customers, and are translated into

seasonally-adjusted fixed rates. Electric supply for larger industrial and commercial customers is provided at a rate principally based on the hourly PJM real-time energy price. Customers may obtain their electric supply through either the BGS default electric supply service or through competitive third-party electric suppliers, and the majority of the customers subject to hourly pricing are currently receiving electric supply from third-party suppliers. Any differences between amounts paid by PSE&G to BGS suppliers for electric commodity, and the amounts of electric commodity revenue collected from customers is deferred and collected or returned to customers in subsequent months.

The \$55 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005 was due to increases of \$78 million in commodity revenues and \$3 million in other operating revenues offset by a decrease of \$26 million in delivery revenues.

The \$704 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004 was due to increases of \$624 million in commodity revenues, \$74 million in delivery revenues and \$6 million in other operating revenues.

#### **Commodity**

The \$78 million increase in commodity revenues for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was due to an increase in electric commodity revenues of \$213 million offset by a decrease of \$135 million in gas commodity revenues. The increase in electric revenues was primarily due to \$299 million in higher BGS revenues (higher auction prices of \$346 million offset by reduced sales of \$47 million) offset by \$85 million in lower Non-Utility Generation (NUG) revenues (lower prices of \$82 million and by \$3 million

for lower volumes). The decrease in gas revenues was primarily due to \$317 million in lower volumes due to weather and \$58 million due to the expiration of the Third Party Shopping Incentive Clause in July 2005. There is a corresponding \$58 million increase in delivery revenues. These were offset by \$240 million in higher BGSS prices.

The \$624 million increase in commodity revenues for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was due to increases in electric and gas revenues of \$313 million and \$311 million, respectively. The increase in electric revenues was primarily due to \$216 million in higher BGS revenues (higher auction prices of \$148 million and increased sales of \$68 million) and \$97 million in higher NUG revenues (higher prices of \$98 million offset by \$1 million for lower volumes). The increase in gas revenues was primarily due to \$291 million in higher BGSS prices and \$62 million in higher volumes due to weather offset by the decrease of \$42 million due to the expiration of the Third Party Shopping Incentive Clause in July 2005. There is a corresponding \$42 million increase in delivery revenues.

#### **Delivery**

The \$26 million decrease in delivery revenues for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was due to a \$27 million decrease in gas and a \$1 million increase in electric revenues. The gas decrease was due to \$101 million in lower volumes primarily due to weather offset by \$74 million in increased prices, \$58 million of which was due to the expiration of the Third Party Shopping Incentive Clause in July 2005, described above in commodity revenues, \$8 million due to rate relief effective November 9, 2006 and \$8 million due to the Societal Benefits Clause (SBC) November 1, 2006 rate increase. The electric increase was due primarily to \$13 million in higher securitization tariff rates and \$8 million from a rate increase effective November 9, 2006, offset by \$20 million in lower volumes due to weather.

The \$74 million increase in delivery revenues for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was due to increases in electric and gas revenues of \$67 million and \$7 million, respectively. The electric increase was due primarily to \$55 million in higher volumes due to weather and \$12 million in higher rates. The gas increase was due to the expiration of the Third Party Shopping Incentive in July 2005, resulting in an increase of \$42 million in delivery revenues with a corresponding offset in commodity revenues, described above, and a \$12 million increase in SBC revenues (offset in Operation and Maintenance Costs below). This was offset by \$9 million in lower volume and demand revenues due to weather and \$37 million due to the expiration of the Gas Cost Underrecovery Adjustment (GCUA) clause in January 2005.

#### **Operating Expenses**

# **Energy Costs**

The \$128 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was comprised of an increase of \$211 million in electric costs offset by a decrease of \$83 million in gas costs. The increase in electric costs was caused by \$255 million or 16% in higher prices for BGS and NUG purchases offset by \$47 million in lower BGS volumes due to weather. The decrease in gas costs was caused by a \$362 million or 17% decrease in sales volumes due primarily to weather and \$8 million due to the expiration of the GCUA clause in January 2005, offset by \$287 million or 11% in higher prices.

The \$634 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was comprised of increases of \$319 million in electric costs and \$315 million in gas costs. The increase in electric costs was caused by a \$264 million or 8% increase due to higher prices for BGS and NUG purchases and a \$67 million increase due to higher BGS volumes, partially offset by a decrease of \$12 million due to lower NUG volumes. The increased gas costs were due to a \$271 million or 16% increase in gas prices and an \$81 million increase in sales volumes due primarily to higher sales to cogenerators. These were offset by a \$37 million decrease due to the expiration of the GCUA clause in January 2005.

# Operation and Maintenance

The \$9 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was due primarily to \$9 million in increased labor and fringe benefits due to increased wages and Other Postretirement Benefits (OPEB) costs and \$7 million in increased bad debt expense. These increases were offset by decreases of \$3 million in injuries and damage claims and \$2 million in write offs and \$2 million in Net Operating Loss (NOL) purchases.

The \$68 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was due to increased SBC expenses of \$27 million (\$15 million electric, \$12 million gas); \$23 million in labor and fringe benefits; \$6 million for increased injuries and damages reserves; \$4 million for Merger-related expenses; \$3 million for higher regulatory commission expenses; \$2 million for higher bad debt expenses and \$2 million for the purchase of NOL. SBC costs are deferred when incurred and amortized to expense when recovered in revenues.

# Depreciation and Amortization

The \$67 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was comprised of increases of \$70 million from the expiration of an excess depreciation credit, \$6 million due to amortization of regulatory assets and \$3 million due to additional plant in service. These increases were offset by decreases of \$5 million due to revised plant depreciation and cost of removal rates, \$3 million due to software amortization and \$3 million due to the amortization of the Remediation Adjustment Clause (RAC).

The \$30 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was due primarily to a \$33 million increase in the amortization of securitized regulatory assets, a \$4 million increase due to additional plant in service and a \$4 million increase in the amortization of the RAC. These were offset by an \$8 million decrease in software amortization and a \$3 million increase in excess depreciation reserve amortization.

#### Other Income and Deductions

The \$10 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to an \$8 million income tax gross-up on contributions in aid of construction (CIAC) in 2006. CIAC are taxable and PSE&G recognizes the gross-up as income when collected. Also included are increases of \$1 million of short-term interest income and \$1 million in gains on the sale of excess property.

#### **Interest Expense**

The \$20 million decrease for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to decreases of \$22 million due to lower average interest rates and lower amounts of long-term debt outstanding, primarily offset by \$5 million in higher short-term debt balances outstanding and higher interest rates.

#### **Income Taxes**

The \$52 million decrease for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to \$55 million in lower pre-tax income offset by \$3 million in various flow-through adjustments.

The \$11 million decrease for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to decreases of \$4 million in prior period adjustments, \$3 million in various flow-through benefits and \$3 million in lower pre-tax income.

# Power

For the year ended December 31, 2006, Power had Net Income of \$276 million, an increase of \$84 million as compared to the year ended December 31, 2005. The increase primarily resulted from higher BGS contract prices and higher sales volumes in the various power pools, supported by improved nuclear operations and the commencement of commercial operations at Linden in May 2006 and at the Bethlehem Energy Center (BEC) in July 2005 and lower generation costs due to lower pool prices and lower demand under the BGS contract. Power also had lower non-trading mark-to-market losses, which were approximately \$1 million, after-tax, in 2006 as compared to \$8 million, after-tax, in 2005. Power s increased earnings were partially offset by reduced margins on BGSS, as market prices for natural gas declined from historically high price levels experienced in the second half of 2005 while the cost

of gas in inventory was reasonably stable, and lower demand in 2006 due to a warmer winter heating system and customer conservation. Power s earnings were also offset by a \$44 million write-down of four gas engine turbines which are planned for sale in 2007, a \$30 million after-tax decrease in Income from the NDT Funds and higher Operation and

Maintenance Costs, Depreciation and Amortization and Interest Expense related to operation of the Linden and BEC facilities.

For the year ended December 31, 2005, Power had Net Income of \$192 million, a decrease of \$116 million as compared to the year ended December 31, 2004. The primary reason for the decrease was the \$178 million Loss on Disposal of Waterford and the \$16 million Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle recorded in 2005. Power s Income from Continuing Operations for the year ended December 31, 2005 was \$434 million, an increase of \$67 million as compared to 2004. This increase reflected higher pricing and increased sales in the various power pools and new wholesale contracts and reduced Operation and Maintenance costs associated with the outage at Hope Creek in 2004. Marked improvement in Power s nuclear operations provided additional low-cost energy to satisfy Power s contractual obligations and to sell into the market at higher prices. The increases at Power were partially offset by interest and depreciation costs related to facilities in Albany, New York, which commenced operation in July 2005 and Lawrenceburg, Indiana, which commenced operation in June 2004.

The year-over-year detail for these variances for these periods are discussed in more detail below:

	For the Years Ended December 31,							2006 vs :	2005	2005 vs 2004			
	2006		2005 (Millions)			2004 (Dec		ncrease ecrease)	%	Increase (Decrease) (Millions)		q	
Operating Revenues	\$	6,057	\$	6,027	\$	5,166	\$	30		\$	861		
Energy Costs	\$	3,955	\$	4,266	\$	3,553	\$	(311)	(7)	\$	713	,	
Operation and Maintenance	\$	958	\$	939	\$	948	\$	19	2	\$	(9)		
Write-Down of Assets	\$	44	\$		\$		\$	44	N/A	\$		N/	
Depreciation and Amortization	\$	140	\$	114	\$	98	\$	26	23	\$	16		
Other Income and Deductions	\$	66	\$	144	\$	117	\$	(78)	(54)	\$	27	<i>'</i>	
Interest Expense	\$	(148)	\$	(100)	\$	(90)	\$	48	48	\$	10		
Income Tax Expense	\$	(363)	\$	(318)	\$	(227)	\$	45	14	\$	91	4	
Loss from Discontinued Operations, including Loss on Disposal, net of tax	\$	(239)	\$	(226)	\$	(59)	\$	13	6	\$	167	N	

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### **Operating Revenues**

The \$30 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006 as compared to 2005 was due to increases of \$239 million in generation revenues and \$27 million in trading revenues, which were partially offset by a decrease of \$236 million in gas supply revenues.

The \$861 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was due to increases of \$543 million in generation revenues and \$368 million in gas supply revenues, which were partially offset by a decrease of \$50 million in trading revenues.

#### Generation

The \$239 million increase in generation revenues for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to an increase of \$238 million from higher sales volumes in the various power pools, supported by improved nuclear operations and the commencement of the commercial operations of Linden in May 2006 and BEC in July 2005, partially offset by lower pool prices. Also contributing to the increase was \$92 million of higher BGS contract revenues due to higher contract prices which were partly offset by a reduction in load being served under the fixed-price BGS contracts and termination of BGS hourly contracts in May 2006. The increases were partially offset by a decrease of \$58 million due to certain wholesale contracts ending in 2005 and early 2006 and \$33 million of unrealized losses on asset-backed electric forward contracts.

The \$543 million increase in generation revenues for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to higher revenues of \$226 million from higher pricing and increased sales in the various power pools supported by improved nuclear capacity, partially offset by reduced load being served under the fixed-priced BGS contracts. Also contributing to the increase were increases of \$103 million from new wholesale contracts, \$74 million from operations in New York, largely due to the commencement of

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BEC s operations, \$65 million from RMR revenues, which Power began receiving in 2005 for certain of its generating facilities, and \$75 million from increased ancillary services and operating reserves.

### Gas Supply

The \$236 million decrease in gas supply revenues for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to decreases of \$334 million due to lower demand under the BGSS contract in 2006 due to a warmer winter heating season and improved customer conservation in 2006 and a \$94 million in decreased prices and gas volumes and pipeline capacity sold to other gas distributors. The decreases were partially offset by an increase of \$188 million due to higher prices under the BGSS contract.

The \$368 million increase in gas supply revenues for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was principally due to higher prices under the BGSS contract for gas and pipeline capacity partially offset by lower demand, largely resulting from a warmer winter heating season in 2005 as compared to 2004.

### **Trading**

The \$27 million increase in trading revenues for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was principally due to higher realized gains related to emissions credits.

The \$50 million decrease in trading revenues for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, resulted principally from reductions in realized gains related to emission credits.

# **Operating Expenses**

### **Energy Costs**

Energy Costs represent the cost of generation, which includes fuel purchases for generation as well as purchased energy in the market, and gas purchases to meet Power s obligation under its BGSS contract with PSE&G.

The \$311 million decrease for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to decreases of \$267 million from lower pool prices and lower demand under the BGS contract, \$144 million from a reduced volume of gas purchased to satisfy Power s BGSS obligations, somewhat offset by higher gas prices related to inventory for the 2005/2006 winter heating season, and \$58 million due to favorable pricing of fuel-related asset-backed transactions in 2006. These decreases were partially offset by \$80 million of losses realized on gas hedges in 2006, an increase of \$42 million in fuel costs and an increase of \$35 million in transmission fees. The increase in fuel costs was largely due to higher volumes of gas purchased to meet increased production by the gas-fired plants, including Linden and BEC, and higher oil prices, partially offset by lower gas prices during 2006 and a lower volume of oil purchases due to reduced running times of certain of the oil-fired plants in 2006.

The \$713 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to increased generation costs, reflecting higher fossil fuel prices and higher prices on an increased volume of purchased power for new contracts and higher prices for gas purchased to satisfy Power s BGSS obligations.

#### **Operation and Maintenance**

The \$19 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was principally due to higher maintenance costs of \$60 million related to certain of the fossil plants and scheduled outages at the nuclear units. These increases were partially offset by the absence of a \$14 million restructuring charge recorded in 2005 related to Nuclear s workforce realignment plan, a decrease of \$10 million in payroll and benefits due to a reduction in employees and a decrease of \$14 million in fees paid to Services for information technology and various

administrative services.

The \$9 million decrease for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to a decrease of \$36 million in equipment repair costs related to outages at the nuclear facilities, \$9 million of lower real estate taxes, \$5 million of lower transmission fees in the power pools, \$4 million of lower expenses related to reduced trading activities in 2005 and an \$8 million settlement of co- owner billings in 2004 related to Power s jointly-owned facilities. The decreases were substantially offset by an increase of \$11 million in pension, postretirement and other employee benefits, a \$16 million increase attributable to repairs for

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outages at the fossil generation plants, the aforementioned \$14 million restructuring charge and a \$12 million settlement with the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) in 2004.

#### Write-Down of Assets

The \$44 million write-down of assets recorded in 2006 related to four turbines for which Power has no immediate use and intends to sell. For additional information, see Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments of the Notes.

#### Depreciation and Amortization

The \$26 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to the Linden and BEC plants being placed into service in May 2006 and July 2005, respectively.

The \$16 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to the BEC facility being placed into service and a higher depreciable asset base in 2005 at Nuclear.

#### Other Income and Deductions

The \$78 million decrease for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to decreased net realized income of \$29 million and increased realized losses of \$19 million related to the NDT Funds. Also contributing to the decrease were charges recorded in 2006 of \$14 million for an other-than-temporary impairment of certain NDT Fund securities and \$14 million for penalties related to negotiations concerning environmental concerns and an alternate pollution reduction plan for Power s Hudson unit.

The \$27 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to increased realized gains and income of \$13 million related to the NDT Funds, lower realized losses of \$8 million in 2005 on NDT Funds and a \$5 million gain from the sale in September 2005 of four gas turbine generators located in Burlington, New Jersey.

### **Interest Expense**

The \$48 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was due primarily to lower capitalized interest costs in 2006 related to commencement of operations of the Linden and BEC facilities.

The \$10 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was due primarily to \$8 million of lower capitalized interest costs in 2005 related to commencement of operations of BEC.

#### **Income Taxes**

The \$45 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to higher pre-tax income.

The \$91 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to an increase of \$63 million in taxes on pre-tax income, the recording in 2005 of \$15 million of taxes for the NDT Funds and the reversal in 2004 of \$16 million of contingency reserves and other prior period adjustments.

# Loss from Discontinued Operations, including Loss on Disposal, net of tax

On December 29, 2006, Power entered into an agreement to sell its Lawrenceburg generation facility for approximately \$325 million and recognized an estimated loss on disposal of \$208 million, net of tax, in December

2006, for the initial write-down of its carrying amount of Lawrenceburg to its fair value less cost to sell. The transaction is anticipated to close in the second quarter of 2007. Losses from Discontinued Operations of Lawrenceburg, not including the estimated Loss of Disposal, were \$31 million, \$28 million and \$25 million for the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, respectively.

On May 27, 2005, Power reached an agreement to sell its Waterford generation facility for approximately \$220 million and recognized an estimated loss on disposal of \$177 million, net of tax, for the initial write-down of its carrying amount of Waterford to its fair value less cost to sell. On September 28,

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2005, Power completed the sale of Waterford and recognized an additional loss of \$1 million. Losses from Discontinued Operations of Waterford, not including the Loss of Disposal, were \$20 million and \$34 million for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, respectively.

See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments of the Notes for additional information.

### **Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle**

For the year ended December 31, 2005, Power recorded an after-tax loss in the amount of \$16 million due to the required recording of a liability for the fair value of asset-retirement costs primarily related to its generation plants under FIN 47, which was adopted in December 2005. See Note 3. Asset Retirement Obligations of the Notes for additional information.

# **Energy Holdings**

For the year ended December 31, 2006, Energy Holdings had Net Income of \$275 million, an increase of \$58 million as compared to the year ended December 31, 2005. Included in Energy Holdings Net Income for 2006 was a \$178 million after-tax loss on the sale of RGE, which was more than offset by the \$226 million after-tax gain on disposal of Elcho and Skawina. Strong operations combined with approximately \$29 million of after-tax mark-to-market gains on forward gas contracts in 2006 as compared to \$3 million of after-tax mark-to-market losses in 2005 at TIE and higher sales volumes at Sociedad Austral de Electricidad S.A. (SAESA) also contributed to the increase. The increases were partially offset by the absence of an after-tax gain of \$43 million from the sale of Resources leveraged lease investment in Generation Station Unit 2 (Seminole) in December 2005.

For the year ended December 31, 2005, Energy Holdings had Net Income of \$217 million, an increase of \$76 million as compared to the year ended December 31, 2004. This increase was primarily due to higher earnings due to improved operations at TIE and in South America and the aforementioned gain on the sale of Seminole in December 2005.

The year-over-year detail for these variances for these periods are discussed in more detail below:

	For the Years Ended December 31,						2006 vs	2005	2005 vs 2004			
		2006		2005 (Mi	llions)	2004	ecrease)	%	(De	ncrease ecrease) Iillions)	%	
Operating												
Revenues	\$	1,357	\$	1,302	\$	836	\$ 55	4	\$	466	56	
<b>Energy Costs</b>	\$	739	\$	675	\$	322	\$ 64	9	\$	353	N/A	
Operation and Maintenance	\$	208	\$	215	\$	171	\$ (7)	(3)	\$	44	26	
Write-Down												
of Assets	\$	274	\$		\$		\$ 274	N/A	\$		N/A	
Depreciation and Amortization	\$	52	\$	46	\$	44	\$ 6	13	\$	2	4	

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The classification of the results of Global s investments on Energy Holdings Consolidated Financial Statements is dependent upon Global s ownership percentage in the underlying investment which determines whether the investment is consolidated into Energy Holdings Consolidated Financial Statements or if it is accounted for under the equity method of accounting. Global owns 100% of TIE, SAESA and Electroandes S.A. (Electroandes) and 85% of Prisma 2000 S.p.A. (Prisma). As a result, the revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities of those investments are reflected on Energy Holdings Consolidated Financial Statements. Global s investments in Chilquinta Energia (Chilquinta), Luz del Sur S.A.A. (LDS), GWF, Kalaeloa Partners L.P. (Kalaeloa) and several other smaller investments are accounted for under the equity method of accounting. Therefore, Energy Holdings only records its share of the net income from these projects as Income from Equity Method Investments on its Consolidated Statements of Operations.

The variances in Operating Revenues, Energy Costs, Operation and Maintenance, Depreciation and Amortization and Income from Equity Method Investments were primarily attributed to Global s increased revenues at TIE in 2006, as compared to same period in 2005, primarily due to unrealized gains on forward contracts and a stronger market and stronger spark spread (the difference between the market price of electricity and the cost of natural gas fuel), the consolidation of Prisma in May 2006, which generated \$32 million of revenue, and Global s sale of a 35% interest in Dhofar Power Company S.A.O.C. (Dhofar Power) through a public offering on the Omani Stock Exchange in April 2005 and sale of its remaining interest of 46% in November 2006, receiving net proceeds after-tax of approximately \$31 million, the approximate book value of the investment. The variances are also related to favorable foreign currency exchange rates and higher energy sales volumes at SAESA.

### **Operating Revenues**

The increase of \$55 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was due to higher revenues at Global of \$128 million, which was primarily related to a \$79 million increase at TIE due to higher unrealized gains on forward contracts which were slightly offset by a reduction in gas sales. Also contributing to the increase at Global was a \$78 million increase at SAESA in Chile due to higher energy sales volumes as well as tariff increases and favorable foreign currency exchange rates, a \$24 million increase due to the consolidation of Prisma and \$10 million of increased revenue from Electroandes due to volume and price increases. These increases were partly offset by a \$37 million decrease due to the absence of a gain from withdrawal from the Eagle Point Cogeneration Partnership in the prior year and the absence of \$20 million of revenue due to the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power. Offsetting the increases at Global were lower revenues at Resources of \$73 million primarily due to the absence of a \$71 million pre-tax gain from the sale of Resources interest in Seminole Generation in December 2005 coupled with the absence of \$20 million of leveraged lease income in 2006 due to the Seminole sale, partially offset by a \$21 million write-off of a leveraged lease investment with United Airlines in 2005.

The increase of \$466 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was due to higher revenues at Global of \$406 million, including a \$279 million increase related to the consolidation of TIE commencing July 1, 2004 and \$136 million due to higher revenues at TIE in the second half of 2005 and a \$62 million increase related to SAESA due to higher energy sales volumes offset by a \$43 million decrease related to the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power and the absence of a \$35 million gain on the sale of Meiya Power Company Limited (MPC) in 2004. Also contributing to the increase were higher revenues at Resources of \$60 million primarily due to the \$71 million pre-tax gain recognized in 2005 from the sale of its interest in Seminole offset by the absence of an \$11 million pre-tax charge recorded due to the termination of the lease investment in the Collins generating facility in 2004.

# **Energy Costs**

The increase of \$64 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to a \$59 million increase at SAESA due to increased volume and higher spot prices for energy and an \$8 million increase due to the consolidation of Prisma in May 2006, partially offset by a \$5 million decrease related to the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power.

The increase of \$353 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to a \$219 million increase related to the consolidation of TIE commencing July 1, 2004, a \$99 million increase in energy costs at TIE in the second half of 2005 and a \$44 million increase related to SAESA due to significant increases in Energy Costs, offset by a \$13 million decrease related to the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power.

# **Operation and Maintenance**

The decrease of \$7 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to a reduction of \$9 million at Resources mainly due to a reduction of operating lease expense. The decrease is also due to a \$4 million reduction in administrative expenses related to lower corporate assessments, wages and benefits, and

legal and consulting expense. These decreases are offset by an \$8 million increase at Global due to a \$17 million increase related to the operations of SAESA, \$5 million increase due to the consolidation of Prisma partially offset by a \$9 million decrease at TIE and a \$4 million decrease from the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power.

The increase of \$44 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to a \$41 million increase related to the consolidation of TIE commencing July 1, 2004 and a \$14 million increase related to SAESA offset by a \$6 million decrease related to the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power and a \$7 million decrease in energy costs at TIE in the second half of 2005.

#### Write-Down of Assets

The \$274 million write-down of assets is primarily related to a \$263 million pre-tax loss on Global s sale of its 32% indirect ownership interest in RGE, \$4 million pre-tax loss related to the sale of Global s interest in Magellan Capital Holdings Corporation (MCHC), and a \$7 million pre-tax loss on the impairment of Global s generation projects in Venezuela. See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments of the Notes.

### **Depreciation and Amortization**

The increase of \$6 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to a \$3 million increase at Resources and a \$3 million increase at Global due to a \$4 million increase related to the consolidation of Prisma and an increase of \$3 million at SAESA, offset by a \$4 million decrease resulting from the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power.

The increase of \$2 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to an \$8 million increase related to the consolidation of TIE commencing July 1, 2004 and a \$2 million increase related to Resources due to the conversion of the Delta and Northwest leases from leveraged leases to operating leases, offset by a \$9 million decrease related to the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power.

#### **Income from Equity Method Investments**

The decrease of \$4 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily driven by the absence of \$12 million of earnings due to the sale of RGE in 2006 partially offset by the absence of foreign currency losses in 2005 from Prisma of \$8 million.

The increase of \$5 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to a \$20 million increase due to stronger results in South America (RGE and Chilquinta) offset by an \$11 million decrease related to the loss of earnings associated with the sale of Global s equity interest in MPC in December 2004 and a \$3 million decrease related to Global s investment in Prisma.

#### Other Income and Deductions

The increase of \$19 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily due to an increase in interest and dividend income of approximately \$10 million and lower losses in foreign currency transactions due to favorable currency fluctuations mainly for Prisma operations in Italy.

The decrease of \$11 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to a loss on early extinguishment of debt of \$7 million and foreign currency transaction losses of \$9 million primarily on notes receivables from Prisma, partially offset by interest income from PSEG related to inter-company loans.

# **Interest Expense**

The decrease of \$10 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was mainly due to a decrease in Energy Holdings debt outstanding and a net decrease of \$2 million resulting from the consolidation of Prisma and the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power.

The \$10 million decrease for the year ended December 31, 2005, respectively, as compared to 2004, was primarily due an \$11 million decrease related to the deconsolidation of Dhofar Power in May 2005 and an \$8 million decrease related to Resources due to a reduction in intercompany interest charges offset by a \$9 million increase related to the consolidation of TIE commencing on July 1, 2004.

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#### **Income Taxes**

The decrease of \$108 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, was primarily attributable to a tax benefit resulting from Global s sale of its 32% indirect ownership interest in RGE and sale of SAESA s 50% interest in Empresa de Energia Rio Negro S.A. (Argentine utility operation).

The \$24 million increase for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, was primarily due to the recording of \$11 million of U.S. tax associated with repatriation of funds under the American Jobs Creation Act of 2004 (Jobs Act), an increase in the mix of domestic earnings for Global due to improved results at TIE, taxes recognized of \$28 million from the sale of Seminole and additional benefits resulting from revisions to Resources lease runs performed in the fourth quarter of 2005. For further information on lease runs, see below in Resources forecast of state taxable income and tax liability over the relevant lease terms. This forecast was embedded in the lease reruns and led to an income tax benefit of \$43 million in 2004 to reflect the cumulative benefit of this adjustment. This benefit was largely offset by the tax impact associated with a \$31 million decrease in leveraged lease revenue.

### Income (Loss) from Discontinued Operations, including Gain (Loss) on Disposal, net of tax

#### Elcho and Skawina

In 2006, Global sold its interest in two coal-fired plants in Poland, Elcho and Skawina. Proceeds, net of transaction costs, were \$476 million, resulting in a gain of \$227 million net of tax expense of \$142 million. Income (Loss) from Discontinued Operations related to Elcho and Skawina for the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004 was \$227 million, \$18 million and \$(10) million, respectively. See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments of the Notes for additional information.

# LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

The following discussion of liquidity and capital resources is on a consolidated basis for PSEG, noting the uses and contributions of PSEG s three direct operating subsidiaries, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings.

### **Financing Methodology**

### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Capital requirements for PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings are met through liquidity provided by internally generated cash flow and external financings. PSEG expects to be able to fund existing commitments, reduce debt and meet dividend requirements using internally generated cash. PSEG, Power and Energy Holdings from time to time make equity contributions or otherwise provide credit support to their respective direct and indirect subsidiaries to provide for part of their capital and cash requirements, generally relating to long-term investments. PSEG does not intend to contribute additional equity to Energy Holdings.

At times, PSEG utilizes intercompany dividends and intercompany loans (except however, that PSE&G may not, without prior BPU approval, and Fossil, Nuclear and ER&T may not without prior FERC approval make loans to their affiliates) to satisfy various subsidiary or parental needs and efficiently manage short-term cash. Any excess funds are invested in short-term liquid investments.

External funding to meet PSEG s, PSE&G s and Power s needs and a majority portion of the requirements of Energy Holdings consist of corporate finance transactions. The debt incurred is the direct obligation of those respective entities. Some of the proceeds of these debt transactions may be used by the respective obligor to make equity investments in its subsidiaries.

As discussed below, depending on the particular company, external financing may consist of public and private capital market debt and equity transactions, bank revolving credit and term loans, commercial paper and/or project financings. Some of these transactions involve special purpose entities (SPEs), formed in accordance with applicable tax and legal requirements in order to achieve specified financial advantages, such as favorable legal liability treatment. PSEG consolidates SPEs, as applicable, in accordance with FIN No. 46, Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities (VIEs) (FIN 46). See Note 2. Recent Accounting Standards of the Notes.

The availability and cost of external capital is affected by each entity s performance, as well as by the performance of their respective subsidiaries and affiliates. This could include the degree of structural separation between PSEG and its subsidiaries and the potential impact of affiliate ratings on consolidated and unconsolidated credit quality. Additionally, compliance with applicable financial covenants will depend upon future financial position, earnings and net cash flows, as to which no assurances can be given.

Over the next several years, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings may be required to extinguish or refinance maturing debt and, to the extent there is not sufficient internally generated funds, may incur additional debt and/or provide equity to fund investment activities. Any inability to obtain required additional external capital or to extend or replace maturing debt and/or existing agreements at current levels and reasonable interest rates may adversely affect PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings respective financial condition, results of operations and net cash flows.

From time to time, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings may repurchase portions of their respective debt securities using funds from operations, asset sales, commercial paper, debt issuances, equity issuances and other sources of funding and may make exchanges of new securities, including common stock, for outstanding securities. Such repurchases may be at variable prices below, at or above prevailing market prices and may be conducted by way of privately negotiated transactions, open-market purchases, tender or exchange offers or other means. PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings may utilize brokers or dealers or effect such repurchases directly. Any such repurchases may be commenced or discontinued at any time without notice.

# **Energy Holdings**

A portion of the financing for Global s investments is normally provided by non-recourse financing transactions. These consist of loans from banks and other lenders that are typically secured by project assets and cash flows. Non-recourse transactions generally impose no material obligation on the parent-level investor to repay any debt incurred by the project borrower. The consequences of permitting a project-level default include the potential for loss of any invested equity by the parent. However, in some cases, certain obligations relating to the investment being financed, including additional equity commitments, may be guaranteed by Global and/or Energy Holdings for their respective subsidiaries. PSEG does not provide guarantees or credit support to Energy Holdings or its subsidiaries.

#### **Operating Cash Flows**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG expects strong cash from operations primarily driven by earnings from Power supported by improved energy margins and capacity markets. Operating cash flows are expected to be sufficient to fund capital expenditures and shareholder dividend payments, with excess cash available to invest in the business, reduce debt and/or repurchase common stock.

### **PSEG**

For the year ended December 31, 2006, PSEG s operating cash flow increased by approximately \$959 million from \$970 million to \$1.9 billion, as compared to 2005, due to net increases from its subsidiaries as discussed below.

For the year ended December 31, 2005, PSEG s operating cash flow decreased by approximately \$635 million from \$1.6 billion to \$970 million, as compared to 2004, primarily due to net decreases at Power for its working capital requirements, discussed below.

#### PSE&G

PSE&G s operating cash flow increased approximately \$115 million from \$689 million to \$804 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, primarily due to a decrease in customer receivables, reflecting lower sales volumes due to a warmer winter heating season and lower gas prices in 2006.

PSE&G s operating cash flow decreased approximately \$7 million from \$696 million to \$689 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004.

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#### **Power**

Power s operating cash flow increased approximately \$907 million from \$136 million to \$1 billion for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, due to a significant reduction in margin requirements and fuel inventories, largely resulting from decreases in commodity prices.

Power s operating cash flow decreased approximately \$371 million from \$507 million to \$136 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004 primarily due to increased margin requirements and an increase in fuel inventory because of significantly increased commodity prices.

### **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings operating cash flow decreased approximately \$114 million from \$273 million to \$159 million for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005. The decrease was mainly due to taxes paid related to the sale of Elcho, Skawina and RGE in 2006. The proceeds from the these sales are included in Cash Flows from Investing Activities on Energy Holdings Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows.

Energy Holdings operating cash flow decreased approximately \$130 million from \$403 million to \$273 million for the year ended December 31, 2005, as compared to 2004, due primarily to a decrease in Resources cash flows, which was driven by the timing of receipt of tax benefits, and the monetization of the remaining receivables of PETAMC in 2004.

#### **Common Stock Dividends**

Dividend payments on common stock for the year ended December 31, 2006 were \$2.28 per share and totaled approximately \$574 million. Dividend payments on common stock for the year ended December 31, 2005 were \$2.24 per share and totaled approximately \$541 million. Future dividends declared will be dependent upon PSEG s future earnings, cash flows, financial requirements, alternative investment opportunities and other factors. On January 17, 2007, PSEG announced an increase in its dividend from \$0.57 to \$0.585 per share for the first quarter of 2007. This quarterly increase reflects an indicated annual dividend rate of \$2.34 per share.

#### **Short-Term Liquidity**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

In December 2006, PSEG and Power established new credit facilities, which are available for letters of credit and short-term funding, replacing their previous credit facilities. PSEG s new facility also provides liquidity backup for its \$1 billion commercial paper program. Also in December 2006, PSE&G amended its \$600 million credit facility to update the terms and extend the expiration date to June 2011.

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings each believe that sufficient liquidity exists to fund their respective short-term cash needs.

As of December 31, 2006, PSEG and its subsidiaries had a total of approximately \$3.7 billion of committed credit facilities with approximately \$3.3 billion of available liquidity under these facilities. In addition, PSEG and PSE&G have access to certain uncommitted credit facilities. Each of the facilities is restricted to availability and use to the specific companies as listed below. As of December 31, 2006, PSEG has no loans outstanding under its uncommitted facility and PSE&G had \$31 million of loans outstanding under its uncommitted facility.

Company	Expiration Date	Total Facility		Primary Purpose (Millions)		Usage as of December 31, 2006		Available Liquidity as of December 31, 2006	
PSEG:									
5-year Credit Facility	Dec 2011	\$	1,000	CP Support/Funding/Letters of Credit	\$	354	\$	646	
Uncommitted Bilateral									
Agreement	N/A	\$	N/A	Funding	\$		\$	N/A	
PSE&G:									
5-year Credit Facility	June 2011	\$	600	CP Support/Funding/Letters of Credit	\$		\$	600	
Uncommitted Bilateral									
Agreement	N/A		N/A	Funding	\$	31	\$	N/A	
PSEG and Power:(A)									
Bilateral Credit Facility	June 2007	\$	200	Funding/Letters of Credit	\$	19 (C)	\$	181	
Power:									
5-year Credit Facility	Dec 2011	\$	1,600	Funding/Letters of Credit	\$	20 (C)	\$	1,580	
Bilateral Credit Facility	March 2010	\$	100	Funding/Letters of Credit	\$		\$	100	
<b>Energy Holdings:</b>									
5-year Credit Facility(B)	June 2010	\$	150	Funding/Letters of Credit	\$	6 (C)	\$	144	

- (A) PSEG/Power joint and several co-borrower facilities.
- (B) Energy
  Holdings/Global/Resources
  joint and several
  co-borrower facility.
- (C) These amounts relate to letters of credit outstanding.

# **Power**

As of December 31, 2006, Power had borrowed \$54 million from PSEG in the form of an intercompany loan.

During the year ending December 31, 2006, Power s required margin postings for sales contracts entered into in the normal course of business decreased as commodity prices declined. The required margin postings will fluctuate based on volatility in commodity prices. Should commodity prices rise, additional margin calls may be necessary relative to existing power sales contracts. As Power s contract obligations are fulfilled, liquidity requirements are reduced.

In addition, ER&T maintains agreements that require Power, as its guarantor under performance guarantees, to satisfy certain creditworthiness standards. In the event of a deterioration of Power's credit rating to below investment grade, which represents at least a two level downgrade from its current ratings, many of these agreements allow the counterparty to demand that ER&T provide performance assurance, generally in the form of a letter of credit or cash. Providing this support would increase Power's costs of doing business and could restrict the ability of ER&T to manage and optimize Power's asset portfolio. Power believes it has sufficient liquidity to meet any required posting of collateral resulting from a credit rating downgrade. See Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes for further information.

# **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings and its subsidiaries had \$98 million in cash, including \$38 million invested offshore as of December 31, 2006. In addition, as of December 31, 2006, Energy Holdings had an outstanding demand loan receivable from PSEG of \$28 million. See External Financings Energy Holdings below for Energy Holdings additional use of its excess cash.

### **External Financings**

#### **PSEG**

On September 1, 2006, PSEG began using treasury stock to settle the exercise of stock options. Prior to September 1, 2006, PSEG had purchased shares on the open market to meet the exercise of stock options. As of December 31, 2006, PSEG issued 410,365 shares of its common treasury stock in connection with settling stock options for approximately \$15 million.

For the year ended December 31, 2006, PSEG issued approximately 1 million shares of its common stock under its Dividend Reinvestment Program and its Employee Stock Purchase Program for approximately \$68 million.

In October 2006, PSEG repaid \$49 million of its 6.89% Senior Notes which are due in equal installment payments through 2009.

In February 2006, PSEG redeemed \$154 million of its Subordinated Debentures underlying \$150 million of Enterprise Capital Trust II, Floating Rate Capital Securities and its common equity investment in the trust.

#### PSE&G

On June 23, 2006, PSE&G repaid at maturity \$175 million of its Floating Rate Series A First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds.

On March 1, 2006, PSE&G repaid at maturity \$147 million of its 6.75% Series UU First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds.

In December 2006, PSE&G issued \$250 million of 5.70% Secured Medium Term Notes Series D due 2036. The proceeds were used to replace in part the aforementioned matured Floating Rate Series A and 6.75% Series UU First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds.

For the year ended December 31, 2006, PSE&G Transition Funding LLC (Transition Funding) and PSE&G Transition Funding II LLC (Transition Funding II) repaid approximately \$155 million and \$8 million, respectively, of their transition bonds.

On January 2, 2007, PSE&G repaid at maturity \$113 million of its 6.25% Series WW First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds.

#### **Power**

In April 2006, Power repaid at maturity \$500 million of its 6.875% Senior Notes.

#### **Energy Holdings**

In January 2006, Energy Holdings redeemed all \$309 million of its 7.75% Senior Notes due in 2007.

On February 17, 2006, the maturity of the Odessa Ector Power Partners, L.P. (Odessa) debt was extended to December 31, 2009. Interest on the debt is based on a spread (currently 2.25%) above LIBOR. On September 29, 2006, an interest rate swap took effect which converted the floating LIBOR interest rate on approximately 80% of Odessa s debt to a fixed rate of 5.4275% through December 31, 2009.

On October 23, 2006, Energy Holdings redeemed \$300 million of its \$507 million outstanding 8.625% Senior Notes due in 2008.

During 2006, Energy Holdings made cash distributions to PSEG totaling \$520 million in the form of returns of capital.

Also during 2006, Energy Holdings subsidiaries repaid approximately \$51 million of non-recourse debt, of which \$43 million primarily related to SAESA and TIE, \$6 million by Resources and \$2 million by EGDC.

#### **Debt Covenants**

### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings respective credit agreements may contain maximum debt to equity ratios, minimum cash flow tests and other restrictive covenants and conditions to borrowing. Compliance with applicable financial covenants will depend upon the respective future financial position, level of earnings and cash flows of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings, as to which no assurances can be given. The ratios presented below are for the benefit of the investors of the related securities to which the covenants apply. They are not intended as financial performance or liquidity measures. The debt

underlying the preferred securities of PSEG, which is presented in Long-Term Debt in accordance with FIN 46, is not included as debt when calculating these ratios, as provided for in the various credit agreements.

Energy Holdings credit agreement also contains customary provisions under which the lender could refuse to advance loans in the event of a material adverse change in the borrower s business or financial condition.

#### **PSEG**

Financial covenants contained in PSEG s credit facilities include a ratio of debt (excluding non-recourse project financings, securitization debt and debt underlying preferred securities and including commercial paper and loans, certain letters of credit not related to collateral postings for commodity/energy contracts and similar instruments) to total capitalization (including preferred securities outstanding and excluding any impacts for Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income adjustments related to marking energy contracts to market and equity reductions from the funded status of pensions or benefit plans associated with SFAS No. 158, Employers Accounting for Defined Benefit Pension and Other Postretirement Plans ) covenant. This covenant requires that such ratio not be more than 70.0%. As of December 31, 2006, PSEG s ratio of debt to capitalization (as defined above) was 51.6%.

#### PSE&G

Financial covenants contained in PSE&G s credit facilities include a ratio of long-term debt (excluding securitization debt, long-term debt maturing within one year and short-term debt) to total capitalization covenant. This covenant requires that such ratio will not be more than 65.0%. As of December 31, 2006, PSE&G s ratio of long-term debt to total capitalization (as defined above) was 48.5%.

In addition, under its First and Refunding Mortgage (Mortgage), PSE&G may issue new First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds against previous additions and improvements, provided that its ratio of earnings to fixed charges calculated in accordance with its Mortgage is at least 2 to 1, and/or against retired Mortgage Bonds. As of December 31, 2006, PSE&G s Mortgage coverage ratio was 4.1 to 1 and the Mortgage would permit up to approximately \$2.1 billion aggregate principal amount of new Mortgage Bonds to be issued against previous additions and improvements.

#### **Power**

Financial covenants contained in Power s credit facility include a ratio of debt to total capitalization covenant. The Power ratio is the same debt to total capitalization calculation as set forth above for PSEG except common equity is adjusted for the \$986 million Basis Adjustment (see Consolidated Balance Sheets). This covenant requires that such ratio will not exceed 65.0%. As of December 31, 2006, Power s ratio of debt to total capitalization (as defined above) was 38.4%.

#### **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings bank revolving credit agreement has a covenant requiring the ratio of Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (EBITDA) to fixed charges to be greater than or equal to 1.75. As of December 31, 2006, Energy Holdings coverage of this covenant was 3.53. Additionally, Energy Holdings must maintain a ratio of net debt (recourse debt offset by funds loaned to PSEG) to EBITDA of less than 5.25. As of December 31, 2006, Energy Holdings ratio under this covenant was 2.59. Energy Holdings is a co-borrower under this facility with Global and Resources, which are joint and several obligors. The terms of the agreement include a pledge of Energy Holdings membership interest in Global, restrictions on the use of proceeds related to material sales of assets and the satisfaction of certain financial covenants. Net cash proceeds from asset sales in excess of 5% of total assets of Energy Holdings during any 12-month period must be used to repay any outstanding amounts under the credit agreement. Net cash proceeds from asset sales during any 12-month period in excess of 10% of total assets must be retained by Energy Holdings or used to repay the debt of Energy Holdings, Global or Resources.

Energy Holdings indenture with respect to its senior notes does not permit liens securing indebtedness in excess of 10% of consolidated net tangible assets as calculated under the terms of the indenture. The terms of Energy Holdings Senior Notes allow the holders to demand repayment if a transaction or series of related transactions causes the assets of Resources to be reduced by 20% or more and as a direct result there is a downgrade of ratings.

#### **Cross Default Provisions**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The PSEG bank credit agreement contains default provisions under which a default by it in an aggregate amount of \$50 million or greater would result in the potential acceleration of payment under this agreement. Under certain conditions, a default by PSE&G or Power in an aggregate amount of \$50 million or greater would also result in potential acceleration of payment under this agreement. PSEG has removed Energy Holdings from all cross default provisions.

PSEG s bank credit agreement and note purchase agreements related to private placement of debt (collectively, Credit Agreements) contain cross default provisions under which certain payment defaults by PSE&G or Power, certain bankruptcy events relating to PSE&G or Power, the failure by PSE&G or Power to satisfy certain final judgments or the occurrence of certain events of default under the financing agreements of PSE&G or Power, would each constitute an event of default under the PSEG Credit Agreements. Under the note purchase agreements, it is also an event of default if PSE&G or Power ceases to be wholly-owned by PSEG. Under the bank credit agreement, both PSE&G and Power would have to cease to be wholly-owned by PSEG before an event of default would occur.

#### PSE&G

PSE&G s Mortgage has no cross defaults. The PSE&G Medium-Term Note Indenture has a cross default to the PSE&G Mortgage. The PSE&G credit agreement has a provision under which a default by PSE&G in the aggregate of \$50 million or greater would result in an event of default and the potential acceleration of payment under that agreement.

#### **Power**

The Power Senior Debt Indenture contains a default provision under which a default by Power, Nuclear, Fossil or ER&T in an aggregate amount of \$50 million or greater would result in an event of default and the potential acceleration of payment under the indenture. There are no cross defaults within Power s indenture from PSEG, Energy Holdings or PSE&G.

The Power credit agreement also has a provision under which a default by Power, Nuclear, Fossil or ER&T in an aggregate amount of \$50 million or greater would result in an event of default and the potential acceleration of payment under that agreement.

# **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings credit agreement and Senior Note Indenture contain default provisions under which a default by it, Resources or Global in an aggregate amount of \$25 million or greater would result in an event of default and the potential acceleration of payment under that agreement or the Indenture.

#### **Ratings Triggers**

### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The debt indentures and credit agreements of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings do not contain any material ratings triggers—that would cause an acceleration of the required interest and principal payments in the event of a ratings downgrade. However, in the event of a downgrade, any one or more of the affected companies may be subject to increased interest costs on certain bank debt and certain collateral requirements.

### PSE&G

In accordance with the BPU approved requirements under the BGS contracts that PSE&G enters into with suppliers, PSE&G is required to maintain an investment grade credit rating. If PSE&G were to lose its investment grade rating, PSE&G would be required to file with the BPU a plan to assure continued payment for the BGS requirements of its customers.

PSE&G is the servicer for the bonds issued by Transition Funding and Transition Funding II. If PSE&G were to lose its investment grade rating, PSE&G would be required to remit collected cash daily to the bond trustee. Currently, cash is remitted monthly.

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#### **Power**

In connection with the management and optimization of Power's asset portfolio, ER&T maintains underlying agreements that require Power, as its guarantor under performance guarantees, to satisfy certain creditworthiness standards. In the event of a deterioration of Power's credit rating to below an investment grade rating, many of these agreements allow the counterparty to demand that ER&T provide performance assurance, generally in the form of a letter of credit or cash. As of December 31, 2006, if Power were to lose its investment grade rating and assuming all the counterparties to agreements in which ER&T is out-of-the-money were contractually entitled to demand, and demanded, performance assurance, ER&T could be required to post collateral in an amount equal to approximately \$578 million. See Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes.

# **Credit Ratings**

# **PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings**

Following the termination of the Merger Agreement in September 2006, credit ratings remained unchanged as shown in the table below. Standard & Poor s (S&P) affirmed its BBB corporate credit rating for PSEG, Power, and PSE&G. S&P revised its outlook from watch developing to negative. Moody s Investors Service (Moody s) affirmed its credit ratings for PSEG and PSE&G while revising the outlooks from stable to negative. The ratings and outlooks for Power and Energy Holdings were unchanged by Moody s. Fitch Ratings (Fitch) announced there would be no immediate impact on ratings and outlooks for PSEG and its subsidiaries. At that time, the agencies noted that the ratings below were predicated on continued improvement in financial metrics, specifically operating cash flows and ongoing deleveraging, as well as continued strong operating performance from Power s generating units and reasonable outcomes to PSE&G s pending electric and gas rate cases.

If the rating agencies lower or withdraw the credit ratings, such revisions may adversely affect the market price of PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings securities and serve to materially increase those companies cost of capital and limit their access to capital. Outlooks assigned to ratings are as follows: stable, negative (Neg) or positive (Pos). There is no assurance that the ratings will continue for any given period of time or that they will not be revised by the rating agencies, if, in their respective judgments, circumstances so warrant. Each rating given by an agency should be evaluated independently of the other agencies ratings. The ratings should not be construed as an indication to buy, hold or sell any security.

	Moody s (A)	<b>S&amp;P</b> (B)	Fitch (C)	
PSEG:				
Outlook	Neg	Neg	Pos	
Preferred Securities	Baa3	BB+	BBB	
Commercial Paper	P2	A3	F2	
Senior Unsecured Debt	Baa2	BBB	BBB	
PSE&G:				
Outlook	Neg	Neg	Stable	
Mortgage Bonds	A3	A	A	
Preferred Securities	Baa3	BB+	BBB+	
Commercial Paper	P2	A3	F2	
Power:				

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Outlook	Stable	Neg	Pos
Senior Notes	Baa1	BBB	BBB
<b>Energy Holdings:</b>			
Outlook	Neg	Neg	Neg
Senior Notes	Ba3	BB	BB

(A) Moody s

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range from

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to C

(lowest)

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long-term

securities

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to NP

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(B) S&P

ratings

range from

AAA

(highest)

to D

(lowest)

for

long-term

securities

and A1

(highest)

to D

(lowest)

for

short-term

securities.

(C) Fitch

ratings

range from

AAA
(highest)
to D
(lowest)
for
long-term
securities
and F1
(highest)
to D
(lowest)
for
short-term
securities.

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#### **Other Comprehensive Income**

#### **PSEG, Power and Energy Holdings**

For the year ended December 31, 2006, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings had Other Comprehensive Income of \$706 million, \$5 million, \$483 million and \$217 million, respectively, due primarily to a reduction in the net unrealized losses on derivatives accounted for as hedges in accordance with SFAS 133 at Power and foreign currency translation adjustments at Energy Holdings.

During the year ended December 31, 2006, Power s Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss decreased from \$487 million to \$177 million. The primary cause was a decrease of approximately \$310 million related to energy and related contracts that qualify for hedge accounting that were entered into by Power in the normal course of business. During the year ended December 31, 2006, the decrease in gas and electric prices resulted in a reduction in unrealized losses on many of those contracts, which are recorded in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss. This decrease was partially offset by a \$173 million adjustment recorded at Power in connection with the adoption of SFAS 158, Employers Accounting for Defined Benefit Pension and Other Postretirement Plans (SFAS 158).

As of December 31, 2006, Energy Holdings had Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income of \$103 million. The primary reasons for the improvement, as compared to the Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss of \$110 million as of December 31, 2005, were the realization of losses on Brazilian currency as a result of the sale of RGE and the unwinding of an interest rate swap due to the sale of Global s facilities in Poland.

# **CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS**

#### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

It is expected that the majority of each subsidiary s capital requirements over the next five years will come from internally generated funds. Projected construction and investment expenditures, excluding nuclear fuel purchases, for PSEG s subsidiaries for the next five years are presented in the table below. These amounts are subject to change, based on various factors.

	2007		2008		2009 (Millions)		2010		2011	
PSE&G:										
Facility Support	\$	41	\$ 77	\$	76	\$	45	\$	48	
Environmental/Regulatory		44	30		31		28		28	
Facility Replacement		173	175		178		165		179	
System Reinforcement		183	183		185		165		161	
New Business		164	163		161		157		159	
Total PSE&G		605	628		631		560		575	
Power:										
Hudson Environmental		68	143		229		263		8	
Mercer Environmental		126	132		110		83			
Other Non-Recurring		264	220		64		51		45	
Recurring		126	131		113		130		145	
Total Power		584	626		516		527		198	
Energy Holdings		37	31		40		30		31	
Other		35	28		24		24		22	
Total PSEG	\$	1,261	\$ 1,313	\$	1,211	\$	1,141	\$	826	

#### PSE&G

In 2006, PSE&G made approximately \$528 million of capital expenditures, primarily for reliability of transmission and distribution systems. The \$528 million does not include approximately \$33 million spent on cost of removal. PSE&G s projections for future capital expenditures include additions and replacements to its transmission and distribution systems to meet expected growth and to manage reliability. The current projections do not include investments required as a result of PJM s approval of the Regional Transmission Expansion Plan (RTEP) in December 2006. As project scope and cost estimates develop, PSE&G will modify its current projections to include these required investments.

#### **Power**

In 2006, Power made approximately \$325 million of capital expenditures (excluding \$93 million for nuclear fuel), primarily related to installation of emissions control equipment at the Bridgeport Harbor and Mercer stations, completion of construction at the Linden station, in New Jersey and various other projects at Nuclear and Fossil. The projections above include estimates for Hudson and Mercer related to the agreement reached with the EPA and the NJDEP. They do not include the costs, if any, associated with cooling towers for Salem, if required. For additional discussion of the potential costs related Hudson, Mercer and Salem, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of Notes.

# **Energy Holdings**

In 2006, Energy Holdings incurred approximately \$64 million of capital expenditures, primarily related to upgrades and expansion of SAESA s transmission and distribution systems.

Energy Holdings capital needs in 2007 will be limited to fulfilling existing contractual and potential contingent commitments. The balance of the forecasted expenditures relates to capital requirements of consolidated subsidiaries, which will primarily be financed from internally generated cash flow within the projects and from local sources on a non-recourse basis or limited discretionary investments by Energy Holdings. Such capital requirements include organic growth in SAESA s service territory and other capital improvements at Global s consolidated subsidiaries.

# Disclosures about Long-Term Maturities, Contractual and Commercial Obligations and Certain Investments

The following table reflects PSEG s and its subsidiaries contractual cash obligations and other commercial commitments in the respective periods in which they are due. In addition, the table summarizes anticipated recourse and non-recourse debt maturities for the years shown. The table below does not reflect any anticipated cash payments for pension obligations. The table also does not reflect debt maturities of Energy Holdings non-consolidated investments. If those obligations were not able to be refinanced by the project, Energy Holdings may elect to make additional contributions in these investments. For additional information, see Note 10. Schedule of Consolidated Debt of the Notes.

Contractual Cash Obligations	Total Amount Committed	Less Than 1 year	2-3 years (Millions)	4-5 years	Over 5 years
Short-Term Debt Maturities					
PSEG	\$ 353	\$ 353	\$	\$	\$
PSE&G	31	31			
Long-Term Debt Maturities					
Recourse Debt Maturities					
PSEG(A)	1,376	523	673		180
PSE&G	3,116	113	310		2,693
Transition Funding (PSE&G)	1,784	161	347	381	895
Transition Funding II (PSE&G)	95	10	20	21	44
Power	2,818		250	800	1,768
Energy Holdings	1,149		607	542	
Non-Recourse Project Financing					
Energy Holdings	881	42	467	181	191
Interest on Recourse Debt					
PSEG	96	45	51		
PSE&G	2,477	165	313	295	1,704
Transition Funding (PSE&G)	596	114	196	150	136
Transition Funding II (PSE&G)	20	4	7	5	4
Power	1,917	192	379	334	1,012
Energy Holdings	250	56	100	35	59
Interest on Debt Supporting Trust Preferred Securities					
PSEG	41	41			
Interest on Non-Recourse Project Financing					
Energy Holdings	355	104	181	70	
Capital Lease Obligations					
PSEG	73	8	14	14	37

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Power		15		2		3		2		8
Energy Holdings		57		12		24		12		9
Operating Leases										
PSE&G		9		3		2		3		1
Energy Holdings		6		3		2		1		
Energy-Related Purchase Commitments										
Power		2,496		714		943		451		388
Energy Holdings		64		64						
Total Contractual Cash Obligations	\$	20,075	\$	2,760	\$	4,889	\$	3,297	\$	9,129
Standby Letters of Credit Power	\$	78	\$	78	\$		\$		\$	
Energy Holdings	Ф	6	Ф	2	Ф	4	Ф		Ф	
Guarantees and Equity Commitments		U		2		4				
Energy Holdings		71		21		50				
Total Commercial Commitments	\$	155	\$	101	\$	54	\$		\$	

(A) Includes
debt
supporting
trust
preferred
securities
of \$660
million.

See Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes for a discussion of contractual commitments for a variety of services for which annual amounts are not quantifiable.

#### OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

#### **Power**

Power issues guarantees in conjunction with certain of its energy trading activities. See Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes for further discussion.

#### **PSEG and Energy Holdings**

Global has certain investments that are accounted for under the equity method in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP). Accordingly, amounts recorded on the Consolidated Balance Sheets for such investments represent Global s equity investment, which is increased for Global s pro-rata share of earnings less any dividend distribution from such investments. The companies in which Global invests that are accounted for under the equity method have an aggregate \$878 million of debt on their combined, consolidated financial statements. PSEG s pro-rata share of such debt is \$414 million. This debt is non-recourse to PSEG, Energy Holdings and Global. PSEG is generally not required to support the debt service obligations of these companies. However, default with respect to this non-recourse debt could result in a loss of invested equity.

Resources has investments in leveraged leases that are accounted for in accordance with SFAS No. 13, Accounting for Leases. Leveraged lease investments generally involve three parties: an owner/lessor, a creditor and a lessee. In a typical leveraged lease financing, the lessor purchases an asset to be leased. The purchase price is typically financed 80% with debt provided by the creditor and the balance comes from equity funds provided by the lessor. The creditor provides long-term financing to the transaction secured by the property subject to the lease. Such long-term financing is non-recourse to the lessor and is not presented on Energy Holdings Consolidated Balance Sheets. In the event of default, the leased asset, and in some cases the lessee, secure the loan. As a lessor, Resources has ownership rights to the property and rents the property to the lessees for use in their business operation. As of December 31, 2006, Resources equity investment in leased assets was approximately \$924 million, net of deferred taxes of approximately \$1.9 billion. For additional information, see Note 8. Long-Term Investments of the Notes.

In the event that collectibility of the minimum lease payments to be received by the lessor is no longer reasonably assured, the accounting treatment for some of the leases may change. In such cases, Resources may deem that a lessee has a high probability of defaulting on the lease obligation, and would reclassify the lease from a leveraged lease to an operating lease and would consider the need to record an impairment of its investment. Should Resources ever directly assume a debt obligation, the fair value of the underlying asset and the associated debt would be recorded on the Consolidated Balance Sheets instead of the net equity investment in the lease.

Energy Holdings has guaranteed certain obligations of its subsidiaries or affiliates related to certain projects. See Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities of the Notes for additional information.

# CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

### PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Under GAAP, many accounting standards require the use of estimates, variable inputs and assumptions (collectively referred to as estimates) that are subjective in nature. Because of this, differences between the actual measure realized versus the estimate can have a material impact on results of operations, financial position and cash flows. The managements of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings have each determined that the following estimates are considered critical to the application of rules that relate to their respective businesses.

# Accounting for Pensions

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings account for pensions under SFAS No. 87, Employers Accounting for Pensions (SFAS 87). Pension costs under SFAS 87 are calculated using various economic and demographic assumptions. Economic assumptions include the discount rate and the long-term rate of return on trust assets. Demographic assumptions include projections of future mortality rates, pay increases and retirement patterns. In 2006, PSEG and its subsidiaries recorded pension expense of \$97 million, compared to \$109 million in 2005 and \$102 million in 2004. Additionally, in 2006, PSEG and its respective

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subsidiaries contributed cash of approximately \$50 million, compared to cash contributions of \$155 million in 2005 and \$96 million in 2004.

PSEG s discount rate assumption, which is determined annually, is based on the rates of return on high-quality fixed-income investments currently available and expected to be available during the period to maturity of the pension benefits. The discount rate used to calculate pension obligations is determined as of December 31 each year, PSEG s SFAS 87 measurement date. The discount rate used to determine year-end obligations is also used to develop the following year s net periodic pension cost. The discount rates used in PSEG s 2005 and 2006 net periodic pension costs were 6.00% and 5.75%, respectively. PSEG s 2007 net periodic pension cost was developed using a discount rate of 6.00%.

PSEG s expected rate of return on plan assets reflects current asset allocations, historical long-term investment performance and an estimate of future long-term returns by asset class using input from PSEG s actuary and investment advisors, as well as long-term inflation assumptions. For 2005 and 2006, PSEG assumed a rate of return of 8.75% on PSEG s pension plan assets. For 2007, PSEG will continue the rate of return assumption of 8.75%.

Based on the above assumptions, PSEG has estimated net period pension costs of approximately \$43 million and contributions of up to approximately \$66 million in 2007. As part of the business planning process, PSEG has modeled its future costs assuming an 8.75% rate of return and a 6.0% discount rate for 2008 and beyond. Actual future pension expense and funding levels will depend on future investment performance, changes in discount rates, market conditions, funding levels relative to PSEG s projected benefit obligation and accumulated benefit obligation (ABO) and various other factors related to the populations participating in PSEG s pension plans.

The following chart reflects the sensitivities associated with a change in certain actuarial assumptions. The effects of the assumption changes shown below solely reflect the impact of that specific assumption.

Actuarial Assumption	Current	Change/ (Decrease)	Dec 31 Imp Pe Be	As of cember , 2006 pact on ension enefit igation	Per Exp	ease to nsion pense 2007
				(Mil	lions)	
Discount Rate	6.00 %	(1.00 %)	\$	555	\$	52
Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Accounting for Deferred Taxes	8.75 %	(1.00 %)	\$		\$	33

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings provide for income taxes based on the liability method required by SFAS No. 109, Accounting for Income Taxes (SFAS 109). Under this method, deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax basis, as well as net operating loss and credit carryforwards.

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings evaluate the need for a valuation allowance against their respective deferred tax assets based on the likelihood of expected future taxable income. PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings do not believe a valuation allowance is necessary; however, if the expected level of future taxable income changes or certain tax planning strategies become unavailable, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings would record a valuation allowance through income tax expense in the period the valuation allowance is deemed necessary.

Resources and Global s ability to realize their deferred tax assets are dependent on PSEG s subsidiaries ability to generate ordinary income and capital gains.

## Hedge and Mark-to-Market (MTM) Accounting

SFAS 133 requires an entity to recognize the fair value of derivative instruments held as assets or liabilities on the balance sheet. SFAS 133 applies to all derivative instruments held by PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings. The fair value of most derivative instruments is determined by reference to quoted market prices, listed contracts, or quotations from brokers. Some of these derivative contracts are long term and rely on forward price quotations over the entire duration of the derivative contracts.

In the absence of the pricing sources listed above, for a small number of contracts, PSEG and its subsidiary companies utilize mathematical models that rely on historical data to develop forward pricing information in the determination of fair value. Because the determination of fair value using such models is

subject to significant assumptions and estimates, PSEG and its subsidiary companies developed reserve policies that are consistently applied to model-generated results to determine reasonable estimates of value to record in the financial statements.

PSEG and its subsidiaries have entered into various derivative instruments in order to hedge exposure to commodity price risk, interest rate risk and foreign currency risk. Many such instruments have been designated as cash flow hedges. For a cash flow hedge, the change in the value of a derivative instrument is measured against the offsetting change in the value of the underlying contract or business condition the derivative instrument is intended to hedge. This is known as the measure of derivative effectiveness. In accordance with SFAS 133, the effective portion of the change in the fair value of a derivative instrument designated as a cash flow hedge is reported in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss, net of tax, or as a Regulatory Asset (Liability). Amounts in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss are ultimately recognized in earnings when the related hedged forecasted transaction occurs. During periods of extreme price volatility, there will be significant changes in the value recorded in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss. The changes in the fair value of the ineffective portions of derivative instrument designated as cash flow hedges are recorded in earnings.

For Power s and Holdings wholesale energy businesses, many of the forward sale, forward purchase and other option contracts are derivative instruments that hedge commodity price risk, but for which the businesses are not able to apply the hedge accounting guidance in SFAS 133. The changes in value of such derivative contracts are marked to market through earnings as commodity prices fluctuate. As a result, the earnings of PSEG, Power and Holdings may experience significant fluctuations depending on the volatility of commodity prices.

For Power s energy trading activities, all changes in the fair value of energy trading derivative contracts are recorded in earnings.

For additional information regarding Derivative Financial Instruments, see Note 11. Financial Risk Management Activities of the Notes.

## PSE&G

# Unbilled Revenues

Electric and gas revenues are recorded based on services rendered to customers during each accounting period. PSE&G records unbilled revenues for the estimated amount customers will be billed for services rendered from the time meters were last read to the end of the respective accounting period. Unbilled usage is calculated in two steps. The initial step is to apply a base usage per day to the number of unbilled days in the period. The second step estimates seasonal loads based upon the time of year and the variance of actual degree-days and temperature-humidity-index hours of the unbilled period from expected norms. The resulting usage is priced at current rate levels and recorded as revenue. A calculation of the associated energy cost for the unbilled usage is recorded as well. Each month the prior month s unbilled amounts are reversed and the current month s amounts are accrued. Using benchmarks other than those used in this calculation could have a material effect on the amounts accrued in a reporting period. The resulting revenue and expense reflect the service rendered in the calendar month.

## PSE&G

# SFAS No. 71, Accounting for the Effects of Certain Types of Regulation (SFAS 71)

PSE&G prepares its Consolidated Financial Statements in accordance with the provisions of SFAS 71, which differs in certain respects from the application of GAAP by non-regulated businesses. In general, SFAS 71 recognizes that accounting for rate-regulated enterprises should reflect the economic effects of regulation. As a result, a regulated utility is required to defer the recognition of costs (a regulatory asset) or recognize obligations (a regulatory liability)

if it is probable that, through the rate-making process, there will be a corresponding increase or decrease in future rates. Accordingly, PSE&G has deferred certain costs, which will be amortized over various future periods. To the extent that collection of such costs or payment of liabilities is no longer probable as a result of changes in regulation and/or PSE&G s competitive position, the associated regulatory asset or liability is charged or credited to income. See Note 5. Regulatory Matters of the Notes for additional information related to these and other regulatory issues.

#### **Power**

#### NDT Funds

Power accounts for the assets in the NDT Funds under SFAS No. 115, Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities (SFAS 115). The assets in the NDT Funds are classified as available-for-sale securities and are marked to market with unrealized gains and losses recorded in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss unless securities with such unrealized losses are deemed to be other-than-temporarily-impaired. Realized gains, losses and dividend and interest income are recorded on Power's and PSEG's Statements of Operations under Other Income and Other Deductions. Unrealized losses that are deemed to be other than temporarily impaired, as defined under SFAS 115, and related interpretive guidance, are charged against earnings rather than Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss.

## **Power and Energy Holdings**

## Accounting for Goodwill

Power and Energy Holdings evaluate their respective goodwill for impairment at least annually or when indications of impairment exist. An impairment may exist when the carrying amount of goodwill exceeds its implied fair value.

Accounting estimates related to goodwill fair value are highly susceptible to change from period to period because they require management to make cash flow assumptions about future sales, operating costs, economic conditions and discount rates over an indefinite life. The impact of recognizing an impairment could have a material impact on financial position and results of operations.

Power and Energy Holdings perform annual goodwill impairment tests and continuously monitor the business environment in which they operate for any impairment issues that may arise. As indicated above, certain assumptions are used to arrive at a fair value for goodwill testing. Such assumptions are consistently employed and include, but are not limited to, free cash flow projections, interest rates, tariff adjustments, economic conditions prevalent in the geographic regions in which Power and Energy Holdings do business, local spot market prices for energy, foreign exchange rates and the credit worthiness of customers. If an adverse event were to occur, such an event could materially change the assumptions used to value goodwill and could result in impairments of goodwill.

### **PSEG** and Energy Holdings

# Foreign Currency Translation

Energy Holdings financial statements are prepared using the U.S. Dollar as the reporting currency. In accordance with SFAS No. 52, Foreign Currency Translation, for foreign operations whose functional currency is deemed to be the local (foreign) currency, asset and liability accounts are translated into U.S. Dollars at current exchange rates and revenues and expenses are translated at average exchange rates prevailing during the period. Translation gains and losses (net of applicable deferred taxes) are not included in determining Net Income but are reported in Other Comprehensive Income. Gains and losses on transactions denominated in a currency other than the functional currency are included in the results of operations as incurred.

The determination of an entity s functional currency requires management s judgment. It is based on an assessment of the primary currency in which transactions in the local environment are conducted, and whether the local currency can be relied upon as a stable currency in which to conduct business. As economic and business conditions change, Energy Holdings is required to reassess the economic environment and determine the appropriate functional currency. The impact of foreign currency accounting could have a material adverse impact on Energy Holdings results of operations.

# ITEM 7A. QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

# PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The market risk inherent in PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings market-risk sensitive instruments and positions is the potential loss arising from adverse changes in foreign currency exchange rates, commodity prices, equity security prices and interest rates as discussed in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Notes). It is the policy of each entity to use derivatives to manage risk consistent with its respective business plans and prudent practices. PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings have a Risk Management Committee (RMC) comprised of executive officers who utilize an independent risk oversight function to ensure compliance with corporate policies and prudent risk management practices.

Additionally, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings are exposed to counterparty credit losses in the event of non-performance or non-payment. PSEG has a credit management process, which is used to assess, monitor and mitigate counterparty exposure for PSEG and its subsidiaries. In the event of non- performance or non-payment by a major counterparty, there may be a material adverse impact on PSEG and its subsidiaries financial condition, results of operations or net cash flows.

# Foreign Exchange Rate Risk

# **Energy Holdings**

Global is exposed to foreign currency risk and other foreign operations risk that arise from investments in foreign subsidiaries and affiliates. Primarily, Global is impacted by changes in the U.S. Dollar to Peruvian Nuevo Sol and the Chilean Peso exchange rates and to a much lesser extent, the Euro. Whenever possible, these subsidiaries and affiliates have attempted to limit potential foreign exchange impacts by entering into revenue contracts that adjust to changes in foreign exchange rates. Global also uses foreign currency forward, swap and option agreements to manage risk related to certain foreign currency transactions, when appropriate.

Global s investment balances are also impacted by foreign currency changes through translation adjustments. Foreign currency has strengthened on a net basis since Global s acquisitions and investments in Chile and Peru. A foreign currency fluctuation of 10% in such foreign currencies would result in an aggregate change in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income of \$92 million. As of December 31, 2006, Energy Holdings net gain in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income from currency fluctuations was approximately \$111 million.

# **Commodity Contracts**

#### **PSEG** and Power

The availability and price of energy commodities are subject to fluctuations from factors such as weather, environmental policies, changes in supply and demand, state and federal regulatory policies, market rules and other events. To reduce price risk caused by market fluctuations, Power enters into supply contracts and derivative contracts, including forwards, futures, swaps and options with approved counterparties. These contracts, in conjunction with demand obligations help reduce risk and optimize the value of owned electric generation capacity.

## Normal Operations and Hedging Activities

Power enters into physical contracts, as well as financial contracts, including forwards, futures, swaps and options designed to reduce risk associated with volatile commodity prices. Commodity price risk is associated with market

price movements resulting from market generation demand, changes in fuel costs and various other factors.

Under SFAS 133, changes in the fair value of qualifying cash flow hedge transactions are recorded in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss, and gains and losses are recognized in earnings when the underlying transaction occurs. Changes in the fair value of derivative contracts that do not meet hedge criteria under SFAS 133 and the ineffective portion of hedge contracts are recognized in earnings currently. Additionally, changes in the fair value attributable to fair value hedges are similarly recognized in earnings.

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Many non-trading contracts qualify for the normal purchases and normal sales exemption under SFAS 133 and are accounted for upon settlement.

# **Trading**

Power maintains a strategy of entering into trading positions to optimize the value of its portfolio of generation assets, gas supply contracts and its electric and gas supply obligations. Power engages in physical and financial transactions in the electricity wholesale markets and executes an overall risk management strategy to mitigate the effects of adverse movements in the fuel and electricity markets. In addition, Power has non-asset based trading activities, which have significantly decreased. These contracts also involve financial transactions including swaps, options and futures. These activities are marked to market in accordance with SFAS 133 with gains and losses recognized in earnings.

#### Value-at-Risk (VaR) Models

#### **Power**

Power uses VaR models to assess the market risk of its commodity businesses. The portfolio VaR model for Power includes its owned generation and physical contracts, as well as fixed price sales requirements, load requirements and financial derivative instruments. VaR represents the potential gains or losses, under normal market conditions, for instruments or portfolios due to changes in market factors, for a specified time period and confidence level. Power estimates VaR across its commodity businesses.

Power manages its exposure at the portfolio level. Its portfolio consists of owned generation, load-serving contracts (both gas and electric), fuel supply contracts and energy derivatives designed to manage the risk around generation and load. While Power manages its risk at the portfolio level, it also monitors separately the risk of its trading activities and its hedges. Non-trading MTM VaR consists of MTM derivatives that are economic hedges, some of which qualify for hedge accounting. The MTM derivatives that are not hedges are included in the trading VaR.

The VaR models used by Power are variance/covariance models adjusted for the delta of positions with a 95% one-tailed confidence level and a one-day holding period for the MTM trading and non- trading activities and a 95% one-tailed confidence level with a one-week holding period for the portfolio VaR. The models assume no new positions throughout the holding periods, whereas Power actively manages its portfolio.

Reduced trading activities by Power during 2006 have resulted in less trading risk. As of December 31, 2006, trading VaR was immaterial. As of December 31, 2005, trading VaR was approximately \$1 million.

For the Year Ended December 31, 2006	Trad Va	U		Trading M VaR
		(1	Millions)	)
95% Confidence Level, One-Day Holding Period, One-Tailed:				
Period End	\$	*	\$	38
Average for the Period	\$	*	\$	46
High	\$	*	\$	55
Low	\$	*	\$	38
99% Confidence Level, One-Day Holding Period, Two-Tailed:				
Period End	\$	*	\$	59
Average for the Period	\$	*	\$	73

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High	\$ *	\$ 87
Low	\$ *	\$ 59

\* less than \$1 million

# **Interest Rates**

# PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings are subject to the risk of fluctuating interest rates in the normal course of business. It is the policy of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings to manage interest

rate risk through the use of fixed and floating rate debt, interest rate swaps and interest rate lock agreements. PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings manage their respective interest rate exposures by maintaining a targeted ratio of fixed and floating rate debt. As of December 31, 2006, a hypothetical 10% change in market interest rates would result in a \$7 million, \$3 million, \$1 million and an insignificant change (less than \$500 thousand) in annual interest costs related to debt at PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings, respectively. In addition, as of December 31, 2006, a hypothetical 10% change in market interest rates would result in a \$7 million, \$77 million, \$105 million and \$32 million change in the fair value of the debt of PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings, respectively.

## **Debt and Equity Securities**

# PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG has approximately \$3.4 billion invested in its pension plans. Although fluctuations in market prices of securities within this portfolio do not directly affect PSEG s earnings in the current period, changes in the value of these investments could affect PSEG s future contributions to these plans, its financial position if its ABO under its pension plans exceeds the fair value of its pension funds and future earnings as PSEG could be required to adjust pension expense and its assumed rate of return.

#### **Power**

Power s NDT Funds are comprised of both fixed income and equity securities totaling \$1.3 billion as of December 31, 2006. The fair value of equity securities is determined independently each month by the Trustee. As of December 31, 2006, the portfolio was comprised of approximately \$785 million of equity securities and approximately \$471 million in fixed income securities. The fair market value of the assets in the NDT Funds will fluctuate primarily depending upon the performance of equity markets. As of December 31, 2006, a hypothetical 10% change in the equity market would impact the value of the equity securities in the NDT Funds by approximately \$79 million.

Power uses duration to measure the interest rate sensitivity of the fixed income portfolio. Duration is a summary statistic of the effective average maturity of the fixed income portfolio. The benchmark for the fixed income component of the NDT Funds is the Lehman Brothers Aggregate Bond Index, which currently has duration of 4.46 years and a yield of 5.34%. The portfolio s value will appreciate or depreciate by the duration with a 1% change in interest rates. As of December 31, 2006, a hypothetical 1% increase in interest rates would result in a decline in the market value for the fixed income portfolio of approximately \$7.8 million.

#### Credit Risk

# PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Credit risk relates to the risk of loss that PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings would incur as a result of non-performance by counterparties pursuant to the terms of their contractual obligations. PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings have established credit policies that they believe significantly minimize credit risk. These policies include an evaluation of potential counterparties financial condition (including credit rating), collateral requirements under certain circumstances and the use of standardized agreements, which may allow for the netting of positive and negative exposures associated with a single counterparty.

## PSE&G

BGS suppliers expose PSE&G to credit losses in the event of non-performance or non-payment upon a default of the BGS supplier. Credit requirements are governed under BPU approved BGS contracts.

#### **Power**

Counterparties expose Power s trading operation to credit losses in the event of non-performance or non-payment. Power has a credit management process, which is used to assess, monitor and mitigate counterparty exposure for Power and its subsidiaries. Power s counterparty credit limits are based on a

scoring model that considers a variety of factors, including leverage, liquidity, profitability, credit ratings and risk management capabilities. Power s trading operations have entered into payment netting agreements or enabling agreements that allow for payment netting with the majority of its large counterparties, which reduce Power s exposure to counterparty risk by providing the offset of amounts payable to the counterparty against amounts receivable from the counterparty. In the event of non-performance or non-payment by a major counterparty, there may be a material adverse impact on Power s and its subsidiaries financial condition, results of operations or net cash flows. As of December 31, 2006, approximately 97% of the credit exposure (MTM plus net receivables and payables, less cash collateral) for Power s trading operations was with investment grade counterparties. The majority of the credit exposure with non-investment grade counterparties was with certain companies that supply fuel (primarily coal) to Power. Therefore, this exposure relates to the risk of a counterparty performing under its obligations rather than payment risk. As of December 31, 2006, Power s trading operations had over 121 active counterparties.

# **Energy Holdings**

#### Global

Global has credit risk with respect to its counterparties to power purchase agreements (PPAs) and other parties.

#### Resources

As of December 31, 2006, Resources has a remaining gross investment in three leased aircraft of approximately \$41 million, all with Northwest airlines. Resources successfully restructured the leases and converted them from leveraged leases to operating leases. Energy Holdings expects to recover its investment through cash flows from the operating leases.

Resources has credit risk related to its investments in leveraged leases, totaling \$924 million, which is net of deferred taxes of \$1.9 billion, as of December 31, 2006. These investments are largely concentrated in the energy industry. As of December 31, 2006, 67% of counterparties in the lease portfolio were rated investment grade by both S&P and Moody s. As of December 31, 2006, the weighted average credit rating of the lessees in Resources leasing portfolio was A /A3 by S&P and Moody s respectively.

Resources is the lessor of domestic generating facilities in several U.S. energy markets. Several of these lessees have credit ratings below investment grade. Resources—investment in such transactions was approximately \$264 million, net of deferred taxes of \$510 million as of December 31, 2006. The credit exposure to the lessees is partially mitigated through various credit enhancement mechanisms within the lease transactions. These credit enhancement features vary from lease to lease. Some of the leasing transactions include covenants that restrict the flow of dividends from the lessee to its parent, over-collateralization of the lessee with non-leased assets, historical and forward cash flow coverage tests that prohibit discretionary capital expenditures and dividend payments to the parent/lessee if stated minimum coverages are not met and similar cash flow restrictions if ratings are not maintained at stated levels. These covenants are designed to maintain cash reserves in the transaction entity for the benefit of the non-recourse lenders and the lessor/equity participants in the event of a market downturn or degradation in operating performance of the leased assets.

In any lease transaction, in the event of a default, Energy Holdings would exercise its rights and attempt to seek recovery of its investment. The results of such efforts may not be known for a period of time. A bankruptcy of a lessee and failure to recover adequate value could lead to a foreclosure of the lease. Under a worst-case scenario, if a foreclosure were to occur, Resources would record a pre-tax write-off up to its gross investment, including deferred taxes, in these facilities. Also, in the event of a potential foreclosure, the net tax benefits generated by Resources portfolio of investments could be materially reduced in the period in which gains associated with the potential forgiveness of debt at these projects occurs. The amount and timing of any potential reduction in net tax benefits is dependent upon a number of factors including, but not limited to, the time of a potential foreclosure, the amount of

lease debt outstanding, any cash trapped at the projects and negotiations during such potential foreclosure process. The potential loss of earnings, impairment and/or tax payments could have a material impact to PSEG s and Energy Holdings financial position, results of operations and net cash flows.

# Other Supplemental Information Regarding Market Risk

# **Power**

The following table describes the drivers of Power s energy trading and marketing activities and Operating Revenues included in its Consolidated Statement of Operations for the year ended December 31, 2006. Normal operations and hedging activities represent the marketing of electricity available from Power s owned or contracted generation sold into the wholesale market. As the information in this table highlights, MTM activities represent a small portion of the total Operating Revenues for Power. Activities accounted for under the accrual method, including normal purchases and sales, account for the majority of the revenue. The MTM activities reported here are those relating to changes in fair value due to external movement in prices. For additional information, see Note 11. Financial Risk Management Activities of the Notes.

# Operating Revenues For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

	Op	Normal perations and dging(A)	rading illions)	Total
MTM Activities:				
Unrealized MTM Gains (Losses)				
Changes in Fair Value of Open Position	\$	13	\$ 23	\$ 36
Realization at Settlement of Contracts		(32)	(27)	(59)
Total Change in Unrealized Fair Value		(19)	(4)	(23)
Realized Net Settlement of Transactions Subject to MTM		32	27	59
Net MTM Gains		13	23	36
Accrual Activities:				
Accrual Activities Revenue, Including Hedge Reclassifications		6,021		6,021
<b>Total Operating Revenues</b>	\$	6,034	\$ 23	\$ 6,057

(A) Includes
derivative
contracts
that Power
enters into
to hedge
anticipated



exposures related to its owned and contracted generation supply, all asset backed transactions (ABT) and hedging activities, but excludes owned and contracted generation assets.

The following table indicates Power s energy trading assets and liabilities, as well as Power s hedging activity related to ABTs and derivative instruments that qualify for hedge accounting under SFAS 133. This table presents amounts segregated by portfolio which are then netted for those counterparties with whom Power has the right to set off and therefore, are not necessarily indicative of amounts presented on the Consolidated Balance Sheets since balances with many counterparties are subject to offset and are shown net on the Consolidated Balance Sheets regardless of the portfolio in which they are included.

# Energy Contract Net Assets/Liabilities As of December 31, 2006

	Op	formal erations and fedging	rading illions)	Total
MTM Energy Assets				
Current Assets	\$	80	\$ 44	\$ 124
Noncurrent Assets		23	5	28
Total MTM Energy Assets		103	49	152
MTM Energy Liabilities				
Current Liabilities	\$	(271)	\$ (54)	\$ (325)
Noncurrent Liabilities		(166)	(3)	(169)
Total MTM Energy Liabilities		(437)	(57)	(494)
<b>Total MTM Energy Contract Net Liabilities</b>	\$	(334)	\$ (8)	\$ (342)

The following table presents the maturity of net fair value of MTM energy trading contracts.

# Maturity of Net Fair Value of MTM Energy Trading Contracts As of December 31, 2006

		Maturitie	s withi	in		
	2007	2008 (Millio	20	)09- )11	,	Total
Trading	\$ (10)	\$ 2	\$		\$	(8)
Normal Operations and Hedging	(191)	(166)		23		(334)
<b>Total Net Unrealized Losses on MTM Contracts</b>	\$ (201)	\$ (164)	\$	23	\$	(342)

Wherever possible, fair values for these contracts were obtained from quoted market sources. For contracts where no quoted market exists, modeling techniques were employed using assumptions reflective of current market rates, yield curves and forward prices as applicable to interpolate certain prices. The effect of using such modeling techniques is not material to Power s financial results.

# **PSEG, Power and Energy Holdings**

The following table identifies losses on cash flow hedges that are currently in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss, a separate component of equity. Power uses forward sale and purchase contracts, swaps and firm transmission rights contracts to hedge forecasted energy sales from its generation stations and its contracted supply obligations. Power also enters into swaps, options and futures transactions to hedge the price of fuel to meet its fuel purchase requirements for generation. PSEG, Power and Energy Holdings are subject to the risk of fluctuating interest rates in the normal course of business. PSEG s policy is to manage interest rate risk through the use of fixed rate debt, floating rate debt and interest rate derivatives. The table also provides an estimate of the losses, net of taxes that are expected to be reclassified out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss and into earnings over the next twelve months.

# Cash Flow Hedges Included in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss As of December 31, 2006

	umulated Other prehensive Loss (Milli	Ex Rec in :	ortion expected to be classified next 12 nonths
Commodities	\$ (108)	\$	(27)
Interest Rates	(5)		(1)
Net Cash Flow Hedge Loss Included in Accumulated Other Comprehensive			
Loss	\$ (113)	\$	(28)

#### **Power**

#### Credit Risk

The following table provides information on Power s credit exposure, net of collateral, as of December 31, 2006. Credit exposure is defined as any positive results of netting accounts receivable/accounts payable and the forward value on open positions. It further delineates that exposure by the credit rating of the counterparties and provides guidance on the concentration of credit risk to individual counterparties and an indication of the maturity of a company s credit risk by credit rating of the counterparties.

# Schedule of Credit Risk Exposure on Energy Contracts Net Assets As of December 31, 2006

Rating	 rrent oosure	Н	irities eld llateral	Net oosure	Number of Counterparties >10%	Coun	xposure of terparties 10%
		(Mi	llions)		(M	illions)	
Investment Grade External Rating	\$ 619	\$	79	\$ 619	1 (A)	\$	393
Non-Investment Grade External Rating	1			1			
Investment Grade No External							
Rating	23			23			
Non-Investment Grade No External							
Rating	22			22			
Total	\$ 665	\$	79	\$ 665	1	\$	393

# (A) Counterparty is PSE&G.

The net exposure listed above, in some cases, will not be the difference between the current exposure and the collateral held. A counterparty may have posted more collateral than the outstanding exposure, in which case there would not be exposure.

# ITEM 8. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

This combined Form 10-K is separately filed by Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated (PSEG), Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G), PSEG Power LLC (Power) and PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. (Energy Holdings). Information contained herein relating to any individual company is filed by such company on its own behalf. PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings each make representations only as to itself and make no representations as to any other company.

### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Stockholders and Board of Directors of PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated and subsidiaries (the Company) as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, and the related consolidated statements of operations, common stockholders equity and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2006. Our audits also included the consolidated financial statement schedule listed in the Index at Item 15. These consolidated financial statements and the consolidated financial statement schedule are the responsibility of the Company s management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements and consolidated financial statement schedule based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, such consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2006, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Also, in our opinion, such consolidated financial statement schedule, when considered in relation to the basic consolidated financial statements taken as a whole, presents fairly in all material respects, the information set forth therein.

As discussed in Note 2 to the consolidated financial statements, on December 31, 2006, the Company adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 158, *Employers Accounting for Defined Benefit Pension and Other Postretirement Plans*.

As discussed in Note 3 to the consolidated financial statements, on December 31, 2005, the Company adopted Financial Accounting Standards Board Interpretation No. 47, *Accounting for Conditional Asset Retirement Obligations*.

We have also audited, in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States), the effectiveness of the Company s internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2006, based on the criteria established in *Internal Control Integrated Framework* issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission and our report dated February 27, 2007 expressed an unqualified opinion on management s assessment of the effectiveness of the Company s internal control over financial reporting and an unqualified opinion on the effectiveness of the Company s internal control over financial reporting.

**DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP** 

### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Sole Stockholder and Board of Directors of PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Public Service Electric and Gas Company and subsidiaries (the Company) as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, and the related consolidated statements of operations, common stockholder is equity and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2006. Our audits also included the consolidated financial statement schedule listed in the Index at Item 15. These consolidated financial statements and the consolidated financial statement schedule are the responsibility of the Company is management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements and consolidated financial statement schedule based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. The Company is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Our audits included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company s internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

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**DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP** 

### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Sole Member and Board of Directors of PSEG POWER LLC:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of PSEG Power LLC and subsidiaries (the Company ) as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, and the related consolidated statements of operations, capitalization and member s equity and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2006. Our audits also included the consolidated financial statement schedule listed in the Index at Item 15. These consolidated financial statements and the consolidated financial statement schedule are the responsibility of the Company s management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements and the consolidated financial statement schedule based on our audits.

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**DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP** 

### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Sole Member and Board of Directors of PSEG ENERGY HOLDINGS L.L.C.:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. and subsidiaries (the Company) as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, and the related consolidated statements of operations, member is equity and cash flows for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2006. Our audits also included the consolidated financial statement schedule listed in the Index at Item 15. These consolidated financial statements and the consolidated financial statement schedule are the responsibility of the Company is management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements and consolidated financial statement schedule based on our audits.

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**DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP** 

# PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(Millions, except for share data)

For The Years Ended Decen	ıber	31,	
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	For the rears Ended December 31,					
		2006		2005		2004
OPERATING REVENUES	\$	12,164	\$	12,164	\$	10,610
OPERATING EXPENSES						
Energy Costs		6,769		7,040		5,824
Operation and Maintenance		2,297		2,282		2,147
Write-down of Assets		318				
Depreciation and Amortization		832		731		683
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes		133		141		139
Total Operating Expenses		10,349		10,194		8,793
Income from Equity Method Investments		120		124		119
OPERATING INCOME		1,935		2,094		1,936
Other Income		209		233		186
Other Deductions		(126)		(93)		(65)
Interest Expense		(808)		(784)		(774)
Preferred Stock Dividends		(4)		(4)		(4)
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS BEFORE INCOME TAXES		1,206		1,446		1,279
Income Tax Expense		(454)		(560)		(484)
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS		752		886		795
Loss from Discontinued Operations, including Gain (Loss) on Disposal, net of tax benefit of \$24, \$154, and \$44 for the years ended 2006, 2005 and 2004, respectively		(13)		(208)		(69)
INCOME BEFORE CUMULATIVE EFFECT OF A CHANGE IN ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLE		739		678		726
Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle, net of tax benefit of \$11 in 2005				(17)		
NET INCOME	\$	739	\$	661	\$	726

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# WEIGHTED AVERAGE COMMON SHARES OUTSTANDING (THOUSANDS):

BASIC	251,678	240,297	236,984
DILUTED	252,314	244,406	238,286
DILUTED	232,314	244,400	230,200
EARNINGS PER SHARE:			
BASIC			
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	\$ 2.99	\$ 3.69	\$ 3.35
NET INCOME	\$ 2.94	\$ 2.75	\$ 3.06
DILUTED			
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	\$ 2.98	\$ 3.63	\$ 3.34
NET INCOME	\$ 2.93	\$ 2.71	\$ 3.05
DIVIDENDS PAID PER SHARE OF COMMON			
STOCK	\$ 2.28	\$ 2.24	\$ 2.20
	\$ 2.28	\$ 2.24	\$ 2.20

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

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# PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Millions)

Decem	ber	31,
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	Detember 31,		•
	2006		2005
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 141	\$	288
Accounts Receivable, net of allowances of \$52 and \$44 in 2006 and 2005,	1.260		1.026
respectively	1,368		1,936
Unbilled Revenues	328		394
Fuel	847		812
Materials and Supplies	290		269
Prepayments	72		128
Restricted Funds	79		76
Derivative Contracts	127		377
Assets of Discontinued Operations	325		1,175
Assets Held for Sale	40		
Other	45		41
Total Current Assets	3,662		5,496
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	18,851		18,209
Less: Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization	(5,849)		(5,533)
Net Property, Plant and Equipment	13,002		12,676
NONCURRENT ASSETS			
Regulatory Assets	5,694		5,059
Long-Term Investments	3,868		4,077
Nuclear Decommissioning Trust (NDT) Funds	1,256		1,133
Other Special Funds	147		559
Goodwill	539		554
Intangibles	46		46
Derivative Contracts	55		42
Other	301		179
O LIVE	501		117
Total Noncurrent Assets	11,906		11,649

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 28,570 \$ 29,821

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

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# PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Millions)

	December 31,				
	December 31, 2006 200				
LIABILITIES AND CAPITALIZATION					
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Long-Term Debt Due Within One Year	\$ 849	\$ 1,536			
Commercial Paper and Loans	381	100			
Accounts Payable	964	1,154			
Derivative Contracts	335	625			
Accrued Interest	124	152			
Accrued Taxes	152	141			
Clean Energy Program	120	96			
Liabilities of Discontinued Operations		436			
Other	481	515			
Total Current Liabilities	3,406	4,755			
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES					
Deferred Income Taxes and Investment Tax Credits (ITC)	4,462	4,248			
Regulatory Liabilities	646	726			
Asset Retirement Obligations	509	585			
Other Postretirement Benefit (OPEB) Costs	1,089	597			
Accrued Pension Costs	327	67			
Clean Energy Program	133	233			
Environmental Costs	421	420			
Derivative Contracts	204	656			
Other	176	153			
Total Noncurrent Liabilities	7,967	7,685			
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (See Note 12)					
CAPITALIZATION					
LONG-TERM DEBT					
Long-Term Debt	7,636	7,849			
Securitization Debt	1,708	1,879			
Project Level, Non-Recourse Debt	840	891			
Debt Supporting Trust Preferred Securities	186	660			

Total Long-Term Debt		10,370		11,279						
SUBSIDIARIES PREFERRED SECURITIES										
Preferred Stock Without Mandatory Redemption, \$100 par value, 7,500,000 authorized; issued and outstanding, 2006 and 2005 795,234 shares		80		80						
COMMON STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY										
Common Stock, no par, authorized 500,000,000 shares; issued;										
2006 266,372,440 shares; 2005 265,332,746 shares		4,661		4,618						
Treasury Stock, at cost; 2006 13,727,032 shares; 2005 14,169,560 shares		(516)		(532)						
Retained Earnings		2,710		2,545						
Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss		(108)		(609)						
Total Common Stockholders Equity		6,747		6,022						
Total Capitalization		17,197		17,381						
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITALIZATION	\$	28,570	\$	29,821						

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# PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Millions)

		For The Years Ended December 31,				
CACH ELOWIC EDOM ODED ATINIC A CTIVITIES	2006		2005		2004	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	¢ 7′	20 ¢	661	¢	706	
Net Income	\$ 73	39 \$	661	\$	726	
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Flows from						
Operating Activities:						
(Gain) Loss on Disposal of Discontinued Operations, net of						
tax	(	19)	178		(5)	
Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle, net of tax			17			
Gain (Loss) on Disposition of Property, Plant and						
Equipment		(5)	(8)		1	
Write-Down of Property, Plant and Equipment	2	14				
Write-Down of Project Investments			22			
Depreciation and Amortization		50	767		721	
Amortization of Nuclear Fuel	9	97	94		80	
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes (Other than Leases) and ITC	(1)	11)	224		167	
Non-Cash Employee Benefit Plan Costs	23	37	235		217	
Leveraged Lease Income, Adjusted for Rents Received and Deferred Taxes	(	54	(27)		(92)	
Loss (Gain) on Sale of Investments	20	50	(122)		(79)	
Undistributed Earnings from Affiliates	(4	14)	(46)		(12)	
Foreign Currency Transaction Loss (Gain)		5			26	
Unrealized (Gains) Losses on Energy Contracts and Other Derivatives	(′.	30)	20		(4)	
Over Recovery of Electric Energy Costs (BGS and NTC) and Gas Costs	1:	11	109		80	
Under Recovery of Societal Benefits Charge (SBC)	(14	40)	(120)		(158)	
Net Realized Gains and Income from NDT Funds	((	63)	(125)		(105)	
Other Non-Cash Charges	(	62	61		57	
Net Change in Certain Current Assets and Liabilities	1'	73	(655)		25	
Employee Benefit Plan Funding and Related Payments	(14	48)	(240)		(174)	
Proceeds from the Withdrawal of Partnership Interests and Other Distributions		10	64		126	
Other	(10	63)	(139)		8	

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Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities	1,929	970	1,605
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Additions to Property, Plant and Equipment	(1,015)	(1,053)	(1,247)
Investments in Joint Ventures, Partnerships and Capital Leases			(14)
Proceeds from Collection of Notes Receivable		120	(11)
Proceeds from Sale of Discontinued Operations	494	-	43
Proceeds from Sale of Property, Plant and Equipment	5	229	13
Proceeds from the Sale of Investments and Return of			
Capital from Partnerships	246	315	399
Proceeds from NDT Funds Sales	1,405	3,223	2,637
Investment in NDT Funds	(1,427)	(3,232)	(2,647)
Restricted Funds	(5)	(54)	54
NDT Funds Interest and Dividends	40	35	28
Other	16	12	(22)
	(241)	(405)	(75.6)
Net Cash Used In Investing Activities	(241)	(405)	(756)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Net Change in Commercial Paper and Loans	281	(538)	339
Issuance of Long-Term Debt	250	728	1,410
Issuance of Non-Recourse Debt		18	19
Issuance of Common Stock	83	533	83
Redemptions of Long-Term Debt	(1,594)	(271)	(2,232)
Repayment of Non-Recourse Debt	(51)	(37)	(70)
Redemption of Debt Underlying Trust Securities	(203)	(387)	
Cash Dividends Paid on Common Stock	(574)	(541)	(522)
Contributions from Minority Shareholders		(1)	
Other	(26)	(46)	(56)
Net Cash Used In Financing Activities	(1,834)	(542)	(1,029)
The Cash Osea in I maneing Neuvities	(1,034)	(542)	(1,02)
Effect of Exchange Rate Change	(1)	2	1
Not Ingrass in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(147)	25	(170.)
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents			(179)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Period	288	263	442
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Period	\$ 141	\$ 288	\$ 263
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:			

Income Taxes Paid	\$ 386	\$ 103	\$ 104
Interest Paid, Net of Amounts Capitalized	\$ 773	\$ 793	\$ 852

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMMON STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY (Millions)

	C	Common Stock		Treasu Stock		Re	etained	Acc Com			
	Shs.	Amoun	nt Shs	S. A	Amount		rnings		Loss		Total
Balance as of January 1, 2004	262	\$ 4,49			(981)	\$	2,221	\$	(192)	\$	5,53
Net Income							726				72
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:							720				12
Currency Translation Adjustment, net of tax									64		6
Available for Sale Securities, net of tax									(16)		(1
Change in Fair Value of Derivative Instruments, net of tax									(167)		(16
Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amounts included in Net Income, net of tax									46		4
Other									(3)		(
Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net of tax									(6)		(
Change in Fair Value of Equity Investments									2		

Other Comprehensive Loss							(8)
Comprehensive Income							64
Cash Dividends on Common Stock					(522)		(52
Issuance of Common Stock	2	83					8
Issuance Costs and Other		(4)		3			(
Balance as of December 31, 2004	264	\$ 4,569	(26)	\$ (978)	\$ 2,425	\$ (272)	\$ 5,74
Net Income					661		66
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:							
Currency Translation Adjustment, net of tax						84	8-
Available for Sale Securities, net of tax						(30)	(3
Change in Fair Value of Derivative Instruments, net of tax						(573)	(57
Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amounts included in Net Income, net of						(612)	(2)
tax						182	18
Settlement Adjustments Related to Projects Under							
Construction						(2)	(
						2	

Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net of tax							
Other Comprehensive Loss							(33
Comprehensive Income							32
Cash Dividends on Common Stock					(541)		(54
Issuance of Common Stock	1	104	12	429			53
Issuance Costs and Other		(55)		17			(3
Balance as of December 31, 2005	265	\$ 4,618	(14)	\$ (532)	\$ 2,545	\$ (609)	\$ 6,02
Net Income					739		73
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:							
Currency Translation Adjustment, net of tax						154	15
Available for Sale Securities, net of tax						37	3
Change in Fair Value of Derivative Instruments, net of tax						343	34
Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amounts included in Net Income, net of						114	11

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tax							
Sale of Investments						55	5
Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net of tax						3	
Other Comprehensive Loss							70
Comprehensive Income							1,44
Adjustment to initially apply FASB Statement 158, net of tax						(205)	(20
Cash Dividends on Common Stock					(574)		(57
Issuance of Common Stock	1	68		15			8
Issuance Costs and Other		(25)		1			(2
Balance as of December 31, 2006	266	\$ 4,661	(14)	\$ (516)	\$ 2,710	\$ (108)	\$ 6,74

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

## PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Millions)

For The Years Ended December 31, 2004 2006 2005 **OPERATING REVENUES** 7,569 7,514 6,810 **OPERATING EXPENSES Energy Costs** 4,884 4,756 4,122 Operation and Maintenance 1,160 1,151 1,083 Depreciation and Amortization 620 553 523 Taxes Other Than Income Taxes 133 141 139 **Total Operating Expenses** 6,797 6,601 5,867 **OPERATING INCOME** 772 913 943 25 Other Income 15 12 Other Deductions (3) (3) (1)Interest Expense (346)(342)(362)INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES 448 583 592 (183)(246)Income Tax Expense (235)346 **NET INCOME** 265 348 Preferred Stock Dividends (4) (4)(4)EARNINGS AVAILABLE TO PUBLIC SERVICE \$ \$

> See disclosures regarding Public Service Electric and Gas Company included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

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ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED

# PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Millions)

December 31,

	Decen	nber 3.	l,
	2006		2005
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 28	\$	159
Accounts Receivable, net of allowances of \$46 in 2006 and \$41 in 2005	805		959
Unbilled Revenues	328		394
Materials and Supplies	50		49
Prepayments	14		49
Restricted Funds	12		14
Other	38		32
Total Current Assets	1,275		1,656
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	11,061		10,636
Less: Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization	(3,794)		(3,627)
Net Property, Plant and Equipment	7,267		7,009
NONCURRENT ASSETS			
Regulatory Assets	5,694		5,059
Long-Term Investments	149		144
Other Special Funds	53		315
Other	115		114
Total Noncurrent Assets	6,011		5,632
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 14,553	\$	14,297

See disclosures regarding Public Service Electric and Gas Company included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Millions)

		December 31,				
	2	2006		2005		
LIABILITIES AND CAPITALIZATION						
CURRENT LIABILITIES						
Long-Term Debt Due Within One Year	\$	284	\$	485		
Commercial Paper and Loans		31				
Accounts Payable		254		286		
Accounts Payable Affiliated Companies, net		645		391		
Accrued Interest		55		59		
Clean Energy Program		120		96		
Derivative Contracts		2		6		
Other		322		370		
Total Current Liabilities		1,713		1,693		
Total Current Elabilities		1,713		1,093		
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES						
Deferred Income Taxes and ITC		2,517		2,608		
Other Postretirement Benefit (OPEB) Costs		898		561		
Accrued Pension Costs		133		19		
Regulatory Liabilities		646		726		
Clean Energy Program		133		233		
Environmental Costs		367		365		
Asset Retirement Obligations		221		210		
Derivative Contracts		18		6		
Other		6		8		
Total Noncurrent Liabilities		4,939		4,736		
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (See Note 12)						
CAPITALIZATION						
LONG-TERM DEBT						
Long-Term Debt		3,003		2,866		
Securitization Debt		1,708		1,879		
Total Long-Term Debt		4,711		4,745		

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PREFERRED SECURITIES		
Preferred Stock Without Mandatory Redemption, \$100 par value, 7,500,000 authorized; issued and outstanding, 2006 and 2005 795,234 shares	80	80
COMMON STOCKHOLDER S EQUITY		
Common Stock; 150,000,000 shares authorized, 132,450,344 shares issued and outstanding	892	892
Contributed Capital	170	170
Basis Adjustment	986	986
Retained Earnings	1,061	1,000
Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)	1	(5)
Total Common Stockholder s Equity	3,110	3,043
Total Capitalization	7,901	7,868
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITALIZATION	\$ 14,553	\$ 14,297

See disclosures regarding Public Service Electric and Gas Company included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Millions)

	For the Years Ended December 31,								
	2006	2005	2004						
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES									
Net Income	\$ 265	\$ 348	\$ 346						
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities:									
Depreciation and Amortization	620	553	523						
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes and ITC	(112)	(52)	(80)						
Non-Cash Employee Benefit Plan Costs	169	166	155						
Gain on Sale of Property, Plant and Equipment	(4)	(3)							
Non-Cash Interest Expense	18	16	24						
Employee Benefit Plan Funding and Related Payments	(97)	(154)	(115)						
Over Recovery of Electric Energy Costs (BGS and NTC)	24	117	10						
Over (Under) Recovery of Gas Costs	87	(8)	70						
Under Recovery of SBC	(140)	(120)	(158)						
Other Non-Cash Charges	6	4	3						
Net Changes in Certain Current Assets and Liabilities:									
Accounts Receivable and Unbilled Revenues	220	(268)	(20)						
Materials and Supplies	(1)	(4)	5						
Prepayments	35	12	(17)						
Accrued Taxes	(23)		18						
Accrued Interest	(4)		(12)						
Accounts Payable	(32)	36	(36)						
Accounts Receivable/Payable Affiliated Companies, net	(72)	79	20						
Other Current Assets and Liabilities	(57)	77	58						
Other	(98)	(110)	(98)						
Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities	804	689	696						
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES									
Additions to Property, Plant and Equipment	(528)	(498)	(420)						
Proceeds from the Sale of Property, Plant and Equipment	2	3	13						
Restricted Funds	1	(11)	(4)						
Net Cash Used In Investing Activities	(525)	(506)	(411)						

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## CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES

Net Change in Short-Term Debt	31		(105)	105
Issuance of Long-Term Debt	250		250	710
Redemption of Securitization Debt	(163)		(146)	(137)
Redemption of Long-Term Debt	(322)		(125)	(984)
Issuance of Securitization Debt			103	
Deferred Issuance Costs	(2)		(3)	(9)
Collection of Note Receivable Affiliated Company				
Cash Dividends Paid on Common Stock	(200)			(100)
Preferred Stock Dividends	(4)		(4)	(4)
Net Cash (Used In) Provided by Financing Activities	(410)		(30)	(419)
Net (Decrease) Increase In Cash and Cash Equivalents	(131)		153	(134)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Period	159		6	140
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Period	\$ 28	\$	159	\$ 6
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:				
Income Taxes Paid	\$ 237	\$	313	\$ 355
Interest Paid, Net of Amounts Capitalized	\$ 312	\$	316	\$ 348
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# PUBLIC SERVICE ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMMON STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY (Millions)

		Ca	ributed pital			C	mulated ther	
	nmon tock		om SEG	asis Istment	etained arnings		rehensive Loss	Total
Balance as of January 1, 2004	\$ 892	\$	170	\$ 986	\$ 414	\$	(2)	\$ 2,460
Net Income					346			346
Other Comprehensive Loss, net of tax:								
Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net								
of tax							(2)	(2)
Comprehensive Income								344
Cash Dividends on Common Stock					(100)			(100)
Cash Dividends on Preferred Stock					(4)			(4)
Balance as of December 31,								
2004	\$ 892	\$	170	\$ 986	\$ 656	\$	(4)	\$ 2,700
Net Income					348			348
Other Comprehensive Loss, net of tax:								
Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net								
of tax							(1)	(1)

Comprehensive Income						
Cash Dividends on Common Stock						
Cash Dividends on Preferred Stock				(4)		(4)
Balance as of December 31, 2005	\$ 892	\$ 170	\$ 986	\$ 1,000	\$ (5)	\$ 3,043
Net Income				265		265
Other Comprehensive Income, net of tax:				_00		
Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net of tax					5	5
Comprehensive Income						270
Adjustment to initially apply FASB Statement 158, net of tax					1	1
Cash Dividends on Common Stock				(200)		(200)
Cash Dividends on Preferred Stock				(4)		(4)
Balance as of December 31, 2006	\$ 892	\$ 170	\$ 986	\$ 1,061	\$ 1	\$ 3,110

See disclosures regarding Public Service Electric and Gas Company included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PSEG POWER LLC CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Millions)

	For The Years Ended December 31,							
		2006		2005		2004		
OPERATING REVENUES	\$	6,057	\$	6,027	\$	5,166		
OPERATING EXPENSES								
Energy Costs		3,955		4,266		3,553		
Operation and Maintenance		958		939		948		
Write-Down of Assets		44						
Depreciation and Amortization		140		114		98		
Total Operating Expenses		5,097		5,319		4,599		
OPERATING INCOME		960		708		567		
Other Income		157		187		167		
Other Deductions		(91)		(43)		(50)		
Interest Expense		(148)		(100)		(90)		
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS BEFORE								
INCOME TAXES		878		752		594		
Income Tax Expense		(363)		(318)		(227)		
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS		515		434		367		
Loss from Discontinued Operations, Including Loss on Disposal, net of tax benefit of \$166, \$156 and \$41 for the years ended 2006, 2005 and 2004, respectively		(239)		(226)		(59)		
years ended 2000, 2003 and 2004, respectively		(239)		(220)		(39)		
INCOME BEFORE CUMULATIVE EFFECT OF A CHANGE IN ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLE		276		208		308		
Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle, net of tax benefit of \$11 for the year ended 2005				(16)				
EARNINGS AVAILABLE TO PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED	\$	276	\$	192	\$	308		

See disclosures regarding PSEG Power LLC included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

## PSEG POWER LLC CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Millions)

	December 31,				
	2006		2005		
ASSETS					
CURRENT ASSETS					
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 13	\$	8		
Accounts Receivable	430		862		
Accounts Receivable - Affiliated Companies, net	495		288		
Fuel	846		811		
Materials and Supplies	202		193		
Energy Trading Contracts	55		327		
Derivative Contracts	56		50		
Assets of Discontinued Operations	325		677		
Assets Held for Sale	40				
Other	26		26		
Total Current Assets	2,488		3,242		
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	5,868		5,771		
Less: Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization	(1,638)		(1,550)		
Net Property, Plant and Equipment	4,230		4,221		
NONCURRENT ASSETS					
Deferred Income Taxes and Investment Tax Credits (ITC)			70		
Nuclear Decommissioning Trust (NDT) Funds	1,256		1,133		
Goodwill	16		16		
Intangibles	35		39		
Other Special Funds	42		143		
Energy Trading Contracts	10		42		
Derivative Contracts	19				
Other	50		39		
Total Noncurrent Assets	1,428		1,482		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 8,146	\$	8,945		

# LIABILITIES AND MEMBER S EQUITY

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CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Long-Term Debt Due Within One Year	\$	\$ 500
Accounts Payable	589	745
Short-Term Loan from Affiliate	54	202
Energy Trading Contracts	222	200
Derivative Contracts	90	403
Accrued Interest	34	41
Other	95	86
Total Current Liabilities	1,084	2,177
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES		
Deferred Income Taxes and Investment Tax Credits (ITC)	48	
Asset Retirement Obligations	287	373
Other Postretirement Benefit (OPEB) Costs	138	25
Energy Trading Contracts	19	19
Derivative Contracts	151	597
Accrued Pension Costs	106	17
Environmental Costs	54	55
Other	18	28
Total Noncurrent Liabilities	821	1,114
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (See Note 12)		
LONG-TERM DEBT		
Total Long-Term Debt	2,818	2,817
MEMBER S EQUITY		
Contributed Capital	2,000	2,000
Basis Adjustment	(986)	(986)
Retained Earnings	2,586	2,310
Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss	(177)	(487)
Total Member s Equity	3,423	2,837
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBER S EQUITY	\$ 8,146	\$ 8,945

See disclosures regarding PSEG Power LLC included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PSEG POWER LLC CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Millions)

	2006	d 2004	
		2005 (Unaudited)	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Net Income	\$ 276	\$ 192	\$ 308
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities:			
Loss on Disposal of Discontinued operations, net of tax	208	178	
Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle		16	
Write-down of Property, Plant and Equipment	44		
Gain on Disposition of Property, Plant and Equipment	(1)	(5)	1
Depreciation and Amortization	157	136	121
Amortization of Nuclear Fuel	97	94	80
Interest Accretion on Asset Retirement Obligations	33	28	26
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes and ITC	34	276	163
Unrealized Losses (Gains) on Energy Contracts and Other Derivatives	5	17	(7)
Non-Cash Employee Benefit Plan Costs	46	46	40
Net Realized Gains and Income from NDT Funds	(63)	(125)	(105)
Net Change in Certain Current Assets and Liabilities:			
Fuel, Materials and Supplies	(45)	(214)	(121)
Accounts Receivable	432	(122)	(123)
Accounts Payable	(181)	(247)	206
Accounts Receivable/Payable-Affiliated Companies, net	122	(91)	(71)
Other Current Assets and Liabilities	(5)	(27)	(67)
Employee Benefit Plan Funding and Related Payments	(37)	(58)	(39)
Other	(79)	42	95
Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities	1,043	136	507
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(410)	(476)	(705)
Additions to Property, Plant and Equipment	(418)	(476)	(725)
Sales of Property, Plant and Equipment	1 405	226	2.627
Proceeds from NDT Funds Sales	1,405	3,223	2,637
NDT Funds Interest and Dividends	(1.427.)	35	28
Investment in NDT Funds	(1,427)	(3,232)	(2,647)

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Short-Term Loan Affiliated Company, net					77
Change in Restricted Cash					39
Other		9		(18)	(19)
Net Cash Used In Investing Activities		(390)		(242)	(610)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES					
Issuance of Recourse Long-Term Debt					500
Redemption of Long-Term Debt		(500)			(800)
Proceeds from Contributed Capital					300
Short-Term Loan Affiliated Company, net		(148)		104	98
Other					(12)
Net Cash Used In Financing Activities		(648)		104	86
Net (Decrease) Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents		5		(2)	(17)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Period		8		10	27
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Period	\$	13	\$	8	\$ 10
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:					
Income Taxes Paid	\$	251	\$	(23)	\$ 12
Interest Paid, Net of Amounts Capitalized	\$	173	\$	139	\$ 233
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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PSEG POWER LLC CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CAPITALIZATION AND MEMBER S EQUITY (Millions)

	atributed Capital	Basis justment	etained arnings	( Comp	umulated Other orehensive me (Loss)	Total lember s Equity
Balance as of January 1, 2004	\$ 1,700	\$ (986)	\$ 1,810	\$	90	\$ 2,614
Net Income			308			308
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:						
Available for Sale Securities, net of tax					(16)	(16)
Change in Fair Value of Derivative						4.55
Instruments, net of tax Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amount included in					(166)	(166)
Net Income, net of tax					43	43
Other Comprehensive Loss						(139)
Comprehensive Income						169
Contributed Capital	300					300
Balance as of December 31, 2004	\$ 2,000	\$ (986)	\$ 2,118	\$	(49)	\$ 3,083
Net Income			192			192
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:						
Available for Sale Securities, net of tax					(30)	(30)
Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net of tax					1	1

Change in Fair Value of Derivative Instruments, net of tax				(589)	(589)
Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amount included in				,	
Net Income, net of tax				180	180
Other Comprehensive Loss					(438)
Comprehensive Income					(246)
Balance as of December 31, 2005	\$ 2,000	\$ (986)	\$ 2,310	\$ (487)	\$ 2,837
Net Income			276		276
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:					
Available for Sale Securities, net of tax				37	37
Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net of tax				(4)	(4)
Change in Fair Value of Derivative Instruments, net of tax				343	343
Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amount					
included in Net Income, net of tax				107	107
Other Comprehensive Loss					483
Comprehensive Income					759
Adjustment to initially apply FASB Statement 158, net of tax				(173)	(173)
150, net of tax				(1/3)	(173)
Balance as of December 31, 2006	\$ 2,000	\$ (986)	\$ 2,586	\$ (177)	\$ 3,423

See disclosures regarding PSEG Power LLC included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PSEG ENERGY HOLDINGS L.L.C. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Millions)

	For The Years Ended December 31,					
		2006		2005		2004
OPERATING REVENUES						
Electric Generation and Distribution Revenues	\$	1,171	\$	1,005	\$	558
Income from Leveraged and Operating Leases		151		175		165
Other		35		122		113
Total Operating Revenues		1,357		1,302		836
OPERATING EXPENSES						
Energy Costs		739		675		322
Operation and Maintenance		208		215		171
Write-down of Assets		274				
Depreciation and Amortization		52		46		44
Total Operating Expenses		1,273		936		537
Income from Equity Method Investments		120		124		119
OPERATING INCOME		204		490		418
Other Income		39		23		14
Other Deductions		(28)		(31)		(11)
Interest Expense		(203)		(213)		(223)
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS BEFORE		10		260		100
INCOME TAXES AND MINORITY INTEREST		12		269		198
Income Tax Benefit (Expense)		39		(69)		(45)
Minority Interests in Earnings of Subsidiaries		(2)		(1)		(2)
INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS		49		199		151
Income (Loss) from Discontinued Operations, including Gain (Loss) on Disposal, net of tax (expense) benefit of (\$142), (\$2) and \$3 for the years ended 2006, 2005 and 2004, respectively		226		18		(10)
NET INCOME		275		217		141
Preference Units Distributions		213		(3)		(16)

EARNINGS AVAILABLE TO PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE GROUP INCORPORATED

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## PSEG ENERGY HOLDINGS L.L.C. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Millions)

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	Decem	becember 31,		
	2006		2005	
ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 98	\$	68	
Accounts Receivable:				
Trade net of allowances of \$6 and \$3 in 2006 and 2005, respectively	103		101	
Other Accounts Receivable	29		14	
Notes Receivable:				
Affiliated Companies	28		409	
Other			5	
Inventory	41		27	
Restricted Funds	67		62	
Assets of Discontinued Operations			498	
Derivative Contracts	14			
Other	8		7	
Total Current Assets	388		1,191	
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	1,706		1,560	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization	(307)		(237)	
Net Property, Plant and Equipment	1,399		1,323	
NONCURRENT ASSETS				
Leveraged Leases, net	2,810		2,720	
Corporate Joint Ventures and Partnership Interests	868		1,180	
Goodwill	523		538	
Intangibles	11		2	
Derivative Contracts	26		3	
Other	139		98	
Total Noncurrent Assets	4,377		4,541	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 6,164	\$	7,055	

See disclosures regarding PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

## PSEG ENERGY HOLDINGS L.L.C. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Millions)

	December 31,				
I LADII IMIEC AND MEMBER C EQUIDA	2006	2003	•		
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER S EQUITY CURRENT LIABILITIES					
	\$ 4	2 \$ 3	48		
Long-Term Debt Due Within One Year Accounts Payable:	<b>Þ</b> 4	+2 \$ 3	40		
Trade	5	54	50		
Affiliated Companies			11		
Derivative Contracts			13		
Accrued Interest			42		
Liabilities of Discontinued Operations	2		36		
Other	7		83		
One	,	2	03		
Total Current Liabilities	22	.3 9	83		
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES					
Deferred Income Taxes and Investment and Energy Tax Credits	1,92	1,7	05		
Derivative Contracts	1	.1	27		
Other	10	)2	66		
Total Noncurrent Liabilities	2,03	1,7	98		
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (See Note 12)					
MINORITY INTERESTS	2	26	15		
LONG-TERM DEBT					
Project Level, Non-Recourse Debt	84	۱۸ ۶	91		
Senior Notes	1,14				
Semoi rotes	1,1	1,1	10		
Total Long-Term Debt	1,98	2,3	39		
MEMBER S EQUITY					
Ordinary Unit	1,19	1,7	13		
Retained Earnings	59	2 3	17		
Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)	10	)3 (1	10)		
Total Member s Equity	1,88	1,9	20		

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBER S EQUITY

\$ 6,164 \$ 7,055

See disclosures regarding PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PSEG ENERGY HOLDINGS L.L.C. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Millions)

	For The Years Ended December 31,					
		2006		2005		2004
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES						
Net Income	\$	275	\$	217	\$	141
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities:						
(Gain) Loss on Disposal of Discontinued Operations, net of tax		(227)				(5)
Depreciation and Amortization		54		60		59
Demand Side Management Amortization		3		7		8
Investment Write-off and Write-down				22		
Deferred Income Taxes (Other than Leases)		4				83
Leveraged Lease Income, Adjusted for Rents Received and Deferred Income Taxes		64		(27)		(92)
Undistributed Earnings from Affiliates		(44)		(46)		(12)
Loss (Gain) on Sale of Investments		260		(122)		(79)
Unrealized Loss on Investments				7		
Foreign Currency Transaction Loss		5				26
Change in Fair Value of Derivative Financial Instruments		(35)		3		3
Other Non-Cash Charges		2		6		4
Net Changes in Certain Current Assets and Liabilities:						
Accounts Receivable		(26)		(15)		183
Inventory		(10)				(9)
Accounts Payable		(181)		19		(43)
Other Current Assets and Liabilities		3		81		7
Proceeds from Withdrawal of Partnership Interests and Other Distributions		10		64		126
Other		2		(3)		3
Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities		159		273		403
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES						
Additions to Property, Plant and Equipment		(64)		(67)		(86)
Investments in Joint Ventures, Partnerships, and Leveraged Lease Agreements						(14)
Proceeds from the sale of Discontinued Operations		494				43
		246		28		152

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Proceeds from the Sale of Investments and Return of Capital from Partnerships

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Proceeds from Termination of Leveraged Leases		287	247
Changes in Notes Receivable Affiliated Company, net	381	(294)	185
Restricted Funds	(5)	(43)	19
Proceeds from Collection of Notes Receivable		120	
Other	1	16	
Net Cash Provided By Investing Activities	1,053	47	546
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from Non-Recourse Long-Term Debt		18	19
Repayment of Senior Notes	(609)		(267)
Repayment of Non-Recourse Long-Term Debt	(51)	(37)	(70)
Repayment of Medium-Term Notes			(44)
Return of Capital Contributed	(520)	(100)	(75)
Redemptions of Preference Units		(184)	(325)
Ordinary Unit Distributions		(125)	(75)
Cash Distributions Paid on Preference Units		(3)	(16)
Payments to Minority Shareholders		(1)	(1)
Other	(1)	(5)	(7)
Net Cash Used In Financing Activities	(1,181)	(437)	(861)
Effect of Exchange Rate Change	(1)	2	1
Net (Decrease) Increase In Cash and Cash Equivalents	30	(115)	89
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Period	68	183	94
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Period	\$ 98	\$ 68	\$ 183
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:			
Income Tax Benefits Received	\$ (97)	\$ (82)	\$ (197)
Interest Paid, Net of Amounts Capitalized	\$ 187	\$ 199	\$ 247

See disclosures regarding PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# PSEG ENERGY HOLDINGS L.L.C. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF MEMBER S EQUITY (Millions)

	o	Ordinary F Unit		Preference Units		tained rnings	Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)		Sto	Total ember s/ ckholder s Equity
Balance as of January 1, 2004	\$	1,888	\$	509	\$	178	\$	(271)	\$	2,304
Net Income Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:						141				141
Currency Translation Adjustment, net of tax								64		64
Current Period Declines in Fair Value of Derivative Instruments, net of tax								(2)		(2)
Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amounts Included in Net Income, net of tax								3		3
Settlement Adjustments related to projects under construction								(3)		(3)
Other Comprehensive Income										62
Comprehensive Income										203
Ordinary Unit Distributions						(75)				(75)
Return of Contributed Capital		(75)								(75)
Preference Units Redemption				(325)						(325)
Preference Units Distribution						(16)				(16)
	\$	1,813	\$	184	\$	228	\$	(209)	\$	2,016

## Balance as of December 31, 2004

Net Income			217		217
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:					
Currency Translation Adjustment, net of tax				84	84
Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amounts Included in Net Income, net of tax				16	16
Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net of tax				(1)	(1)
Other Comprehensive Income					99
Comprehensive Income					316
Ordinary Unit Distributions			(125)		(125)
Return of Contributed Capital	(100)				(100)
Preference Units Redemption		(184)			(184)
Preference Units Distribution			(3)		(3)
Balance as of December 31, 2005	\$ 1,713	\$	\$ 317	\$ (110)	\$ 1,920
Net Income			275		275
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss), net of tax:					
Currency Translation Adjustment, net of tax				154	154
Reclassification Adjustments for Net Amounts Included in					
Net Income, net of tax				7	7
Sale of Investments				55	55
				1	1

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Minimum Pension Liability Adjustment, net of tax

Other Comprehensive Income					217
Comprehensive Income Adjustment to initially					492
apply FASB Statement 158, net of tax				(4)	(4)
Return of Contributed Capital	(520)				(520)
Balance as of December 31, 2006	\$ 1,193	\$	\$ 592	\$ 103	\$ 1,888

See disclosures regarding PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. included in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### Note 1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

### **Organization**

## **Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated (PSEG)**

PSEG has four principal direct wholly owned subsidiaries: Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G), PSEG Power LLC (Power), PSEG Energy Holdings L.L.C. (Energy Holdings) and PSEG Services Corporation (Services).

As previously disclosed, on December 20, 2004, PSEG entered into an agreement and plan of merger (Merger Agreement) with Exelon Corporation (Exelon), a public utility holding company headquartered in Chicago, Illinois, providing for a merger of PSEG with and into Exelon. On September 14, 2006, PSEG received from Exelon a formal notice of termination of the Merger under the provisions of the Merger Agreement.

### PSE&G

PSE&G is an operating public utility engaged principally in the transmission of electric energy and distribution of electric energy and natural gas in certain areas of New Jersey. PSE&G is subject to regulation by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (BPU) and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC).

PSE&G also owns PSE&G Transition Funding LLC (Transition Funding) and PSE&G Transition Funding II LLC (Transition Funding II), bankruptcy-remote entities that purchased certain transition property from PSE&G and issued transition bonds secured by such property. The transition property consists principally of the rights to receive electricity consumption-based per kilowatt-hour (kWh) charges from PSE&G electric distribution customers, which represent irrevocable rights to receive amounts sufficient to recover certain of PSE&G s transition costs related to deregulation, as approved by the BPU.

#### **Power**

Power is a multi-regional, wholesale energy supply company that integrates its generating asset operations and gas supply commitments with its wholesale energy, fuel supply, energy trading and marketing and risk management function through three principal direct wholly owned subsidiaries: PSEG Nuclear LLC (Nuclear), PSEG Fossil LLC (Fossil) and PSEG Energy Resources & Trade LLC (ER&T). Nuclear and Fossil own and operate generation and generation-related facilities. ER&T is responsible for the day-to-day management of Power s portfolio. Fossil, Nuclear and ER&T are subject to regulation by FERC and Nuclear is also subject to regulation by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

### **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings has two principal direct wholly owned subsidiaries: PSEG Global L.L.C. (Global), which owns and operates international and domestic projects engaged in the generation and distribution of energy and PSEG Resources L.L.C. (Resources), which has invested primarily in energy-related leveraged leases. Energy Holdings also owns Enterprise Group Development Corporation (EGDC), a commercial real estate property management business.

### **Services**

Services provides management and administrative and general services to PSEG and its subsidiaries. These include accounting, treasury, financial risk management, law, tax communications, planning, development, human resources,

corporate secretarial, information technology, investor relations, stockholder services, real estate, insurance, library, records and information services, security and certain other services. Services charges PSEG and its subsidiaries for the cost of work performed and services provided pursuant to the terms and conditions of intercompany service agreements.

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### **Principles of Consolidation**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG s, PSE&G s, Power s and Energy Holdings consolidated financial statements include their respective accounts and consolidate those entities in which they have a controlling interest or are the primary beneficiary, except for certain of PSEG s capital trusts which were deconsolidated in accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Interpretation No. (FIN) 46 (revised December 2003), Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities (VIE) (FIN 46). Entities over which PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings exhibit significant influence, but do not have a controlling interest and/or are not the primary beneficiary are accounted for under the equity method of accounting. For investments in which significant influence does not exist and the investor is not the primary beneficiary, the cost method of accounting is applied. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions are eliminated in consolidation.

### PSE&G and Power

PSE&G and Power each have undivided interests in certain jointly-owned facilities and each is responsible for paying their respective ownership share of additional construction costs, fuel inventory purchases and operating expenses. All revenues and expenses related to these facilities are consolidated at their respective pro-rata ownership share in the appropriate revenue and expense categories on the Consolidated Statements of Operations. For additional information regarding these jointly-owned facilities, see Note 19. Property, Plant and Equipment and Jointly-Owned Facilities of the Notes.

## **Accounting for the Effects of Regulation**

#### PSE&G

PSE&G prepares its financial statements in accordance with the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 71, Accounting for the Effects of Certain Types of Regulation (SFAS 71). In general, SFAS 71 recognizes that accounting for rate-regulated enterprises should reflect the economic effects of regulation. As a result, a regulated utility is required to defer the recognition of costs (a regulatory asset) or record the recognition of obligations (a regulatory liability) if it is probable that, through the rate-making process, there will be a corresponding increase or decrease in future rates. Accordingly, PSE&G has deferred certain costs and recoveries, which are being amortized over various future periods. To the extent that collection of any such costs or payment of liabilities is no longer probable as a result of changes in regulation and/or PSE&G s competitive position, the associated regulatory asset or liability is charged or credited to income. Management believes that PSE&G s transmission and distribution businesses continue to meet the requirements for application of SFAS 71. For additional information, see Note 5. Regulatory Matters of the Notes.

## **Derivative Financial Instruments**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings use derivative financial instruments to manage risk from changes in interest rates, congestion credits, emission credits, commodity prices and foreign currency exchange rates, pursuant to their business plans and prudent practices.

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings recognize derivative instruments on the balance sheet at their fair value. Changes in the fair value of a derivative that is highly effective as, and that is designated and qualifies as, a fair value

hedge (including foreign currency fair value hedges), along with changes of the fair value of the hedged asset or liability that are attributable to the hedged risk, are recorded in current-period earnings. Changes in the fair value of a derivative that is highly effective as, and that is designated and qualifies as, a cash flow hedge (including foreign currency cash flow hedges) are recorded in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income / Loss until earnings are affected by the variability of cash flows of the hedged transaction. Any hedge ineffectiveness is included in current-period earnings. In certain circumstances, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and/or Energy Holdings enter into derivative contracts that do not qualify as hedges

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or choose not to designate them as normal purchases or sales or as fair value or cash flow hedges; in such cases, changes in fair value are recorded in current-period earnings.

Many non-trading contracts qualify for the normal purchases and normal sales exemption under SFAS No. 133, Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities, as amended and interpreted (SFAS 133) and are accounted for upon settlement.

For additional information regarding derivative financial instruments, see Note 11. Financial Risk Management Activities of the Notes.

### **Revenue Recognition**

#### PSE&G

PSE&G s Operating Revenues are recorded based on services rendered to customers during each accounting period. PSE&G records unbilled revenues for the estimated amount customers will be billed for services rendered from the time meters were last read to the end of the respective accounting period. The unbilled revenue is estimated each month based on usage per day, the number of unbilled days in the period, estimated seasonal loads based upon the time of year and the variance of actual degree-days and temperature-humidity-index hours of the unbilled period from expected norms.

#### Power

The majority of Power s revenues relate to bilateral contracts, which are accounted for on the accrual basis as the energy is delivered. Power s revenue also includes changes in value of non trading energy derivative contracts that are not designated as normal purchases or sales or as hedges of other positions. Power records margins from energy trading on a net basis pursuant to accounting principles generally accepted in the U.S. (GAAP). See Note 11. Financial Risk Management Activities for further discussion.

### **Energy Holdings**

Certain of Global s investments are majority owned, controlled and consolidated. Global records revenues from its consolidated investments in generation and distribution facilities based on services rendered to customers during each accounting period. Revenues from these projects are included in Operating Revenues. Global s Operating Revenue also includes changes in value of non trading energy derivative contracts that are not designated as normal purchases or sales or as hedges of other positions and includes margins from energy trading recorded on a net basis pursuant to GAAP. See Note 11. Financial Risk Management Activities for further discussion. Other investments are less than majority owned and are accounted for under the equity or cost methods as appropriate. Income from these investments is recorded as a component of Operating Income. Gains or losses incurred as a result of exiting one of these businesses are typically recorded as a component of Operating Income.

The majority of Resources revenues relates to its investments in leveraged leases and is accounted for under SFAS No. 13, Accounting for Leases (SFAS 13). Income on leveraged leases is recognized by a method which produces a constant rate of return on the outstanding net investment in the lease, net of the related deferred tax liability, in the years in which the net investment is positive. Any gains or losses incurred as a result of a lease termination are recorded as revenues as these events occur in the ordinary course of business of managing the investment portfolio. See Note 8. Long-Term Investments for further discussion.

## **Depreciation and Amortization**

### PSE&G

PSE&G calculates depreciation under the straight-line method based on estimated average remaining lives of the several classes of depreciable property. These estimates are reviewed on a periodic basis and necessary adjustments are made as approved by the BPU. The depreciation rate stated as a percentage of original cost of depreciable property was 2.84% for 2006, 3.00% for 2005 and 3.07% for 2004.

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#### Power

Power calculates depreciation on generation-related assets under the straight-line method based on the assets estimated useful lives which are determined based on planned operations. The estimated useful lives are from three years to 20 years for general plant assets. The estimated useful lives are 30 years to 55 years for fossil production assets, 49 years to 56 years for nuclear generation assets and 45 years for pumped storage facilities. As of January 1, 2007 the company changed certain of the estimated useful lives for certain fossil production assets to 67 years, for pumped storage assets to 76 years and for nuclear generation assets to 58 years.

## **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings calculates depreciation on property, plant and equipment under the straight-line method with estimated useful lives ranging from three years to 40 years.

## **Taxes Other Than Income Taxes**

## PSE&G

Excise taxes, transitional energy facilities assessment (TEFA) and gross receipts tax (GRT) collected from PSE&G s customers are presented on the financial statements on a gross basis. As a result of New Jersey energy tax reform, effective January 1, 1998, TEFA and GRT are the residual of the prior excise tax, the New Jersey gross receipts and franchise taxes. For the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, combined TEFA and GRT of approximately \$146 million, \$155 million and \$153 million, respectively, are reflected in Operating Revenues and \$132 million, \$141 million and \$139 million, respectively, are included in Taxes Other Than Income Taxes on the Consolidated Statements of Operations.

## Allowance for Funds Used During Construction (AFUDC) and Interest Capitalized During Construction (IDC)

#### PSE&G

AFUDC represents the cost of debt and equity funds used to finance the construction of new utility assets under the guidance of SFAS 71. The amount of AFUDC capitalized is reported in the Consolidated Statements of Operations as a reduction of interest charges. PSE&G s average rate used for calculating AFUDC in 2006, 2005 and 2004 was 4.99%, 3.17% and 1.33%, respectively. For the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, PSE&G s AFUDC amounted to \$2.0 million, \$1.2 million and \$0.1 million, respectively.

## Power and Energy Holdings

IDC represents the cost of debt used to finance construction at Power and Energy Holdings. The amount of IDC capitalized is reported in the Consolidated Statements of Operations as a reduction of interest charges and is included in Property, Plant and Equipment on the Consolidated Balance Sheets. Power s average rate used for calculating IDC in 2006, 2005 and 2004 was 6.81%, 6.74% and 6.81%, respectively. For the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, Power s IDC amounted to \$41 million, \$95 million and \$107 million, respectively. Energy Holdings average rate used for calculating IDC in 2006, 2005 and 2004 was 6.72%, 7.81% and 8.37%, respectively. For the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, Energy Holdings IDC amounted to approximately \$1 million, \$3 million and \$4 million, respectively.

#### **Income Taxes**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG and its subsidiaries file a consolidated Federal income tax return and income taxes are allocated to PSEG s subsidiaries based on the taxable income or loss of each subsidiary. Investment tax credits were deferred in prior years and are being amortized over the useful lives of the related property.

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## **Foreign Currency Translation/Transactions**

## **Energy Holdings**

A business functional currency is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the business operates and is generally the currency in which the business generates and expends cash. In accordance with SFAS No. 52, Foreign Currency Translation, the assets and liabilities of foreign operations of Energy Holdings, with a functional currency other than the U.S. Dollar, are translated into U.S. Dollars at the current exchange rates in effect at the end of the reporting period. The translation differences that result from this process, and gains and losses on intercompany foreign currency transactions, which are long-term in nature and that Energy Holdings does not intend to settle in the foreseeable future, are recorded in Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss as a separate component of member s equity. U.S. deferred taxes are not provided on translation gains and losses where Energy Holdings expects earnings of a foreign operation to be permanently reinvested. The revenue and expense accounts of such foreign operations are translated into U.S. Dollars at the average exchange rates that prevail during the period.

Gains and losses that arise from exchange rate fluctuations on monetary assets and monetary liabilities denominated in a currency other than the functional currency are included in Other Income or Other Deductions. Gains and losses relating to derivatives designated as hedges of the foreign currency exposure of a net investment in foreign operations are reported in Currency Translation Adjustment, a separate component of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss.

The determination of an entity s functional currency requires management s judgment. It is based on an assessment of the primary currency in which transactions in the local environment are conducted, and whether the local currency can be relied upon as a stable currency in which to conduct business. As economic and business conditions change, Energy Holdings is required to reassess the economic environment and determine the appropriate functional currency. The impact of foreign currency accounting could have a material effect on Energy Holdings financial statements.

## **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Cash and cash equivalents consist primarily of working funds and highly liquid marketable securities (commercial paper and money market funds) with an original maturity of three months or less.

## Materials and Supplies and Fuel

## PSE&G

PSE&G s materials and supplies are carried at average cost consistent with the rate-making process.

## Power and Energy Holdings

Materials and supplies and fuel for Power and Energy Holdings are valued at the lower of average cost or market.

## **Property, Plant and Equipment**

## PSE&G

PSE&G s additions and replacements to property, plant and equipment that are either retirement units or property record units are capitalized at original cost. The cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of minor items of

property is charged to appropriate expense accounts as incurred. At the time units of depreciable property are retired or otherwise disposed of, the original cost, adjusted for net salvage value, is charged to accumulated depreciation.

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## Power and Energy Holdings

Power and Energy Holdings only capitalize costs which increase the capacity or extend the life of an existing asset, represent a newly acquired or constructed asset or represent the replacement of a retired asset. The cost of maintenance, repair and replacement of minor items of property is charged to appropriate expense accounts as incurred. Environmental costs are capitalized if the costs mitigate or prevent future environmental contamination or if the costs improve existing assets environmental safety or efficiency. All other environmental expenditures are expensed as incurred. Certain subsidiaries of Energy Holdings that are in the distribution business capitalize all incremental costs associated with construction activities. These construction costs meet the capitalization criteria described above.

## **Other Special Funds**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Other Special Funds represents amounts deposited to fund the qualified pension plans and to fund a Rabbi Trust which was established to meet the obligations related to three non-qualified pension plans and a deferred compensation plan.

## **Nuclear Decommissioning Trust (NDT) Funds**

#### Power

As required under SFAS No. 115, Accounting for Certain Investments in Debt and Equity Securities (SFAS 115), realized gains and losses on securities in the NDT Funds are recorded in earnings and unrealized gains and losses on such securities are recorded as a component of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss unless securities with such unrealized losses are deemed to be other-than- temporarily-impaired. See Note 3. Asset Retirement Obligations for a discussion of SFAS No. 143, Accounting for Asset Retirement Obligations (SFAS 143) and the impact of its adoption on the nuclear decommissioning liability and associated asset retirement costs related to the NDT Funds.

## **Investments in Corporate Joint Ventures and Partnerships**

## **Energy Holdings**

Generally, Global s interests in active joint ventures and partnerships are accounted for under the equity method of accounting where its respective ownership interests are 50% or less, it is not the primary beneficiary, as defined under FIN 46, and significant influence over joint venture or partnership operating and management decisions exists. For investments in which significant influence does not exist and Global is not the primary beneficiary, the cost method of accounting is applied.

## **Deferred Project Costs and Development Costs**

## Power

Power capitalizes all incremental and direct external and direct internal costs related to project development once a project reaches certain milestones. On Power s Consolidated Balance Sheets, deferred project costs are recorded in Construction Work in Progress. These costs are amortized on a straight-line basis over the lives of the related project assets. Such amortization commences upon the date of commercial operation. Development costs related to unsuccessful projects are charged to expense.

## **Basis Adjustment**

## PSE&G and Power

PSE&G and Power have recorded a Basis Adjustment on their Consolidated Balance Sheets related to the generation assets that were transferred from PSE&G to Power in August 2000 at the price specified by the BPU. Because the transfer was between affiliates, PSE&G and Power, the transaction was recorded at the net book value of the assets and liabilities rather than the transfer price. The difference between the total

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transfer price and the net book value of the generation-related assets and liabilities, approximately \$986 million, net of tax, was recorded as a Basis Adjustment on PSE&G s and Power s Consolidated Balance Sheets. The \$986 million is a reduction of Power s Member s Equity and an addition to PSE&G s Common Stockholder s Equity. These amounts are eliminated on PSEG s consolidated financial statements.

#### **Use of Estimates**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

The process of preparing financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires the use of estimates and assumptions regarding certain types of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses. Such estimates primarily relate to unsettled transactions and events as of the date of the financial statements. Accordingly, upon settlement, actual results may materially differ from estimated amounts.

## Reclassifications

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Certain reclassifications have been made to the prior years financial statements to conform to the current year presentation. The reclassifications relate primarily to recording revenue and related expenses on certain transactions on a net basis versus gross.

During the fourth quarter of 2006, based upon the provisions of EITF 99-19, Reporting Revenue Gross as a Principal versus Net as an Agent , PSE&G determined that the revenues and expenses related to one of its contracts that had been recorded on a gross basis would more appropriately be recorded on a net basis in Operating Revenues. Therefore, prior year amounts have been reclassified resulting in a reduction of \$214 million and \$162 million in both Operating Revenues and Energy Costs for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, respectively, for PSEG and PSE&G, with no impact on Operating Income.

## **Note 2. Recent Accounting Standards**

The following accounting standards were issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB), or the SEC but have not yet been adopted by PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings.

SFAS No. 159, The Fair Value Option for Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities (SFAS 159)

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

In February 2007, the FASB issued SFAS 159, which permits entities to measure many financial instruments and certain other items at fair value that are not currently required to be measured at fair value. An entity would report unrealized gains and losses on items for which the fair value option has been elected in earnings at each subsequent reporting date. The objective is to improve financial reporting by providing entities with the opportunity to mitigate volatility in reported earnings caused by measuring related assets and liabilities differently without having to apply complex hedge accounting provisions. The decision about whether to elect the fair value option is applied instrument by instrument, with a few exceptions; the decision is irrevocable; and it is applied only to entire instruments and not to portions of instruments.

The statement requires disclosures that facilitate comparisons (a) between entities that choose different measurement attributes for similar assets and liabilities and (b) between assets and liabilities in the financial statements of an entity

that selects different measurement attributes for similar assets and liabilities.

SFAS 159 is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007. Early adoption is permitted as of the beginning of a fiscal year provided the entity also elects to apply the provisions of SFAS 157. Upon implementation, an entity shall report the effect of the first remeasurement to fair value as a cumulative-effect adjustment to the opening balance of Retained Earnings. Since the provisions of SFAS 159 are applied prospectively, any potential impact will depend on the instruments selected for fair value measurement at the time of implementation.

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## SFAS No. 157, Fair Value Measurements (SFAS 157)

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

In September 2006, the FASB issued SFAS 157, which provides a single definition of fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. Prior to SFAS 157, guidance for applying fair value was incorporated into several accounting pronouncements. SFAS 157 emphasizes that fair value is a market-based measurement, not an entity-specific measurement, and sets out a fair value hierarchy that distinguishes between assumptions based on market data obtained from independent sources (observable inputs) and those based on an entity s own assumptions (unobservable inputs). Under SFAS 157, fair value measurements are disclosed by level within that hierarchy, with the highest priority being quoted prices in active markets. While this statement does not require any new fair value measurements, the application of this statement will change current practice for some fair value measurements.

This statement also nullifies the guidance in footnote 3 of Emerging Issues Task Force Issue No. 02-3, Issues Involved in Accounting for Derivative Contracts Held for Trading Purposes and Contracts Involved in Energy Trading and Risk Management Activities. The guidance in footnote 3 applied for derivatives (and other) instruments measured at fair value at initial recognition under SFAS 133, Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities. That guidance precluded immediate recognition in earnings of an unrealized gain or loss, measured as the difference between the transaction price and the fair value of the instrument at initial recognition, if the fair value of the instrument was determined using significant unobservable inputs. Under this guidance, an entity could not recognize an unrealized gain or loss at inception of a derivative instrument unless the fair value of that instrument was obtained from a quoted market price in an active market or was otherwise evidenced by comparison to other observable current market transaction or based on a valuation technique incorporating observable market data. At December 31, 2006, Energy Holdings has a deferred inception loss of approximately \$45 million, which was being amortized at \$11 million pre-tax per year through 2010.

SFAS 157 is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007; however, earlier application is encouraged. PSEG early adopted this statement effective January 1, 2007. Early adoption resulted in recording the remaining Energy Holdings deferred inception loss in Retained Earnings and eliminating any future amortization of the loss.

## FIN 48, Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes an Interpretation of FASB Statement 109 (FIN 48)

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

In July 2006, the FASB issued FIN 48, which prescribes a model for how a company should recognize, measure, present and disclose in its financial statements uncertain tax positions that the company has taken or expects to take on a tax return. Under FIN 48, the financial statements will reflect expected future tax consequences of such positions presuming the tax authorities—full knowledge of the position and all relevant facts. FIN 48 permits recognition of the benefit of tax positions only when it is—more likely-than-not—that the position is sustainable based on the merits of the position. It further limits the amount of tax benefit to be recognized to the largest amount of benefit that is greater than 50% likely of being realized. FIN 48 also requires explicit disclosures about uncertainties in income tax positions, including a detailed roll-forward of unrecognized tax benefits taken that do not qualify for financial statement recognition.

FIN 48 is effective as of the beginning of fiscal years that start after December 15, 2006. In general, companies will record the change in net assets that result from the application of FIN 48 as an adjustment to Retained Earnings. However, for PSE&G, because any charges to income arising from the adoption of FIN 48 would be recoverable in

future rates, the offset to any incremental PSE&G liability would be recorded as a Regulatory Asset rather than Retained Earnings. The following table presents the estimated ranges of impact on the Consolidated Balance Sheets for PSEG and its subsidiaries as a result of implementing FIN 48:

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	PSE&G	Power	Energy Holdings	PSEG Consolidated		
<b>Balance Sheet</b>		(1	Millions)			
Increase to Taxes Payable	\$0 \$5	\$10 \$15	\$120 \$145	\$130 \$165		
Increase to Regulatory Assets	\$0 \$5	\$0	\$0	\$0 \$5		
Decrease to Retained Earnings	\$0	\$10 \$15	\$120 \$145	\$130 \$160		

FASB Staff Position (FSP) No. FAS 13-2, Accounting for a Change or Projected Change in the Timing of Cash Flows Relating to Income Taxes Generated by a Leveraged Lease Transaction (FSP 13-2)

## **PSEG and Energy Holdings**

In July 2006, the FASB issued FSP 13-2, which addresses how a change or projected change in the timing of cash flows relating to income taxes generated by a leveraged lease transaction affects the accounting by a lessor for that lease. The FSP amends SFAS 13, Accounting for Leases, stating that a change in the timing of the above referenced cash flows must be reviewed at least annually or more frequently, if events or circumstances indicate a change in timing is probable. If a change in timing has occurred, or is projected to occur, the rate of return and the allocation of income to positive investment years must be recalculated from the inception of the lease.

The guidance in this FSP is to be applied to fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2006. The cumulative effect of applying the provisions of this FSP is to be reported as an adjustment to the beginning balance of Retained Earnings as of the beginning of the period in which this FSP is adopted. As a result of implementing FSP 13-2, upon adoption PSEG and Energy Holdings estimate that they will each recognize on their Balance Sheets a reduction in their Investment in Leveraged Leases of approximately \$70 million with an offsetting reduction in Retained Earnings.

The following new accounting standards were adopted by PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings during 2006.

SFAS No. 123R, Share-Based Payment, revised 2004 (SFAS 123R)

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

Effective January 1, 2006, PSEG adopted SFAS 123R, which replaces SFAS No. 123, Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation (SFAS 123) and supersedes Accounting Principles Board (APB) Opinion No. 25, Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees (APB 25). SFAS 123R focuses primarily on accounting for share-based awards to employees in exchange for services, and it requires entities to recognize compensation expense for these awards. The cost for equity-based awards is expensed over the requisite service period based on their grant date fair value, and liability awards are expensed based on their fair value, which is re-measured each reporting period. The pro forma disclosure previously permitted under SFAS 123 is no longer an alternative to financial statement recognition.

Prior to January 1, 2006, PSEG accounted for stock-based awards under the intrinsic value method of APB 25. In accordance with APB 25, PSEG did not record compensation expense related to its stock option grants because the strike price was equal to the fair value of the underlying stock on the grant date; however, it did record compensation expense over the requisite service period for restricted stock grants and performance unit awards.

SFAS 123R is applicable to all of PSEG s outstanding unvested share-based payment awards as of January 1, 2006 and all prospective awards using the modified prospective method. Accordingly, the financial results for prior periods

were not retroactively adjusted to reflect the effects of SFAS 123R. The compensation expense recorded as a result of adopting SFAS 123R was not material. For additional information, see Note 17. Stock-Based Compensation.

The anticipated combined earnings impact on PSEG of adopting FIN 48 and FSP 13-2 is a reduction of \$25 million to \$35 million in 2007, as compared to 2006, primarily related to the impact on Energy Holdings.

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## SFAS No. 158, Employers Accounting for Defined Benefit Pension and Other Postretirement Plans (SFAS 158)

## **PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings**

Effective December 31, 2006, PSEG adopted SFAS 158, which requires that companies record the under or over funded positions of defined benefit pension and Other Postretirement Benefits (OPEB) plans on the balance sheet. In addition, the statement requires that the total unrecognized costs for defined benefit pension and OPEB plans be recorded as an after-tax charge to Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income, a separate component of Stockholder s Equity. However, for PSE&G, because the amortization of the unrecognized costs is being collected from customers, the accumulated unrecognized costs are recorded as a Regulatory Asset.

Prior to SFAS 158, accounting guidance required that unrecognized costs be presented in a footnote to the financial statements as part of a reconciliation of a plan s funded status to amounts recorded in the financial statements.

SFAS 158 is applied prospectively and the incremental impact on the individual Balance Sheet line items is disclosed in Note 16. Pension, OPEB and Savings Plans. Under SFAS 158 there is no change to the calculation of annual pension or OPEB expense.

## **Note 3. Asset Retirement Obligations (AROs)**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

On December 31, 2005, PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings completed their analyses under FIN 47, Accounting for Conditional Asset Retirement Obligations (FIN 47) which was issued in March 2005 to clarify certain guidance set forth in SFAS 143 and quantified conditional AROs identified that were previously not estimable. As a result of adopting FIN 47, PSEG recorded an additional ARO liability of approximately \$246 million, including \$210 million at PSE&G and \$35 million at Power. PSEG also recorded a charge for a Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle of \$(17) million, after-tax, \$(16) million of which relates to Power, with the remainder at Energy Holdings and Services.

During 2006, PSE&G incurred and recorded less than \$1 million related to new liabilities under FIN 47. On December 31, 2006, Power made revisions to certain AROs previously recorded under SFAS 143 and FIN 47, resulting in a decrease to the ARO liability and ARO asset of \$119 million.

The following table reflects pro forma results for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, excluding the Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle recorded upon the adoption in 2005, and including accretion and depreciation expense relating to the additional AROs identified under FIN 47, as if it had always been in effect.

For the Years Ended
December 31,
2005 2004
(Millions, except per share data)

<b>PSEG</b>			
Net Income	as reported	\$ 661	\$ 726
Net Income	pro forma	\$ 677	\$ 725

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## Earnings per share:

$\mathcal{C}^{-1}$		
Basic as reported	\$ 2.75	\$ 3.06
Basic pro forma	\$ 2.81	\$ 3.06
Diluted as reported	\$ 2.71	\$ 3.05
Diluted pro forma	\$ 2.77	\$ 3.04
Power		
Net Income as reported	\$ 192	\$ 308
Net Income pro forma	\$ 207	\$ 307

## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **PSEG**

In addition to amounts recorded at PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings, discussed below, Services has an immaterial conditional ARO related to its obligation to restore a leased office space to rentable condition upon lease termination.

## PSE&G

PSE&G has a conditional ARO for legal obligations identified under FIN 47 related to the removal of asbestos and underground storage tanks at certain industrial establishments, removal of wood poles, leases and licenses, and the requirement to seal natural gas pipelines at all sources of gas when the pipelines are no longer in service. PSE&G did not record an ARO for PSE&G s protected steel and poly based natural gas transmission lines, as management believes that these categories of transmission lines have an indeterminable life.

## **Power**

Power s ARO liability primarily relates to the decommissioning of its nuclear power plants. Power maintains an independent external trust to fund decommissioning of its nuclear facilities upon termination of operation. For additional information, see Note 13. Nuclear Decommissioning. Power also identified conditional AROs under FIN 47, primarily related to Power s fossil generation units, including liabilities for the removal of asbestos, stored hazardous liquid material and underground storage tanks from industrial power sites, restoration of leased office space to rentable condition upon lease termination, permits and authorizations, the restoration of an area occupied by a reservoir when the reservoir is no longer needed, the demolition of certain plants and the restoration of the sites at which they reside when the plants are no longer in service.

## **Energy Holdings**

Energy Holdings had identified an immaterial legal obligation under FIN 47 for Electroandes S.A. s (Electroandes) water and infrastructure easement rights recognition agreement that expired in December 2006.

## PSEG, PSE&G and Power

On December 31, 2006, under SFAS 143, Power recorded a decrease to the ARO liability and asset of \$117 million related to revisions in assumptions regarding the timing of the decommissioning of its nuclear facilities and estimated decommissioning cash flows. Also on December 31, 2006, under FIN 47, Power recorded a decrease to the ARO liability and asset of \$2 million to reflect an expected life extension of certain fossil plants. The impact of these revisions, as well as other changes to the ARO liabilities for PSEG, PSE&G and Power during 2006, are presented in the following table:

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	( <b>N</b>	(Illions
PSEG		
ARO Liability as of January 1, 2006	\$	585
Accretion Expense		46
Liabilities Settled		(2)
Revision to present value of estimated cash flows		(119)
ARO Liability as of December 31, 2006	\$	510
PSE&G		
ARO Liability as of January 1, 2006	\$	210
Liabilities Settled		(2)
Accretion Expense (A)		13
ARO Liability as of December 31, 2006	\$	221
Power		
ARO Liability as of January 1, 2006	\$	373
Accretion Expense		33
Revision to present value of estimated cash flows		(119)
ARO Liability as of December 31, 2006	\$	287

(A) Accretion
expense is
not reflected
on PSE&G s
Consolidated
Statements of
Operations as
it is deferred
and
recovered in

Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments

## **Discontinued Operations**

rate base.

#### **Power**

## Lawrenceburg Energy Center (Lawrenceburg)

On December 29, 2006, Power entered into an agreement to sell its Lawrenceburg facility located in Lawrenceburg, Indiana to AEP Generating Company, a subsidiary of American Electric Power Company, Inc. (AEP). The facility is a 1,080-megawatt, gas-fired combined cycle electric generating plant that entered commercial operation in the summer of 2004.

The sale price for the facility and inventory is \$325 million. The proceeds, together with anticipated reduction in tax liability, is expected to be approximately \$425 million and will be used to retire debt. Power and PSEG have determined the transaction will result in an after-tax charge to PSEG and Power earnings of approximately \$208 million, or about \$0.82 cents per share of PSEG common stock and it is reflected as a charge in Discontinued Operations.

The sale is subject to approval by FERC, the U.S. Securities Exchange Commission, compliance with the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, and may also require certain state regulatory approvals in Indiana. It is anticipated that the transaction will close in the second quarter of 2007.

Lawrenceburg s operating results for the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, which were reclassified to Discontinued Operations, are summarized below:

	Years Ended December 31,							
		2006		2005 illions)	2	2004		
Operating Revenues	\$	41	\$	32	\$	2		
Loss Before Income Taxes	\$	(53)	\$	(47)	\$	(43)		
Net Loss	\$	(31)	\$	(28)	\$	(25)		
				126	5			

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The carrying amounts of the assets of Lawrenceburg as of December 31, 2006 and 2005 are summarized in the following table:

		As Decem	s of aber 31	1,
	2	2005		
		(Mil	lions)	
Current Assets	\$	10	\$	10
Noncurrent Assets		315		667
Total Assets of Discontinued Operations	\$	325	\$	677

## Waterford Generation Facility (Waterford)

In September 2005, Power completed the sale of its electric generation facility located in Waterford, Ohio to a subsidiary of AEP. In May 2005, Power recognized an estimated loss on disposal of \$177 million, net of tax benefit of \$123 million. In the third quarter of 2005, Power completed the sale of Waterford and recognized an additional loss on disposal of \$1 million, net of tax. The proceeds of the sale, together with the anticipated reduction in tax liability, were approximately \$320 million and were used to retire debt at Power.

Waterford s operating results for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, which were reclassified to Discontinued Operations, are summarized below:

	Years Ended December 31,					
	,	2004				
	(Millions)					
Operating Revenues	\$	18	\$	4		
Loss Before Income Taxes	\$	(34)	\$	(57)		
Net Loss	\$	(20)	\$	(34)		

## **Energy Holdings**

## Elektrocieplownia Chorzow Elcho Sp. Z o.o. (Elcho) and Elektrownia Skawina SA (Skawina)

On January 31, 2006, Global entered into an agreement with CEZ a.s. to sell its interest in two coal-fired plants in Poland, Elcho and Skawina. The sale was completed on May 29, 2006. Proceeds, net of transaction costs, were \$476 million, resulting in a gain of \$227 million net of tax expense of \$142 million. This gain is included in Discontinued Operations. The 2006 operating results for Global s assets in Poland have been reclassified to Discontinued Operations.

Elcho s and Skawina s operating results for the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004 are summarized below:

# Years Ended December 31,

						20001110	,					
			E	lcho					Sk	awina		
	2	2006	2	005		2004	20	006	2	2005	20	004
						(Millio	ons)					
Operating Revenues	\$	39	\$	106	\$	94	\$	44	\$	125	\$	98
(Loss) Income Before												
Income Taxes	\$	(3)	\$	17	\$	(19)	\$	2	\$	3	\$	8
Net (Loss) Income	\$	(2)	\$	16	\$	(20)	\$	1	\$	2	\$	5
				12'	7							

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The carrying amounts of the assets of Elcho and Skawina as of December 31, 2005 are summarized in the following table:

	As of December 31, 2005				
	E	lcho	Ska	awina	
		(Mi	llions)		
Current Assets	\$	41	\$	27	
Noncurrent Assets		319		111	
Total Assets of Discontinued Operations	\$	360	\$	138	
Current Liabilities	\$	27	\$	24	
Noncurrent Liabilities		336		49	
Total Liabilities of Discontinued Operations	\$	363	\$	73	

## Carthage Power Company (CPC)

In December 2003, Global entered into a definitive purchase and sale agreement related to the sale of its majority interest in CPC, which owns and operates a power plant located in Rades, Tunisia. In December 2003, Global recognized an estimated loss on disposal of \$23 million. In May 2004, Global completed the sale of CPC for approximately \$43 million in cash and recognized a net gain on disposal of \$3 million.

The operating results of CPC for the year ended December 31, 2004 are summarized below:

	Year Ended December 31 2004 (Millions)			
	(Mil	lions)		
Operating Revenues	\$	38		
Pre-Tax Income	\$	2		
Net Income	\$	2		
Dispositions				

**Energy Holdings** 

Global

Thermal Energy Development Partnership, L.P. (Tracy Biomass)

On December 22, 2006, Global entered into an agreement to sell its 34.5% interest in Tracy Biomass for approximately \$7 million. The sale closed on January 26, 2007 and resulted in a 2007 pre-tax gain of approximately \$7 million (\$6 million after-tax).

## Empresa de Energia Rio Negro S.A. (Edersa)

On December 21, 2006, SAESA group completed the sale of its 50% indirect interest in Edersa (an Argentinian utility company) for an insignificant amount, and realized an after-tax benefit of \$18 million.

## Magellan Capital Holdings Corporation (MCHC)

During the fourth quarter of 2006, Global sold its interest in the MCHC generation development project for \$1 million, resulting in a pre-tax loss of approximately \$4 million (\$2 million after-tax).

## Rio Grande Energia S. A. (RGE)

On May 10, 2006, Global entered into an agreement with Companhia Paulista de Force Luz (CPFL) to sell its 32% ownership interest in RGE, a Brazilian electric distribution company. The transaction closed on June 23, 2006 and gross proceeds of \$185 million were received. The transaction resulted in a pre-tax write-

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down of \$263 million (\$178 million after-tax), primarily related to the devaluation of the Brazilian Real subsequent to Global s acquisition of its interests in RGE in 1997.

## Dhofar Power Company S.A.O.C. (Dhofar Power)

In April 2005, Global sold a 35% interest in Dhofar Power through a public offering on the Omani stock exchange as required under its Concession Agreement for the project, reducing Global s ownership in Dhofar Power from 81% to 46%. Net proceeds from the sale were approximately \$25 million, resulting in a pre-tax gain of approximately \$3 million (\$1 million after-tax). As a result, Global s investment in Dhofar Power was accounted for under the equity method following the sale.

On May 15, 2006, Global signed an agreement to sell its remaining 46% interest in Dhofar Power to Oman Technical Partners Ltd. (Oman). Global closed the sale in November 2006 and received net proceeds after-tax of approximately \$31 million, the approximate book value of the investment.

## Solar Electric Generating Systems (SEGS) Projects

In January 2005, Resources and Global sold their minority limited partner interests in three SEGS projects for proceeds of approximately \$7 million resulting in a pre-tax gain of \$7 million (\$4 million after-tax).

## Meiya Power Company Limited (MPC)

In December 2004, Global closed on the sale of its 50% equity interest in MPC to BTU Power Company for approximately \$236 million resulting in a pre-tax gain of \$35 million (\$6 million loss after- tax).

#### Luz del Sur S.A.A. (LDS)

In April 2004, Global sold a portion of its indirect ownership in LDS in the Lima stock exchange, reducing its ownership from 44% to 38% and received gross proceeds of approximately \$31 million and realized a pre-tax gain of approximately \$7 million (\$5 million after-tax).

## GWF Energy LLC (GWF Energy)

In February 2004, Harbinger GWF LLC (Harbinger) purchased a 14.9% ownership interest in GWF Energy from Global for approximately \$14 million, resulting in a pre-tax gain of \$2 million (\$1 million after-tax). As a result of the sale, Global has a 60% interest in GWF Energy.

#### Resources

On October 16, 2006, Resources entered into an agreement under which Puget Sound Energy, Inc. will purchase Whitehorn Units Nos. 2 and 3 from Resources on the current lease expiration date of February 2, 2009 for a cash price of approximately \$23 million. This transaction is expected to produce approximately \$3 million of incremental after-tax income and \$3 million of incremental cash flow for Resources, at such time.

On December 28, 2005, Resources sold its interest in the Seminole Generation Station Unit 2 (Seminole), a 659 MW coal-fired facility in Palatka, Florida, to Seminole Electric Cooperative Inc. for \$286 million, resulting in a pre-tax gain of \$71 million (\$43 million after-tax).

Resources was the equity investor in a Boeing B767 leased to United Airlines (UAL). In December 2002, UAL filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection. In 2005, Resources received a notice from the Trustee under the UAL lease that the lenders had terminated the lease and repossessed the aircraft. Upon receipt of this notice, Resources recorded a \$21 million pre-tax (\$15 million after-tax) charge to write-off the carrying value of this investment.

Resources was also the equity investor in two operating leases with Northwest Airlines (Northwest) B 757-200 and Delta Airlines (Delta) B 737-200. On September 14, 2005 both Northwest and Delta filed for protection under Chapter 11 of the US Bankruptcy Code, as anticipated. In 2004 and 2005, Resources successfully restructured the leases and converted the Delta and Northwest leases from leveraged leases to operating leases. The Delta aircraft was sold in January 2006 generating a small gain for Resources.

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In January 2005, a KKR Fund, in which Resources had invested, sold its investment in KinderCare Learning Centers, Inc. and Resources received proceeds of approximately \$17 million resulting in a pre-tax gain of approximately \$1 million (\$1 million after-tax).

In March 2004, Resources entered into an agreement with Midwest Generation LLC, an indirect subsidiary of Edison Mission Energy, to terminate its lease investment in the Collins generating facility in Illinois. Resources received gross proceeds of approximately \$184 million, \$84 million after taxes, and recorded a pre-tax loss of \$17 million (\$11 million after-tax).

In 2004, Resources terminated two lease transactions with Qantas Airways and China Eastern Airlines Co., Ltd resulting from the lessees exercising their respective purchase options. Resources received aggregate gross cash proceeds of approximately \$45 million (\$9 million after-tax) and recorded a pre-tax gain of \$0 (\$4 million after-tax).

## **Acquisitions**

## **Energy Holdings**

## Prisma 2000 S.p.A. (Prisma)

In May 2006, Global forgave the guarantees of its partner in the Prisma investment of certain loans Global had made to Prisma and converted such loans totaling \$38 million into additional equity in Prisma, thereby increasing its ownership interest from 50% to 85% and giving Global voting control of the project. As a result, Energy Holdings began consolidating this investment in May 2006 and reclassified the investment balance to Property, Plant and Equipment of approximately \$62 million, Long-Term Investments of approximately \$13 million, Capital Lease Obligations of approximately \$40 million and certain other assets and liabilities on Energy Holdings Consolidated Balance Sheet. Energy Holdings recorded certain immaterial purchase accounting adjustments to reflect the plant, contracts and investment in Biomasse Italia S.p.A. (Biomasse) at fair value. The purchase price allocation has not yet been finalized since, due to recent events, Global has not been able to complete its appraisal of the land or finalize certain legal contingencies for the pre-acquisition period. For additional information, see Note 12. Commitments and Contingent Liabilities.

## **Impairments**

#### **Power**

Power owns four turbines for which it has no immediate use. Power believes that newer technology would be more flexible and efficient for use in new projects. In addition, potential buyers have expressed interest in purchasing the turbines from Power. For these reasons, in December 2006, Power recorded a pre-tax impairment loss of \$44 million to write-down the turbines to their estimated realizable value and has reclassified them to Assets Held For Sale on Power s Consolidated Balance Sheet as of December 31, 2006.

## **Energy Holdings**

## Venezuela

During Energy Holdings review of its equity method investments, management concluded that due to the current political situation in Venezuela, it is probable that Energy Holdings would not be able to recover its capitalized costs associated with the investments in Venezuela. Therefore, Energy Holdings recorded a pre-tax impairment loss of approximately \$7 million to write-down these investments in the fourth quarter of 2006. As of December 31, 2006, the

book value of these investments was approximately \$35 million.

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## **Note 5. Regulatory Matters**

## **Regulatory Assets and Liabilities**

## PSE&G

PSE&G prepares its financial statements in accordance with the provisions of SFAS 71. A regulated utility is required to defer the recognition of costs (a regulatory asset) or the recognition of obligations (a regulatory liability) if it is probable that, through the rate-making process, there will be a corresponding increase or decrease in future rates. Accordingly, PSE&G has deferred certain costs, which will be amortized over various future periods. These costs are deferred based on rate orders issued by the BPU or FERC or PSE&G s experience with prior rate cases. All of PSE&G s regulatory assets and liabilities at December 31, 2006 and 2005 are supported by written rate orders, either explicitly or implicitly through the BPU s treatment of various cost items. Regulatory assets are subject to prudence reviews and can be disallowed in the future by regulatory authorities. PSE&G believes that all of its regulatory assets are probable of recovery. To the extent that collection of any regulatory assets or payments of regulatory liabilities is no longer probable, the amounts would be charged or credited to income.

PSE&G had the following regulatory assets and liabilities on the Consolidated Balance Sheets:

	As Decem	-	1,	
	2006		2005	<b>Recovery/Refund Period</b>
	(Mill	ions)		
Regulatory Assets				
Securitized Costs	\$ 3,059	\$	3,333	Through December 2015(1)(2)
Pension and Other Postretirement Plans	671			Various
Societal Benefits Charges (SBC)	538		476	To be determined(1)(2)
Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) Remediation				
Costs	414		409	Various(2)
Deferred Income Taxes	412		398	Various
Gas Contract Mark-to-Market	187			Various(1)
OPEB-Related Costs	116		135	Through December 2012(2)
Unamortized Loss on Reacquired Debt	85		91	Over remaining debt life(1)
Conditional Asset Retirement Obligation	68		55	Various
Repair Allowance	62		69	Through August 2013(1)(2)
Regulatory Restructuring Costs	31		35	Through August 2013(1)(2)
Plant and Regulatory Study Costs	16		19	Through December 2021(2)
Gas Margin Adjustment Clause	14		6	To be determined(2)
Asbestos Abatement Costs	10		10	Through 2020(2)
Unrealized Losses on Interest Rate Swaps	4		11	Through 2020(2)
Decontamination and Decommissioning Costs			6	Through December 2006(2)
Other	7		6	Various

\$ 5,694	\$	5,059	
\$ 279	\$	345	Various
198		174	To be determined(1)(2)
96		9	Through September 2007(1)(2)
64			Through November 2011(1)(2)
		152	Various(1)
9		46	Various(1)
\$ 646	\$	726	
\$	\$ 279 198 96 64	\$ 279 \$ 198 96 64	\$ 279 \$ 345 198 174 96 9 64 152 9 46

- (1) Recovered/Refunded with interest.
- (2) Recoverable/Refundable per specific rate order.

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All regulatory assets and liabilities are excluded from PSE&G s rate base unless otherwise noted. The descriptions below define certain regulatory items.

**Securitized Costs:** This reflects deferred costs, which are being recovered through the securitization transition charge authorized by the BPU. Funds collected through the securitization transition charge are remitted to Transition Funding and Transition Funding II and are used for interest and principal payments on the transition bonds and related costs and taxes.

**Pension and Other Post Retirement Plans:** Pursuant to the adoption of SFAS 158, PSE&G recorded the unrecognized costs for defined benefit pension and OPEB plans on the balance sheet as a regulatory asset. These costs represent actuarial gains or losses, prior service costs and transition obligations as a result of adoption, which have not been expensed. These costs will be amortized and recovered in future rates.

**SBC:** The SBC, as authorized by the BPU and the New Jersey Electric Discount and Energy Competition Act (EDECA), includes costs related to PSE&G s electric and gas business as follows: 1) the universal service fund; 2) Demand Side Management (DSM) programs; 3) social programs which include bad debt expense; 4) the New Jersey Clean Energy Program costs payable in 2007 through 2008, recorded at discounted present value; and 5) the Remediation Adjustment Clause for incurred MGP remediation expenditures. All components except for Clean Energy accrue interest.

**MGP Remediation Costs:** Represents the low end of the range for the remaining environmental investigation and remediation program costs that are probable of recovery in future rates.

**Deferred Income Taxes:** This amount represents the portion of deferred income taxes that will be recovered through future rates, based upon established regulatory practices, which permit the recovery of current taxes. Accordingly, this regulatory asset is offset by a deferred tax liability and is expected to be recovered, without interest, over the period the underlying book-tax timing differences reverse and become current taxes.

**Gas Contract Mark-to-Market:** The fair value of gas hedge contracts and gas cogeneration supply contracts. This asset is offset by derivative liability and an intercompany payable on the balance sheet.

**OPEB-Related Costs:** Includes costs associated with the adoption of SFAS No. 106 Employers Accounting for Benefits Other Than Pensions which were deferred in accordance with EITF Issue No. 92- 12, Accounting for OPEB Costs by Rate Regulated Enterprises.

**Unamortized Loss on Reacquired Debt:** Represents losses on reacquired long-term debt, which are recovered through rates over the remaining life of the debt.

**Conditional Asset Retirement Obligation:** These costs represent the differences between rate regulated cost of removal accounting and asset retirement accounting under GAAP. These costs will be recovered in future rates.

**Repair Allowance:** This represents tax, interest and carrying charges relating to disallowed tax deductions for repair allowance as authorized by the BPU with recovery over 10 years effective August 1, 2003.

**Regulatory Restructuring Costs:** These are costs related to the restructuring of the energy industry in New Jersey through EDECA and include such items as the system design work necessary to transition PSE&G to a transmission and distribution only company, as well as costs incurred to transfer and establish the generation function as a separate corporate entity with recovery over 10 years beginning August 1, 2003.

**Plant and Regulatory Study Costs:** These are costs incurred by PSE&G and required by the BPU which are related to current and future operations, including safety, planning, management and construction.

**Gas Margin Adjustment Clause:** PSE&G defers the margin differential received from Transportation Gas Service Non-Firm Customers versus bill credits provided to BGSS-Firm customers.

**Asbestos Abatement Costs:** Represents costs incurred to remove and dispose of asbestos insulation at PSE&G s fossil generating stations. Per a BPU order dated December 9, 1992, these costs are treated as Cost of Removal for ratemaking purposes.

**Unrealized Losses on Interest Rate Swap:** This represents the costs related to Transition Funding s interest rate swap that are being recovered without interest over the life of Transition Funding s transition bonds. This asset is offset by a derivative liability on the balance sheet.

**Decontamination and Decommissioning Costs:** These costs are related to PSE&G s obligation for nuclear decontamination and decommissioning costs of U.S. Department of Energy enrichment sites prior to the generation asset transfer to Power in 2000.

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**Other Regulatory Assets:** This includes deferred consolidated billing start-up and deferred Energy Information Control Network program costs.

**Cost of Removal:** PSE&G accrues and collects for Cost of Removal in rates. Pursuant to the adoption of SFAS 143, the liability for Cost of Removal was reclassified as a regulatory liability. This liability is reduced as removal costs are incurred. Cost of removal is a reduction to the rate base.

**Overrecovered Electric Energy Costs:** This clause was established by the EDECA to account for above market costs related to Non-Utility Generation (NUG) contracts, as approved by the BPU. Costs or benefits associated with the restructuring of these contracts are deferred. This clause also includes Basic Generation Service (BGS) costs in excess of current rates, as approved by the BPU.

**Overrecovered Gas Costs:** Represents PSE&G s gas costs in excess of the amount included in rates and probable of refund in the future.

Excess Cost of Removal: The BPU directed PSE&G to refund \$66M of excess gas cost of removal accruals over a 5 year period ending November 2011.

**Other Regulatory Liabilities:** This includes the following: 1) a retail adder included in the BGS charges beginning on August 1, 2003 that are now paid on a quarterly basis to the State of New Jersey; 2) amounts collected from customers in order for Transition Funding to obtain a AAA rating on its transition bonds; and 3) Third party billing discounts related to the EDECA.

## **Note 6. Earnings Per Share (EPS)**

#### **PSEG**

Diluted EPS is calculated by dividing Net Income by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding, including shares issuable upon exercise of stock options outstanding under PSEG s stock option plans, upon payment of performance units and upon conversion of Participating Units. The following table shows the effect of these stock options, performance units and Participating Units on the weighted average number of shares outstanding used in calculating diluted EPS:

	20	006		Years Ended	200			
	Basic	]	Diluted	Basic	Ι	Diluted	Basic	
EPS Numerator:								
Earnings (Millions)								
Continuing Operations	\$ 752	\$	752	\$ 886	\$	886	\$ 795	\$
Discontinued Operations	(13)		(13)	(208)		(208)	(69)	

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Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle				(17)	(17)		
Net Income	\$ 739	\$ 739	\$	661	\$ 661	\$ 726	\$
EPS Denominator (Thousands):							
Weighted Average Common Shares Outstanding	251,678	251,678		240,297	240,297	236,984	
Effect of Stock Options	7,1,1	545		-, · · ·	971	,	
Effect of Stock Performance Units		91			87		
Effect of Participating Units					3,051		
<b>Total Shares</b>	251,678	252,314		240,297	244,406	236,984	
EPS:							
Continuing Operations	\$ 2.99	\$ 2.98	\$	3.69	\$ 3.63	3.35	\$
Discontinued Operations	(0.05)	(0.05)		(0.87)	(0.85)	(0.29)	
Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle				(0.07)	(0.07)		
<b>Net Income</b>	\$ 2.94	\$ 2.93	\$	2.75	\$ 2.71	\$ 3.06	\$
			133				

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There were approximately 2.9 million stock options excluded from the weighted average common shares calculation used for diluted EPS due to their antidilutive effect for the year ended December 31, 2004. No stock options or Participating Units had an antidilutive effect for the year ended December 31, 2006.

Dividend payments on common stock for the year ended December 31, 2006 were \$2.28 per share and totaled approximately \$574 million. Dividend payments on common stock for the year ended December 31, 2005 were \$2.24 per share and totaled approximately \$541 million. Dividend payments on common stock for the year ended December 31, 2004 were \$2.20 per share and totaled approximately \$522 million.

## Note 7. Goodwill and Other Intangibles

## **PSEG, Power and Energy Holdings**

PSEG, Power and Energy Holdings conducted an annual review for goodwill impairment as of November 30, 2006 and concluded that goodwill was not impaired. There were no events that occurred subsequent to November 30, 2006 that required a further review of goodwill for impairment.

## **Power and Energy Holdings**

As of December 31, 2006 and 2005, Power s and Energy Holdings goodwill and pro-rata share of goodwill in equity method investments were as follows:

	As of December 31,				
	2006	2005			
	(Millions)				
<b>Consolidated Investments</b>					
Energy Holdings Global					
Sociedad Austral de Electricidad S.A. (SAESA)(A)	\$ 390	\$ 405			
Electroandes	133	133			
Total Energy Holdings Global	523	538			
Power Bethlehem Energy Center	16	16			
Total PSEG Consolidated Goodwill	539	554			
<b>Pro-Rata Share of Equity Method Investments</b>					
Energy Holdings Global					
Rio Grande Energia S.A. (RGE)(B)		92			
Chilquinta Energia S.A. (Chilquinta)(A)	193	200			
LDS	55	55			
Kalaeloa Partners L.P. (Kalaeloa)	25	25			
Pro-Rata Share of Equity Investment Goodwill	273	372			

Total PSEG Goodwill \$ 812 \$ 926

(A) Changes relate to changes in foreign exchange rates.

(B) RGE was sold in June 2006. For additional information relating to the sale see Note 4.
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## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

In addition to goodwill, as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, PSEG, PSE&G, Power, Energy Holdings and Services had the following recorded intangible assets:

	PSF	E&G Power		Energy Holdings (Millions		Services s)		Consolidated Total	
As of December 31, 2006:									
Purchased Power Agreement(A)	\$		\$		\$	11	\$	\$	11
Emissions Allowances(C)				35					35
Total Intangibles	\$		\$	35	\$	11	\$	\$	46
As of December 31, 2005:									
Defined Benefit Pension Plan(B)	\$	2	\$	2	\$	2	\$ 3	\$	9
Emissions Allowances(C)				37					37
Total Intangibles	\$	2	\$	39	\$	2	\$ 3	\$	46

- (A) Purchase price allocation of fair value of contracts at Prisma.
- (B) Not subject to amortization.
- (C) Expensed when used or sold amounting to approximately \$3 million, \$5 million and \$7 million for the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005

and 2004, respectively.

## **Note 8. Long-Term Investments**

## PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings

PSEG, PSE&G, Power and Energy Holdings had the following Long-Term Investments as of December 31, 2006 and 2005:

	As of December 31,				
		2006		2005	
		(Millions)			
<b>Energy Holdings:</b>					
Leveraged Leases	\$	2,810	\$	2,720	
Partnerships and Corporate Joint Ventures		868		1,180	
Other Investments(A)		4		8	
<b>Total Long-Term Investments of Energy Holdings</b>		3,682		3,908	
PSE&G(B)		149		144	
Power(C)		17		5	
Other Investments(D)		20		20	
<b>Total Long-Term Investments</b>	\$	3,868	\$	4,077	

- (A) Primarily relates to Demand Management Corporation investments at Resources.
- (B) Primarily relates to life insurance and supplemental benefits of \$142 million and \$136 million as of December 31, 2006 and

2005, respectively.

# (C) Primarily

relates to

Power s 23%

ownership

interest in

Keystone

Fuels

Corporation

and

Conemaugh

Fuels

Corporation

as of

December 31,

2006 and

certain

emission

allowances

held for

trading

purposes as

of December

31, 2005.

## (D) Amounts

represent

investments

at PSEG

(parent

company),

primarily

related to

investments

in its Capital

Trusts.

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# **Energy Holdings**

# **Leveraged Leases**

Energy Holdings net investment, through Resources, in leveraged leases was comprised of the following elements:

	As of December 31,					
	2006			2005		
		(Mil	lions)			
Lease rents receivable (net of non-recourse debt)	\$	2,918	\$	2,967		
Estimated residual value of leased assets		1,012		1,021		
	\$	3,930	\$	3,988		
Unearned and deferred income		(1,120)		(1,268)		
Total investments in leveraged leases	\$	2,810	\$	2,720		
Deferred tax liabilities		(1,886)		(1,718)		
Net investment in leveraged leases	\$	924	\$	1,002		

Resources pre-tax income and income tax effects related to investments in leveraged leases were as follows:

			 rs Ended mber 31,		
	:	2006	2005 illions)	2	2004
Pre-tax income of leveraged leases	\$	134	\$ 161	\$	153
Income tax effect on pre-tax income of leveraged leases	\$	41	\$ 64	\$	12
Amortization of investment tax credits of leveraged leases	\$	(1)	\$ (1)	\$	(1)

The \$23 million decrease in income tax effect on pre-tax income of leveraged leases in 2006 as compared to 2005, was primarily due to the absence of the tax expense resulting from the sale of Resources interest in Seminole in 2005. For additional information regarding the sale of Seminole, see Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments.

The \$52 million increase in income tax effect on pre-tax income of leveraged leases in 2005 as compared to 2004, was primarily due to the sale of Resources interest in Seminole in 2005 and additional benefits resulting from revisions to the revenue and tax calculations of certain of Resources leveraged lease investments performed in the fourth quarter of 2005 resulting from changes in certain lease forecast assumptions pertaining to state income taxes. A change in a key assumption which affects the estimated total net income over the life of a leveraged lease requires a recalculation of the leveraged lease, from inception, using the revised information. Any change in the net investment in the leveraged

leases is recognized as a gain or loss in the year the assumption is changed. For additional information regarding the sale of Seminole, see Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments.

#### **Partnership Investments and Corporate Joint Ventures**

Energy Holdings partnership investments and corporate joint ventures are primarily accounted for under the equity method of accounting.

#### **Investments in and Advances to Affiliates**

Investments in net assets of affiliated companies accounted for under the equity method of accounting by Global amounted to \$818 million and \$1 billion as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, respectively. During the three years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, the amount of dividends from these investments was \$72 million, \$70 million and \$89 million, respectively. Global s share of income and cash flow distribution percentages ranged from 35% to 60% as of December 31, 2006. Interest is also earned on loans made to various projects. Such loans earn interest that ranged from 5% to 7.5% during 2006.

As of December 31, 2006, Global s recorded investment in equity method subsidiaries was \$818 million as compared to \$711 million of underlying equity in net assets of such investments. The difference primarily relates to an approximate \$100 million investment in a foreign subsidiary which is classified as an equity

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investment on Global s financial statements and recorded as a loan on the equity method subsidiary. Investment classification is appropriate due to its long-term investment nature.

Global had the following equity method investments as of December 31, 2006:

		<b>%</b>
Name	Location	Owned
Kalaeloa	HI	50 %
GWF		
Bay Area I	CA	50 %
Bay Area II	CA	50 %
Bay Area III	CA	50 %
Bay Area IV	CA	50 %
Bay Area V	CA	50 %
Hanford L.P	CA	50 %
GWF Energy		
Hanford-Peaker Plant	CA	60 %
Henrietta-Peaker Plant	CA	60 %
Tracy-Peaker Plant	CA	60 %
Tracy Biomass (A)	CA	35 %
Bridgewater	NH	40 %
Turboven		
Maracay	Venezuela	50 %
Cagua	Venezuela	50 %
Chilquinta	Chile	50 %
Prisma	Italy	43 %
LDS	Peru	38 %

(A) In January 2007, Global sold its 34.5% interest in Thermal Energy Development Partnership, L.P. which owns the 21

MW

biomass-fueled

Tracy project in

California. For

additional

information,

see Note 4.

Discontinued

Operations,

Dispositions,

Acquisitions

and

Impairments of

the Notes.

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Summarized results of operations and financial position of affiliates in which Global applied the equity method of accounting are presented below:

	F	oreign	mestic llions)	Total
<b>December 31, 2006</b>				
Statement of Operations Information				
Revenue	\$	858	\$ 378	\$ 1,236
Gross Profit	\$	345	\$ 154	\$ 499
Minority Interest	\$	15	\$	\$ 15
Net Income	\$	164	\$ 86	\$ 250
Balance Sheet Information				
Assets:				
Current Assets	\$	314	\$ 100	\$ 414
Property, Plant and Equipment		1,072	555	1,627
Goodwill		497	49	546
Other Noncurrent Assets		187	32	219
Total Assets	\$	2,070	\$ 736	\$ 2,806
Liabilities:				
Current Liabilities	\$	186	\$ 63	\$ 249
Debt*		675	203	878
Other Noncurrent Liabilities		143	60	203
Minority Interest		70		70
Total Liabilities		1,074	326	1,400
Equity		996	410	1,406
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$	2,070	\$ 736	\$ 2,806
December 31, 2005				
Statement of Operations Information				
Revenue	\$	1,773	\$ 366	\$ 2,139
Gross Profit	\$	513	\$ 133	\$ 646
Minority Interest	\$	14	\$	\$ 14
Net Income	\$	170	\$ 78	\$ 248
Balance Sheet Information				
Assets:				

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Comment Assets	ф	522	Ф	100	Ф	(25
Current Assets	\$	533	\$	102	\$	635
Property, Plant and Equipment		1,933		591		2,524
Goodwill		785		50		835
Other Noncurrent Assets		330		32		362
Total Assets	\$	3,581	\$	775	\$	4,356
Liabilities:						
Current Liabilities	\$	427	\$	62	\$	489
Debt*		1,140		245		1,385
Other Noncurrent Liabilities		322		51		373
Minority Interest		60				60
Total Liabilities		1,949		358		2,307
Equity		1,632		417		2,049
_						
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$	3,581	\$	775	\$	4,356
• •						
<b>December 31, 2004</b>						
Statement of Operations Information						
Revenue	\$	1,547	\$	537	\$	2,084
Gross Profit	\$	510	\$	130	\$	640
Minority Interest	\$	7	\$		\$	7
Net Income	\$	148	\$	46	\$	194

<sup>\*</sup> Debt is non-recourse to PSEG, Energy Holdings and Global.

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The differences in the results of operations and the financial position as of and for the year ended December 31, 2006, as compared to 2005, were due to Global s sale of a 35% interest in Dhofar Power in 2005, the sale of Global s 32% ownership interest in RGE and the consolidation of Prisma in 2006. See Note 4. Discontinued Operations, Dispositions, Acquisitions and Impairments for further details of these transactions.

Global also has investments in certain companies in which it does not have the ability to exercise significant influence. Such investments are accounted for under the cost method. As of December 31, 2006 and 2005, the carrying value of these investments aggregated \$37 million and \$39 million, respectively. Global periodically reviews these cost method investments for impairment and adjusts the values of these investments accordingly.

# Note 9. Schedule of Consolidated Capital Stock and Other Securities

#### PSEG and PSE&G

	Outstanding Shares Current As of Redemption December 31, Price			Book As Decem	s of		
	2006	Per Share		2	2006 (Mil	lions)	2005
PSEG Common Stock (no par value)(A)(B)							
Authorized 500,000,000 shares; (outstanding as of December 31, 2005, 251,163,186 shares)	252,645,408			\$	4,145	\$	4,086
PSE&G Cumulative Preferred Stock(C) without Mandatory Redemption(D) \$100 par value series							
4.08%	146,221	\$	103.00	\$	15	\$	15
4.18%	116,958	\$	103.00		12		12
4.30%	149,478	\$	102.75		15		15
5.05%	104,002	\$	103.00		10		10
5.28%	117,864	\$	103.00		12		12
6.92%	160,711	\$	102.77		16		16
Total Preferred Stock without Mandatory Redemption	795,234			\$	80	\$	80

On November 16, 2005, PSEG issued approximately 11.4 million shares of its common stock for proceeds of approximately \$460 million under the stock purchase obligation provision of the Participating Units issued by PSEG **Funding Trust** I in September, 2002. See Note 10. Schedule of Consolidated Debt.

ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, PSEG issued approximately 1.0 million, 1.2 million, and 1.9 million shares, respectively, for

(B) For the years

approximately \$67 million,

\$72 million

and \$83

million,

respectively,

under the

Dividend

Reinvestment

and Stock

Purchase Plan

(DRASPP)

and the

Employee

Stock

Purchase Plan

(ESPP). Total

authorized and

unissued

shares of

common stock

available for

issuance

through

PSEG s

DRASPP,

ESPP and

various

employee

benefit plans

amounted to

approximately

3.9 million

shares as of

December 31,

2006.

# (C) As of

December 31,

2006, there

was an

aggregate of

approximately

6.7 million

shares of \$100

par value and

10 million

shares of \$25

par value

Cumulative

Preferred

Stock, which

were

authorized and

unissued and

which, upon

issuance, may

or may not

provide for

mandatory

sinking fund

redemption. If

dividends

upon any

shares of

Preferred

Stock are in

arrears for four

consecutive

quarters,

holders receive

voting rights

for the election

of a majority

of PSE&G s

Board of

Directors and

continue until

all

accumulated

and unpaid

dividends

thereon have

been paid,

whereupon all

such voting

rights cease.

There are no

arrearages in

cumulative

preferred stock

and hence

currently no

voting rights

for preferred

shares. No

preferred stock

agreement

contains any

liquidation

preferences in

excess of par

values or any

deemed

liquidation

events.

(D) As of

December 31,

2006 and

2005, the

annual

dividend

requirement and the embedded dividend rate for PSE&G s Preferred Stock without Mandatory Redemption was approximately \$4 million and 5.03%, respectively, for each year.

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# **Fair Value of Preferred Securities**

The estimated fair value of PSE&G s Cumulative Preferred Stock was \$72 million and \$68 million as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, respectively. The estimated fair value was determined using market quotations.

# Note 10. Schedule of Consolidated Debt

# **Long-Term Debt**

		As of Dec	ember	31,
	Maturity	2006		2005
		(Mil	lions)	
PSEG				
Senior Note 6.89%	2005 2009	\$ 147	\$	196
Senior Note Libor +.375%	2008	375		375
Senior Note 4.66%	2009	200		200
Debt Supporting Trust Preferred Securities(A)	2007 2047	659		814
Other(B)		(6)		(4)
Principal Amount Outstanding		1,375		1,581
Amounts Due Within One Year(C)		(523)		(203)
Total Long-Term Debt of PSEG (Parent)		\$ 852	\$	1,378
PSE&G				
First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds:				
6.75%(D)	2006	\$	\$	147
LIBOR plus 0.125%(E)	2006			175
6.25%	2007	113		113
6.75%	2016	171		171
6.45%	2019	5		5
9.25%	2021	134		134
6.38%	2023	157		157
5.20%	2025	23		23
3.65% Auction Rate(F)	2028	64		64
3.60% Auction Rate(F)	2029	93		93
3.50% Auction Rate(F)	2030	88		88
3.65% Auction Rate(F)	2031	104		104
5.45%	2032	50		50
6.40%	2032	100		100

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3.54% Auction Rate(F)	2033	50	50
3.545% Auction Rate(F)	2033	50	50
3.545% Auction Rate(F)	2033	45	45
8.00%	2037	7	7
5.00%	2037	8	8
	140		

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			As of Dece	mber 31,	
	Maturity		2006	200	)5
			(Milli	ons)	
Medium-Term Notes:					
4.00%	2008		250		250
8.16%	2009		16		16
8.10%	2009		44		44
5.125%	2012		300		300
5.00%	2013		150		150
5.375%	2013		300		300
5.00%	2014		250		250
7.04%	2020		9		9
7.18%	2023		5		5
7.15%	2023		34		34
5.25%	2035		250		250
5.70%(G)	2036		250		
Principal Amount Outstanding			3,120		3,192
Amounts Due Within One Year(C)			(113)		(322)
Net Unamortized Discount			(4)		(4)
Total Long-Term Debt of PSE&G (Parent)		\$	3,003	\$	2,866
Transition Funding (PSE&G)					
Securitization Bonds:					
5.98%(H)	2008	\$		\$	71
6.29%	2011		412		496
6.45%	2013		328		328
6.61%	2015		454		454
6.75%	2016		220		220
6.89%	2017		370		370
Principal Amount Outstanding			1,784		1,939
Amounts Due Within One Year(C)			(161)		(155)
		<b>*</b>	1 (00	*	1.504
Total Securitization Debt of Transition Funding		\$	1,623	\$	1,784
Transition Funding II (PSE&G)					
(-2-3-3)					

# Securitization Bonds:

~							
4.18%(H)	2006 200	08	\$	17		\$	25
4.34%	2008 20	12		35			35
4.49%	2013						
(Loss) Earnings per share:							
Basic	\$	(0.32	)	\$ 16.99	\$ 1.53		
Diluted	\$	(0.32	)	\$ 16.53	\$ 1.46		
Weighted average shares outstanding:							
Basic	17,073			18,183	18,696		
Diluted	17,073			18,692	19,612		
Comprehensive (loss) income:  Net (loss) income  Other comprehensive (loss) income, net of tax:  Reclassification of unrealized gain on investment in equity securities, net of income tax provision of \$200, to retained earnings from the cumulative effect of an accounting change (Note 2)  Unrealized gain (loss) on investment in equity securities, net of income tax (provision) benefit of	\$ (733	(2,699	))	\$ 311,631 — 2,478	\$ 31,386 — (1,745	)	
\$0, \$(921), \$720  Comprehensive (loss) income, net of tax  Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests	(3,432 (2,683		)	314,109 (2,740 )	29,641 (2,693	)	
Comprehensive (loss) income attributable to Altisource	\$	(6,115	<b>i</b> )	\$ 311,369	\$ 26,948	3	

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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# ALTISOURCE PORTFOLIO SOLUTIONS S.A.

Consolidated Statements of Equity

(in thousands)

Altisource Equity	A	ltisource	<b>Equity</b>
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	Altisou	rce Equit	y					
	Commo	on stock	Additional paid-in capital	Retained earnings	Accumula other comprehe income (loss)	Treasury	Non-controll interests	ing Total
	Shares							
Balance, January 1, 2016	25,413	\$25,413	\$96,321	\$369,270	\$ —	\$(440,026)	\$ 1,292	\$52,270
Comprehensive income: Net income Other comprehensive loss, net of tax	_ ;		_ _	28,693 —	— (1,745)	_ _	2,693 —	31,386 (1,745 )
Distributions to non-controlling interest holders	_	_	_	_	_	_	(2,580 )	(2,580 )
Share-based compensation expense	_	_	6,188	_	_	_	_	6,188
Excess tax benefit on stock-based compensation	_	_	4,779	_	_	_	_	4,779
Exercise of stock options and issuance of restricted shares	_	_	_	(64,177)	<del>_</del>	73,735	_	9,558
Repurchase of shares		_	_	_	_	(37,662)	_	(37,662)
Balance, December 31, 2016	25,413	25,413	107,288	333,786	(1,745)	(403,953)	1,405	62,194
Comprehensive income: Net income Other comprehensive income, net of tax	_ _	_ _	_ _	308,891		_ _	2,740	311,631 2,478
Distributions to non-controlling interest holders	_	_	_	_	_	_	(2,772 )	(2,772 )
Share-based compensation expense	_	_	4,255	_	_	_	_	4,255
Cumulative effect of an accounting change (Note 17)	_	_	932	(932)		_	_	_
Exercise of stock options and issuance of restricted shares Treasury shares withheld for	_	_	_	(13,491 )	_	15,865	_	2,374
the payment of tax on restricted share issuances	_	_	_	(1,654)		490	_	(1,164 )
Repurchase of shares		_	_	_	_	(39,011 )	_	(39,011 )

Balance, December 31, 2017	25,413	25,413	112,475	626,600	733	(426,609)	1,373	339,985	
Net loss		_	_	(5,382	) —	_	2,683	(2,699	)
Distributions to non-controlling interest		_	_	_	_	_	(2,819 )	(2,819	)
holders Share-based compensation expense		_	10,192	_	_	_	_	10,192	
Cumulative effect of accounting changes (Note 2)	_	_	_	(9,715	) (733 )	_	_	(10,448	)
Exercise of stock options and issuance of restricted shares		_	_	(19,245	) —	22,889	_	3,644	
Treasury shares withheld for the payment of tax on restricted share issuances and		_	_	(1,603	) —	778	_	(825	)
stock option exercises Repurchase of shares	_	_	_	_	_	(40,362)	<u> </u>	(40,362	)
Balance, December 31, 2018	25,413	\$25,413	\$122,667	\$590,655	5 \$ —	\$(443,304)	\$ 1,237	\$296,668	3

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (in thousands)

	For the years ended December 31, 2018 2017 2016			
	2016	2017	2010	
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Net (loss) income	\$(2,699)	\$311,631	\$31,386	
Adjustments to reconcile net (loss) income to net cash provided by operating				
activities:				
Depreciation and amortization	30,799	36,447	36,788	
Amortization of intangible assets	28,412	35,367	47,576	
Unrealized loss on investment in equity securities	12,972			
Change in the fair value of acquisition related contingent consideration		24	(3,555)	)
Goodwill write-off from business exit (Note 11)	2,640			
Share-based compensation expense	10,192	4,255	6,188	
Bad debt expense	2,830	5,116	1,829	
Gain on early extinguishment of debt		(5,637	) (5,464	)
Amortization of debt discount	717	301	413	
Amortization of debt issuance costs	965	833	1,141	
Deferred income taxes	(5,791	(297,336	) (2,597	)
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	727	2,768	1,765	
Gain on sale of business (Note 4)	(13,688)		_	
Loss on debt refinancing (Note 14)	4,434	_		
Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of effect of acquisition:				
Accounts receivable	14,556	29,965	15,980	
Short-term investments in real estate	(10,468)	(16,380	(13,025)	)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	4,617		(7,856)	)
Other assets	2,278	770	1,053	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1,651	2,576	(9,113)	)
Other current and non-current liabilities	(16,742)		24,309	
Net cash provided by operating activities	68,402	66,082	126,818	
Cash flows from investing activities:	(2.016)	(10.51.4	. (22.260)	
Additions to premises and equipment	(3,916	(10,514	) (23,269 )	)
Acquisition of business, net of cash acquired			(9,409)	)
Proceeds from the sale of business (Note 4)	15,000	_		
Purchase of investment in equity securities			(48,219)	)
Other investing activities		188	<del> </del>	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	11,084	(10,326	) (80,897 )	)
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt	407,880	_	_	
Repayments and repurchases of long-term debt	(486,759)	(59,761	) (50,723	)
Debt issuance costs	(5,042		, (= -,·=+ )	
Proceeds from stock option exercises	3,644	2,374	9,558	
1	, -	,	, -	

Excess tax benefit on stock-based compensation Purchase of treasury shares Distributions to non-controlling interests Payment of tax withholding on issuance of restricted shares and stock option exercises Net cash used in financing activities	(2,819 ) (825 )	(1,164	4,779 ) (37,662 ) ) (2,580 ) ) — ) (76,628 )
Net decrease in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at the beginning of the period Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at the end of the period		153,421	*
Supplemental cash flow information: Interest paid Income taxes paid, net	\$24,123 7,136	\$21,210 18,332	\$22,717 18,327
Non-cash investing and financing activities: (Decrease) increase in payables for purchases of premises and equipment	\$(32)	\$(1,311	) \$404
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# ALTISOURCE PORTFOLIO SOLUTIONS S.A.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

# NOTE 1 — ORGANIZATION

#### **Description of Business**

Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A., together with its subsidiaries (which may be referred to as "Altisource," the "Company," "we," "us" or "our"), is an integrated service provider and marketplace for the real estate and mortgage industries Combining operational excellence with a suite of innovative services and technologies, Altisource helps solve the demands of the ever-changing markets we serve.

# NOTE 2 — BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES Basis of Accounting and Presentation

The consolidated financial statements are prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). Intercompany transactions and accounts have been eliminated in consolidation. Principles of Consolidation

The financial statements include the accounts of the Company, its wholly-owned subsidiaries and those entities in which we have a variable interest and are the primary beneficiary.

Altisource consolidates Best Partners Mortgage Cooperative, Inc., which is managed by The Mortgage Partnership of America, L.L.C. ("MPA"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Altisource. Best Partners Mortgage Cooperative, Inc. is a mortgage cooperative doing business as Lenders One® ("Lenders One"). MPA provides services to Lenders One under a management agreement that ends on December 31, 2025 (with renewals for three successive five-year periods at MPA's option).

The management agreement between MPA and Lenders One, pursuant to which MPA is the management company, represents a variable interest in a variable interest entity. MPA is the primary beneficiary of Lenders One as it has the power to direct the activities that most significantly impact the cooperative's economic performance and the right to receive benefits from the cooperative. As a result, Lenders One is presented in the accompanying consolidated financial statements on a consolidated basis and the interests of the members are reflected as non-controlling interests. As of December 31, 2018, Lenders One had total assets of \$2.7 million and total liabilities of \$1.3 million. As of December 31, 2017, Lenders One had total assets of \$4.6 million and total liabilities of \$3.1 million.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, revenue and expenses and related disclosures of contingent liabilities in the consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes. Estimates are used for, but not limited to, determining share-based compensation, income taxes, collectability of receivables, valuation of acquired intangibles and goodwill, depreciable lives and valuation of fixed assets and contingencies. Actual results could differ materially from those estimates.

# Cash and Cash Equivalents

We classify all highly liquid instruments with an original maturity of three months or less at the time of purchase as cash equivalents.

# Accounts Receivable, Net

Accounts receivable are presented net of an allowance for doubtful accounts that represents an amount that we estimate to be uncollectible. We have estimated the allowance for doubtful accounts based on our historical write-offs, our analysis of past due accounts based on the contractual terms of the receivables and our assessment of the economic status of our customers, if known. The carrying value of accounts receivable, net, approximates fair value.

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Continued)

#### Premises and Equipment, Net

We report premises and equipment, net at cost or estimated fair value at acquisition for premises and equipment recorded in connection with a business combination and depreciate these assets over their estimated useful lives using the straight-line method as follows:

Furniture and fixtures 5 years
Office equipment 5 years
Computer hardware 5 years
Computer software 3-7 years

Leasehold improvements Shorter of useful life, 10 years or the term of the lease

Maintenance and repair costs are expensed as incurred. We capitalize expenditures for significant improvements and new equipment and depreciate the assets over the shorter of the capitalized asset's life or the life of the lease. We review premises and equipment for impairment following events or changes in circumstances that indicate the carrying amount of an asset or asset group may not be recoverable. We measure recoverability of assets to be held and used by comparing the carrying amount of an asset or asset group to estimated undiscounted future cash flows expected to be generated by the asset or asset group. If the carrying amount of an asset or asset group exceeds its estimated future cash flows, we recognize an impairment charge for the amount that the carrying value of the asset or asset group exceeds the fair value of the asset or asset group.

Computer software includes the fair value of software acquired in business combinations, capitalized software development costs and purchased software. Capitalized software development and purchased software are recorded at cost and amortized using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives. Software acquired in business combinations is recorded at fair value and amortized using the straight-line method over its estimated useful life. Business Combinations

We account for acquisitions using the purchase method of accounting in accordance with Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 805, Business Combinations. The purchase price of an acquisition is allocated to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed using their fair value as of the acquisition date.

#### Goodwill

Goodwill represents the excess cost of an acquired business over the fair value of the identifiable tangible and intangible assets acquired and liabilities assumed in a business combination. We evaluate goodwill for impairment annually during the fourth quarter or more frequently when an event occurs or circumstances change in a manner that indicates the carrying value may not be recoverable. We first assess qualitative factors to determine whether it is more likely than not that the fair value of a reporting unit is less than its carrying value as a basis for determining whether we need to perform the quantitative two-step goodwill impairment test. Only if we determine, based on qualitative assessment, that it is more likely than not that a reporting unit's fair value is less than its carrying value will we calculate the fair value of the reporting unit. We would then test goodwill for impairment by first comparing the book value of net assets to the fair value of the reporting units. If the fair value is determined to be less than the book value, a second step is performed to compute the amount of impairment as the difference between the estimated fair value of goodwill and the carrying value. We estimate the fair value of the reporting units using discounted cash flows and market comparisons. The discounted cash flow method is based on the present value of projected cash flows. Forecasts of future cash flows are based on our estimate of future sales and operating expenses, based primarily on estimated pricing, sales volumes, market segment share, cost trends and general economic conditions. Certain estimates of discounted cash flows involve businesses with limited financial history and developing revenue models. The estimated cash flows are discounted using a rate that represents our weighted average cost of capital. The market comparisons include an analysis of revenue and earnings multiples of guideline public companies compared to the Company.

Intangible Assets, Net

Identified intangible assets consist primarily of customer related intangible assets, operating agreements, trademarks and trade names and other intangible assets. Identifiable intangible assets acquired in business combinations are recorded based on their fair values at the date of acquisition. We determine the useful lives of our identifiable intangible assets after considering the specific facts and circumstances related to each intangible asset. Factors we consider when determining useful lives include the contractual term of any arrangements, the history of the asset, our long-term strategy for use of the asset and other economic factors. We amortize intangible assets that we deem to have definite lives in proportion to actual and expected customer revenues or on a straight-line basis over their useful lives, generally ranging from 4 to 20 years.

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We perform tests for impairment if conditions exist that indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable. When facts and circumstances indicate that the carrying value of intangible assets determined to have definite lives may not be recoverable, management assesses the recoverability of the carrying value by preparing estimates of cash flows of discrete intangible assets generally consistent with models utilized for internal planning purposes. If the sum of the undiscounted expected future cash flows is less than the carrying value, we recognize an impairment to the extent the carrying amount exceeds fair value.

# Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt is reported net of applicable discount or premium and net of debt issuance costs. The debt discount or premium and debt issuance costs are amortized to interest expense through maturity of the related debt using the effective interest method.

#### Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is defined as an exit price, representing the amount that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The three-tier hierarchy for inputs used in measuring fair value, which prioritizes the inputs used in the methodologies of measuring fair value for assets and liabilities, is as follows:

- Level 1 Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities
- Level 2 Observable inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1

Level 3 — Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of assets or liabilities.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are classified based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurements. Our assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurements requires judgment and may affect the valuation of the assets and liabilities being measured and their placement within the fair value hierarchy.

# **Functional Currency**

The currency of the primary economic environment in which our operations are conducted is the United States dollar. Therefore, the United States dollar has been determined to be our functional and reporting currency. Non-United States dollar transactions and balances have been measured in United States dollars in accordance with ASC Topic 830, Foreign Currency Matters. All transaction gains and losses from the measurement of monetary balance sheet items denominated in non-United States dollar currencies are reflected in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss) as income or expenses, as appropriate.

# Defined Contribution 401(k) Plan

Some of our employees currently participate in a defined contribution 401(k) plan under which we may make matching contributions equal to a discretionary percentage determined by us. We recorded expenses of \$1.2 million in each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2018, related to our discretionary contributions.

# Revenue Recognition

We recognize revenue when we satisfy a performance obligation by transferring control of a product or service to a customer in an amount that reflects the consideration that we expect to receive. This revenue can be recognized at a point in time or over time. We invoice customers based on our contractual arrangements with each customer, which may not be consistent with the period that revenues are recognized. When there is a timing difference between when we invoice customers and when revenues are recognized, we record either a contract asset (unbilled accounts receivable) or a contract liability (deferred revenue or other current liabilities), as appropriate. A description of our principal revenue generating activities by reportable segment are as follows:

# Mortgage Market

• For the majority of the services we provide through the Mortgage Market segment, we recognize transactional revenue when the service is provided.

For loan servicing technologies, we recognize revenue based on the number of loans on the system, on a per-transaction basis or over the estimated average number of months the loans and real estate owned ("REO") are on

the platform, as applicable. We generally recognize revenue for professional services relating to loan servicing technologies over the contract period. For our loan origination system, we generally recognize revenue over the contract term, beginning on the commencement date of each contract. For foreclosure trustee services, we recognize revenue over the period during which we perform the related services, with full recognition upon completion and/or recording the related foreclosure deed. For loan disbursement processing services, we recognize revenue over the period during which we perform the

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processing services with full recognition upon completion of the disbursements. We use judgment to determine the period over which we recognize revenue for certain of these services. For mortgage charge-off collections performed on behalf of our clients, we recognize revenue as a percentage of amounts collected following collection from the borrowers.

For real estate brokerage and auction services, we recognize revenue on a net basis (i.e., the commission on the sale) as we perform services as an agent without assuming the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset and the commission earned on the sale is a fixed percentage or amount.

Reimbursable expenses revenue, primarily related to our property preservation and inspection services, real estate sales and our foreclosure trustee services businesses, is included in revenue with an equal amount recognized in cost of revenue. These amounts are recognized on a gross basis, principally because generally we have control over selection of vendors and the vendor relationships are with us, rather than with our customers.

# Real Estate Market

For the majority of the services we provide through the Real Estate Market segment, we recognize transactional revenue when the service is provided.

For renovation services, revenue is recognized over the period of the construction activity, based on the estimated percentage of completion of each project. We use judgment to determine the period over which we recognize revenue for certain of these services. For real estate brokerage and auction services, we recognize revenue on a net basis (i.e., the commission on the sale) as we perform services as an agent without assuming the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset and the commission earned on the sale is a fixed percentage or amount. For the buy-renovate-lease-sell business, we recognize revenue associated with our sales of short-term investments in real estate on a gross basis (i.e., the selling price of the property) as we assume the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset.

Reimbursable expenses revenue, primarily related to our real estate sales business, is included in revenue with an equal offsetting expense recognized in cost of revenue. These amounts are recognized on a gross basis, principally because we generally have control over selection of vendors and the vendor relationships are with us, rather than with our customers.

# Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations

For the majority of the services we provide through Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations, we recognize transactional revenue when the service is provided. We generally earn fees for our post-charge-off consumer debt collection services as a percentage of the amount we collect on delinquent consumer receivables and recognize revenue following collection from the borrowers. We provide customer relationship management services for which we typically earn and recognize revenue on a per-person, per-call or per-minute basis as the related services are performed.

For the information technology ("IT") infrastructure services we provide to Ocwen Financial Corporation ("Ocwen"), Front Yard Residential Corporation ("RESI") and Altisource Asset Management Corporation ("AAMC"), we recognize revenue primarily based on the number of users of the applicable systems, fixed fees and the number and type of licensed platforms. We recognize revenue associated with implementation services upon completion and maintenance services ratably over the related service period.

# **Share-Based Compensation**

Share-based compensation is accounted for under the provisions of ASC Topic 718, Compensation - Stock Compensation ("ASC Topic 718"). Under ASC Topic 718, the cost of services received in exchange for an award of equity instruments is generally measured based on the grant date fair value of the award. Share-based awards that do not require future service are expensed immediately. Share-based awards that require future service are recognized over the relevant service period. In 2017, the Company adopted FASB Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") No. 2016-09, Compensation - Stock Compensation (Topic 718): Improvements to Employee Share-Based Payment Accounting ("ASU 2016-09"). In connection with adopting ASU 2016-09, the Company made an accounting policy election to account for forfeitures in compensation expense as they occur. Prior to adopting ASU No. 2016-09, the Company estimated forfeitures for share-based awards in compensation expense that were not expected to vest.

# **Income Taxes**

We record income taxes in accordance with ASC Topic 740, Income Taxes ("ASC Topic 740"). We account for certain income and expense items differently for financial reporting purposes and income tax purposes. We recognize deferred income tax assets and liabilities for these differences between the financial reporting basis and the tax basis of our assets and liabilities as well as

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expected benefits of utilizing net operating loss and credit carryforwards. The most significant temporary differences relate to accrued compensation, amortization, loss carryforwards and valuation allowances. We measure deferred income tax assets and liabilities using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which we anticipate recovery or settlement of those temporary differences. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period when the change is enacted. Deferred tax assets are reduced by a valuation allowance when it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred tax assets will not be realized.

Tax laws are complex and subject to different interpretations by the taxpayer and respective governmental taxing authorities. Significant judgment is required in determining tax expense and in evaluating tax positions including evaluating uncertainties under ASC Topic 740. We recognize tax benefits from uncertain tax positions only if it is more likely than not that the tax position will be sustained on examination by the taxing authorities based on the technical merits of the position. The tax benefits recognized in the financial statements from such positions are then measured based on the largest benefit that has a greater than 50% likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement. Resolution of these uncertainties in a manner inconsistent with management's expectations could have a material impact on our results of operations.

#### Earnings Per Share

We compute earnings per share ("EPS") in accordance with ASC Topic 260, Earnings Per Share. Basic net income per share is computed by dividing net income attributable to Altisource by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding for the period. Diluted net income per share reflects the assumed conversion of all dilutive securities using the treasury stock method.

# Recently Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

In May 2014, the FASB issued ASU No. 2014-09, Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606) and during 2016, the FASB issued additional guidance providing clarifications and corrections, including: ASU No. 2016-08, Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606): Principal versus Agent Considerations (Reporting Revenue Gross versus Net), ASU No. 2016-10, Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606): Identifying Performance Obligations and Licensing, ASU No. 2016-12, Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606): Narrow-Scope Improvements and Practical Expedients, and ASU No. 2016-20, Technical Corrections and Improvements to Topic 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers (collectively "Topic 606"). Topic 606 establishes a single comprehensive model for entities to use in accounting for revenue arising from contracts with customers and supersedes most prior revenue recognition guidance. This new standard requires that an entity recognize revenue for the transfer of promised goods or services to a customer in an amount that reflects the consideration that the entity expects to receive and consistent with the delivery of the performance obligation described in the underlying contract with the customer. The Company adopted Topic 606 effective January 1, 2018 retrospectively with the cumulative effect recognized on the date of initial application (the modified retrospective approach) for all contracts. As a result of this adoption, the Company recognized an \$11.2 million increase in deferred revenue, a \$1.1 million increase in unbilled accounts receivable, a \$0.3 million increase in other current liabilities and a \$10.4 million decrease in retained earnings as of January 1, 2018. Because the Company adopted Topic 606 retrospectively with a cumulative effect as of January 1, 2018, the comparative results as of and for the year ended December 31, 2017 have not been restated and continue to be reported under ASC Topic 605, Revenue Recognition and SEC Staff Accounting Bulletin Topic 13, Revenue Recognition. The details of the significant changes and quantitative impact of the adoption of Topic 606 are described below. Also see Revenue Recognition above and Note 18 for additional information on revenue, including disaggregation of revenue and contract balances.

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The following table summarizes the impact of adopting Topic 606 on the Company's consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2018:

,	Impact of the adoption of Topic 606					
(in thousands)	As reported	Adjustmen	ıts	Balances without adoption of Topic 606		
Accounts receivable, net Total current assets Total assets	\$36,466 201,534 741,700	(455	)	\$ 36,011 201,079 741,245		
Deferred revenue	10,108		)	8,597		
Other current liabilities	7,030		)			
Total current liabilities	104,378		)	99,377		
Other non-current liabilities	9,178	269		9,446		
Retained earnings	590,655	•		594,932		
Altisource equity	295,431	•		299,708		
Total equity	296,668	•		300,945		
Total liabilities and equity	741,700	(455	)	741,245		

The following table summarizes the impact of adopting Topic 606 on the Company's consolidated statement of operations and comprehensive income (loss) for the year ended December 31, 2018:

	Impact of the adoption of Topic 6				
(in thousands)	As reported	Adjustments	Balances without s adoption of Topic 606		
Revenue	\$838,202	\$ (6,692	\$831,510		
Cost of revenue	622,165	2,116	624,281		
Gross profit	216,037	(8,808)	207,229		
Income from operations	42,495	(8,808)	33,687		
Income (loss) before income taxes and non-controlling interests	1,399	(8,808)	(7,409)		
Income tax (provision) benefit	(4,098)	2,637	(1,461)		
Net loss	(2,699)	(6,171)	(8,870 )		
Net loss attributable to Altisource	(5,382)	(6,171)	(11,553)		

The adoption of Topic 606 did not have any impact on net cash flows used in operating, financing or investing activities on the Company's consolidated statement of cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2018. In January 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-01, Financial Instruments - Overall (Subtopic 825-10): Recognition and Measurement of Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities. This standard requires equity investments (except those accounted for under the equity method of accounting or those that result in consolidation of the investee) to be measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognized in net income. The standard also simplifies the

impairment assessment of equity investments without readily determinable fair values by requiring a qualitative assessment to identify impairment. When a qualitative assessment indicates that impairment exists, an entity is required to measure the investment at fair value. It also amends certain financial statement presentation and disclosure requirements associated with the fair value of financial instruments. This standard was effective for the Company on January 1, 2018. The adoption of this standard resulted in a cumulative effect adjustment to increase retained earnings and decrease accumulated other comprehensive income by \$0.7 million on January 1, 2018. Changes in the fair value of the Company's investment in RESI subsequent to January 1, 2018, as well as any equity investments acquired in the future, are reflected as a component of net income in the Company's consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss).

In August 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-15, Statement of Cash Flows (Topic 230): Classification of Certain Cash Receipts and Cash Payments. This standard addresses eight specific cash flow issues with the objective of reducing the existing diversity

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in practice. This standard was effective for the Company on January 1, 2018, and the adoption of this guidance did not have any effect on the Company's consolidated statement of cash flows.

In October 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-16, Income Taxes (Topic 740): Intra-Entity Transfers of Assets Other Than Inventory. This standard requires that companies recognize the income tax consequences of an intra-entity transfer of an asset (other than inventory) when the transfer occurs. Previous guidance prohibited companies from recognizing current and deferred income taxes for an intra-entity asset transfer until the asset has been sold to an outside party. This standard was effective for the Company on January 1, 2018, and the adoption of this guidance did not have any effect on the Company's results of operations and financial position. In November 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-18, Statement of Cash Flows (Topic 230): Restricted Cash. This standard requires that companies include restricted cash and restricted cash equivalents in their cash and cash equivalent balances in the statement of cash flows. Therefore, amounts generally described as restricted cash and restricted cash equivalents should be included with cash and cash equivalents when reconciling the beginning-of-period and end-of-period total amounts shown on the statement of cash flows. This standard was effective for the Company on January 1, 2018, and was adopted using the retrospective transition method, as required by the standard. The adoption of this standard resulted in the classification of the Company's restricted cash with cash and cash equivalents reflected in the Company's consolidated statements of cash flows. As a result, the Company included \$5.8 million, \$3.8 million and \$4.1 million of restricted cash with cash and cash equivalents in its consolidated statements of cash flows as of December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively. In January 2017, the FASB issued ASU No. 2017-01, Business Combinations (Topic 805): Clarifying the Definition of a Business. This standard clarifies the definition of a business and provides a screen to determine if a set of inputs, processes and outputs is a business. The standard specifies that when substantially all of the fair value of gross assets acquired (or disposed of) is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or a group of similar identifiable assets, the assets acquired would not be a business. Under the new guidance, in order to be considered a business, an acquisition must include, at a minimum, an input and a substantive process that together significantly contribute to the ability to create output. In addition, the standard narrows the definition of the term "output" so that it is consistent with how it is described in Topic 606. This standard was effective for the Company on January 1, 2018, and the adoption of this guidance did not have any effect on the Company's results of operations and financial position. In February 2017, the FASB issued ASU No. 2017-05, Other Income-Gains and Losses from the Derecognition of Nonfinancial Assets (Subtopic 610-20): Clarifying the Scope of Asset Derecognition Guidance and Accounting for Partial Sales of Nonfinancial Assets. This standard was issued to clarify the scope of Subtopic 610-20, Other Income-Gains and Losses from the Derecognition of Nonfinancial Assets, and to add guidance for partial sales of nonfinancial assets. Subtopic 610-20 provides guidance for recognizing gains and losses from the transfer of nonfinancial assets in contracts with noncustomers. This standard was effective for the Company on January 1, 2018, and the adoption of this guidance did not have any effect on the Company's results of operations and financial position. In May 2017, the FASB issued ASU No. 2017-09, Compensation—Stock Compensation (Topic 718): Scope of Modification Accounting. This standard provides guidance about which changes to the terms or conditions of a share-based payment award require the application of modification accounting. This standard requires companies to continue to apply modification accounting, unless the fair value, vesting conditions and classification of an award all do not change as a result of the modification. This standard was effective for the Company on January 1, 2018, and the adoption of this guidance did not have any effect on the Company's results of operations and financial position. Future Adoption of New Accounting Pronouncements

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-02, Leases (Topic 842) and in July 2018, the FASB issued ASU No. 2018-10, Codification Improvements to Topic 842, Leases and ASU No. 2018-11, Leases (Topic 842): Targeted Improvements (collectively "Topic 842"). Topic 842 introduces a new lessee model that brings substantially all leases on the balance sheet. This standard will require lessees to recognize lease assets and lease liabilities on their balance sheets and disclose key information about leasing arrangements in their financial statements. This standard will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2018, including interim periods within that reporting

period. Based on the Company's analysis of arrangements where the Company is a lessee, we estimate that the new standard will result in the addition of approximately \$42.4 million right-of-use assets and lease liabilities onto the Company's consolidated balance sheet.

In January 2017, the FASB issued ASU No. 2017-04, Intangibles-Goodwill and Other (Topic 350): Simplifying the Test for Goodwill Impairment. This standard will simplify the subsequent measurement of goodwill by eliminating Step 2 from the goodwill impairment test. Current guidance requires that companies compute the implied fair value of goodwill under Step 2 by performing procedures to determine the fair value at the impairment testing date of its assets and liabilities (including unrecognized assets and liabilities) following the procedure that would be required in determining the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed

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in a business combination. This standard will require companies to perform annual or interim goodwill impairment tests by comparing the fair value of a reporting unit with its carrying amount. An entity should recognize an impairment charge for the amount by which the carrying amount exceeds the reporting unit's fair value; however, the loss recognized should not exceed the total amount of goodwill allocated to that reporting unit. This standard will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2019, including interim periods within that reporting period, and will be applied prospectively. Early adoption of this standard is permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact this guidance may have on its consolidated financial statements; however, adoption of this standard as of December 31, 2018 would not have had any impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements. In August 2018, the FASB issued ASU No. 2018-12, Financial Services—Insurance (Topic 944): Targeted Improvements to the Accounting for Long-Duration Contracts. This standard requires at a minimum the annual review of the assumptions used for liability measurement with the impact of any change recorded in net income, standardizes the liability discount rate with the effect of rate changes recorded in other comprehensive income, requires the measurement of market risk benefits at fair value, simplifies the amortization of deferred acquisition costs and requires enhanced disclosures. This standard will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2020, including interim periods within that reporting period. Early adoption of this standard is permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact this guidance may have on its consolidated financial statements. In August 2018, the FASB issued ASU No. 2018-13, Fair Value Measurement (Topic 820): Disclosure Framework—Changes to the Disclosure Requirements for Fair Value Measurement. This standard modifies certain disclosure requirements such as the valuation processes for Level 3 fair value measurements. This standard also requires new disclosures such as the disclosure of certain assumptions used to develop significant unobservable inputs

Framework—Changes to the Disclosure Requirements for Fair Value Measurement. This standard modifies certain disclosure requirements such as the valuation processes for Level 3 fair value measurements. This standard also requires new disclosures such as the disclosure of certain assumptions used to develop significant unobservable inputs for Level 3 fair value measurements. This standard will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2019, including interim periods within that reporting period. Early adoption of either the entire standard or only the provisions that eliminate or modify requirements is permitted. The Company currently does not expect the adoption of this guidance to have an impact on its consolidated financial statements.

In August 2018, the FASB issued ASU No. 2018-15, Intangibles—Goodwill and Other—Internal-Use Software (Subtopic 350-40): Customer's Accounting for Implementation Costs Incurred in a Cloud Computing Arrangement That Is a Service Contract (a consensus of the FASB Emerging Issues Task Force). This standard aligns the requirements for capitalizing implementation costs in a hosting arrangement service contract with the existing guidance for capitalizing implementation costs incurred for an internal-use software license. This standard also requires capitalizing or expensing implementation costs based on the nature of the costs and the project stage during which they are incurred and establishes additional disclosure requirements. This standard will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2019, including interim periods within that reporting period. Early adoption of this standard is permitted. The Company currently plans to adopt the standard prospectively and is currently evaluating the impact this guidance may have on its consolidated financial statements.

# NOTE 3 — CUSTOMER CONCENTRATION

# Ocwen

Ocwen is a residential mortgage loan servicer of mortgage servicing rights ("MSRs") it owns, including those MSRs in which others have an economic interest, and a subservicer of MSRs owned by others.

During the year ended December 31, 2018, Ocwen was our largest customer, accounting for 52% of our total revenue. Ocwen purchases certain mortgage services and technology services from us under the terms of services agreements and amendments thereto (collectively, the "Ocwen Services Agreements") with terms extending through August 2025. Certain of the Ocwen Services Agreements contain a "most favored nation" provision and also grant the parties the right to renegotiate pricing, among other things.

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Revenue from Ocwen primarily consists of revenue earned from the loan portfolios serviced and subserviced by Ocwen when Ocwen engages us as the service provider, and revenue earned directly from Ocwen, pursuant to the Ocwen Services Agreements. For the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, we recognized revenue from Ocwen of \$437.4 million, \$542.0 million and \$561.9 million, respectively. Revenue from Ocwen as a percentage of segment and consolidated revenue was as follows for the years ended December 31:

2018 2017 2016

Mortgage Market 63 % 67 % 65 % Real Estate Market 1 % 1 % — % Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations 9 % 11 % 27 % Consolidated revenue 52 % 58 % 56 %

We earn additional revenue related to the portfolios serviced and subserviced by Ocwen when a party other than Ocwen or the MSR owner selects Altisource as the service provider. For the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, we recognized revenue of \$47.1 million, \$148.5 million and \$188.0 million, respectively, related to the portfolios serviced by Ocwen when a party other than Ocwen or the MSR owner selected Altisource as the service provider. These amounts are not included in deriving revenue from Ocwen as a percentage of revenue in the table above.

As of December 31, 2018, accounts receivable from Ocwen totaled \$15.2 million, \$11.6 million of which was billed and \$3.6 million of which was unbilled. As of December 31, 2017, accounts receivable from Ocwen totaled \$18.9 million, \$13.6 million of which was billed and \$5.3 million of which was unbilled.

As of February 22, 2019, Altisource and Ocwen entered into agreements that, among other things, facilitate Ocwen's transition from REALServicing and related technologies to another mortgage servicing software platform, establish a process for Ocwen to review and approve the assignment of one or more of our agreements to potential buyers of Altisource's business lines, permit Ocwen to use service providers other than Altisource for up to 10% of referrals from certain portfolios (determined on a service-by-service basis), subject to certain restrictions, and affirms Altisource's role as a strategic service provider to Ocwen through August 2025. We do not anticipate that a servicing technology transition would materially impact the other services we provide to Ocwen. For the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, service revenue from REALServicing and related technologies was \$35.1 million, \$37.2 million and \$40.2 million, respectively.

# NRZ

New Residential Investment Corp. (individually, together with one or more of its subsidiaries or one or more of its subsidiaries individually, "NRZ") is a residential investment trust that invests in and manages residential mortgage related assets in the United States including MSRs and excess MSRs.

Ocwen has disclosed that NRZ is its largest client. As of September 30, 2018, NRZ owned MSRs or rights to MSRs relating to approximately 57% of loans serviced and subserviced by Ocwen (measured in unpaid principal balances ("UPB")) (the "Subject MSRs"). In July 2017 and January 2018, Ocwen and NRZ entered into a series of agreements pursuant to which the parties agreed, among other things, to undertake certain actions to facilitate the transfer from Ocwen to NRZ of Ocwen's legal title to the Subject MSRs and under which Ocwen will subservice mortgage loans underlying the Subject MSRs for an initial term of five years.

On August 28, 2017, Altisource, through its licensed subsidiaries, entered into a Cooperative Brokerage Agreement, as amended, and related letter agreement (collectively, the "Brokerage Agreement") with NRZ which extends through August 2025. Under this agreement and related amendments, Altisource remains the exclusive provider of brokerage services for REO associated with the Subject MSRs, irrespective of the subservicer, subject to certain limitations. NRZ's brokerage subsidiary receives a cooperative brokerage commission on the sale of certain REO properties from these portfolios subject to certain exceptions.

The Brokerage Agreement can, at Altisource's discretion, be terminated by Altisource if a services agreement is not signed by Altisource and NRZ. The Brokerage Agreement may otherwise only be terminated upon the occurrence of

certain specified events. Termination events include, but are not limited to, a breach of the terms of the Brokerage Agreement (including, without limitation, the failure to meet performance standards and non-compliance with law in a material respect), the failure to maintain licenses which failure materially prevents performance of the contract, regulatory allegations of non-compliance resulting in an adversarial proceeding against NRZ, voluntary or involuntary bankruptcy, appointment of a receiver, disclosure in a Form 10-K or Form 10-Q that there is significant uncertainty about Altisource's ability to continue as a going concern, failure to maintain a specified level of cash and an unapproved change of control.

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For the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, we recognized revenue from NRZ of \$28.7 million and \$2.4 million, respectively, under the Brokerage Agreement (no comparative amount in 2016). For the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, we recognized additional revenue of \$83.6 million and \$3.9 million, respectively, relating to the Subject MSRs when a party other than NRZ selects Altisource as the service provider (no comparative amount in 2016).

On August 28, 2017, Altisource and NRZ also entered into a non-binding Letter of Intent, as amended, to enter into a services agreement (the "Services LOI"), setting forth the terms pursuant to which Altisource would remain the exclusive service provider of fee-based services for the Subject MSRs, irrespective of the subservicer, through August 2025. The Services LOI expired on December 15, 2018. Altisource is providing services on the Subject MSRs pursuant to its agreements with Ocwen.

# NOTE 4 — SALE OF BUSINESS

In August 2018, Altisource entered into an amendment to its agreements with RESI to sell Altisource's rental property management business to RESI and permit RESI to internalize certain services that had been provided by Altisource. These services were historically provided under an agreement between RESI and Altisource, in which Altisource was the sole provider of rental property management services to RESI through December 2027, subject to certain exceptions. The proceeds from the transaction totaled \$18.0 million, payable in two installments. The first installment of \$15.0 million was received on the closing date of August 8, 2018. The second installment of \$3.0 million will be received on the earlier of a RESI change of control or on August 8, 2023. The second installment was recorded as a long-term receivable with a discounted value of \$2.2 million as of December 31, 2018 in Other Assets in the consolidated balance sheets. In connection with the sale of the rental property management business, the Company recognized a pretax gain of \$13.7 million for the year ended December 31, 2018 in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss).

# NOTE 5 — ACQUISITION

# Granite Acquisition

On July 29, 2016, we acquired certain assets and assumed certain liabilities of Granite Loan Management of Delaware, LLC ("Granite") for \$9.5 million in cash. Granite provides residential and commercial loan disbursement processing, risk mitigation and construction inspection services to lenders. The Granite acquisition is not material in relation to the Company's results of operations or financial position.

The final allocation of the purchase price is as follows: (in thousands)

Accounts receivable, net	\$1,024	4
Prepaid expenses	22	
Other assets	25	
Premises and equipment, net	299	
Non-compete agreements	100	
Trademarks and trade names	100	
Customer relationships	3,400	
Goodwill	4,827	
	9,797	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(57	)
Other current liabilities	(192	)

Purchase price \$9,548 NOTE 6 — INVESTMENT IN EQUITY SECURITIES

During the year ended December 31, 2016, we purchased 4.1 million shares of RESI common stock for \$48.2 million. This investment is reflected in the consolidated balance sheets at fair value of \$36.2 million and \$49.2 million as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively. During the year ended December 31, 2018, we recognized an unrealized loss of \$13.0 million (no comparative amounts in 2017 and 2016) on our investment in RESI in other income (expense), net in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss) as a result of a change in the market value of RESI common shares. During the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, an unrealized gain (loss) on our investment in RESI of \$2.5 million and \$(1.7) million, respectively, net of income tax (provision) benefit, was reflected in other comprehensive income in the consolidated statements

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of operations and comprehensive income (loss) (see Note 2 for additional information on the adoption of the new accounting standard on investments in equity securities). During the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, we earned dividends of \$2.5 million, \$2.5 million and \$2.3 million, respectively, related to this investment. In addition, during the year ended December 31, 2016, we incurred expenses of \$3.4 million related to this investment (no comparative amounts in 2018 and 2017).

Pursuant to the agreement between Altisource and RESI to sell the rental property management business to RESI (see Note 4 for additional information), Altisource is subject to a lock-up period with respect to the sale or transfer of the shares of common stock of RESI owned by Altisource (the "Shares"). During the period between the closing date of the sale and December 31, 2018, Altisource was restricted from selling any of the Shares. During each quarter of 2019, Altisource is permitted to transfer no more than 25% of the Shares (approximately 1.0 million shares as of December 31, 2018), provided that any Shares not sold in the applicable quarter will increase the amount that may be sold in the subsequent quarters by 50% of the unsold permitted amount. Thereafter, all transfer restrictions will expire and any remaining Shares will be freely transferable. Notwithstanding these restrictions, Altisource retains the right to sell or transfer the Shares at any time: (i) where Altisource has a good faith belief that its or its affiliates' liquidity should be increased and the sale is necessary to achieve such an increase; (ii) where the proceeds of sales will be used to finance a strategic acquisition transaction; (iii) in privately negotiated block transactions with unrelated third parties or a similar transaction; or (iv) where RESI is the subject of a tender offer that is reasonably likely to result in a change of control or where RESI undergoes a change of control.

### NOTE 7 — ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE, NET

Accounts receivable, net consists of the following as of December 31:

(in thousands) 2018 2017

Billed	\$35,590	\$40,787
Unbilled	11,759	22,532
	47,349	63,319

Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts (10,883) (10,579)

Total \$36,466 \$52,740

Unbilled accounts receivable consist primarily of certain real estate asset management, REO sales, title and closing services for which we generally recognize revenue when the service is provided but collect upon closing of the sale, and foreclosure trustee services, for which we generally recognize revenues over the service delivery period but bill following completion of the service. We also include amounts in unbilled accounts receivable that are earned during a month and billed in the following month.

Bad debt expense amounted to \$2.8 million, \$5.1 million and \$1.8 million for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively, and is included in selling, general and administrative expenses in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss).

### NOTE 8 — PREPAID EXPENSES AND OTHER CURRENT ASSETS

Prepaid expenses and other current assets consist of the following as of December 31:

(in thousands) 2018 2017

Maintenance agreements, current portion \$5,600 \$8,014 Income taxes receivable 7,940 9,227 Prepaid expenses 7,484 7,898 Other current assets 9,696 10,198

Total \$30,720 \$35,337

NOTE 9 — DISCONTINUATION OF THE BUY-RENOVATE-LEASE-SELL BUSINESS

On November 26, 2018, the Company announced its plans to sell its short-term investments in real estate ("BRS Inventory") and discontinue the Company's Buy-Renovate-Lease-Sell ("BRS") business. Altisource's BRS business is a component of the Real Estate Investor Solutions business and focuses on buying, renovating, leasing and selling single-family homes to real estate investors. The BRS business is not material in relation to the Company's results of operations or financial position. In anticipation

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of receiving the majority of the proceeds from the sale of the BRS Inventory over the fourth quarter of 2018 and the first half of 2019, the Company repaid \$49.9 million of its debt in the fourth quarter of 2018.

2017

2018

# NOTE 10 — PREMISES AND EQUIPMENT, NET

Premises and equipment, net consists of the following as of December 31:

Computer hardware and software	\$182,215	\$179,567
Office equipment and other	7,384	9,388
Furniture and fixtures	13,313	14,092
Leasehold improvements	29,781	33,417
	232,693	236,464
Less: Accumulated depreciation and amortization	(187,062)	(163,191)
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Total \$45,631 \$73,273

Depreciation and amortization expense amounted to \$30.8 million, \$36.4 million and \$36.8 million for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively, and is included in cost of revenue for operating assets and in selling, general and administrative expenses for non-operating assets in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss).

# NOTE 11 — GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS, NET

#### Goodwill

Goodwill was recorded in connection with the 2016 acquisition of Granite, the 2015 acquisitions of CastleLine Holdings, LLC and its subsidiaries, GoldenGator, LLC, REIsmart, LLC and Onit Solutions, LLC, the 2014 acquisition of certain assets and assumption of certain liabilities of Owners Advantage, LLC ("Owners"), the 2013 acquisition of the Homeward Residential, Inc. fee-based business, the 2011 acquisitions of Springhouse, LLC and Tracmail and the 2010 acquisition of MPA. See Note 5 for additional information on the 2016 acquisition (there were no acquisitions in 2018 or 2017). Changes in goodwill during the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 are summarized below:

(in thousands)	Mortgage Market	Real Estate Market	Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations	Total
Balance as of January 1 and December 31, 2017 Disposition Write-off	\$73,259 — —	\$10,056 (2,256 ) (2,640 )	_	\$86,283 (2,256 ) (2,640 )
Balance as of December 31, 2018	\$73,259	\$5,160	\$ 2,968	\$81,387

During 2018, goodwill was reduced by \$2.3 million in connection with the sale of the rental property management business to RESI (see Note 4). Also during 2018, we recorded a \$2.6 million write-off of goodwill attributable to the BRS business, as a result of our decision to discontinue the BRS business in the fourth quarter of 2018 (see Note 9).

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### Intangible Assets, Net

Intangible assets, net consist of the following as of December 31:

	Weighted average	Gross carr	ying amoun	t Accumula	ted amortizati	on Net boo	k value
(in thousands)	estimated useful life (in years)	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017
Definite lived intangible assets:							
Trademarks and trade names	15	\$11,349	\$15,354	\$ (6,244	) \$(8,881	) \$5,105	\$6,473
Customer related intangible assets	10	273,172	277,828	(207,639	) (188,258	) 65,533	89,570
Operating agreement	20	35,000	35,000	(15,632	) (13,865	) 19,368	21,135
Non-compete agreements	4	1,230	1,560	(1,026	) (897	) 204	663
Intellectual property	10	300	300	(145	) (115	) 155	185
Other intangible assets	5	3,745	3,745	(2,457	) (1,706	) 1,288	2,039

Total \$324,796 \$333,787 \$(233,143) \$(213,722) \$91,653 \$120,065

Amortization expense for definite lived intangible assets was \$28.4 million, \$35.4 million and \$47.6 million for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively. Expected annual definite lived intangible asset amortization expense for 2019 through 2023 is \$20.4 million, \$17.7 million, \$11.6 million, \$7.3 million and \$6.3 million, respectively.

### NOTE 12 — OTHER ASSETS

Other assets consist of the following as of December 31:

(in thousands) 2018 2017

Security deposits \$3,972 \$5,304 Restricted cash 5,752 3,837 Other 2,682 1,054

Total \$12,406 \$10,195

NOTE 13 — ACCOUNTS PAYABLE, ACCRUED EXPENSES AND OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES

Accounts payable and accrued expenses consist of the following as of December 31:

(in thousands) 2018 2017

Accounts payable \$27,853 \$15,682 Accrued salaries and benefits 31,356 41,363 Accrued expenses - general 27,866 27,268 Income taxes payable 165 87

Total \$87,240 \$84,400

Other current liabilities consist of the following as of December 31:

(in thousands) 2018 2017

Unfunded cash account balances \$4,932 \$5,900

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Other 2,098 3,514

Total \$7,030 \$9,414

2017

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#### NOTE 14 — LONG-TERM DEBT

Long-term debt consists of the following as of December 31:

2018

Senior secured term loans \$338,822 \$413,581

Less: Debt issuance costs, net (3,855 ) (3,158 )

Less: Unamortized discount, net (3,491 ) (1,142 )

Net long-term debt 331,476 409,281

Less: Current portion (5,945 )

Long-term debt, less current portion \$331,476 \$403,336

On April 3, 2018, Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. and its wholly-owned subsidiary, Altisource S.à r.l. entered into a credit agreement (the "Credit Agreement") with Morgan Stanley Senior Funding, Inc., as administrative agent and collateral agent, and certain lenders. Under the Credit Agreement, Altisource borrowed \$412.0 million in the form of Term B Loans and obtained a \$15.0 million revolving credit facility. The Term B Loans mature in April 2024 and the revolving credit facility matures in April 2023. Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. and certain subsidiaries are guarantors of the term loan and the revolving credit facility (collectively, the "Guarantors").

Proceeds from the Term B Loans were used to repay the Company's prior senior secured term loan, which had an outstanding balance of \$412.1 million as of April 3, 2018. In connection with the refinancing, we recognized a loss of \$4.4 million from the write-off of unamortized debt issuance costs and debt discount in the second quarter of 2018. This loss was included in other income (expense), net in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss).

The Term B Loans must be repaid in consecutive quarterly principal installments with remaining amounts due of \$18.5 million in 2020 and \$12.4 million annually thereafter, with the balance due at maturity. During 2018, the Company used the proceeds received from the sale of the rental property management business to RESI (see Note 4) to repay \$15.0 million of the Term B Loans. In addition, the Company repaid \$49.9 million of the Term B Loans in the fourth quarter of 2018 from proceeds from the sale certain of the BRS Inventory received during December 2018 and in anticipation of receiving additional proceeds during the first half of 2019 (see Note 9). These repayments were applied to contractual amortization payments in the direct order of maturity. All amounts outstanding under the Term B Loans will become due on the earlier of (i) April 3, 2024, and (ii) the date on which the loans are declared to be due and owing by the administrative agent at the request (or with the consent) of the Required Lenders (as defined in the Credit Agreement; other capitalized terms, unless defined herein, are defined in the Credit Agreement) or as otherwise provided in the Credit Agreement upon the occurrence of any event of default.

In addition to the scheduled principal payments, subject to certain exceptions, the Term B Loans are subject to mandatory prepayment upon issuances of debt, casualty and condemnation events and sales of assets, as well as from a percentage of Consolidated Excess Cash Flow if the leverage ratio is greater than 3.00 to 1.00, as calculated in accordance with the provisions of the Credit Agreement (the percentage increases if the leverage ratio exceeds 3.50 to 1.00). Certain mandatory prepayments reduce future contractual amortization payments by an amount equal to the mandatory prepayment. Except as discussed above with respect to the BRS Inventory proceeds repayment, no mandatory prepayments were owed for the year ended December 31, 2018.

Altisource may incur incremental indebtedness under the Credit Agreement from one or more incremental lenders, which may include existing lenders, in an aggregate incremental principal amount not to exceed \$125.0 million, subject to certain conditions set forth in the Credit Agreement, including a sublimit of \$80.0 million with respect to incremental revolving credit commitments. The lenders have no obligation to provide any incremental indebtedness. The Term B Loans bear interest at rates based upon, at our option, the Adjusted Eurodollar Rate or the Base Rate. Adjusted Eurodollar Rate term loans bear interest at a rate per annum equal to the sum of (i) the greater of (x) the Adjusted Eurodollar Rate for a three month interest period and (y) 1.00% plus (ii) 4.00%. Base Rate term loans bear

interest at a rate per annum equal to the sum of (i) the greater of (x) the Base Rate and (y) 2.00% plus (ii) 3.00%. The interest rate at December 31, 2018 was 6.80%.

Loans under the revolving credit facility bear interest at rates based upon, at our option, the Adjusted Eurodollar Rate or the Base Rate. Adjusted Eurodollar Rate revolving loans bear interest at a rate per annum equal to the sum of (i) the Adjusted Eurodollar Rate for a three month interest period plus (ii) 4.00%. Base Rate revolving loans bear interest at a rate per annum equal to the sum of (i) the Base Rate plus (ii) 3.00%. The unused commitment fee is 0.50%. There were no borrowings outstanding under the revolving credit facility as of December 31, 2018.

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The payment of all amounts owing by Altisource under the Credit Agreement is guaranteed by the Guarantors and is secured by a pledge of all equity interests of certain subsidiaries of Altisource, as well as a lien on substantially all of the assets of Altisource S.à r.l. and the Guarantors, subject to certain exceptions.

The Credit Agreement includes covenants that restrict or limit, among other things, our ability, subject to certain exceptions and baskets, to incur indebtedness; incur liens on our assets; sell, transfer or dispose of assets; make Restricted Junior Payments including share repurchases, dividends and repayment of junior indebtedness; make investments; dispose of equity interests of any Material Subsidiaries; engage in a line of business substantially different than existing businesses and businesses reasonably related, complimentary or ancillary thereto; amend material debt agreements or other material contracts; engage in certain transactions with affiliates; enter into sale/leaseback transactions; grant negative pledges or agree to such other restrictions relating to subsidiary dividends and distributions; make changes to our fiscal year; and engage in mergers and consolidations; and to the extent any Revolving Credit Loans are outstanding on the last day of a fiscal quarter, permit the Total Leverage Ratio to be greater than 3.50:1.00 as of the last day of such fiscal quarter, subject to a customary cure provision (the "Revolving Financial Covenant").

The Credit Agreement contains certain events of default including (i) failure to pay principal when due or interest or any other amount owing on any other obligation under the Credit Agreement within five days of becoming due, (ii) material incorrectness of representations and warranties when made, (iii) breach of certain other covenants, subject to cure periods described in the Credit Agreement, (iv) a breach of the Revolving Financial Covenant, subject to a customary cure provision and not an Event of Default with respect to the Term Loans unless and until the Required Revolving Lenders accelerate the Revolving Credit Loans, (v) failure to pay principal or interest on any other debt that equals or exceeds \$40.0 million when due, (vi) default on any other debt that equals or exceeds \$40.0 million that causes, or gives the holder or holders of such debt the ability to cause, an acceleration of such debt, (vii) occurrence of a Change of Control, (viii) bankruptcy and insolvency events, (ix) entry by a court of one or more judgments against us in an amount in excess of \$40.0 million that remain unbonded, undischarged or unstayed for a certain number of days after the entry thereof, (x) the occurrence of certain ERISA events and (xi) the failure of certain Loan Documents to be in full force and effect. If any event of default occurs and is not cured within applicable grace periods set forth in the Credit Agreement or waived, all loans and other obligations could become due and immediately payable and the facility could be terminated.

During 2017, we repurchased portions of our senior secured term loan with an aggregate par value of \$60.1 million at a weighted average discount of 10.7%, recognizing a net gain of \$5.6 million on the early extinguishment of debt. During 2016, we repurchased portions of our senior secured term loan with an aggregate par value of \$51.0 million at a weighted average discount of 13.2%, recognizing a net gain of \$5.5 million on the early extinguishment of debt. There were no similar repurchases in 2018. These net gains are included in other income (expense), net in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss) (see Note 21).

At December 31, 2018, debt issuance costs were \$3.9 million, net of \$0.7 million of accumulated amortization. At December 31, 2017, debt issuance costs were \$3.2 million, net of \$7.1 million of accumulated amortization. Interest expense on the senior secured term loans, including amortization of debt issuance costs and the net debt discount, totaled \$26.3 million, \$22.3 million and \$24.4 million for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

Maturities of our long-term debt are as follows:

(in thousands) Maturities

2019	\$ <i>-</i>
2020	18,492
2021	12,360
2022	12,360
2023	12,360

2024	283.250
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\$338,822

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#### NOTE 15 — OTHER NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES

Other non-current liabilities consist of the following as of December 31:

(in thousands) 2018 2017

Income tax liabilities \$7,069 \$5,955 Deferred revenue 19 2.101 Other non-current liabilities 2,090 4,226

\$9,178 \$12,282 Total

### NOTE 16 — FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following table presents the carrying amount and estimated fair value of financial instruments and certain liabilities measured at fair value as of December 31, 2018 and 2017. The following fair values are estimated using market information and what the Company believes to be appropriate valuation methodologies under GAAP:

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	Decembe	er 31, 201	.8		December	31, 2017			
(in thousands)	Carrying amount	Fair valu	ıe		Carrying amount	Fair value			
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	L
Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$58,294	\$58,294	\$ -	-\$ -	\$105,006	\$105,006	\$ -	-\$ -	—
Restricted cash	5,752	5,752	_	_	3,837	3,837	_		
Investment in equity securities	36,181	36,181	_	_	49,153	49,153	_		
Long-term receivable (Note 4)	2,221	_	_	2,221			_	_	
Liabilities:									
Senior secured term loan	338,822	_	330,351	_	413,581		407,377		

Fair Value Measurements on a Recurring Basis

Cash and cash equivalents and restricted cash are carried at amounts that approximate their fair values due to the highly liquid nature of these instruments and were measured using Level 1 inputs.

Investment in equity securities is carried at fair value and consist of 4.1 million shares of RESI common stock. The investment in equity securities is measured using Level 1 inputs as these securities have quoted prices in active markets.

The fair value of our senior secured term loan is based on quoted market prices. Based on the frequency of trading, we do not believe that there is an active market for our debt. Therefore, the quoted prices are considered Level 2 inputs. In connection with the sale of the rental property management business in August 2018, Altisource will receive \$3.0 million on the earlier of a RESI change of control or on August 8, 2023 (see Note 4 for additional information). We measure long-term receivables without a stated interest rate based on the present value of the future payments. There were no transfers between different levels during the periods presented.

Concentrations of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that subject us to concentrations of credit risk primarily consist of cash and cash equivalents and accounts receivable. Our policy is to deposit our cash and cash equivalents with larger, highly rated financial institutions. The Company derives over 50% of its revenues from Ocwen (see Note 3 for additional information on Ocwen revenues and accounts receivable balance). The Company mitigates its concentrations of credit risk with respect to accounts receivable by actively monitoring past due accounts and the economic status of larger customers, if known.

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# NOTE 17 — SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY AND SHARE-BASED COMPENSATION

#### Common Stock

At December 31, 2018, we had 100 million shares authorized, 25.4 million shares issued and 16.3 million shares of common stock outstanding. At December 31, 2017, we had 100.0 million shares authorized, 25.4 million shares issued and 17.4 million shares of common stock outstanding. The holders of shares of Altisource common stock generally are entitled to one vote for each share on all matters voted on by shareholders, and the holders of such shares generally will possess all voting power.

## Equity Incentive Plan

Our 2009 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan") provides for various types of equity awards, including stock options, stock appreciation rights, stock purchase rights, restricted shares, restricted share units and other awards, or a combination of any of the above. Under the Plan, we may grant up to 6.7 million Altisource share-based awards to officers, directors, employees and to employees of our affiliates. As of December 31, 2018, 1.2 million share-based awards were available for future grant under the Plan. Expired and forfeited awards are available for reissuance.

#### Share Repurchase Program

On May 15, 2018, our shareholders approved the renewal and replacement of the share repurchase program previously approved by the shareholders on May 17, 2017. Under the program, we are authorized to purchase up to 4.3 million shares of our common stock, based on a limit of 25% of the outstanding shares of common stock on the date of approval, at a minimum price of \$1.00 per share and a maximum price of \$500.00 per share, for a period of five years from the date of approval. As of December 31, 2018, approximately 3.4 million shares of common stock remain available for repurchase under the program. We purchased 1.6 million shares of common stock at an average price of \$25.53 per share during the year ended December 31, 2018, 1.6 million shares at an average price of \$23.84 per share during the year ended December 31, 2017 and 1.4 million shares at an average price of \$26.81 per share during the year ended December 31, 2016. Luxembourg law limits share repurchases to the balance of Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. (unconsolidated parent company) retained earnings, less the value of shares repurchased. As of December 31, 2018, we can repurchase up to approximately \$139 million of our common stock under Luxembourg law. Our Credit Agreement also limits the amount we can spend on share repurchases, which was approximately \$489 million as of December 31, 2018, and may prevent repurchases in certain circumstances.

# **Share-Based Compensation**

We issue share-based awards in the form of stock options, restricted shares and restricted share units for certain employees, officers and directors. We recognized share-based compensation expense of \$10.2 million, \$4.3 million and \$6.2 million for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively. As of December 31, 2018, estimated unrecognized compensation costs related to share-based awards amounted to \$11.8 million, which we expect to recognize over a weighted average remaining requisite service period of approximately 1.90 years. In connection with the January 1, 2017 adoption of ASU No. 2016-09 (see Note 2), the Company made an accounting policy election to account for forfeitures in compensation expense as they occur, rather than continuing to apply the Company's previous policy of estimating forfeitures. Prior to this accounting change, share-based compensation expense for stock options and restricted shares was recorded net of estimated forfeiture rates ranging from 0% to 40%. This policy election resulted in a cumulative effect adjustment of \$0.9 million to retained earnings and additional paid-in capital as of January 1, 2017 using the modified retrospective transition method.

## **Stock Options**

Stock option grants are composed of a combination of service-based, market-based and performance-based options. Service-Based Options. These options generally vest over three or four years with equal annual vesting and expire on the earlier of ten years after the date of grant or following termination of service. A total of 500 thousand service-based awards were outstanding as of December 31, 2018.

Market-Based Options. These option grants generally have two components, each of which vests only upon the achievement of certain criteria. The first component, which we refer to as "ordinary performance" grants, generally consists of two-thirds of the market-based grant and begins to vest if the stock price is at least double the exercise

price, as long as the stock price realizes a compounded annual gain of at least 20% over the exercise price. The remaining third of the market-based options, which we refer to as "extraordinary performance" grants, generally begins to vest if the stock price is at least triple the exercise price, as long as the stock price realizes a compounded annual gain of at least 25% over the exercise price. Market-based

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awards vest in three or four year installments with the first installment vesting upon the achievement of the criteria and the remaining installments vesting thereafter in equal annual installments. Market-based options generally expire on the earlier of ten years after the date of grant or following termination of service, unless the performance criteria is met prior to termination of service or in the final three years of the option term, in which case vesting will generally continue in accordance with the provisions of the award agreement. A total of 662 thousand market-based awards were outstanding as of December 31, 2018.

Performance-Based Options. These option grants generally begin to vest upon the achievement of certain specific financial measures. Generally, the awards begin vesting if the performance criteria are achieved; one-fourth vest on each anniversary of the grant date. For certain other financial measures, awards cliff-vest upon the achievement of the specific performance during the period from 2018 through 2021. The award of performance-based options is adjusted based on the level of achievement specified in the award agreements. If the performance criteria achieved is above threshold performance levels, participants have the opportunity to vest in 50% to 200% of the option grants, depending upon performance achieved. If the performance criteria achieved is below a certain threshold, the award is canceled. The options expire on the earlier of ten years after the date of grant or following termination of service. There were 279 thousand performance-based awards outstanding as of December 31, 2018.

The Company granted 277 thousand stock options (at a weighted average exercise price of \$25.15 per share), 244 thousand stock options (at a weighted average exercise price of \$33.28 per share) and 145 thousand stock options (at a weighted average exercise price of \$29.17 per share) during the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

The fair values of the service-based options and performance-based options were determined using the Black-Scholes option pricing model and the fair values of the market-based options were determined using a lattice (binomial) model. The following assumptions were used to determine the fair values as of the grant date:

	2018		2017		2016	
	Black-Scholes	Binomial	Black-Scholes	Binomial	Black-Scholes	Binomial
Risk-free interest rate (%)	2.66 - 3.10	1.64 - 3.22	1.89 - 2.29	0.77 - 2.38	1.25 - 1.89	0.23 - 2.23
Expected stock price volatility (%)	70.31 – 71.86	71.36 – 71.86	61.49 – 71.52	66.68 – 71.52	59.75 – 62.14	59.76 – 62.14
Expected dividend yield					_	
Expected option life (in years)	6.00 - 6.25	2.56 - 4.33	6.00 - 7.50	2.55 – 4.82	6.00 - 6.25	4.06 - 4.88
Fair value	\$16.17 – \$19.68	\$14.67 – \$20.26	\$13.57 – \$24.80	\$11.94 – \$24.30	\$11.15 – \$18.60	\$11.06 - \$19.27

We determined the expected option life of all service-based stock option grants using the simplified method. We use the simplified method because we believe that our historical data does not provide a reasonable basis upon which to estimate expected option life.

The following table summarizes the weighted average grant date fair value of stock options granted per share, the total intrinsic value of stock options exercised and the grant date fair value of stock options that vested during the years ended December 31:

(in thousands, except per share amounts)	2018	2017	2016
Weighted average grant date fair value of stock options granted per share Intrinsic value of stock options exercised Grant date fair value of stock options that vested	,	\$20.44 3,028 2,279	18,209

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The following table summarizes the activity related to our stock options:

	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price	Weighted average contractual term (in years)	Aggregate intrinsic value (in thousands)
Outstanding at December 31, 201	71,745,906	\$ 28.20	4.96	\$ 10,202
Granted	276,876	25.15		
Exercised	(330,537)	11.33		
Forfeited	(251,679)	32.21		
Outstanding at December 31, 201	81,440,566	30.78	5.04	945
Exercisable at December 31, 2018	8 874,304	27.42	3.20	902

In 2018, the Company modified the performance thresholds that are required to be met in order for vesting to occur for 263 thousand stock options granted to 16 employees during the year ended December 31, 2018. The award modification did not change the inputs into the valuation model or the Company's assessment of the probability of vesting as of the effective date of the modifications. Consequently, no incremental compensation expense was required as a result of this modification.

The following table summarizes information about stock options outstanding and exercisable at December 31, 2018:

Ontions outstanding
Ontions exercisable

Options outstanding					Options exercisable			
			Weighted	l		Weighted		
Exercise price range (1)	Number	Weighted average remaining contractual life (in years)	average exercise	Number	Weighted average remaining contractual life (in years)	average exercise		
			price			price		
\$10.01 — \$20.		6.06	\$ 18.79	203,344		\$ 18.79		
\$20.01 — \$30.	0925,563	4.79	24.60	537,607	2.07	23.81		
\$30.01 — \$40.	0032,586	6.20	34.63	54,478	3.54	32.82		
\$60.01 — \$70.	,	3.19	60.73	51,375	3.19	60.74		
\$70.01 — \$80.	0 <b>0</b> 5,000	4.51	72.78	6,250	0.45	72.78		
\$80.01 — \$90.	0 <b>0</b> 5,000	5.60	86.69	6,250	5.60	86.69		
\$90.01 — \$100.00	46,875	5.00	95.64	13,125	4.51	95.59		
\$100.01 — \$110.00	1,875	0.45	105.11	1,875	0.45	105.11		
	1,440,566			874,304				

<sup>(1)</sup> These options contain market-based and performance-based components as described above.

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The following table summarizes the market prices necessary in order for the market-based options to begin to vest:

Market-based options

Vesting price	OrdinaryExtraordinary performance			
\$40.01 — \$50.00	6,400 —			
\$50.01 — \$60.00	60,164 9,323			
\$60.01 — \$70.00	16,648 6,325			
\$70.01 — \$80.00	— 11,500			
\$80.01 — \$90.00	— 19,080			
\$90.01 — \$100.00	— 8,325			
\$140.01 — \$150.00	12,500 —			
\$170.01 — \$180.00	12,500 —			
\$180.01 — \$190.00	7,500 19,625			
Over \$190.00	15,000 23,750			
Total	130,71297,928			

Weighted average share price \$49.46 \$ 47.79

Other Share-Based Awards

The Company's other share-based and similar types of awards are composed of restricted shares and, beginning in 2018, restricted share units. The restricted shares and restricted share units are composed of a combination of service-based awards and performance-based awards.

Service-Based Awards. These awards generally vest over one to four years with (a) vesting in equal annual installments, (b) vesting of all of the restricted shares and restricted share units at the end of the vesting period or (c) vesting beginning after two years of service. A total of 482 thousand service-based awards were outstanding as of December 31, 2018.

Performance-Based Awards. These awards generally begin to vest upon the achievement of certain specific financial measures. Generally, the awards begin vesting if the performance criteria are achieved; one-third vest on each anniversary of the grant date. The number of performance-based restricted shares that may vest will be based on the level of achievement, as specified in the award agreements. If the performance criteria achieved is above threshold performance levels, participants have the opportunity to vest in 80% to 150% of the restricted share award, depending on performance achieved. If the performance criteria achieved is below a certain threshold, the award is canceled. A total of four thousand performance-based awards were outstanding as of December 31, 2018.

The Company granted 376 thousand restricted shares and restricted share units (at a weighted average grant date fair value of \$21.57 per share) during the year ended December 31, 2018.

The following table summarizes the activity related to our restricted shares and restricted share units:

Number of restricted shares and restricted share units

Outstanding at December 31, 2017 356,509

Granted 375,524
Issued (111,565)
Forfeited/canceled (134,662)

### Outstanding at December 31, 2018 485,806

In 2018, the Company modified the vesting condition to remove the requirement that a certain employee be employed by the Company in order for the restricted shares to vest for 31 thousand restricted shares granted in the fourth quarter of 2017 and the first quarter of 2018. The award modification did not change the inputs into the valuation model or the Company's assessment of the probability of vesting as of the effective date of the modifications. Consequently, no incremental compensation expense was required as a result of this modification.

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#### NOTE 18 — REVENUE

We classify revenue in three categories: service revenue, revenue from reimbursable expenses and non-controlling interests. Service revenue consists of amounts attributable to our fee-based services and sales of short-term investments in real estate. Reimbursable expenses and non-controlling interests are pass-through items for which we earn no margin. Reimbursable expenses consist of amounts we incur on behalf of our customers in performing our fee-based services that we pass directly on to our customers without a markup. Non-controlling interests represent the earnings of Lenders One, a consolidated entity that is a mortgage cooperative managed, but not owned, by Altisource. Lenders One is included in revenue and reduced from net income to arrive at net income attributable to Altisource (see Note 2). The components of revenue were as follows for the years ended December 31:

(in thousands)	2018	2017	2016
Service revenue	\$805,480	\$899,561	\$942,599

Reimbursable expenses 30,039 39,912 52,011 Non-controlling interests 2,683 2,693 2,740

Total \$838,202 \$942,213 \$997,303

As discussed in Note 2, the Company adopted Topic 606 effective January 1, 2018 using the cumulative effect method.

Disaggregation of Revenue

Disaggregation of total revenues by segments and major source is as follows:

Disaggregation of total revenues by segments a	ma major s	ource is as for	IOWS:	
	Twelve months ended December 31, 2018			
(in thousands)	Revenue recognized when services are performed or assets are sold	related to technology platforms	Reimbursable expenses revenue	Total revenue
Mortgage Market:				
Servicer Solutions	\$537,161	\$ 73,782	\$ 28,207	\$639,150
Origination Solutions	38,597	8,909	249	47,755
Total Mortgage Market	575,758	82,691	28,456	686,905
Real Estate Market:				
Consumer Real Estate Solutions	8,593		2	8,595
Real Estate Investor Solutions	80,162		1,533	81,695
Total Real Estate Market	88,755	_	1,535	90,290
Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations	55,226	5,733	48	61,007
Total revenue	\$719,739	\$ 88,424	\$ 30,039	\$838,202

**Contract Balances** 

Our contract assets consist of unbilled accounts receivable (see Note 7). Our contract liabilities consist of current deferred revenue as reported on the consolidated balance sheets and non-current deferred revenue (see Note 15). Revenue recognized that was included in the contract liability at the beginning of the period, including amounts added

to the contract liability as part of the cumulative effect of adopting Topic 606, was \$20.6 million for the year ended December 31, 2018.

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(in thousands)

(in thousands)

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#### NOTE 19 — COST OF REVENUE

Cost of revenue principally includes payroll and employee benefits associated with personnel employed in customer service and operations roles, fees paid to external providers related to the provision of services, cost of real estate sold, reimbursable expenses, technology and telecommunications costs as well as depreciation and amortization of operating assets. The components of cost of revenue were as follows for the years ended December 31: (in thousands)

2016

2017

Compensation and benefits	\$200,486	\$240,487	\$264,796
Outside fees and services	278,380	325,459	301,116
Cost of real estate sold	47,659	24,398	1,040
Reimbursable expenses	30,039	39,912	52,011
Technology and telecommunications	41,588	42,340	44,295
Depreciation and amortization	24,013	27,269	26,787

2018

#### \$622,165 \$699,865 \$690,045 Total

2018

2017

NOTE 20 — SELLING, GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES AND OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES Selling, general and administrative expenses include payroll and employee benefits associated with personnel employed in executive, finance, law, compliance, human resources, vendor management, facilities, risk management, sales and marketing roles. This category also includes professional fees, occupancy costs, marketing costs, depreciation and amortization of non-operating assets and other expenses. The components of selling, general and administrative expenses were as follows for the years ended December 31:

2016

Compensation and benefits	\$51,043	\$58,157	\$55,577
Professional services	16,950	13,421	23,284
Occupancy related costs	30,851	36,371	37,370
Amortization of intangible assets	28,412	35,367	47,576
Depreciation and amortization	6,786	9,178	10,001
Marketing costs	14,707	16,171	27,847
Other	26,921	23,977	12,500
Depreciation and amortization Marketing costs	6,786 14,707	9,178 16,171	10,001 27,847

#### Total \$175,670 \$192,642 \$214,155

In addition, on September 8, 2014, the West Palm Beach Firefighters' Pension Fund filed a putative securities class action suit against Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. and certain of its current or former officers and directors in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida. On January 19, 2017, the parties notified the Court of their agreement to settle the action to resolve all claims related to this matter for a payment by the Company of \$32.0 million, \$4.0 million of which was funded by insurance proceeds. The net expense of \$28.0 million was recorded as a litigation settlement loss, net in other operating expenses for the year ended December 31, 2016.

2018

2017 2016

### NOTE 21 — OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE), NET

Other income (expense), net consists of the following for the years ended December 31:

Loss on debt refinancing	\$(4,434)	\$—	\$—
Gain on early extinguishment of debt		5,637	5,464
Expenses related to the purchase of investment in equity securities			(3,356)
Interest income	740	270	91
Other, net	1.824	2.015	1.431

Total \$(1,870) \$7,922 \$3,630

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#### NOTE 22 — INCOME TAXES

The components of income before income taxes and non-controlling interests consist of the following for the years ended December 31:

(in thousands)	2018	2017	2016		
Domestic - Luxembourg	\$(22,513)	\$9,123	3 \$8,498		
Foreign - U.S.	8,398	7,967	16,655		
Foreign - non-U.S.	15,514	18,285	5 19,168		
Total	\$1,399	\$35.3	75 \$44.32	1	
	•	-	•		r the years ended December 31:
(in thousands)	2018		017	2016	·
Current:					
Domestic - Luxembourg	\$27.	5 \$	737	\$160	
Foreign - U.S. federal			,405	9,556	
Foreign - U.S. state	336		64	258	
Foreign - non-U.S.			7,574	5,558	
	\$9,8	889 \$	21,080	\$15,532	
Deferred:	Ψ,,	σ φ	21,000	Ψ13,332	
Domestic - Luxembourg	\$(4,	927) \$	(295,318)	\$432	
Foreign - U.S. federal	(291			(3,065	)
Foreign - U.S. state			-	-	)
Foreign - non-U.S.	(707	`	-	136	,
	\$(5,	791) \$	(297,336)	\$(2,597	)

Income tax provision (benefit) \$4,098 \$(276,256) \$12,935

In June 2010, the Company received a tax ruling regarding the treatment of certain intangibles that existed for determining the Company's taxable income, which was scheduled to expire in 2019 unless extended, renewed or terminated by the Company. On December 27, 2017, two of the Company's wholly-owned subsidiaries, Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Altisource Holdings S.à r.l., merged, with Altisource Holdings S.à r.l. as the surviving entity. Altisource Holdings S.à r.l. was subsequently renamed Altisource S.à r.l. The merger is part of a larger subsidiary restructuring plan designed to simplify the Company's corporate structure, allow it to operate more efficiently and reduce administrative costs. For Luxembourg tax purposes, the merger was recognized at fair value and generated a net operating loss ("NOL") of \$1.3 billion, with a 17 year life, and generated a deferred tax asset of \$342.6 million as of December 31, 2017, before a valuation allowance of \$41.6 million. This deferred tax asset was partially offset by the impact of other changes in U.S. and Luxembourg income tax rates of \$6.3 million and an increase in certain foreign income tax reserves (and related interest) of \$10.5 million for the year ended December 31, 2017. The Company's June 2010 tax ruling was terminated in connection with the merger of the Company's Luxembourg subsidiaries. We operate under tax holidays in certain geographies in India, the Philippines and Uruguay. The India tax holidays are effective through 2020. The Philippines tax holiday has been extended through June 2019. We operate in a Uruguay free trade zone that provides an indefinite future tax benefit. The tax holidays are conditioned upon our meeting certain employment and investment thresholds. The impact of these tax holidays decreased foreign taxes by \$0.7 million (\$0.04 per diluted share), \$0.9 million (\$0.05 per diluted share) and \$0.9 million (\$0.04 per diluted share) for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

The Company accounts for certain income and expense items differently for financial reporting purposes and income tax purposes. We recognize deferred income tax assets and liabilities for these differences between the financial reporting basis and the tax basis of our assets and liabilities as well as expected benefits of utilizing net operating loss and credit carryforwards. We measure deferred income tax assets and liabilities using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which we expect to recover or settle those temporary differences.

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A summary of the tax effects of the temporary differences is as follows for the years ended December 31: (in thousands) 2018 2017

Non-current deferred tax assets:			
Net operating loss carryforwards	\$353,209	\$349,154	4
U.S. federal and state tax credits	314	407	
Other non-U.S. deferred tax assets	6,161	5,724	
Share-based compensation	1,586	1,496	
Accrued expenses	5,242	6,494	
Unrealized losses	3,131		
Non-current deferred tax liabilities:	,		
Intangible assets	(9,855	(8,015	)
Depreciation		(3,318	)
Other non-U.S. deferred tax liability	(1,769	(1,692	)
Other	(954	(260	)
	355,840	349,990	
Valuation allowance	(46,751	(46,283	)

Non-current deferred tax assets, net \$309,089 \$303,707

A valuation allowance is provided when it is deemed more likely than not that some portion or all of a deferred tax asset will not be realized. In determining whether a valuation allowance is needed, the Company considered estimates of future taxable income, future reversals of temporary differences, the tax character of gains and losses and the impact of tax planning strategies that can be implemented, if warranted. The net increase in valuation allowance of \$0.5 million during 2018 is primarily related to the portion of the Luxembourg NOL that we project will not be used prior to expiration.

We have not recognized Luxembourg deferred taxes on cumulative earnings of non-Luxembourg affiliates as we have chosen to indefinitely reinvest these earnings. The earnings reinvested as of December 31, 2018 were approximately \$82.9 million, which if distributed would result in additional tax due totaling approximately \$15.0 million. The Company had a deferred tax asset of \$353.2 million as of December 31, 2018 relating to Luxembourg, U.S. federal, state and foreign net operating losses compared to \$349.2 million as of December 31, 2017. As of December 31, 2018 and 2017, a valuation allowance of \$45.0 million and \$44.4 million, respectively, has been established related to Luxembourg NOLs, and a valuation allowance of \$1.5 million and \$1.7 million, respectively, has been established related to state NOLs. The gross amount of net operating losses available for carryover to future years is approximately \$1,355.5 million as of December 31, 2018 and approximately \$1,339.6 million as of December 31, 2017. These losses are scheduled to expire between the years 2023 and 2038. As of December 31, 2018 and 2017, \$7.4 million and \$8.9 million, respectively, of our NOLs are subject to Section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code which limits the application of these NOLs against federal taxable income to approximately \$1.3 million per year.

On December 22, 2017, the Jobs Act was enacted, which reforms corporate tax legislation in the United States and related laws. One of the provisions of the new tax law reduces the U.S. federal corporate tax rate from 35% to 21%. The Company remeasured certain deferred tax assets and liabilities based on the rates at which they are expected to reverse in the future, which is generally 21%. As of December 31, 2018 and 2017, the amount recorded related to the remeasurement of our deferred tax balance was \$(0.2) million and \$2.9 million, respectively.

In addition, the Company had a deferred tax asset of \$0.3 million and \$0.4 million as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively, relating to the U.S. federal and state tax credits. The U.S. federal credit carryforward was fully utilized in 2018. The state tax credit carryforwards are scheduled to expire with the filing of state income tax returns for the tax

years 2018 through 2028.

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Income tax computed by applying the Luxembourg statutory rate differs from income tax computed at the effective tax rate primarily from differences between the Luxembourg statutory and foreign statutory tax rates applied to entities in different jurisdictions, shown in the tax rate reconciliation table below as tax rate differences on foreign earnings, increases in uncertain tax positions, state taxes, remeasurement of deferred taxes related to tax rate changes, recognition of net operating losses created by the December 27, 2017 legal entity merger (see above), an increase in unrecognized tax benefits and a valuation allowance against deferred tax assets the Company believes it is more likely than not will not be realized.

2016

The following table reconciles the Luxembourg statutory tax rate to our effective tax rate for the years ended December 31: 2017

2010

	2018	2017		2016
Statutory tax rate	26.01 %	27.08	%	29.22 %
Change in valuation allowance	43.08	119.20		(0.08)
State tax expense	28.58	0.50		2.30
Tax credits	_	(2.13	)	(1.81)
Uncertain tax positions	114.18	30.16		(3.65)
Unrecognized tax loss		(1,008.20	)	
Income tax rate change		57.36		
Tax rate differences on foreign earnings	73.11			
Other	7.96	(4.91	)	3.20

Effective tax rate

292.92% (780.94 )% 29.18 %

The Company follows ASC Topic 740 which clarifies the accounting and disclosure for uncertainty in tax positions. We analyzed our tax filing positions in all of the domestic and foreign tax jurisdictions where we are required to file income tax returns as well as for all open tax years subject to audit in these jurisdictions. The Company has open tax years in the United States (2015 through 2017), India (2011 through 2018) and Luxembourg (2012 through 2016). The following table summarizes changes in unrecognized tax benefits during the years ended December 31:

(in thousands) 2017

Amount of unrecognized tax benefits as of the beginning of the year	\$8,892	\$758	
Decreases as a result of tax positions taken in a prior period	(956	(78	)
Increases as a result of tax positions taken in a prior period	1	53	
Increases as a result of tax positions taken in the current period	1,750	8,159	

Amount of unrecognized tax benefits as of the end of the year

\$9,687 \$8,892

The total amount of unrecognized tax benefits including interest and penalties that, if recognized, would affect the effective tax rate is \$13.0 million and \$11.5 million as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively. The Company recognizes interest, if any, related to unrecognized tax benefits as a component of income tax expense. As of December 31, 2018 and 2017, the Company had recorded accrued interest and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits of \$3.3 million and \$2.6 million, respectively.

### NOTE 23 — EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic EPS is computed by dividing income available to common shareholders by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the period. Diluted EPS reflects the assumed conversion of all dilutive securities using the treasury stock method.

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Basic and diluted EPS are calculated as follows for the years ended December 31:				
(in thousands, except per share data)	2018	2017	2016	
Net (loss) income attributable to Altisource	\$(5,382)	\$308,891	\$28,693	
Weighted average common shares outstanding, basic	17,073	18,183	18,696	
Dilutive effect of stock options, restricted shares and		509	916	
restricted share units	_	309	910	
Weighted average common shares outstanding, diluted	17,073	18,692	19,612	
(Loss) earnings per share:				
Basic	\$(0.32)	\$16.99	\$1.53	
Diluted	\$(0.32)	\$16.53	\$1.46	

For the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, 0.3 million options, 0.5 million options and 0.4 million options, respectively, that were anti-dilutive have been excluded from the computation of diluted EPS. These options were anti-dilutive and excluded from the computation of diluted EPS because their exercise price was greater than the average market price of our common stock. Also excluded from the computation of diluted EPS are 0.5 million options and restricted shares, 0.4 million options and 0.4 million options for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively, which begin to vest upon the achievement of certain market criteria related to our common stock price, performance criteria and an annualized rate of return to shareholders that have not yet been met. Furthermore, as a result of the net loss attributable to Altisource for the year ended December 31, 2018, 0.5 million options, restricted shares and restricted share units were excluded from the computation of diluted EPS, as their impact was anti-dilutive.

### NOTE 24 — RESTRUCTURING CHARGES

In August 2018, Altisource initiated Project Catalyst, a restructuring plan intended to optimize our operations and reduce costs to better align our cost structure with our anticipated revenues and improve our operating margins. During the year ended December 31, 2018, we incurred \$11.6 million of severance costs, professional services fees and facility shut-down costs related to the restructuring plan. We expect to incur additional severance costs and professional services fees through 2019 in connection with this restructuring and will expense those costs as incurred. Based on our preliminary analysis, we currently anticipate the future costs relating to the restructuring plan to be in the range of approximately \$25 million to \$35 million.

# NOTE 25 — COMMITMENTS, CONTINGENCIES AND REGULATORY MATTERS

We record a liability for contingencies if an unfavorable outcome is probable and the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated, including expected insurance coverage. For proceedings where the reasonable estimate of loss is a range, we record a best estimate of loss within the range.

### Litigation

We are currently involved in legal actions in the course of our business, some of which seek monetary damages. We do not believe that the outcome of these proceedings, both individually and in the aggregate, will have a material impact on our financial condition, results of operations or cash flows.

#### Regulatory Matters

Periodically, we are subject to audits, examinations and investigations by federal, state and local governmental authorities and receive subpoenas, civil investigative demands or other requests for information from such governmental authorities in connection with their regulatory or investigative authority. We are currently responding to such inquiries from governmental authorities relating to certain aspects of our business. We believe it is premature to predict the potential outcome or to estimate any potential financial impact in connection with these inquiries.

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#### Sales Taxes

On June 21, 2018, the United States Supreme Court rendered a 5-4 majority decision in South Dakota v. Wayfair, Inc., holding that a state may require a remote seller with no physical presence in the state to collect and remit sales tax on goods and services provided to purchasers in the state, overturning existing court precedent. The Company is analyzing its services for potential exposure to sales tax in various jurisdictions in the United States and believes that the Company has a related estimated probable loss of \$6.2 million. As a result, the Company recognized a \$6.2 million loss for the year ended December 31, 2018 in selling, general and administrative expenses in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive income (loss). The Company is in the process of developing and implementing a solution that will enable it to invoice, collect and remit sales tax in the applicable jurisdictions. The Company is also analyzing what rights, if any, it has to seek reimbursement for sales tax payments from clients. As the Company completes its evaluation of potential sales tax exposure, the Company may increase its accrual for sales tax exposure and recognize additional losses, which are not currently estimable. These additional losses could result in a material adjustment to our consolidated financial statements which would impact our financial condition and results of operations.

### Ocwen Related Matters

As discussed in Note 3, during the year ended December 31, 2018, Ocwen was our largest customer, accounting for 52% of our total revenue. Additionally, 6% of our revenue for the year ended December 31, 2018 was earned on the loan portfolios serviced by Ocwen, when a party other than Ocwen or the MSR owner selected Altisource as the service provider.

Ocwen has disclosed that it is subject to a number of ongoing federal and state regulatory examinations, cease and desist orders, consent orders, inquiries, subpoenas, civil investigative demand, requests for information and other actions and is subject to pending legal proceedings, some of which include claims against Ocwen for substantial monetary damages. For example, on May 15, 2017, Ocwen disclosed that on April 20, 2017, the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau and the State of Florida filed separate complaints in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida against Ocwen alleging violations of Federal consumer financial law and, in the case of Florida, Florida statutes. As another example, on May 15, 2017, Ocwen also disclosed that on April 28, 2017, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts filed a lawsuit against Ocwen in the Superior Court for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts alleging violations of state consumer financial laws relating to Ocwen's servicing business, including lender-placed insurance and property preservation fees. Ocwen disclosed that the complaints seek to obtain permanent injunctive relief, consumer redress, refunds, restitution, disgorgement, damages, civil penalties, costs and fees and other relief. The foregoing or other matters could result in, and in some cases, have resulted in, adverse regulatory or other actions against Ocwen. Previous regulatory actions against Ocwen resulted in subjecting Ocwen to independent oversight of its operations and placing certain restrictions on its ability to acquire servicing rights. In addition to the above, Ocwen may become subject to future federal and state regulatory investigations, cease and desist orders, consent orders, inquiries, subpoenas, civil investigative demands, requests for information, other matters or legal proceedings, any of which could also result in adverse regulatory or other actions against Ocwen. Ocwen has disclosed that NRZ is its largest client. As of September 30, 2018, NRZ owned MSRs or rights to MSRs relating to approximately 57% of loans serviced and subserviced by Ocwen (measured in UPB). In July 2017 and January 2018, Ocwen and NRZ entered into a series of agreements pursuant to which the parties agreed, among other things, to undertake certain actions to facilitate the transfer from Ocwen to NRZ of Ocwen's legal title to the Subject MSRs and under which Ocwen will subservice mortgage loans underlying the Subject MSRs for an initial term of five years. NRZ can terminate its sub-servicing agreement with Ocwen in exchange for the payment of a termination fee. The foregoing may have significant adverse effects on Ocwen's business and/or our continuing relationship with Ocwen. For example, Ocwen may be required to alter the way it conducts business, including the parties it contracts with for services (including IT and software services), it may be required to seek changes to its existing pricing structure with us, it may lose its non-government-sponsored enterprise ("GSE") servicing rights or subservicing arrangements or may lose one or more of its state servicing or origination licenses. Additional regulatory actions or

adverse financial developments may impose additional restrictions on or require changes in Ocwen's business that could require it to sell assets or change its business operations. Any or all of these effects could result in our eventual loss of Ocwen as a customer or a reduction in the number and/or volume of services they purchase from us or the loss of other customers.

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### ALTISOURCE PORTFOLIO SOLUTIONS S.A.

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If any of the following events occurred, Altisource's revenue could be significantly lower and our results of operations could be materially adversely affected, including from the possible impairment or write-off of goodwill, intangible assets, property and equipment, other assets and accounts receivable:

Altisource loses Ocwen as a customer or there is a significant reduction in the volume of services they purchase from us

Ocwen loses, sells or transfers a significant portion or all of its remaining non-GSE servicing rights or subservicing arrangements and Altisource fails to be retained as a service provider

Ocwen loses state servicing licenses in states with a significant number of loans in Ocwen's servicing portfolio. The contractual relationship between Ocwen and Altisource changes significantly or there are significant changes to our pricing to Ocwen for services from which we generate material revenue

Altisource otherwise fails to be retained as a service provider

Management cannot predict whether any of these events will occur or the amount of any impact they may have on Altisource. However, in the event one or more of these events materially negatively impact Altisource, we believe the variable nature of our cost structure would allow us to realign our cost structure in line with remaining revenue. Furthermore, in the event of a significant reduction in the volume of services purchased or loan portfolios serviced by Ocwen (such as a transfer of Ocwen's remaining servicing rights to a successor servicer), we believe the impact to Altisource could occur over an extended period of time. During this period, we believe that we will continue to generate revenue from all or a portion of Ocwen's loan portfolios.

Our Servicer Solutions, Origination Solutions and Consumer Real Estate Solutions businesses are focused on diversifying and growing our revenue and customer base and we have a sales and marketing strategy to support these businesses. Management believes our plans, together with current liquidity and cash flows from operations, would be sufficient to meet our working capital, capital expenditures, debt service and other cash needs. However, there can be no assurance that our plans will be successful or our operations will be profitable.

#### Leases

Thereafter

We lease certain premises and equipment under various operating lease agreements. Future minimum lease payments at December 31, 2018 under non-cancelable operating leases with an original term exceeding one year are as follows:

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	Operating
(in thousands)	lease
	obligations
2019	\$ 17,600
2020	14,137
2021	9,849
2022	5,558
2023	3 441

\$ 51,908

1,323

Total operating lease expense, net of sublease income, was \$19.9 million, \$19.0 million and \$17.6 million for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively. Sublease income was \$1.6 million, \$1.3 million and less than \$0.5 million for the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016, respectively. The minimum lease payments in the table above have not been reduced by minimum sublease rentals totaling \$2.8 million expected to be received under non-cancelable subleases. The operating leases generally relate to office locations and reflect customary lease terms which range from less than 1 year to 10 years in duration.

We have executed five standby letters of credit totaling \$3.1 million, related to four office leases and a litigation matter that are secured by restricted cash balances.

**Escrow and Trust Balances** 

We hold customers' assets in escrow and trust accounts at various financial institutions pending completion of certain real estate activities. We also hold cash in trust accounts at various financial institutions where contractual obligations mandate maintaining dedicated bank accounts for our asset recovery management business's collections. These amounts are held in escrow and trust accounts for limited periods of time and are not included in the consolidated balance sheets. Amounts held in escrow and trust accounts were \$23.6 million and \$35.1 million at December 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

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#### NOTE 26 — SEGMENT REPORTING

Our business segments are based upon our organizational structure, which focuses primarily on the services offered, and are consistent with the internal reporting used by our Chief Executive Officer (our chief operating decision maker) to evaluate operating performance and to assess the allocation of our resources.

We report our operations through two reportable segments: Mortgage Market and Real Estate Market. In addition, we report Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations separately. The Mortgage Market segment provides loan servicers and originators with marketplaces, services and technologies that span the mortgage lifecycle. The Real Estate Market segment provides real estate consumers and rental property investors with marketplaces and services that span the real estate lifecycle. In addition, the Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations segment includes businesses that provide post-charge-off consumer debt collection services primarily to debt originators (e.g., credit card, auto lending and retail credit), customer relationship management services primarily to the utility, insurance and hotel industries and IT infrastructure management services. Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations also includes interest expense and costs related to corporate support functions including executive, finance, law, compliance, human resources, vendor management, facilities, risk management, and sales and marketing costs not allocated to the business units as well as eliminations between the reportable segments. Financial information for our segments is as follows:

Ç	For the year ended December 31, 2018							
(in thousands)	Mortgage Market	Real Estate Market	Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations	Consolidated Altisource				
Revenue	\$686,905	\$90,290	\$61,007	\$ 838,202				
Cost of revenue	447,108	102,893	72,164	622,165				
Gross profit (loss)	239,797	(12,603)	(11,157)	216,037				
Operating expenses (income):								
Selling, general and administrative expenses	85,013	21,561	69,096	175,670				
Gain on sale of business		(13,688)		(13,688 )				
Restructuring charges	2,495	113	8,952	11,560				
Income (loss) from operations	152,289	(20,589)	(89,205)	42,495				
Total other income (expense), net	81	77	(41,254)	(41,096 )				
Income (loss) before income taxes and non-controlling interests	\$152,370 \$(20,512) \$(130,459) \$1,399 For the year ended December 31, 2017 Other							
(in thousands)	Mortgage Market	Real Estate Market	Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations	Consolidated Altisource				
Revenue	\$793,684	\$89,787	\$ 58,742	\$ 942,213				
Cost of revenue	545,507	96,967	57,391	699,865				
Gross profit (loss)	248,177	(7,180)	1,351	242,348				
Selling, general and administrative expenses	114,215	18,718	59,709	192,642				
Income (loss) from operations	133,962	(25,898)	(58,358)	49,706				
Total other income (expense), net	72	(4)	(14,399 )	(14,331)				

Income (loss) before income taxes and non-controlling interests \$134,034 \$(25,902) \$ (72,757 ) \$35,375

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	For the year ended December 31, 2016									
(in thousands)	Mortgage Market	Real Estate Market	Other Businesses, Corporate and Eliminations	Consolidated Altisource						
Revenue	\$827,324	\$86,590	\$83,389	\$ 997,303						
Cost of revenue	546,540	64,566	78,939	690,045						
Gross profit	280,784	22,024	4,450	307,258						
Selling, general and administrative expenses	121,508	23,291	69,356	214,155						
Litigation settlement loss, net of \$4,000 insurance recovery			28,000	28,000						
Income (loss) from operations	159,276	(1,267)	(92,906)	65,103						
Total other income (expense), net	154	(5)	(20,931)	(20,782)						
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Income (loss) before income taxes and non-controlling interests \$159,430 \$(1,272) \$(113,837) \$44,321

Other

(in thousands)

Mortgage Market

Market

Real Businesses, Consolidated Altisource

Market and
Eliminations

Total assets:

December 31, 2018 \$236,138 \$66,772 \$438,790 \$741,700 December 31, 2017 304,346 64,624 496,194 865,164

Our services are primarily provided to customers located in the United States. Premises and equipment, net consist of the following, by country, as of December 31:

(in thousands) 2018 2017

 United States
 \$25,693
 \$46,268

 India
 3,154
 8,136

 Luxembourg
 14,975
 16,688

 Philippines
 1,754
 2,038

 Uruguay
 55
 143

Total \$45,631 \$73,273

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### NOTE 27 — QUARTERLY FINANCIAL DATA (UNAUDITED)

The following tables contain selected unaudited statement of operations information for each quarter of 2018 and 2017. The following information reflects all normal recurring adjustments necessary for a fair presentation of the information for the periods presented. The operating results for any quarter are not necessarily indicative of results for any future period. Our business is affected by seasonality.

and the second s		2018 quarter ended (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)(7)							
(in thousands, except per share data)		March 31,		Jı	June 30,		ptember ,	December 31,	
Revenue Gross profit (Loss) income before income taxes and non-controlling interests Net (loss) income		50,244 (4,972 ) (3,607 )		5; 3, 2,	•		,995 ,129 521	\$217,63 53,448 (12,829 (10,868	)
Net (loss) income attributable to Altisource		(4,	132	1,	,568	8,6	667	(11,485	)
(Loss) earnings per share: Basic Diluted					0.09 0.09		).51 ).49	\$(0.69 \$(0.69	)
Weighted average shares outstanding: Basic Diluted	2017	17	,378 ,378 ter ende	1′	7,142 7,553		,033 ,575	16,745 16,745	
(in thousands, except per share data)	March 31,	_	June 30			ber	Decemb	per	
Revenue Gross profit Income before income taxes and non-controlling interests Net income Net income attributable to Altisource	\$240,4 62,530 9,746 7,160 6,545	)	\$250,6 65,292 12,160 9,722 9,035		\$234,9 60,081 10,357 7,766 6,961	79	\$216,06 54,445 3,112 286,983 286,350	3	
Earnings per share: Basic Diluted	\$0.35 \$0.34		\$0.49 \$0.48		\$0.39 \$0.38		\$16.16 \$15.72		
Weighted average shares outstanding: Basic Diluted	18,662 19,304		18,335 18,836		18,023 18,429		17,724 18,211		

The sum of quarterly amounts, including per share amounts, may not equal amounts reported for year-to-date

<sup>(1)</sup> periods. This is due to the effects of rounding and changes in the number of weighted average shares outstanding for each period.

<sup>(2)</sup> Effective January 1, 2018, the Company adopted Accounting Standards Update No. 2016-01, Financial Instruments - Overall (Subtopic 825-10): Recognition and Measurement of Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities, which requires certain equity investments to be measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognized in net income. Previously, changes in the fair value of the Company's available for sale securities were

included in comprehensive income. During the three months ended March 31, 2018, June 30, 2018, September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2018, we recognized unrealized (losses) gains from our investment in RESI common shares of \$(7.5) million, \$1.5 million, \$1.8 million and \$(8.8) million, respectively. See Note 6. In April 2018, Altisource entered into the Credit Agreement, pursuant to which, among other things, Altisource borrowed \$412.0 million in the form of Term B Loans. Proceeds from the Term B Loans were used to repay the

(3) Company's prior senior secured term loan. In connection with the refinancing, we recognized a loss of \$4.4 million from the write-off of the unamortized debt issuance costs and debt discount in the second quarter of 2018. See

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- In August 2018, we sold our rental property management business to RESI for total transaction proceeds of \$18.0 million, \$15.0 million of which was received on the closing date of August 8, 2018 and \$3.0 million of which will be received on the earlier of a RESI change of control or August 8, 2023. We recognized a \$13.7 million pretax gain on the sale of this business during the third quarter of 2018. See Note 4.
  - In August 2018, we initiated Project Catalyst, a restructuring plan intended to optimize our operations and reduce costs to align our cost structure with our anticipated revenues and improve our operating margins. During the three
- (5) months ended September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2018, we incurred \$3.4 million and \$8.1 million, respectively, of severance costs, facility shut-down costs and professional services fees related to the restructuring plan. See Note 24.
- In connection with a United States Supreme Court decision in June 2018, the Company is analyzing its services for potential exposure to sales tax in various jurisdictions in the United States and believes that the Company has a related estimated probable loss of \$6.2 million. The Company recognized \$5.9 million and \$0.4 million during the three months ended September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2018, respectively. See Note 25.
  - In November 2018, the Company announced its plans to sell its BRS Inventory and discontinue the Company's
- (7) BRS business. The Company recorded a write-off of goodwill related to its plan to discontinue the BRS business of \$2.6 million during the three months ended December 31, 2018. See Notes 9 and 11.

  During the three months ended December, 31, 2017, the Company recognized net tax benefits of \$284.1 million.
  - On December 27, 2017, two of the Company's wholly-owned subsidiaries, Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Altisource Holdings S.à r.l., merged, with Altisource Holdings S.à r.l. as the surviving entity. For Luxembourg tax
- (8) purposes, the merger was recognized at fair value and generated an NOL of \$1.3 billion and a deferred tax asset, net of valuation allowance, of \$300.9 million. This deferred tax benefit was partially offset by \$6.3 million of income tax from changes in U.S. and Luxembourg income tax rates and a \$10.5 million increase in certain foreign income tax reserves (and related interest). See Note 22.

# ITEM CHANGES IN AND DISAGREEMENTS WITH ACCOUNTANTS ON ACCOUNTING AND 9. FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

None.

#### ITEM 9A. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

Our disclosure controls and procedures are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by us in the reports that we file or submit under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms. Disclosure controls and procedures include, without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by us in reports we file or submit under the Exchange Act is accumulated and communicated to our management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

As of December 31, 2018, an evaluation was conducted under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, of the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 13a-15(e) and Rule 15d-15(e) of the Exchange Act). Based on this evaluation, such officers have concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of December 31, 2018.

Management's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

Management is responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting, as defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) of the Exchange Act. Management has assessed the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of December 31, 2018 based on criteria established in Internal Control-Integrated Framework (2013) issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission. As a result of this assessment, management concluded that, as of December 31, 2018, our internal control over financial reporting was effective in providing reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Mayer Hoffman McCann P.C. has independently assessed the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting and its report is included herein.

Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting

There were no changes in our internal control over financial reporting (as defined in the Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) that occurred during the quarter ended December 31, 2018, that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

Limitations on Controls

Our disclosure controls and procedures and internal control over financial reporting are designed to provide reasonable assurance of achieving their objectives as specified above. Management does not expect, however, that our disclosure controls and procedures or our internal control over financial reporting will prevent or detect all error and fraud. Any control system, no matter how well designed and operated, is based upon certain assumptions and can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance that its objectives will be met. Further, no evaluation of controls can provide absolute assurance that misstatements due to error or fraud will not occur or that all control issues and instances of fraud, if any, within the Company have been detected.

ITEM 9B. OTHER INFORMATION

None.

#### **PART III**

#### ITEM 10. DIRECTORS, EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The information required by this item is incorporated herein by reference to our definitive proxy statement in connection with our 2019 annual meeting of shareholders to be filed pursuant to Regulation 14A under the Exchange Act.

# ITEM 11. EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

The information required by this item is incorporated herein by reference to our definitive proxy statement in connection with our 2019 annual meeting of shareholders to be filed pursuant to Regulation 14A under the Exchange Act.

#### ITEM SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT AND

#### 12. RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS

The information required by this item is incorporated herein by reference to our definitive proxy statement in connection with our 2019 annual meeting of shareholders to be filed pursuant to Regulation 14A under the Exchange Act.

ITEM 13. CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS, AND DIRECTOR INDEPENDENCE The information required by this item is incorporated herein by reference to our definitive proxy statement in connection with our 2019 annual meeting of shareholders to be filed pursuant to Regulation 14A under the Exchange Act.

#### ITEM 14. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING FEES AND SERVICES

The information required by this item is incorporated herein by reference to our definitive proxy statement in connection with our 2019 annual meeting of shareholders to be filed pursuant to Regulation 14A under the Exchange Act.

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ITEM 15. I	EXHIBITS, FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES  The following documents are filed as part of this annual report.
1.	Financial Statements
	See Item 8 above.
2.	Financial Statement Schedules:
	Schedule II - Valuation and Qualifying Accounts - included below.
3.	Exhibits:
Exhibit Number	Exhibit Description
2.1	Form of Separation Agreement between Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. and Ocwen Financial  Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 of the Registrant's Form 10-12B/A — Amendment No.  1 to Form 10 as filed with the Commission on June 29, 2009)
2.2	Separation Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Residential Corporation and Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
2.3	Separation Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Asset Management Corporation and Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
2.4	Purchase and Sale Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and among Altisource Portfolio Solutions, Inc., Altisource Solutions S.à r.l., Ocwen Financial Corporation, Homeward Residential, Inc. and Power Valuation Services, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)
2.5	Purchase and Sale Agreement, dated as of August 19, 2013, by and among Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A., Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and the Equity Interestholders of Equator, LLC (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 21, 2013)
3.1	Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Company's Form 10-Q filed on August 9, 2017)
	Separation Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2009, by and between Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A.

and Ocwen Financial Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Registrant's Current

Report on Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 13, 2009)

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	Tax Matters Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2009, by and between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Ocwen Financial Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 13, 2009)
10.3	Transition Services Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2009, by and between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Ocwen Financial Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 13, 2009)
10.4	Employee Matters Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2009, by and between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Ocwen Financial Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 of the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 13, 2009)
<u>10.5</u>	Technology Products Services Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2009, by and between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Ocwen Financial Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 of the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 13, 2009)
<u>10.6</u>	Services Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2009, by and between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Ocwen Financial Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.6 of the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 13, 2009)
<u>10.7</u>	Data Center and Disaster Recovery Services Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2009, by and between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Ocwen Financial Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.7 of the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 13, 2009)
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- Intellectual Property Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2009, by and between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and
  Ocwen Financial Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.8 of the Registrant's Current Report on
  Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 13, 2009)
- Employment Contract between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and William B. Shepro (incorporated by reference 10.9 † from Exhibit 10.9 to Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form 10 of Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. as filed with the Commission on June 29, 2009)
- Employment Contract between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Kevin J. Wilcox (incorporated by reference 10.10 † from Exhibit 10.11 to Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form 10 of Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. as filed with the Commission on June 29, 2009)
- Purchase and Sale Agreement, dated as of February 12, 2010, by and among Altisource Portfolio Solutions

  S.A., and the Equity Interest Holders of The Mortgage Partnership of America, L.L.C. and the Management

  Owners (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.12 of the Company's 10-K as filed with the Commission on March 17, 2010)
- 10.12 † Form of Put Option Agreements (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.13 of the Company's 10-K as filed with the Commission on March 17, 2010)
- 10.13 †Form of Non-qualified Stock Option Agreement, pursuant to the 2009 Equity Incentive Plan (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.14 of the Company's 10-K as filed with the Commission on February 18, 2011)
- First Amendment to the Transition Services Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2011, by and between Ocwen

  10.14 Financial Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the

  Company's Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on August 16, 2011)
- Employment Agreement dated March 13, 2012 between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Michelle D. Esterman 10.15 †(incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K as filed with the Commission on March 16, 2012)
- Support Services Agreement, dated as of August 10, 2012, by and between Ocwen Mortgage Servicing, Inc.

  10.16 and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 16, 2012)
- First Amendment to the Employment Contract dated as of August 15, 2012 between Altisource Solutions S.à 10.17 †r.l. and William B. Shepro (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 20, 2012)
- First Amendment to the Employment Contract dated as of August 15, 2012 between Altisource Solutions S.à 10.18 †r.l. and Kevin J. Wilcox (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 20, 2012)
- Services Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2012, by and between Ocwen Mortgage Servicing, Inc. and
  10.19 Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on October 5, 2012)

- Technology Products Services Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2012, by and between Ocwen Mortgage

  10.20 Servicing, Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's
  Form 8-K filed on October 5, 2012)
- Data Center and Disaster Recovery Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2012, by and between Ocwen Mortgage

  10.21 Servicing, Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Company's
  Form 8-K filed on October 5, 2012)
- Intellectual Property Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2012, by and between Ocwen Mortgage Servicing,

  10.22 Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on October 5, 2012)
- First Amendment to Support Services Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2012, by and between Ocwen

  10.23 Mortgage Servicing, Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 of the
  Company's Form 8-K filed on October 5, 2012)
- First Amendment to Services Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2012, by and between Ocwen Financial

  10.24 Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.6 of the Company's Form

  8-K filed on October 5, 2012)
- First Amendment to Technology Products and Services Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2012, by and

  between Ocwen Financial Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit

  10.7 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on October 5, 2012)

10.26	between Ocwen Financial Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.8 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on October 5, 2012)
<u>10.27</u>	First Amendment to Intellectual Property Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2012, by and between Ocwen Financial Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.9 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on October 5, 2012)
10.28	Support Services Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Residential Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
<u>10.29</u>	Support Services Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Asset Management Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
10.30	Tax Matters Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Residential Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
<u>10.31</u>	Tax Matters Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Asset Management Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
10.32 **	Master Services Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Residential Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
10.33	<u>Trademark License Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Residential Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.6 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)</u>
<u>10.34</u>	Trademark License Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2012, between Altisource Asset Management Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.7 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
<u>10.35</u>	Technology Products Services Agreement, between Altisource Asset Management Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.8 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on December 28, 2012)
<u>10.36</u>	Second Amendment to Services Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and between Ocwen Financial Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)
10.37	Second Amendment to Technology Products Services Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and between Ocwen Financial Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)

10.38	Second Amendment to Data Center and Disaster Recovery Services Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and between Ocwen Financial Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)
10.39	Second Amendment to Intellectual Property Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and between Ocwen Financial Corporation and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)
<u>10.40</u>	First Amendment to Services Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and between Ocwen Mortgage Servicing, Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)
<u>10.41</u>	First Amendment to Technology Products Services Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and between Ocwen Mortgage Servicing, Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.6 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)
<u>10.42</u>	First Amendment to Data Center and Disaster Recovery Services Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and between Ocwen Mortgage Servicing, Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.7 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)
10.43	First Amendment to Intellectual Property Agreement, dated as of March 29, 2013, by and between Ocwen Mortgage Servicing, Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.8 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2013)
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<u>10.44</u>	Agreement, dated as of April 12, 2013, by and among Altisource Solutions S.à r.l., Ocwen Financial Corporation and Ocwen Mortgage Servicing, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 18, 2013)
<u>10.45</u>	Amendment No. 1 to Credit Agreement, dated as of May 7, 2013, among Altisource Solutions S.à r.l., as borrower, Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A., Bank of America, N.A., as administrative agent and incremental term lender and the other lenders party thereto (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on May 13, 2013)
<u>10.46</u> †	Form of Cash Retention Award Agreement (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 21, 2015)
<u>10.47</u> †	Form of Restricted Stock Award Agreement (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 21, 2015)
<u>10.48</u> †	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on July 23, 2015)
<u>10.49</u> †	Employment Agreement dated April 30, 2013 between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Vivek Bhandari (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.60 of the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 15, 2016)
<u>10.50</u> †	Employment Agreement dated June 17, 2011 between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Joseph A. Davila (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.61 of the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 15, 2016)
<u>10.51</u> †	Amended and Restated Employment Agreement effective as of October 1, 2014 between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Gregory J. Ritts (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.63 of the Company's Form 10-K filed on March 15, 2016)
<u>10.52</u> †	Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement between the Company and Gregory J. Ritts dated as of August 29, 2016 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 27, 2016)
<u>10.53</u> †	Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement between the Company and Vivek Bhandari dated as of August 29, 2016 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 27, 2016)
<u>10.54</u> †	Form of Director Restricted Share Award Agreement (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 24, 2016)
<u>10.55</u>	Amendment and Waiver Agreement dated September 30, 2016 between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Altisource Residential Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on October 3, 2016)
<u>10.56</u> †	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement (2017 Performance-Based Stock Options) (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 13, 2017)

10.57 †	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement (Service Revenue Stock Options) (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 13, 2017)
10.58 †	Form of Restricted Stock Award Agreement (2017 Performance-Based Restricted Shares) (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 13, 2017)
<u>10.59</u> †	Form of Restricted Stock Award Agreement (Service-Based Restricted Shares) (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 13, 2017)
<u>10.60</u> †	Employment Agreement dated August 3, 2017 between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Indroneel Chatterjee (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 26, 2017)
<u>10.61</u> †	Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement between the Company and Indroneel Chatterjee dated as of October 5, 2017 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.6 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 26, 2017)
<u>10.62</u> †	Restricted Stock Award Agreement between the Company and Indroneel Chatterjee dated as of October 5, 2017 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.7 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 26, 2017)
10.63 **	Cooperative Brokerage Agreement, dated as of August 28, 2017, between REALHome Services and Solutions, Inc., REALHome Services and Solutions - CT, Inc. and New Residential Sales Corp. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.8 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 26, 2017)
<u>10.64</u> **	Letter Agreement, dated as of August 28, 2017, between New Residential Investment Corp., New Residential Mortgage LLC, REALHome Services and Solutions, Inc., REALHome Services and Solutions CT, Inc. and Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.9 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 26, 2017)
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<u>10.65</u> **	First Amendment to the Cooperative Brokerage Agreement, dated as of November 16, 2017, between REALHome Services and Solutions, Inc., REALHome Services and Solutions - CT, Inc. and New Residential Sales Corp. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.71 of the Company's Form 10-K filed on February 22, 2018)
<u>10.66</u> **	Second Amendment to the Cooperative Brokerage Agreement, dated as of January 18, 2018, between REALHome Services and Solutions, Inc., REALHome Services and Solutions - CT, Inc. and New Residential Sales Corp. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.72 of the Company's Form 10-K filed on February 22, 2018)
<u>10.67</u>	Third Amendment to the Cooperative Brokerage Agreement, dated as of March 23, 2018, between REALHome Services and Solutions, Inc., REALHome Services and Solutions - CT, Inc. and New Residential Sales Corp. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on April 26, 2018)
<u>10.68</u> †	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement (2018 Performance-Based Stock Options) (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on April 26, 2018)
<u>10.69</u> †	Form of Restricted Share Unit Award Agreement (2018 Service-Based Restricted Share Units) (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on April 26, 2018)
<u>10.70</u>	Credit Agreement, dated April 3, 2018 among Altisource S.à r.l. and Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A., Morgan Stanley Senior Funding, Inc., as Administrative Agent and Collateral Agent, and the Lenders party thereto (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on April 4, 2018)
<u>10.71</u> †	Form of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement (2018 Performance-Based Stock Options) (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on July 26, 2018)
<u>10.72</u>	Amendment No. 1 to Credit Agreement dated as of June 27, 2018 among Altisource S.à r.l. and Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A., Morgan Stanley Senior Funding, Inc., as Administrative Agent and Collateral Agent, and the Lenders party thereto (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on July 26, 2018)
<u>10.73</u> †	Mutual Consent to Termination of Employment Agreement and Full Release dated as of August 31, 2018 between Altisource S.à r.l. and Indroneel Chatterjee (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 25, 2018)
<u>10.74</u> †	Employment Agreement dated as of September 1, 2018 between Altisource Solutions, Inc. and Indroneel Chatterjee (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 25, 2018)
<u>10.75</u>	Omnibus Amendment to Master Services Agreement, Waiver Agreement, Services Letter and Fee Letter, dated August 8, 2018 among Altisource S.à r.l. and Front Yard Residential Corporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Form 8-K filed on August 9, 2018)
<u>10.76</u>	Fourth Amendment to the Cooperative Brokerage Agreement, dated as of September 11, 2018, between REALHome Services and Solutions, Inc., REALHome Services and Solutions - CT, Inc. and New

	Residential Sales Corp. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 25, 2018)
<u>10.77</u> †	Settlement Agreement and Full Release dated as of October 16, 2018 between Altisource S.à r.l. and Joseph A. Davila (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 of the Company's Form 10-Q filed on October 25, 2018)
10.78 *†	Second Amended and Restated Employment Contract dated as of November 6, 2018 between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l. and Gregory J. Ritts
<u>10.79</u> *†	Employment Agreement effective as of August 1, 2017 between Altisource Solutions S.à r.l and Marcello Mastioni
<u>10.80</u> *†	Non-Qualified Stock Option Award Agreement between the Company and Marcello Mastioni dated as of August 1, 2017
10.81 *†	Restricted Share Award Agreement between the Company and Marcello Mastioni dated as of August 1, 2017
10.82 *†	Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A. Amended and Restated 2009 Equity Incentive Plan, dated as of November 12, 2018
21.1 *	Subsidiaries of the Registrant.
23.1 *	Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm (Mayer Hoffman McCann P.C.).
<u>31.1</u> *	Section 302 Certification of the Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 13a-14(a).
<u>31.2</u> *	Section 302 Certification of the Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 13a-14(a).

Certification of the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the

<u>32.1</u> \*

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Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

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Pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T, the following financial information from the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2018 is formatted in XBRL interactive data files: (i)
Consolidated Balance Sheets at December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017; (ii) Consolidated Statements of
Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) for each of the years in the three-year period ended December 31, 2018; (iii) Consolidated Statements of Equity for each of the years in the three-year period ended December 31, 2018 (iv) Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows for each of the years in the three-year period ended December 31, 2018; (v) Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements; and (vi) Financial Statement Schedule.

*	Filed herewith
**	Portions of this exhibit have been redacted pursuant to a request for confidential treatment. The non-public information has been filed separately with the Securities and Exchange Commission.
†	Denotes management contract or compensatory arrangement
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### SCHEDULE II. VALUATION AND QUALIFYING ACCOUNTS

For the years ended December 31, 2018, 2017 and 2016:

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(in thousands)	Beginning		Note c
	of Period	Expenses Note (1)	Period

#### Deductions from asset accounts:

Allowance for doubtful accounts:

Year 2018	\$ 10,579	\$2,830	\$ (7)	\$2,519	\$10,883
Year 2017	10,424	5,116	(3,107)	1,854	10,579
Year 2016	18,456	1,829	250	10,111	10,424

#### Valuation allowance for deferred tax assets:

Year 2018	\$ 46,283	\$468 \$ —	\$	\$46,751
Year 2017	3,467	42,816 —	_	46,283
Year 2016	3,558	228 —	319	3,467

<sup>(1)</sup> For allowance for doubtful accounts, primarily includes amounts previously written off which were credited directly to this account when recovered.

<sup>(2)</sup> For allowance for doubtful accounts, amounts written off as uncollectible or transferred to other accounts or utilized.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: February 26, 2019

Altisource Portfolio Solutions S.A.

By:/s/ William B. Shepro Name: William B. Shepro

Title: Director and Chief Executive Officer

(Principal Executive Officer)

By:/s/ Michelle D. Esterman Name: Michelle D. Esterman Title: Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ Timo Vättö Timo Vättö	Chairman of the Board of Directors	February 26, 2019
/s/ William B. Shepro William B. Shepro	Director and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)	February 26, 2019
/s/ Scott E. Burg Scott E. Burg	Director	February 26, 2019
/s/ W. Michael Linn W. Michael Linn	Director	February 26, 2019
/s/ Joseph L. Morettini Joseph L. Morettini	Director	February 26, 2019
/s/ Roland Müller-Ineichen Roland Müller-Ineichen	Director	February 26, 2019
/s/ Michelle D. Esterman Michelle D. Esterman	Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer and Principal Accounting Officer)	February 26, 2019