

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
SITING COUNCIL**

APPLICATION TO THE CONNECTICUT	:	DOCKET NO. 370A
LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY FOR	:	
CERTIFICATES OF ENVIRONMENTAL	:	
COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED	:	
FOR THE CONNECTICUT PORTION	:	
OF THE GREATER SPRINGFIELD	:	
RELIABILITY PROJECT AND FOR THE	:	
MANCHESTER TO MEEKVILLE	:	
JUNCTION CIRCUIT SEPARATION	:	
PROJECT	:	

APPLICATION OF NRG ENERGY, INC.	:	DOCKET NO. 370B
PURSUANT TO CONN. GEN. STAT. §16-	:	
501(a)(3) FOR CONSIDERATION OF A	:	
530 MW COMBINED CYCLE GENERATING	:	
PLANT IN MERIDEN, CONNECTICUT	:	MAY 27, 2009

**STATEMENT OF RICHARD BLUMENTHAL, ATTORNEY
GENERAL FOR THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT, REGARDING
THE PARTICIPATION OF PHILIP T. ASHTON**

On May 12, 2009, the Connecticut Siting Council (“Council”) issued a notice in which it asked participants in the above-captioned proceedings whether they had any objection to Philip T. Ashton’s full participation in this consolidated docket as a member of the Council. Richard Blumenthal, Attorney General for the State of Connecticut, has no objection to Mr. Ashton’s full participation.

Respectfully submitted,

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Service is hereby certified
to all parties and intervenors
listed on this agency's service
list for this consolidated
proceeding.

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