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Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

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X QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO  
SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF  
1934

For the Quarterly Period Ended March 31,  
2010

OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO  
SECTION 13  
OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES  
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

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| File Number | Registrant, State of<br>Incorporation or Organization,<br>Address of Principal<br>Executive Offices, Telephone<br>Number, and IRS Employer<br>Identification No. | File Number | Registrant, State of<br>Incorporation or<br>Organization,<br>Address of Principal<br>Executive Offices,<br>Telephone<br>Number, and IRS<br>Employer Identification<br>No. |
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Indicate by check mark whether the registrants (1) have 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) have been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether Entergy Corporation has submitted electronically and posted on Entergy's corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy Resources have submitted electronically and posted on Entergy's corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrants were required to submit and post such files). Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

|                                          | Large<br>accelerated<br>filer       | Accelerated<br>filer | Non-<br>accelerated<br>filer        | Smaller<br>reporting<br>company |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Entergy Corporation                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                      |                                     |                                 |
| Entergy Arkansas,<br>Inc.                |                                     |                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                                 |
| Entergy Gulf States<br>Louisiana, L.L.C. |                                     |                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                                 |
| Entergy Louisiana,<br>LLC                |                                     |                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                                 |
| Entergy Mississippi,<br>Inc.             |                                     |                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                                 |
| Entergy New<br>Orleans, Inc.             |                                     |                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                                 |
| Entergy Texas, Inc.                      |                                     |                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                                 |
| System Energy<br>Resources, Inc.         |                                     |                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |                                 |

Indicate by check mark whether the registrants are shell companies (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes  No

|                                           |                                  |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Common Stock<br>Outstanding               | Outstanding at<br>April 30, 2010 |
| Entergy (\$0.01 par value)<br>Corporation | 189,303,044                      |

Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Inc., Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, L.L.C., Entergy Louisiana, LLC, Entergy Mississippi, Inc., Entergy New Orleans, Inc., Entergy Texas, Inc., and System Energy Resources, Inc. separately file this combined Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. Information contained herein relating to any individual company is filed by such company on its own behalf. Each company reports herein only as to itself and makes no other representations whatsoever as to any other company. This combined Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q supplements and updates the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the calendar year ended December 31, 2009, filed by the individual registrants with the SEC, and should be read in conjunction therewith.

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## FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION

In this combined report and from time to time, Entergy Corporation and the Registrant Subsidiaries each makes statements as a registrant concerning its expectations, beliefs, plans, objectives, goals, strategies, and future events or performance. Such statements are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Words such as "may," "will," "could," "project," "believe," "anticipate," "intend," "expect," "estimate," "continue," "potential," "plan," "predict," "forecast," and other similar words or expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements but are not the only means to identify these statements. Although each of these registrants believes that these forward-looking statements and the underlying assumptions are reasonable, it cannot provide assurance that they will prove correct. Any forward-looking statement is based on information current as of the date of this combined report and speaks only as of the date on which such statement is made. Except to the extent required by the federal securities laws, these registrants undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.

Forward-looking statements involve a number of risks and uncertainties. There are factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied in the forward-looking statements, including those factors discussed or incorporated by reference in (a) Item 1A. Risk Factors in the Form 10-K, (b) Management's Financial

Discussion and Analysis in the Form 10-K and in this report, and (c) the following factors (in addition to others described elsewhere in this combined report and in subsequent securities filings):

- resolution of pending and future rate cases and negotiations, including various performance-based rate discussions, and other regulatory proceedings, including those related to Entergy's System Agreement, Entergy's utility supply plan, recovery of storm costs, and recovery of fuel and purchased power costs
- changes in utility regulation, including the beginning or end of retail and wholesale competition, the ability to recover net utility assets and other potential stranded costs, the operations of the independent coordinator of transmission for Entergy's utility service territory, and the application of more stringent transmission reliability requirements or market power criteria by the FERC
- changes in regulation of nuclear generating facilities and nuclear materials and fuel, including possible shutdown of nuclear generating facilities, particularly those owned or operated by the Non-Utility Nuclear business
- resolution of pending or future applications for license renewals or modifications of nuclear generating facilities
- the performance of and deliverability of power from Entergy's generation resources, including the capacity factors at its nuclear generating facilities
- Entergy's ability to develop and execute on a point of view regarding future prices of electricity, natural gas, and other energy-related commodities
- prices for power generated by Entergy's merchant generating facilities, the ability to hedge, sell power forward or otherwise reduce the market price risk associated with those facilities, including the Non-Utility Nuclear plants, and the prices and availability of fuel and power Entergy must purchase for its Utility customers, and Entergy's ability to meet credit support requirements for fuel and power supply contracts
  - volatility and changes in markets for electricity, natural gas, uranium, and other energy-related commodities
- changes in law resulting from federal or state energy legislation or legislation subjecting energy derivatives used in hedging and risk management transactions to governmental regulation
- changes in environmental, tax, and other laws, including requirements for reduced emissions of sulfur, nitrogen, carbon, mercury, and other substances, and changes in costs of compliance with environmental and other laws and regulations
- uncertainty regarding the establishment of interim or permanent sites for spent nuclear fuel and nuclear waste storage and disposal
- variations in weather and the occurrence of hurricanes and other storms and disasters, including uncertainties associated with efforts to remediate the effects of hurricanes and ice storms (including most recently, Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike in 2008 and the January 2009 ice storm in Arkansas) and recovery of costs associated with restoration, including accessing funded storm reserves, federal and local cost recovery mechanisms, securitization, and insurance

#### FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION (Concluded)

- effects of climate change
  - Entergy's ability to manage its capital projects and operation and maintenance costs
  - Entergy's ability to purchase and sell assets at attractive prices and on other attractive terms
- the economic climate, and particularly economic conditions in Entergy's Utility service territory and the Northeast United States
  - the effects of Entergy's strategies to reduce tax payments
- changes in the financial markets, particularly those affecting the availability of capital and Entergy's ability to refinance existing debt, execute share repurchase programs, and fund investments and acquisitions
- actions of rating agencies, including changes in the ratings of debt and preferred stock, changes in general corporate ratings, and changes in the rating agencies' ratings criteria
  - changes in inflation and interest rates
  - the effect of litigation and government investigations or proceedings

- advances in technology
  - the potential effects of threatened or actual terrorism and war
- Entergy's ability to attract and retain talented management and directors
  - changes in accounting standards and corporate governance
- declines in the market prices of marketable securities and resulting funding requirements for Entergy's defined benefit pension and other postretirement benefit plans
- changes in decommissioning trust fund values or earnings or in the timing of or cost to decommission nuclear plant sites
- the ability to successfully complete merger, acquisition, or divestiture plans, regulatory or other limitations imposed as a result of merger, acquisition, or divestiture, and the success of the business following a merger, acquisition, or divestiture
- risks and uncertainties associated with unwinding the business infrastructure associated with the contemplated Non-Utility Nuclear spin-off, joint venture, and related transactions.

## DEFINITIONS

Certain abbreviations or acronyms used in the text and notes are defined below:

| Abbreviation or Acronym       | Term                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| AEEC                          | Arkansas Electric Energy Consumers                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| AFUDC                         | Allowance for Funds Used During Construction                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| ALJ                           | Administrative Law Judge                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| ANO 1 and 2                   | Units 1 and 2 of Arkansas Nuclear One Steam Electric Generating Station (nuclear), owned by Entergy Arkansas                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| APSC                          | Arkansas Public Service Commission                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| ASC                           | FASB Accounting Standards Codification                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| ASU                           | FASB Accounting Standards Update                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Board                         | Board of Directors of Entergy Corporation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| capacity factor               | Actual plant output divided by maximum potential plant output for the period                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| City Council or Council       | Council of the City of New Orleans, Louisiana                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Entergy                       | Entergy Corporation and its direct and indirect subsidiaries                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Entergy Corporation           | Entergy Corporation, a Delaware corporation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Entergy Gulf States, Inc.     | Predecessor company for financial reporting purposes to Entergy Gulf States Louisiana that included the assets and business operations of both Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Texas                                                                                                 |
| Entergy Gulf States Louisiana | Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, L.L.C., a company created in connection with the jurisdictional separation of Entergy Gulf States, Inc. and the successor company to Entergy Gulf States, Inc. for financial reporting purposes. The term is also used to refer to the Louisiana jurisdictional |



business of Entergy Gulf States, Inc., as the context requires.

|               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Entergy Texas | Entergy Texas, Inc., a company created in connection with the jurisdictional separation of Entergy Gulf States, Inc. The term is also used to refer to the Texas jurisdictional business of Entergy Gulf States, Inc., as the context requires. |
| EPA           | United States Environmental Protection Agency                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| ERCOT         | Electric Reliability Council of Texas                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| FASB          | Financial Accounting Standards Board                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| FERC          | Federal Energy Regulatory Commission                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Form 10-K     | Annual Report on Form 10-K for the calendar year ended December 31, 2009 filed with the SEC by Entergy Corporation and its Registrant Subsidiaries                                                                                              |
| Grand Gulf    | Unit No. 1 of Grand Gulf Steam Electric Generating Station (nuclear), 90% owned or leased by System Energy                                                                                                                                      |
| GWh           | Gigawatt-hour(s), which equals one million kilowatt-hours                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Independence  | Independence Steam Electric Station (coal), owned 16% by Entergy Arkansas, 25% by Entergy Mississippi, and 7% by Entergy Power                                                                                                                  |
| IRS           | Internal Revenue Service                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| ISO           | Independent System Operator                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| kW            | Kilowatt, which equals one thousand watts                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| kWh           | Kilowatt-hour(s)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| LPSC          | Louisiana Public Service Commission                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| MMBtu         | One million British Thermal Units                                                                                                                                                                                                               |

## DEFINITIONS (Continued)

| Abbreviation or Acronym    | Term                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| MPSC                       | Mississippi Public Service Commission                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| MW                         | Megawatt(s), which equals one thousand kilowatts                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| MWh                        | Megawatt-hour(s)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Net MW in operation        | Installed capacity owned or operated                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Non-Utility Nuclear        | Entergy's business segment that owns and operates six nuclear power plants and sells electric power produced by those plants to wholesale customers                                                                                                                 |
| NRC                        | Nuclear Regulatory Commission                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| NYPA                       | New York Power Authority                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| PPA                        | Purchased power agreement                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| PUCT                       | Public Utility Commission of Texas                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| PUHCA 1935                 | Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as amended                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| PUHCA 2005                 | Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005, which repealed PUHCA 1935, among other things                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Registered Subsidiaries    | Entergy Arkansas, Inc., Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, L.L.C., Entergy Louisiana, LLC, Entergy Mississippi, Inc., Entergy New Orleans, Inc., Entergy Texas, Inc., and System Energy Resources, Inc.                                                                 |
| River Bend                 | River Bend Steam Electric Generating Station (nuclear), owned by Entergy Gulf States Louisiana                                                                                                                                                                      |
| RTO                        | Regional transmission organization                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| SEC                        | Securities and Exchange Commission                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| System Agreement           | Agreement, effective January 1, 1983, as modified, among the Utility operating companies relating to the sharing of generating capacity and other power resources                                                                                                   |
| System Energy              | System Energy Resources, Inc.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| TWh                        | Terawatt-hour(s), which equals one billion kilowatt-hours                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Unit Power Sales Agreement | Agreement, dated as of June 10, 1982, as amended and approved by FERC, among Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, and System Energy, relating to the sale of capacity and energy from System Energy's share of Grand Gulf |
| Utility                    | Entergy's business segment that generates, transmits, distributes, and sells electric power, with a small amount of natural gas distribution                                                                                                                        |

|                             |                                                                                                                                 |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Utility operating companies | Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, and Entergy Texas |
| Waterford 3                 | Unit No. 3 (nuclear) of the Waterford Steam Electric Generating Station, 100% owned or leased by Entergy Louisiana              |
| weather-adjusted usage      | Electric usage excluding the effects of deviations from normal weather                                                          |

ENTERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Entergy operates primarily through two business segments: Utility and Non-Utility Nuclear.

- Utility generates, transmits, distributes, and sells electric power in service territories in four states that include portions of Arkansas, Mississippi, Texas, and Louisiana, including the City of New Orleans; and operates a small natural gas distribution business.
- Non-Utility Nuclear owns and operates six nuclear power plants located in the northern United States and sells the electric power produced by those plants primarily to wholesale customers. This business also provides services to other nuclear power plant owners.

In addition to its two primary, reportable, operating segments, Entergy also operates the non-nuclear wholesale assets business. The non-nuclear wholesale assets business sells to wholesale customers the electric power produced by power plants that it owns while it focuses on improving performance and exploring sales or restructuring opportunities for its power plants. Such opportunities are evaluated consistent with Entergy's market-based point-of-view.

Plan to Pursue Separation of Non-Utility Nuclear

See the Form 10-K for a discussion of the Board-approved plan to pursue a tax-free spin-off of the Non-Utility Nuclear business to Entergy shareholders. On March 2, 2010, Entergy proposed conditions for review by the New York Public Service Commission (NYPSC), including an incremental \$500 million reduction in Enexus's long-term debt, restrictions on Enexus's ability to make dividend payments and returns of capital to shareholders until certain conditions are met, and the potential for disbursements to New York's energy efficiency funds if power prices exceed certain levels. At its hearing held on March 4, 2010, the NYPSC discussed Entergy's petition and proposed conditions and, after that meeting, issued a notice soliciting comments "on a set of conditions that could potentially be developed" regarding Entergy's planned spin-off transaction. At its hearing held on March 25, 2010, the NYPSC voted 5-0 to reject Entergy's planned spin-off transaction.

On April 5, 2010, Entergy announced that, effective immediately, it plans to unwind the business infrastructure associated with the proposed separate Non-Utility Nuclear generation (Enexus) and nuclear services (EquaGen) companies while it evaluates and works to preserve its legal rights. Entergy also announced that its next quarterly dividend on its common shares would be \$0.83 per share, an increase from the previous \$0.75 per share, and that it expected to execute on the \$750 million share repurchase program authorized by the Board in the fourth quarter 2009. The amount of repurchases may vary as a result of material changes in business results or capital spending or new investment opportunities. As a result of the plan to unwind the business infrastructure, Entergy recorded expenses in the first quarter 2010 for the write-off of certain capitalized costs incurred in connection with the planned spin-off transaction. These costs are discussed in more detail throughout the "Results of Operations" section below. Entergy expects that it will incur approximately \$50 million in additional expenses in unwinding this business through the remainder of 2010, including additional write-offs, dis-synergies, and certain other costs.

Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries  
Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis

Results of Operations

Income Statement Variances

Following are income statement variances for Utility, Non-Utility Nuclear, Parent & Other, and Entergy comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009 showing how much the line item increased or (decreased) in comparison to the prior period:

|                                                                                                                            | Utility        | Non-Utility<br>Nuclear | Parent &<br>Other (1) | Entergy   |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
|                                                                                                                            | (In Thousands) |                        |                       |           |
| 1st Qtr 2009<br>Consolidated Net<br>Income                                                                                 | \$115,968      | \$180,882              | (\$56,517)            | \$240,333 |
| Net revenue<br>(operating revenue<br>less fuel<br>expense, purchased<br>power, and other<br>regulatory<br>charges/credits) | 93,040         | (48,127)               | 3,772                 | 48,685    |
| Other operation and<br>maintenance<br>expenses                                                                             | 12,852         | 46,704                 | (1,769)               | 57,787    |
| Taxes other than<br>income taxes                                                                                           | 3,427          | (2,137)                | (275)                 | 1,015     |
| Depreciation and<br>amortization                                                                                           | 7,188          | 4,051                  | 113                   | 11,352    |
| Other income                                                                                                               | (7,202)        | 32,764                 | 1,123                 | 26,685    |
| Interest charges                                                                                                           | 15,970         | 33,098                 | (15,316)              | 33,752    |
| Other expenses                                                                                                             | 2,892          | 5,449                  | 3                     | 8,344     |
| Income taxes                                                                                                               | 16,506         | (15,872)               | (15,995)              | (15,361)  |
| 1st Qtr 2010<br>Consolidated Net<br>Income                                                                                 | \$142,971      | \$94,226               | (\$18,383)            | \$218,814 |

(1)Parent & Other includes eliminations, which are primarily intersegment activity.

Refer to "ENTERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES - SELECTED OPERATING RESULTS" for further information with respect to operating statistics.

Net Revenue

Utility

Following is an analysis of the change in net revenue comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009.

|                       | Amount<br>(In<br>Millions) |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 2009 net revenue      | \$1,037                    |
| Volume/weather        | 65                         |
| Retail electric price | 23                         |
| Net gas revenue       | 11                         |
| Other                 | (6)                        |
| 2010 net revenue      | \$1,130                    |

Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries  
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The volume/weather variance is primarily due to an increase of 2,654 GWh, or 12%, in billed electricity usage in all sectors, including the effect of significantly colder-than-normal weather on the residential sector.

The retail electric price variance is primarily due to increases in the formula rate plan riders at Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana effective November 2009 and at Entergy Mississippi effective July 2009. The retail electric price increase was partially offset by the recovery in 2009 by Entergy Arkansas of 2008 extraordinary storm costs as approved by the APSC and a base rate decrease at Entergy New Orleans effective June 2009.

The net gas revenue variance is primarily due to the effect of significantly colder-than-normal weather on residential sales.

#### Non-Utility Nuclear

Following is an analysis of the change in net revenue comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009.

|                        | Amount<br>(In<br>Millions) |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| 2009 net revenue       | \$603                      |
| Realized price changes | (53)                       |
| Volume                 | 10                         |
| Other                  | (5)                        |
| 2010 net revenue       | \$555                      |

As shown in the table above, net revenue for Non-Utility Nuclear decreased by \$48 million, or 8%, in the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to lower pricing in its contracts to sell power, partially offset by slightly higher volume resulting from fewer refueling outage days. Included in net revenue is \$12 million and \$13 million of amortization of the Palisades purchased power agreement in the first quarters 2010 and 2009, respectively, which is non-cash revenue and is discussed in Note 15 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K. Following are key performance measures for Non-Utility Nuclear for the first quarter 2010 and 2009:

|                                 | 2010    | 2009    |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Net MW in operation at March 31 | 4,998   | 4,998   |
| Average realized price per MWh  | \$58.72 | \$63.84 |
| GWh billed                      | 10,255  | 10,074  |
| Capacity factor                 | 94%     | 92%     |

|                |    |    |
|----------------|----|----|
| Refueling      |    |    |
| Outage Days:   |    |    |
| Indian Point 2 | 22 | -  |
| Indian Point 3 | -  | 21 |
| Palisades      | -  | 9  |

Realized Price per MWh

See the Form 10-K for a discussion of Non-Utility Nuclear's realized price per MWh, including the factors that influence it and the increase in the annual average realized price per MWh from \$39.40 for 2003 to \$61.07 for 2009. Non-Utility Nuclear is likely to experience a decrease in realized price per MWh in 2010, however, because as shown in the contracted sale of energy table in "Market and Credit Risk Sensitive Instruments," Non-Utility Nuclear has sold forward 91% of its planned energy output for the remainder of 2010 for an average contracted energy price of \$57 per MWh.



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Other Income Statement Items

Utility

Other operation and maintenance expenses increased from \$422 million for the three months ended March 31, 2009 to \$435 million for the three months ended March 31, 2010 primarily due to an increase of \$16 million in payroll-related and benefits costs and nuclear insurance premium refunds of \$8 million received in 2009, partially offset by a decrease of \$6 million due to 2008 storm costs at Entergy Arkansas which were deferred per an APSC order and were recovered through revenues in 2009 and a decrease of \$5 million in customer write-offs.

Depreciation and amortization expenses increased primarily due to an increase in plant in service.

Other income decreased primarily due to carrying charges on storm restoration costs recorded in the first quarter 2009 and a decrease in allowance for equity funds used during construction due to higher construction work in progress in 2009 primarily as a result of Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike. The decrease was partially offset by higher earnings on decommissioning trust funds.

Interest charges increased primarily due to an increase in long-term debt outstanding resulting from debt issuances by certain of the Utility operating companies in 2009.

Non-Utility Nuclear

Other operation and maintenance expenses increased from \$200 million for the three months ended March 31, 2009 to \$247 million for the three months ended March 31, 2010 primarily due to the write-off of \$32 million of capital costs, primarily for software that will not be utilized, in connection with Entergy's decision to unwind the infrastructure created for the planned Non-Utility Nuclear spin-off transaction. Also contributing to the increase were tritium remediation work at the Vermont Yankee site, higher pension and benefits expense, and higher insurance expense.

Other income increased primarily due to \$16 million in charges in 2009 resulting from the recognition of impairments that are not considered temporary of certain equity securities held in Non-Utility Nuclear's decommissioning trust funds, increases in realized earnings on the decommissioning trust funds, and interest income from loans to Entergy subsidiaries.

Interest charges increased primarily due to the write-off of \$37 million of debt financing costs, primarily incurred for Enexus's \$1.2 billion credit facility, in connection with Entergy's decision to unwind the infrastructure created for the planned Non-Utility Nuclear spin-off transaction.

Parent & Other

Interest charges decreased primarily due to lower borrowings, including the redemption of \$267 million of notes payable in December 2009, as well as lower interest rates on borrowings under Entergy Corporation's revolving credit facility.

Income Taxes

The effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2010 was 40.3%. The difference in the effective income tax rate versus the statutory rate of 35% for the first quarter 2010 is primarily due to a charge of \$16 million resulting from a change in tax law associated with the recently enacted federal healthcare legislation, as discussed below in "Critical Accounting Estimates". Also contributing to the increased effective rate were state income taxes and certain book and tax differences for utility plant items. These factors were partially offset by a \$19 million tax benefit recorded in connection with Entergy's decision to unwind the infrastructure created for the planned Non-Utility Nuclear spin-off transaction resulting from implementation expenses that previously were not deductible for tax purposes. Also offsetting the increased effective rate are book and tax differences related to storm cost financing and allowance for equity funds used during construction.

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The effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2009 was 40.4%. The difference in the effective income tax rate versus the statutory rate of 35% for the first quarter 2009 is primarily due to state income taxes and certain book and tax differences for utility plant items, partially offset by book and tax differences related to storm cost financing and allowance for equity funds used during construction.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Liquidity and Capital Resources" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of Entergy's capital structure, capital expenditure plans and other uses of capital, and sources of capital. Following are updates to that discussion.

### Capital Structure

Entergy's capitalization is balanced between equity and debt, as shown in the following table.

|                                                                                                                           | March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Net debt to net capital,<br>excluding the Texas<br>securitization<br>bonds, which are<br>non-recourse to Entergy<br>Texas | 51.3%                | 51.5%                   |
| Effect of excluding the<br>securitization bonds                                                                           | 2.1%                 | 2.1%                    |
| Net debt to net capital                                                                                                   | 53.4%                | 53.6%                   |
| Effect of subtracting cash<br>from debt                                                                                   | 3.6%                 | 3.8%                    |
| Debt to capital                                                                                                           | 57.0%                | 57.4%                   |

Net debt consists of debt less cash and cash equivalents. Debt consists of notes payable, capital lease obligations, and long-term debt, including the currently maturing portion. Capital consists of debt, common shareholders' equity, and subsidiaries' preferred stock without sinking fund. Net capital consists of capital less cash and cash equivalents. Entergy uses the net debt to net capital ratio in analyzing its financial condition and believes it provides useful information to its investors and creditors in evaluating Entergy's financial condition.

As discussed in the Form 10-K, Entergy Corporation has in place a \$3.5 billion credit facility that expires in August 2012. Entergy Corporation has the ability to issue letters of credit against the total borrowing capacity of the facility. As of March 31, 2010, amounts outstanding under the credit facility are:

| Capacity      | Borrowings | Letters<br>of<br>Credit | Capacity<br>Available |
|---------------|------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| (In Millions) |            |                         |                       |

|         |         |      |       |
|---------|---------|------|-------|
| \$3,500 | \$2,615 | \$25 | \$860 |
|---------|---------|------|-------|

Entergy Corporation's credit facility requires it to maintain a consolidated debt ratio of 65% or less of its total capitalization. The calculation of this debt ratio under Entergy Corporation's credit facility and in the indenture governing the Entergy Corporation senior notes is different than the calculation of the debt to capital ratio above. Entergy is currently in compliance with this covenant. If Entergy fails to meet this ratio, or if Entergy Corporation or one of the Utility operating companies (except Entergy New Orleans) defaults on other indebtedness or is in bankruptcy or insolvency proceedings, an acceleration of the facility's maturity date may occur, and there may be an acceleration of amounts due under Entergy Corporation's senior notes.

See Note 4 to the financial statements herein for additional discussion of the Entergy Corporation credit facility and discussion of the Registrant Subsidiaries' credit facilities.

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Capital Expenditure Plans and Other Uses of Capital

See the table and discussion in the Form 10-K under "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Liquidity and Capital Resources - Capital Expenditure Plans and Other Uses of Capital," that sets forth the amounts of planned construction and other capital investments by operating segment for 2010 through 2012. See Part II, Item 5 in this report for an update regarding Entergy Arkansas's White Bluff project. Following are additional updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K.

Acadia Unit 2 Purchase Agreement

As discussed more fully in the Form 10-K, in October 2009, Entergy Louisiana announced that it has signed an agreement to acquire Unit 2 of the Acadia Energy Center, a 580 MW generating unit located near Eunice, La., from Acadia Power Partners, LLC, an independent power producer. Entergy Louisiana's purchase is contingent upon, among other things, obtaining necessary approvals, including full cost recovery, from various federal and state regulatory and permitting agencies. Currently the closing is expected to occur in the first quarter 2011. Entergy Louisiana and Acadia Power Partners also have entered into a purchase power agreement for 100 percent of the output of Acadia Unit 2 that is expected to commence after receipt of all required regulatory approvals and is set to expire at the closing of the acquisition transaction. Entergy Louisiana has filed with the LPSC for approval of the transaction, and the LPSC has approved the purchase power agreement. The parties have agreed to a procedural schedule for the acquisition that would lead to LPSC consideration of the matter at its January 2011 meeting and includes a hearing before the ALJ in September 2010.

Dividends and Stock Repurchases

In the fourth quarter 2009 the Board granted authority for a \$750 million share repurchase program. As discussed above, at the same time that it announced its plans to unwind the business infrastructure associated with the proposed spin-off of the Non-Utility Nuclear business, Entergy also announced in April 2010 that it expected to execute on the \$750 million share repurchase program and also that its next quarterly dividend on its common shares would be \$0.83 per share, an increase from the previous \$0.75 per share. The amount of repurchases may vary as a result of material changes in business results or capital spending or new investment opportunities.

Sources of Capital

See Note 4 to the financial statements for discussion of long-term debt issuances by Entergy Louisiana and Entergy Mississippi in 2010.

Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike

As discussed in the Form 10-K, in September 2008, Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike caused catastrophic damage to Entergy's service territory. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana filed their Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike storm cost recovery case with the LPSC in May 2009. In September 2009, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana and the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation (LURC), an instrumentality of the State of Louisiana, filed with the LPSC an application requesting that the LPSC grant financing orders authorizing the financing of Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's storm costs, storm reserves, and issuance costs pursuant to Act 55 of the Louisiana Regular Session of 2007 (Act 55 financings). Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita storm costs were financed primarily by Act

55 financings, as discussed in the Form 10-K. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana also filed an application requesting LPSC approval for ancillary issues including the mechanism to flow charges and Act 55 financing savings to customers via a Storm Cost Offset rider. On December 30, 2009, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana entered into a stipulation agreement with the LPSC Staff that provides for total recoverable costs of approximately \$234 million for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and \$394 million for Entergy Louisiana. Under this stipulation, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana agrees not to recover \$4.4 million and Entergy Louisiana agrees not to

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recover \$7.2 million of their storm restoration spending. The stipulation also permits replenishing Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's storm reserve in the amount of \$90 million and Entergy Louisiana's storm reserve in the amount of \$200 million when the Act 55 financings are accomplished. In March and April 2010, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and other parties to the proceeding filed with the LPSC an uncontested stipulated settlement that includes these terms and also includes Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's proposals under the Act 55 financings, which includes a commitment to pass on to customers a minimum of \$15.5 million and \$27.75 million of customer benefits, respectively, through prospective annual rate reductions of \$3.1 million and \$5.55 million for five years. A stipulation hearing was held before the ALJ on April 13, 2010. On April 21, 2010, the LPSC approved the settlement and subsequently issued two financing orders and one ratemaking order intended to facilitate the implementation of the Act 55 financings. Louisiana State Bond Commission approval is now required before Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana proceed with the Act 55 financings.

### Cash Flow Activity

As shown in Entergy's Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, cash flows for the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009 were as follows:

|                                                  | 2010          | 2009    |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------|
|                                                  | (In Millions) |         |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | \$1,710       | \$1,920 |
| Cash flow provided by (used in):                 |               |         |
| Operating activities                             | 674           | 375     |
| Investing activities                             | (515)         | (646)   |
| Financing activities                             | (212)         | 154     |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents        | (53)          | (117)   |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period       | \$1,657       | \$1,803 |

### Operating Activities

Entergy's cash flow provided by operating activities increased by \$299 million for the three months ended March 31, 2010 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2009, primarily due to the absence of the Hurricane Gustav, Hurricane Ike, and Arkansas ice storm restoration spending that occurred in 2009. In addition, an increase in Utility net revenue also contributed to the increase. These increases were partially offset by decreased collection of fuel costs and an \$87.8 million fuel cost refund made by Entergy Texas in the first quarter 2010 that is discussed further in Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K. Operating cash flow provided by the Non-Utility Nuclear business was relatively unchanged, with its decline in net revenue offset by various, individually insignificant, factors.

### Investing Activities

Net cash used in investing activities decreased by \$131 million for the three months ended March 31, 2010 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2009, primarily due to a decrease in nuclear fuel purchases and an increase in collateral deposits received from Non-Utility Nuclear counterparties.



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Financing Activities

Financing activities used cash flow of \$212 million for the three months ended March 31, 2010 compared to providing cash flow of \$154 million for the three months ended March 31, 2009. The following significant financing cash flow activity occurred in the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009:

- Entergy Corporation increased the net borrowings under its credit facilities by \$49 million in the first quarter 2010 compared to decreasing the net borrowings under its credit facilities by \$5 million in the first quarter 2009. See Note 4 to the financial statements for a description of the Entergy Corporation credit facilities.
- Entergy Texas issued \$500 million of 7.125% Series Mortgage Bonds in January 2009 and used a portion of the proceeds to repay \$100 million in borrowings outstanding on its long-term credit facility and \$70.8 million in long-term debt prior to maturity in 2009.
- The Utility operating companies increased the borrowings outstanding on their short-term credit facilities by \$25 million in 2009.

In addition, in March 2010, Entergy Louisiana issued \$150 million of 6.0% Series first mortgage bonds due March 2040. Because the proceeds were deposited directly with a trustee and not held by Entergy Louisiana, the bond issuance is reported as a non-cash financing activity on the cash flow statement. Entergy Louisiana used the proceeds in April 2010, together with other available funds, to redeem, prior to maturity, all of its \$150 million 7.60% Series first mortgage bonds, due April 2032.

Rate, Cost-recovery, and Other Regulation

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Rate, Cost-recovery, and Other Regulation" in the Form 10-K for discussions of rate regulation, federal regulation, and related regulatory proceedings.

State and Local Rate Regulation and Fuel-Cost Recovery

See Note 2 to the financial statements herein for updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K regarding these proceedings.

Federal Regulation

See the Form 10-K for a discussion of federal regulatory proceedings. Following are updates to that discussion.

System Agreement Proceedings

Rough Production Cost Equalization Rates

2009 Rate Filing Based on Calendar Year 2008 Production Costs

Several parties intervened in the 2009 rate proceeding at the FERC, including the LPSC and Ameren, which have also filed protests. On July 27, 2009, the FERC accepted Entergy's proposed rates for filing, effective June 1, 2009, subject to refund, and set the proceeding for hearing and settlement procedures. Settlement procedures were terminated and a hearing before the ALJ was held in April 2010. An initial decision is scheduled for August 2010.

Entergy Arkansas and Entergy Mississippi Notices of Termination of System Agreement Participation and Related APSC Investigation

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In February 2010 the APSC issued an order announcing a refocus of its ongoing investigation of Entergy Arkansas' post-System Agreement operation. The order describes the APSC's "stated purpose in opening this inquiry to conduct an investigation regarding the prudence of [Entergy Arkansas] entering into a successor ESA [Entergy System Agreement] as opposed to becoming a stand-alone utility upon its exit from the ESA, and whether [Entergy Arkansas], as a standalone utility, should join the SPP RTO. It is the [APSC's] intention to render a decision regarding the prudence of [Entergy Arkansas] entering into a successor ESA as opposed to becoming a stand-alone utility upon its exit from the ESA, as well as [Entergy Arkansas'] RTO participation by the end of calendar year 2010. In parallel with this Docket, the [APSC] will be actively involved and will be closely watching to see if any meaningful enhancement will be made to a new Enhanced Independent Coordinator of Transmission ("E-ICT") Agreement through the efforts of the ETS [Entergy Transmission System] stakeholders, Entergy, and the newly formed and federally-recognized E-RSC in 2010." The schedule set by the order includes evidentiary hearings in March and May 2010.

In March 2010, Entergy Arkansas filed testimony and participated in the scheduled hearing. Entergy Arkansas noted in its testimony that it is not reasonable to complete a comprehensive evaluation of strategic options by the end of 2010 and that forcing a decision would place parties in the untenable position of making critical decisions based on insufficient information. Entergy Arkansas outlined three options for post-System Agreement operation of its electrical system: 1) Entergy Arkansas self providing as a stand-alone company for resource planning; 2) Entergy Arkansas plus new coordination agreements with third parties in which Entergy Arkansas self provides or contracts some functions, but also enters into one or more coordinating or pooling agreements with third parties, such as the Southwest Power Pool RTO; and 3) Successor Arrangements under which Entergy Arkansas plans for its own generation resources but enters into a new generation agreement with other Utility operating companies under a successor agreement intended to benefit all but avoid the litigation previously experienced. Entergy Arkansas's plan is expected to lead to a decision regarding critical path issues in late 2011; however, Entergy Arkansas anticipates several transition plan elements will move forward in 2010. In an attempt to reach understanding of complex issues, Entergy Arkansas proposes to hold a series of five technical conferences in the coming months targeting specific subjects. The initial technical conference is scheduled for May 5, 2010.

In early April 2010, Entergy Corporation and the Utility operating companies determined in connection with their decision-making process that it is appropriate to agree and commit that no Utility operating company will enter voluntarily into successor arrangements with the other Utility operating companies if its retail regulator finds successor arrangements are not in the public interest. Hugh McDonald, chief executive officer of Entergy Arkansas, notified the APSC of this decision by a letter filed with the APSC on April 26, 2010.

#### June 2009 LPSC Complaint Proceeding

See the Form 10-K for a discussion of the complaint that the LPSC filed in June 2009 requesting that the FERC determine that certain of Entergy Arkansas' sales of electric energy to third parties: (a) violated the provisions of the System Agreement that allocate the energy generated by Entergy System resources, (b) imprudently denied the Entergy System and its ultimate consumers the benefits of low-cost Entergy System generating capacity, and (c) violated the provision of the System Agreement that prohibits sales to third parties by individual companies absent an offer of a right-of-first-refusal to other Utility operating companies. Settlement procedures were unsuccessful, and a hearing in the matter is scheduled to commence in August 2010. On April 16, 2010, the LPSC filed direct testimony in the proceeding alleging, among other things, that (1) Entergy violated the System Agreement by permitting Entergy Arkansas to make non-requirements sales to non-affiliated third parties rather than making such energy available to the other Utility operating companies' customers; and (2) that over the period 2000 – 2009, these non-requirements sales

caused harm to the Utility operating companies' customers of \$144.4 million and these customers should be compensated for this harm by Entergy's shareholders. The Utility operating companies believe the LPSC's allegations are without merit and will file their rebuttal testimony by May 25, 2010.

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Independent Coordinator of Transmission (ICT)

See the Form 10-K for a discussion of Entergy's ICT and transmission issues. As discussed in the Form 10-K, the Entergy Regional State Committee (E-RSC), which is comprised of one representative from each of the Utility operating companies' retail regulators, has been formed to consider several of the issues related to Entergy's transmission system. Among other things, the E-RSC, in concert with the FERC, is in the process of conducting a cost/benefits analysis comparing the ICT arrangement and a proposal under which Entergy would join the Southwest Power Pool RTO. The E-RSC is also considering proposed modifications to the ICT arrangement that could be implemented commencing November 2010, when the initial term of the ICT ends. It is anticipated that the E-RSC will reach its conclusions on the proposed modifications during the June/July 2010 timeframe, following which the proposed modifications will be filed with one or more of the Utility operating companies' retail regulators and the FERC prior to implementation.

Market and Credit Risk Sensitive Instruments

Commodity Price Risk

Power Generation

As discussed more fully in the Form 10-K, the sale of electricity from the power generation plants owned by Entergy's Non-Utility Nuclear business, unless otherwise contracted, is subject to the fluctuation of market power prices. Following is an updated summary of the amount of the Non-Utility Nuclear business's output that is currently sold forward under physical or financial contracts (2010 represents the remainder of the year):

|                                                                        | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Non-Utility Nuclear:<br>Percent of planned<br>generation sold forward: |      |      |      |      |      |
| Unit-contingent (1)                                                    | 54%  | 63%  | 31%  | 12%  | 14%  |
| Unit-contingent with<br>availability guarantees (2)                    | 37%  | 17%  | 14%  | 6%   | 3%   |
| Firm LD (3)                                                            | 0%   | 2%   | 2%   | 0%   | 0%   |
| Total                                                                  | 91%  | 82%  | 47%  | 18%  | 17%  |
| Planned generation (TWh)                                               | 30   | 41   | 41   | 40   | 41   |
| Average contracted price<br>per MWh (2)                                | \$57 | \$55 | \$55 | \$50 | \$50 |

(1) Unit-contingent is a transaction under which power is supplied from a specific generation asset; if the asset is not operating, seller is generally not liable to buyer for any damages.

(2) Unit-contingent with availability guarantees is a transaction under which power is supplied from a specific generation asset; if the asset is not operating, seller is generally not liable to buyer for any damages, unless the actual availability over a

specified period of time is below an availability threshold specified in the contract.

- (3) Firm LD is a transaction that requires receipt or delivery of energy at a specified delivery point (usually at a market hub not associated with a specific asset) or settles financially on notional quantities; if a party fails to deliver or receive energy, defaulting party must compensate the other party as specified in the contract.
- (4) The Vermont Yankee acquisition included a PPA under which the former owners will buy most of the power produced by the plant through the expiration in 2012 of the current operating license for the plant. The PPA includes an adjustment clause under which the prices specified in the PPA will be adjusted downward monthly if twelve month rolling average power market prices drop below prices specified in the PPA, which has not happened thus far.

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Some of the agreements to sell the power produced by Entergy's Non-Utility Nuclear power plants contain provisions that require an Entergy subsidiary to provide collateral to secure its obligations under the agreements. The Entergy subsidiary is required to provide collateral based upon the difference between the current market and contracted power prices in the regions where Non-Utility Nuclear sells power. The primary form of collateral to satisfy these requirements is an Entergy Corporation guaranty. Cash and letters of credit are also acceptable forms of collateral. At March 31, 2010, based on power prices at that time, Entergy had no credit exposure under the guarantees in place supporting Entergy Nuclear Power Marketing (a Non-Utility Nuclear subsidiary) transactions, and \$2 million of posted cash collateral. As of March 31, 2010, the credit exposure associated with Non-Utility Nuclear assurance requirements would increase by \$35 million for each \$1 per MMBtu increase in gas prices in both the short-and long-term markets. In the event of a decrease in Entergy Corporation's credit rating to below investment grade, based on power prices as of March 31, 2010, Entergy would have been required to provide approximately \$64 million of additional cash or letters of credit under some of the agreements.

As of March 31, 2010, for the planned energy output under contract for Non-Utility Nuclear through 2014, 99.7% of the planned energy output is under contract with counterparties with public investment grade credit ratings and 0.3% is with load-serving entities without public credit ratings.

In addition to selling the power produced by its plants, Non-Utility Nuclear sells unforced capacity that is used to meet requirements placed on load-serving distribution companies by the ISO in their area. Following is a summary of the amount of Non-Utility Nuclear's unforced capacity that is currently sold forward, and the blended amount of Non-Utility Nuclear's planned generation output and unforced capacity that is currently sold forward (2010 represents the remainder of the year):

|                                                   | 2010  | 2011  | 2012  | 2013  | 2014  |
|---------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Non-Utility Nuclear:                              |       |       |       |       |       |
| Percent of capacity sold forward:                 |       |       |       |       |       |
| Bundled capacity and energy contracts             | 27%   | 25%   | 18%   | 16%   | 16%   |
| Capacity contracts                                | 46%   | 26%   | 30%   | 13%   | 0%    |
| Total                                             | 73%   | 51%   | 48%   | 29%   | 16%   |
| Planned net MW in operation                       | 4,998 | 4,998 | 4,998 | 4,998 | 4,998 |
| Average capacity contract price per kW per month  | \$3.1 | \$3.6 | \$3.0 | \$2.6 | \$-   |
| Blended Capacity and Energy (based on revenues)   |       |       |       |       |       |
| % of planned generation and capacity sold forward | 92%   | 84%   | 51%   | 18%   | 15%   |
| Average contract revenue per MWh                  | \$59  | \$57  | \$57  | \$53  | \$50  |

Critical Accounting Estimates

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Critical Accounting Estimates" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the estimates and judgments necessary in Entergy's accounting for nuclear decommissioning costs, unbilled revenue, impairment of long-lived assets and trust fund investments, qualified pension and other postretirement benefits, and other contingencies. Following is an update to that discussion.

#### Federal Healthcare Legislation

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) became federal law on March 23, 2010, and, on March 30, 2010, the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010 became federal law and amended certain provisions of the PPACA. These new federal laws change the law governing employer-sponsored group health plans, like Entergy's plans. All of the effects of these changes are not yet determinable because technical guidance regarding application must still be issued, and Entergy will monitor these developments.



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One provision of the new law that is effective in 2013 eliminates the federal income tax deduction for prescription drug expenses of Medicare beneficiaries for which the plan sponsor also receives the retiree drug subsidy under Part D. Entergy receives subsidy payments under the Medicare Part D plan and therefore in the first quarter 2010 recorded a reduction to the deferred tax asset related to the unfunded other postretirement benefit obligation. The offset was recorded as a \$16 million charge to income tax expense or, for the Utility, including each Registrant Subsidiary, as a regulatory asset, as detailed in Note 2 to the financial statements herein.



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|                                                       |             |             |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Allowance for borrowed funds used during construction |             |             |
| TOTAL                                                 | 171,198     | 137,446     |
| INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES                            | 366,499     | 403,379     |
| Income taxes                                          | 147,685     | 163,046     |
| CONSOLIDATED NET INCOME                               | 218,814     | 240,333     |
| Preferred dividend requirements of subsidiaries       | 5,015       | 4,998       |
| NET INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO ENTERGY CORPORATION        | \$ 213,799  | \$ 235,335  |
| Earnings per average common share:                    |             |             |
| Basic                                                 | \$ 1.13     | \$ 1.22     |
| Diluted                                               | \$ 1.12     | \$ 1.20     |
| Dividends declared per common share                   | \$ 0.75     | \$ 0.75     |
| Basic average number of common shares outstanding     | 189,202,684 | 192,593,601 |
| Diluted average number of common shares outstanding   | 191,283,703 | 198,058,002 |
| See Notes to Financial Statements.                    |             |             |

ENTERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                                     | 2010           | 2009       |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------|
|                                                                                                     | (In Thousands) |            |
| <b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                         |                |            |
| Consolidated net income                                                                             | \$ 218,814     | \$ 240,333 |
| Adjustments to reconcile consolidated net income to net cash flow provided by operating activities: |                |            |
| Reserve for regulatory adjustments                                                                  | 438            | 1,210      |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net                                                            | 28,092         | (29,474 )  |
| Depreciation, amortization, and decommissioning, including nuclear fuel amortization                | 423,432        | 348,444    |
| Deferred income taxes, investment tax credits, and non-current taxes accrued                        | 133,533        | 155,029    |
| Changes in working capital:                                                                         |                |            |
| Receivables                                                                                         | 43,830         | 102,428    |
| Fuel inventory                                                                                      | (6,324 )       | (17,631 )  |
| Accounts payable                                                                                    | (79,250 )      | (134,008 ) |
| Taxes accrued                                                                                       | -              | (12,784 )  |
| Interest accrued                                                                                    | (36,676 )      | (37,413 )  |
| Deferred fuel                                                                                       | 964            | 275,508    |
| Other working capital accounts                                                                      | 19,527         | (120,505 ) |
| Provision for estimated losses and reserves                                                         | (35,870 )      | 1,281      |
| Changes in other regulatory assets                                                                  | (66,248 )      | (447,882 ) |
| Changes in pensions and other postretirement liabilities                                            | (40,884 )      | (29,158 )  |
| Other                                                                                               | 70,887         | 79,241     |
| Net cash flow provided by operating activities                                                      | 674,265        | 374,619    |
| <b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                         |                |            |
| Construction/capital expenditures                                                                   | (447,476)      | (455,737)  |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction                                                 | 13,296         | 16,947     |
| Nuclear fuel purchases                                                                              | (65,336 )      | (118,890)  |
| Proceeds from sale/leaseback of nuclear fuel                                                        | -              | 11,040     |
| Proceeds from sale of assets and businesses                                                         | 9,675          | -          |
| Collections remitted to securitization recovery trust account                                       | (21,940 )      | (7,831 )   |
| NYPA value sharing payment                                                                          | (72,000 )      | (72,000 )  |
| Decrease in other investments                                                                       | 96,416         | 7,339      |
| Proceeds from nuclear decommissioning trust fund sales                                              | 770,781        | 583,166    |

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|---------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Investment in nuclear decommissioning trust funds | (798,864) | (610,836) |
| Net cash flow used in investing activities        | (515,448) | (646,802) |

See Notes to Financial Statements.





ENTERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS  
ASSETS  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                | 2010             | 2009             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>                                          |                  |                  |
| Cash and cash equivalents:                                     |                  |                  |
| Cash                                                           | \$ 75,446        | \$ 85,861        |
| Temporary cash investments                                     | 1,581,588        | 1,623,690        |
| Total cash and cash equivalents                                | 1,657,034        | 1,709,551        |
| Securitization recovery trust account                          | 35,037           | 13,098           |
| Accounts receivable:                                           |                  |                  |
| Customer                                                       | 570,657          | 553,692          |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                                | (28,432 )        | (27,631 )        |
| Other                                                          | 144,116          | 152,303          |
| Accrued unbilled revenues                                      | 250,657          | 302,463          |
| Total accounts receivable                                      | 936,998          | 980,827          |
| Deferred fuel costs                                            | 24,678           | 126,798          |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                              | 24,155           | -                |
| Fuel inventory - at average cost                               | 203,179          | 196,855          |
| Materials and supplies - at average cost                       | 833,715          | 825,702          |
| Deferred nuclear refueling outage costs                        | 214,155          | 225,290          |
| System agreement cost equalization                             | 70,000           | 70,000           |
| Prepayments and other                                          | 733,669          | 386,040          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>4,732,620</b> | <b>4,534,161</b> |
| <b>OTHER PROPERTY AND INVESTMENTS</b>                          |                  |                  |
| Investment in affiliates - at equity                           | 39,651           | 39,580           |
| Decommissioning trust funds                                    | 3,330,681        | 3,211,183        |
| Non-utility property - at cost (less accumulated depreciation) | 247,296          | 247,664          |
| Other                                                          | 111,340          | 120,273          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>3,728,968</b> | <b>3,618,700</b> |
| <b>PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT</b>                           |                  |                  |
| Electric                                                       | 36,508,160       | 36,343,772       |
| Property under capital lease                                   | 782,722          | 783,096          |
| Natural gas                                                    | 316,136          | 314,256          |
| Construction work in progress                                  | 1,667,720        | 1,547,319        |
| Nuclear fuel under capital lease                               | -                | 527,521          |
| Nuclear fuel                                                   | 1,240,445        | 739,827          |
|                                                                | 40,515,183       | 40,255,791       |



TOTAL PROPERTY, PLANT AND  
EQUIPMENT

|                                                     |            |            |
|-----------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Less - accumulated depreciation and<br>amortization | 16,976,188 | 16,866,389 |
| PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT -<br>NET              | 23,538,995 | 23,389,402 |

DEFERRED DEBITS AND OTHER  
ASSETS

|                                         |               |               |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Regulatory assets:                      |               |               |
| Regulatory asset for income taxes - net | 625,391       | 619,500       |
| Other regulatory assets                 | 3,738,435     | 3,647,154     |
| Deferred fuel costs                     | 172,202       | 172,202       |
| Goodwill                                | 377,172       | 377,172       |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes       | 74,028        | -             |
| Other                                   | 1,121,591     | 1,006,306     |
| TOTAL                                   | 6,108,819     | 5,822,334     |
| TOTAL ASSETS                            | \$ 38,109,402 | \$ 37,364,597 |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS  
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                               | 2010              | 2009              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                                                               | (In Thousands)    |                   |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                    |                   |                   |
| Currently maturing long-term debt                             | \$ 800,414        | \$ 711,957        |
| Notes payable                                                 | 175,498           | 30,031            |
| Accounts payable                                              | 877,093           | 998,228           |
| Customer deposits                                             | 325,859           | 323,342           |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                             | 7,100             | 48,584            |
| Interest accrued                                              | 161,343           | 192,283           |
| Deferred fuel costs                                           | 118,483           | 219,639           |
| Obligations under capital leases                              | 2,395             | 212,496           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                  | 55,710            | 55,031            |
| System agreement cost equalization                            | 187,314           | 187,204           |
| Other                                                         | 348,572           | 215,202           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                  | <b>3,059,781</b>  | <b>3,193,997</b>  |
| <b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                |                   |                   |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes and taxes accrued           | 7,906,361         | 7,422,319         |
| Accumulated deferred investment tax credits                   | 304,132           | 308,395           |
| Obligations under capital leases                              | 36,620            | 354,233           |
| Other regulatory liabilities                                  | 534,523           | 421,985           |
| Decommissioning and asset retirement cost liabilities         | 2,990,604         | 2,939,539         |
| Accumulated provisions                                        | 92,907            | 141,315           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                  | 2,199,476         | 2,241,039         |
| Long-term debt                                                | 11,136,734        | 10,705,738        |
| Other                                                         | 677,464           | 711,334           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                  | <b>25,878,821</b> | <b>25,245,897</b> |
| <b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>                          |                   |                   |
| Subsidiaries' preferred stock without sinking fund            | 216,721           | 217,343           |
| <b>EQUITY</b>                                                 |                   |                   |
| <b>Common Shareholders' Equity:</b>                           |                   |                   |
| Common stock, \$.01 par value, authorized 500,000,000 shares; | 2,548             | 2,548             |

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|                                                                                          |               |               |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| issued 254,752,788 shares in 2010 and in 2009                                            |               |               |
| Paid-in capital                                                                          | 5,373,424     | 5,370,042     |
| Retained earnings                                                                        | 8,115,010     | 8,043,122     |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)                                            | 85,392        | (75,185 )     |
| Less - treasury stock, at cost (65,483,672 shares in 2010 and 65,634,580 shares in 2009) | 4,716,295     | 4,727,167     |
| Total common shareholders' equity                                                        | 8,860,079     | 8,613,360     |
| Subsidiaries' preferred stock without sinking fund                                       | 94,000        | 94,000        |
| TOTAL                                                                                    | 8,954,079     | 8,707,360     |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY                                                             | \$ 38,109,402 | \$ 37,364,597 |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF RETAINED EARNINGS, COMPREHENSIVE  
INCOME, AND PAID-IN CAPITAL  
For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                            | 2010           | 2009         |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|--------------|
|                                                                            | (In Thousands) |              |
| <b>RETAINED EARNINGS</b>                                                   |                |              |
| Retained Earnings -<br>Beginning of period                                 | \$ 8,043,122   | \$ 7,382,719 |
| Add:                                                                       |                |              |
| Net income attributable<br>to Entergy Corporation                          | 213,799        | \$ 213,799   |
| Adjustment related to<br>implementation of new<br>accounting pronouncement | -              | 6,365        |
| Total                                                                      | 213,799        | 241,700      |
| Deduct:                                                                    |                |              |
| Dividends declared on<br>common stock                                      | 141,911        | 142,090      |
| Retained Earnings - End of<br>period                                       | \$ 8,115,010   | \$ 7,482,329 |
| <b>ACCUMULATED OTHER<br/>COMPREHENSIVE<br/>INCOME (LOSS)</b>               |                |              |
| Balance at beginning of period:                                            |                |              |
| Accumulated derivative<br>instrument fair value<br>changes                 | \$ 117,943     | \$ 120,830   |
| Pension and other<br>postretirement liabilities                            | (267,939 )     | (232,232 )   |
| Net unrealized investment<br>gains (losses)                                | 72,162         | (4,402 )     |
| Foreign currency<br>translation                                            | 2,649          | 3,106        |
| Total                                                                      | (75,185 )      | (112,698 )   |
| Net derivative instrument fair value changes                               |                |              |

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|                                                                                                                    |              |            |              |            |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|
| arising during the period<br>(net of tax expense of<br>\$87,259 and \$57,186)                                      | 142,538      | 142,538    | 87,714       | 87,714     |
| Pension and other<br>postretirement liabilities<br>(net of tax expense (benefit)<br>of \$891 and (\$135))          | 1,805        | 1,805      | (857 )       | (857 )     |
| Net unrealized investment<br>gains (losses) (net of tax<br>expense (benefit) of \$17,813<br>and (\$35,977))        | 16,841       | 16,841     | (25,417 )    | (25,417 )  |
| Adjustment related to<br>implementation of new<br>accounting pronouncement<br>(net of tax benefit of<br>(\$4,921)) | -            | -          | (6,365 )     | -          |
| Foreign currency translation<br>(net of tax benefit of (\$327)<br>and (\$454))                                     | (607 )       | (607 )     | (843 )       | (843 )     |
| Balance at end of period:<br>Accumulated derivative<br>instrument fair value<br>changes                            | 260,481      |            | 208,544      |            |
| Pension and other<br>postretirement liabilities                                                                    | (266,134 )   |            | (233,089 )   |            |
| Net unrealized investment<br>gains (losses)                                                                        | 89,003       |            | (36,184 )    |            |
| Foreign currency<br>translation                                                                                    | 2,042        |            | 2,263        |            |
| Total                                                                                                              | \$ 85,392    |            | \$ (58,466 ) |            |
| Add: preferred dividend requirements of<br>subsidiaries                                                            |              | 5,015      |              | 4,998      |
| Comprehensive Income                                                                                               |              | \$ 379,391 |              | \$ 300,930 |
| <b>PAID-IN CAPITAL</b>                                                                                             |              |            |              |            |
| Paid-in Capital - Beginning<br>of period                                                                           | \$ 5,370,042 |            | \$ 4,869,303 |            |
| Add:                                                                                                               | -            |            | 499,934      |            |

|                                                                                 |       |         |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|---------|
| Common stock<br>issuances in settlement of<br>equity unit purchase<br>contracts |       |         |
| Common stock<br>issuances related to stock<br>plans                             | 3,382 | 1,209   |
| Total                                                                           | 3,382 | 501,143 |

|                                    |              |              |
|------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Paid-in Capital - End of<br>period | \$ 5,373,424 | \$ 5,370,446 |
|------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|

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ENTERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES  
 SELECTED OPERATING RESULTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

| Description                           | 2010                  | 2009     | Increase/<br>(Decrease) | %     |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|-------------------------|-------|
|                                       | (Dollars in Millions) |          |                         |       |
| <b>Utility Electric Operating</b>     |                       |          |                         |       |
| <b>Revenues:</b>                      |                       |          |                         |       |
| Residential                           | \$ 818                | \$ 756   | \$ 62                   | 8     |
| Commercial                            | 526                   | 560      | (34 )                   | (6 )  |
| Industrial                            | 521                   | 548      | (27 )                   | (5 )  |
| Governmental                          | 50                    | 53       | (3 )                    | (6 )  |
| Total retail                          | 1,915                 | 1,917    | (2 )                    | -     |
| Sales for resale                      | 83                    | 74       | 9                       | 12    |
| Other                                 | 9                     | 36       | (27 )                   | (75 ) |
| Total                                 | \$ 2,007              | \$ 2,027 | \$ (20 )                | (1 )  |
| <b>Utility Billed Electric Energy</b> |                       |          |                         |       |
| <b>Sales (GWh):</b>                   |                       |          |                         |       |
| Residential                           | 9,645                 | 7,893    | 1,752                   | 22    |
| Commercial                            | 6,472                 | 6,194    | 278                     | 4     |
| Industrial                            | 8,733                 | 8,139    | 594                     | 7     |
| Governmental                          | 592                   | 562      | 30                      | 5     |
| Total retail                          | 25,442                | 22,788   | 2,654                   | 12    |
| Sales for resale                      | 1,317                 | 1,387    | (70 )                   | (5 )  |
| Total                                 | 26,759                | 24,175   | 2,584                   | 11    |
| <b>Non-Utility Nuclear:</b>           |                       |          |                         |       |
| Operating Revenues                    | \$ 614                | \$ 656   | \$ (42 )                | (6 )  |
| Billed Electric Energy Sales<br>(GWh) | 10,255                | 10,074   | 181                     | 2     |

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NOTE 1. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

Entergy and the Registrant Subsidiaries are involved in a number of legal, regulatory, and tax proceedings before various courts, regulatory commissions, and governmental agencies in the ordinary course of business. While management is unable to predict the outcome of such proceedings, management does not believe that the ultimate resolution of these matters will have a material adverse effect on Entergy's results of operations, cash flows, or financial condition. Entergy discusses regulatory proceedings in Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K and herein and discusses tax proceedings in Note 3 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K.

Nuclear Insurance

See Note 8 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for information on nuclear liability and property insurance associated with Entergy's nuclear power plants.

Conventional Property Insurance

See Note 8 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for information on Entergy's non-nuclear property insurance program.

Employment Litigation

The Registrant Subsidiaries and other Entergy subsidiaries are responding to various lawsuits in both state and federal courts and to other labor-related proceedings filed by current and former employees and third parties not selected for open positions. These actions include, but are not limited to, allegations of wrongful employment actions; wage disputes and other claims under the Fair Labor Standards Act or its state counterparts; claims of race, gender and disability discrimination; disputes arising under collective bargaining agreements; unfair labor practice proceedings and other administrative proceedings before the National Labor Relations Board; claims of retaliation; and claims for or regarding benefits under various Entergy Corporation sponsored plans. Entergy and the Registrant Subsidiaries are responding to these lawsuits and proceedings and deny liability to the claimants.

Asbestos Litigation (Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, and Entergy Texas)

See Note 8 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for information regarding asbestos litigation at Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, and Entergy Texas.

NOTE 2. RATE AND REGULATORY MATTERS (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

Regulatory Assets



See Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for information regarding regulatory assets in the Utility business presented on the balance sheets of Entergy and the Registrant Subsidiaries. Following are updates to that information.

#### Fuel and purchased power cost recovery

See Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries' "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - System Agreement Proceedings" for updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K regarding the System Agreement proceedings.

#### Entergy Mississippi

In August 2009 the MPSC retained an independent audit firm to audit Entergy Mississippi's fuel adjustment clause submittals for the period October 2007 through September 2009. The independent audit firm submitted its report to the MPSC in December 2009. The report does not recommend that any costs be disallowed for recovery. The report did suggest that some costs, less than one percent of the fuel and purchased power costs recovered during the period, may have been more reasonably charged to customers through base rates rather than through fuel charges, but the report did not suggest that customers should not have paid for those costs. In November 2009 the MPSC also retained another firm to review processes and practices related to fuel and purchased energy. The results of that review were filed with the MPSC in March 2010. In that report, the independent consulting firm found that the practices and procedures in activities that directly affect the costs recovered through Entergy Mississippi's fuel adjustment clause appear reasonable. Both audit reports were certified by the MPSC to the Mississippi Legislature, as required by Mississippi law. In March 2010, the MPSC opened a docket to consider revisions to its rules regarding recovery of fuel and energy costs and other general matters related to fuel adjustment clauses and fuel audits.

#### Storm Cost Recovery Filings

##### Entergy Arkansas Storm Reserve Accounting

The APSC's June 2007 order in Entergy Arkansas' base rate proceeding eliminated storm reserve accounting for Entergy Arkansas. In March 2009 a law was enacted in Arkansas that requires the APSC to permit storm reserve accounting for utilities that request it. Entergy Arkansas filed its request with the APSC, and has reinstated storm reserve accounting effective January 1, 2009. A hearing on Entergy Arkansas' request was held in March 2010, and in April 2010 the ALJ approved Entergy Arkansas's establishment of a storm cost reserve account.

##### Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike Filing

As discussed in the Form 10-K, in September 2008, Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike caused catastrophic damage to Entergy's service territory. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana filed their Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike storm cost recovery case with the LPSC in May 2009. In September 2009, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana and the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation (LURC), an instrumentality of the State of Louisiana, filed with the LPSC an application requesting that the LPSC grant financing orders authorizing the financing of Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's storm costs, storm reserves, and issuance costs pursuant to Act 55 of the Louisiana Regular Session of 2007 (Act 55 financings). Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita storm costs were financed primarily by Act 55 financings, as discussed in the Form 10-K. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana also filed an application requesting LPSC approval for ancillary issues including the mechanism to flow charges and Act 55 financing savings to customers via a Storm Cost Offset rider. On December 30, 2009, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana entered into a stipulation agreement with the LPSC Staff that provides for total recoverable

costs of approximately \$234 million for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and \$394 million for Entergy Louisiana. Under this stipulation, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana agrees not to recover \$4.4 million and Entergy Louisiana agrees not to recover \$7.2 million of their storm restoration spending. The stipulation also permits replenishing Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's storm reserve in the amount of \$90 million and Entergy Louisiana's storm reserve in the amount of \$200 million when the Act 55 financings are accomplished. In March and April 2010, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and other parties to the proceeding filed with the LPSC an uncontested stipulated settlement that

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includes these terms and also includes Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's proposals under the Act 55 financings, which includes a commitment to pass on to customers a minimum of \$15.5 million and \$27.75 million of customer benefits, respectively, through prospective annual rate reductions of \$3.1 million and \$5.55 million for five years. A stipulation hearing was held before the ALJ on April 13, 2010. On April 21, 2010, the LPSC approved the settlement and subsequently issued two financing orders and one ratemaking order intended to facilitate the implementation of the Act 55 financings. Louisiana State Bond Commission approval is now required before Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana proceed with the Act 55 financings.

#### Federal Healthcare Legislation

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) became federal law on March 23, 2010, and, on March 30, 2010, the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010 became federal law and amended certain provisions of the PPACA. These new federal laws change the law governing employer-sponsored group health plans, like Entergy's plans. All of the effects of these changes are not yet determinable because technical guidance regarding application must still be issued, and Entergy will monitor these developments.

One provision of the new law that is effective in 2013 eliminates the federal income tax deduction for prescription drug expenses of Medicare beneficiaries for which the plan sponsor also receives the retiree drug subsidy under Part D. Entergy receives subsidy payments under the Medicare Part D plan and therefore in the first quarter 2010 recorded a reduction to the deferred tax asset related to the unfunded other postretirement benefit obligation. The offset was recorded as a charge to income tax expense or, for the Utility, including each Registrant Subsidiary, as a regulatory asset. The Utility has a regulatory asset of \$99 million recorded for this, including \$31 million at Entergy Arkansas, \$16 million at Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, \$19 million at Entergy Louisiana, \$10 million at Entergy Mississippi, \$7 million at Entergy New Orleans, \$11 million at Entergy Texas, and \$5 million at System Energy.

#### Retail Rate Proceedings

See Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for information regarding retail rate proceedings involving the Utility operating companies. The following are updates to the Form 10-K.

#### Filings with the APSC

On September 4, 2009, Entergy Arkansas filed with the APSC for a general change in rates, charges, and tariffs. Entergy Arkansas requested a \$223.2 million base rate increase that would become effective in July 2010. In testimony filed in March 2010, Entergy Arkansas lowered its requested base rate increase to \$168.6 million. The request now reflects a 10.65% return on common equity, using a projected capital structure, and proposes a formula rate plan mechanism. Proposed formula rate plan provisions include a +/- 25 basis point bandwidth, with earnings outside the bandwidth reset to the 10.65% return on common equity midpoint and rates changing on a prospective basis depending on whether Entergy Arkansas is over or under-earning. The proposed formula rate plan also includes a recovery mechanism for APSC-approved costs for additional capacity purchases or construction/acquisition of new transmission or generating facilities. Entergy Arkansas also lowered its requested annual storm damage accrual to \$13.8 million. The latest APSC Staff position filed in testimony proposes a \$49 million revenue increase reflecting a 10.1% return on common equity and \$10 million for the 2009 ice storm. In the event a formula rate plan is adopted, the APSC Staff recommends a further return on common equity reduction to 9.6%. The APSC scheduled hearings in the proceeding beginning in May 2010.

Filings with the LPSC

(Entergy Louisiana)

See the Form 10-K for a discussion of Entergy Louisiana's formula rate plan that the LPSC approved for the 2008, 2009, and 2010 test years. Entergy Louisiana, effective with the November 2009 billing cycle, reset its rates to achieve a 10.25% return on equity for the 2008 test year. The rate reset, a \$2.5 million increase that includes a \$16.3 million cost of service adjustment less a \$13.8 million net reduction for decreased capacity costs and a base rate



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|                                                |         |       |        |         |       |        |
|------------------------------------------------|---------|-------|--------|---------|-------|--------|
| Net income attributable to Entergy Corporation | \$213.8 | 189.2 | \$1.13 | \$235.3 | 192.6 | \$1.22 |
| Average dilutive effect of:                    |         |       |        |         |       |        |
| Stock options                                  | -       | 2.1   | (0.01) | -       | 2.0   | (0.01) |
| Equity units                                   | -       | -     | -      | \$ 3.2  | 3.5   | (0.01) |
| Diluted earnings per share                     | \$213.8 | 191.3 | \$1.12 | \$238.5 | 198.1 | \$1.20 |

Entergy's stock option and other equity compensation plans are discussed in Note 12 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K.

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Treasury Stock

During the first quarter 2010, Entergy Corporation issued 150,908 shares of its previously repurchased common stock to satisfy stock option exercises and other stock-based awards.

Retained Earnings

On April 5, 2010, Entergy Corporation's Board of Directors declared a common stock dividend of \$0.83 per share, payable on June 1, 2010 to holders of record as of May 12, 2010.

NOTE 4. REVOLVING CREDIT FACILITIES, LINES OF CREDIT, SHORT-TERM BORROWINGS, AND LONG-TERM DEBT (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

Entergy Corporation has in place a credit facility that expires in August 2012 and has a borrowing capacity of \$3.5 billion. Entergy Corporation also has the ability to issue letters of credit against the total borrowing capacity of the credit facility. The facility fee is currently 0.09% of the commitment amount. Facility fees and interest rates on loans under the credit facility can fluctuate depending on the senior unsecured debt ratings of Entergy Corporation. The weighted average interest rate for the three months ended March 31, 2010 was 0.671% on the drawn portion of the facility. Following is a summary of the borrowings outstanding and capacity available under the facility as of March 31, 2010.

| Capacity      | Borrowings | Letters<br>of<br>Credit | Capacity<br>Available |
|---------------|------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| (In Millions) |            |                         |                       |
| \$3,500       | \$2,615    | \$25                    | \$860                 |

Entergy Corporation's facility requires it to maintain a consolidated debt ratio of 65% or less of its total capitalization. Entergy is in compliance with this covenant. If Entergy fails to meet this ratio, or if Entergy Corporation or one of the Utility operating companies (except Entergy New Orleans) defaults on other indebtedness or is in bankruptcy or insolvency proceedings, an acceleration of the facility maturity date may occur.

Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, and Entergy Texas each had credit facilities available as of March 31, 2010 as follows:

| Company             | Expiration<br>Date | Amount<br>of<br>Facility | Interest<br>Rate (a) | Amount<br>Drawn<br>as of<br>March 31,<br>2010 |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Entergy<br>Arkansas | April 2010         | \$88<br>million          | 5.00%                | -                                             |



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|                               |             |               |       |   |
|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-------|---|
| (b)                           |             |               |       |   |
| Entergy Gulf States Louisiana | August 2012 | \$100 million | 0.66% | - |
| (c)                           |             |               |       |   |
| Entergy Louisiana             | August 2012 | \$200 million | 0.66% | - |
| (d)                           |             |               |       |   |
| Entergy Mississippi           | May 2010    | \$35 million  | 2.00% | - |
| (e)                           |             |               |       |   |
| Entergy Mississippi           | May 2010    | \$25 million  | 2.00% | - |
| (e)                           |             |               |       |   |
| Entergy Mississippi           | May 2010    | \$10 million  | 2.00% | - |
| (e)                           |             |               |       |   |
| Entergy Texas                 | August 2012 | \$100 million | 0.72% | - |
| (f)                           |             |               |       |   |

(a) The interest rate is the rate as of March 31, 2010 that would be applied to the outstanding borrowings under the facility.

- (b) In April 2010, Entergy Arkansas renewed its credit facility through April 2011 in the amount of \$75.125 million. The credit facility requires Entergy Arkansas to maintain a debt ratio of 65% or less of its total capitalization and, prior to its renewal, contained an interest rate floor of 5%. Borrowings under the Entergy Arkansas credit facility may be secured by a security interest in its accounts receivable.
- (c) The credit facility allows Entergy Gulf States Louisiana to issue letters of credit against the borrowing capacity of the facility. As of March 31, 2010, no letters of credit were outstanding. The credit facility requires Entergy Gulf States Louisiana to maintain a consolidated debt ratio of 65% or less of its total capitalization. Pursuant to the terms of the credit agreement, the amount of debt assumed by Entergy Texas (\$159 million as of March 31, 2010 and \$168 million as of December 31, 2009) is excluded from debt and capitalization in calculating the debt ratio.
- (d) The credit facility allows Entergy Louisiana to issue letters of credit against the borrowing capacity of the facility. As of March 31, 2010, no letters of credit were outstanding. The credit facility requires Entergy Louisiana to maintain a consolidated debt ratio of 65% or less of its total capitalization.
- (e) Borrowings under the Entergy Mississippi credit facilities may be secured by a security interest in its accounts receivable. Entergy Mississippi is required to maintain a consolidated debt ratio of 65% or less of its total capitalization. Prior to expiration on May 31, 2010, Entergy Mississippi expects to renew all of its credit facilities.
- (f) The credit facility allows Entergy Texas to issue letters of credit against the borrowing capacity of the facility. As of March 31, 2010, no letters of credit were outstanding. The credit facility requires Entergy Texas to maintain a consolidated debt ratio of 65% or less of its total capitalization. Pursuant to the terms of the credit agreement securitization bonds are excluded from debt and capitalization in calculating the debt ratio.

The facility fees on the credit facilities range from 0.09% to 0.15% of the commitment amount.

The short-term borrowings of the Registrant Subsidiaries are limited to amounts authorized by the FERC. The current FERC-authorized limits are effective through October 31, 2011 under a FERC order dated October 14, 2009. In

addition to borrowings from commercial banks, these companies are authorized under a FERC order to borrow from the Entergy System money pool. The money pool is an inter-company borrowing arrangement designed to reduce the Utility subsidiaries' dependence on external short-term borrowings. Borrowings from the money pool and external borrowings combined may not exceed the FERC-authorized limits. The following are the FERC-authorized limits for short-term borrowings and the outstanding short-term borrowings as of March 31, 2010 (aggregating both money pool and external short-term borrowings) for the Registrant Subsidiaries:

|                                     | Authorized    | Borrowings |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------|
|                                     | (In Millions) |            |
| Entergy<br>Arkansas                 | \$250         | -          |
| Entergy Gulf<br>States<br>Louisiana | \$200         | -          |
| Entergy<br>Louisiana                | \$250         | -          |
| Entergy<br>Mississippi              | \$175         | -          |
| Entergy New<br>Orleans              | \$100         | -          |
| Entergy<br>Texas                    | \$200         | -          |
| System<br>Energy                    | \$200         | -          |

Variable Interest Entities (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and System Energy)

See Note 12 to the financial statements for a discussion of the consolidation of the nuclear fuel company variable interest entities (VIE) effective in the first quarter 2010. The variable interest entities have short-term credit facilities and issue commercial paper (CP) to finance the acquisition and ownership of nuclear fuel as follows as of March 31, 2010:

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| Company                           | Expiration Date | Amount of Facility | Interest Rate on Borrowings | Interest Rate on CP Issuances | Amount Drawn as of March 31, 2010 | Amount of CP issued as of March 31, 2010 | Weighted Average CP Rate |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (Dollars in Millions)             |                 |                    |                             |                               |                                   |                                          |                          |
| Entergy Arkansas VIE              | August 2010     | \$80               | 0.65%                       | 0.40%                         | -                                 | \$39.6                                   | 0.34%                    |
| Entergy Gulf States Louisiana VIE | August 2010     | \$75               | 0.75%                       | n/a                           | \$29.2                            | n/a                                      | n/a                      |
| Entergy Louisiana VIE             | August 2010     | \$80               | 0.65%                       | 0.40%                         | -                                 | \$72.1                                   | 0.36%                    |
| System Energy VIE                 | August 2010     | \$85               | 0.65%                       | 0.40%                         | -                                 | \$6.1                                    | 0.35%                    |

The amount outstanding on these credit facilities and commercial paper issuances are presented as "Notes payable" on the balance sheets. The commitment fees on the credit facilities range from 0.10% to 0.125% of the commitment amount. Each credit facility requires the respective lessee (Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, or System Energy) to maintain a consolidated debt ratio of 70% or less of its total capitalization.

The variable interest entities had long-term notes payable that are included in long-term debt on the respective balance sheets as of March 31, 2010 as follows:

| Company                           | Description                       | Amount       |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Entergy Arkansas VIE              | 5.60% Series G due September 2011 | \$35 million |
| Entergy Arkansas VIE              | 9% Series H due June 2013         | \$30 million |
| Entergy Arkansas VIE              | 5.69% Series I due July 2014      | \$70 million |
| Entergy Gulf States Louisiana VIE | 5.56% Series N due May 2013       | \$75 million |
| Entergy Gulf States Louisiana VIE | 5.41% Series O due July 2012      | \$60 million |

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|                       |                                   |              |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Entergy Louisiana VIE | 5.69% Series E due July 2014      | \$50 million |
| System Energy VIE     | 6.29% Series F due September 2013 | \$70 million |

In addition, in April 2010 the System Energy VIE issued \$60 million of long-term debt, 5.33% Series G due April 2015.

In accordance with regulatory treatment, interest on the nuclear fuel company variable interest entities' credit facilities, commercial paper, and long-term notes payable is included as fuel expense.

#### Debt Issuances

(Entergy Louisiana)

In March 2010, Entergy Louisiana issued \$150 million of 6.0% Series first mortgage bonds due March 2040. Entergy Louisiana used the proceeds in April 2010, together with other available funds, to redeem, prior to maturity, all of its \$150 million 7.60% Series first mortgage bonds, due April 2032.

(Entergy Mississippi)

In April 2010, Entergy Mississippi issued \$80 million of 6.20% Series first mortgage bonds due April 2040. Entergy Mississippi expects to use the proceeds, together with other available funds, to redeem, prior to maturity, all of its \$100 million 7.25% Series first mortgage bonds, due December 2032.

## Fair Value

The book value and the fair value of long-term debt for Entergy Corporation and the Registrant Subsidiaries as of March 31, 2010 are as follows:

|                                  | Book Value<br>of<br>Long-Term<br>Debt (a) | Fair Value<br>of<br>Long-Term<br>Debt (a) (b) |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
|                                  | (In Thousands)                            |                                               |
| Entergy                          | \$11,129,055                              | \$11,423,388                                  |
| Entergy<br>Arkansas              | \$1,572,926                               | \$1,618,601                                   |
| Entergy Gulf<br>States Louisiana | \$1,752,243                               | \$1,801,663                                   |
| Entergy<br>Louisiana             | \$1,738,459                               | \$1,778,171                                   |
| Entergy<br>Mississippi           | \$845,322                                 | \$877,934                                     |
| Entergy New<br>Orleans           | \$198,025                                 | \$201,181                                     |
| Entergy Texas                    | \$1,648,968                               | \$1,773,766                                   |
| System Energy                    | \$548,132                                 | \$552,944                                     |

(a) The values exclude lease obligations of \$224 million at Entergy Louisiana and \$225 million at System Energy, long-term DOE obligations of \$181 million at Entergy Arkansas, and the note payable to NYPA of \$178 million at Entergy, and include debt due within one year.

(b) The fair value is determined using bid prices reported by dealer markets and by nationally recognized investment banking firms.

## NOTE 5. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION (Entergy Corporation)

Entergy grants stock options, which are described more fully in Note 12 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K. Awards under Entergy's plans generally vest over three years.

The following table includes financial information for stock options for the first quarter for each of the years presented:

|               |      |
|---------------|------|
| 2010          | 2009 |
| (In Millions) |      |

|                                                                                     |       |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Compensation expense included in Entergy's Net Income for the first quarter         | \$3.9 | \$4.3 |
| Tax benefit recognized in Entergy's Net Income for the first quarter                | \$1.5 | \$1.6 |
| Compensation cost capitalized as part of fixed assets and inventory as of March 31, | \$0.7 | \$0.8 |

Entergy granted 1,407,900 stock options during the first quarter 2010 with a weighted-average fair value of \$13.18. At March 31, 2010, there were 12,547,629 stock options outstanding with a weighted-average exercise price of \$70.82. The aggregate intrinsic value of the stock options outstanding at March 31, 2010 was \$132.2 million.

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NOTE 6. RETIREMENT AND OTHER POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

Components of Net Pension Cost

Entergy's qualified pension cost, including amounts capitalized, for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009, included the following components:

|                                                  | 2010           | 2009     |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|
|                                                  | (In Thousands) |          |
| Service cost - benefits earned during the period | \$26,239       | \$22,412 |
| Interest cost on projected benefit obligation    | 57,802         | 54,543   |
| Expected return on assets                        | (64,902)       | (62,305) |
| Amortization of prior service cost               | 1,164          | 1,249    |
| Amortization of loss                             | 16,475         | 5,600    |
| Net pension costs                                | \$36,778       | \$21,499 |

The Registrant Subsidiaries' qualified pension cost, including amounts capitalized, for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009, included the following components:

| 2010                                             | Entergy<br>Arkansas | Entergy<br>Gulf States<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Mississippi | Entergy<br>New<br>Orleans | Entergy<br>Texas | System<br>Energy |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                  | (In Thousands)      |                                     |                      |                        |                           |                  |                  |
| Service cost - benefits earned during the period | \$3,944             | \$2,116                             | \$2,443              | \$1,163                | \$516                     | \$1,067          | \$1,033          |
| Interest cost on projected benefit obligation    | 12,319              | 6,094                               | 7,135                | 3,807                  | 1,510                     | 3,967            | 2,252            |
| Expected return on assets                        | (12,659)            | (7,688)                             | (8,194)              | (4,313)                | (1,809)                   | (5,137)          | (2,952)          |



Amortization  
of prior  
service

|              |         |         |         |         |       |       |       |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| Cost         | 196     | 75      | 119     | 79      | 44    | 59    | 8     |
| Amortization | 4,126   | 1,906   | 2,151   | 1,091   | 636   | 802   | 132   |
| of loss      |         |         |         |         |       |       |       |
| Net pension  | \$7,926 | \$2,503 | \$3,654 | \$1,827 | \$897 | \$758 | \$473 |
| cost         |         |         |         |         |       |       |       |

| 2009 | Entergy<br>Arkansas | Entergy<br>Gulf<br>States<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Mississippi | Entergy<br>New<br>Orleans | Entergy<br>Texas | System<br>Energy |
|------|---------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|------|---------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|

(In Thousands)

Service cost -  
benefits  
earned

|            |         |         |         |       |       |       |       |
|------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| during the | \$3,400 | \$1,748 | \$1,974 | \$995 | \$425 | \$917 | \$880 |
| period     |         |         |         |       |       |       |       |

Interest cost  
on projected

|            |        |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| benefit    | 11,761 | 5,279 | 6,940 | 3,676 | 1,470 | 3,935 | 2,139 |
| obligation |        |       |       |       |       |       |       |

|           |          |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|-----------|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Expected  | (12,187) | (7,516) | (8,197) | (4,236) | (1,815) | (5,185) | (2,766) |
| return on |          |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| assets    |          |         |         |         |         |         |         |

Amortization  
of prior  
service

|              |       |     |     |     |     |    |     |
|--------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|
| Cost         | 212   | 110 | 119 | 85  | 52  | 80 | 9   |
| Amortization | 1,764 | 79  | 703 | 324 | 305 | 43 | 109 |
| of loss      |       |     |     |     |     |    |     |

|               |         |         |         |       |       |         |       |
|---------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|-------|---------|-------|
| Net pension   | \$4,950 | (\$300) | \$1,539 | \$844 | \$437 | (\$210) | \$371 |
| cost/(income) |         |         |         |       |       |         |       |

Entergy recognized \$4.7 million and \$4.4 million in pension cost for its non-qualified pension plans in the first quarters of 2010 and 2009, respectively.

The Registrant Subsidiaries recognized the following pension cost for their non-qualified pension plans in the first quarters of 2010 and 2009:

|                                                        | Entergy<br>Arkansas | Entergy<br>Gulf<br>States<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Mississippi | Entergy<br>New<br>Orleans | Entergy<br>Texas |
|--------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|
|                                                        | (In Thousands)      |                                        |                      |                        |                           |                  |
| Non-Qualified<br>Pension Cost<br>First Quarter<br>2010 | \$101               | \$41                                   | \$6                  | \$50                   | \$6                       | \$170            |
| Non-Qualified<br>Pension Cost<br>First Quarter<br>2009 | \$99                | \$97                                   | \$6                  | \$43                   | \$20                      | \$185            |

#### Components of Net Other Postretirement Benefit Cost

Entergy's other postretirement benefit cost, including amounts capitalized, for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009, included the following components:

|                                                     | 2010           | 2009     |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|
|                                                     | (In Thousands) |          |
| Service cost - benefits earned<br>during the period | \$13,078       | \$11,691 |
| Interest cost on APBO                               | 19,020         | 18,816   |
| Expected return on assets                           | (6,553)        | (5,871)  |
| Amortization of transition<br>obligation            | 932            | 933      |
| Amortization of prior service<br>cost               | (3,015)        | (4,024)  |
| Amortization of loss                                | 4,317          | 4,743    |
| Net other postretirement<br>benefit cost            | \$27,779       | \$26,288 |

The Registrant Subsidiaries' other postretirement benefit cost, including amounts capitalized, for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009, included the following components:

|  | Entergy | Entergy | Entergy | Entergy | Entergy System |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|



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| 2009                                                      | Entergy<br>Arkansas | Entergy<br>Gulf<br>States<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Mississippi | Entergy<br>New<br>Orleans | Entergy<br>Texas | System<br>Energy |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| (In Thousands)                                            |                     |                                        |                      |                        |                           |                  |                  |
| Service cost -<br>benefits earned<br>during the<br>period | \$1,765             | \$1,196                                | \$1,147              | \$530                  | \$311                     | \$619            | \$513            |
| Interest cost on<br>APBO                                  | 3,759               | 2,005                                  | 2,297                | 1,173                  | 967                       | 1,490            | 605              |
| Expected<br>return on<br>assets                           | (2,143)             | -                                      | -                    | (757)                  | (684)                     | (1,556)          | (414)            |
| Amortization<br>of transition<br>obligation               | 205                 | 60                                     | 96                   | 88                     | 416                       | 66               | 2                |
| Amortization<br>of prior service<br>cost                  | (197)               | (77)                                   | 117                  | (62)                   | 90                        | 19               | (245)            |
| Amortization<br>of loss                                   | 2,087               | 494                                    | 553                  | 657                    | 381                       | 799              | 320              |
| Net other<br>postretirement<br>benefit cost               | \$5,476             | \$3,678                                | \$4,210              | \$1,629                | \$1,481                   | \$1,437          | \$781            |

#### Employer Contributions

Based on current assumptions, Entergy expects to contribute \$254 million to its qualified pension plans in 2010. Guidance pursuant to the Pension Protection Act of 2006 rules, effective for the 2009 plan year and beyond, may affect the level of Entergy's pension contributions in the future. As of the end of April 2010, Entergy had contributed \$112 million to its pension plans. Therefore, Entergy presently anticipates contributing an additional \$142 million to fund its qualified pension plans in 2010.

Based on current assumptions, the Registrant Subsidiaries expect to contribute the following to qualified pension plans in 2010:

|                          | Entergy<br>Arkansas | Entergy<br>Gulf<br>States<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Mississippi | Entergy<br>New<br>Orleans | Entergy<br>Texas | System<br>Energy |
|--------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| (In Thousands)           |                     |                                        |                      |                        |                           |                  |                  |
| Expected<br>2010 pension | \$71,177            | \$18,858                               | \$35,909             | \$17,792               | \$6,961                   | \$10,635         | \$16,094         |

|               |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
|---------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------|---------|---------|
| contributions |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| Pension       |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| contributions | \$32,163 | \$6,936  | \$11,337 | \$7,441  | \$2,204 | \$3,302 | \$6,194 |
| made          |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| through       |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| April 2010    |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| Remaining     |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| estimated     | \$39,014 | \$11,922 | \$24,572 | \$10,351 | \$4,757 | \$7,333 | \$9,900 |
| pension       |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| contributions |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| to be made in |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| 2010          |          |          |          |          |         |         |         |

Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement and Modernization Act of 2003 (Medicare Act)

Based on actuarial analysis, the estimated effect of future Medicare subsidies reduced the December 31, 2009 Accumulated Postretirement Benefit Obligation (APBO) by \$215 million, and reduced the first quarter 2010 and 2009 other postretirement benefit cost by \$6.6 million and \$6.0 million, respectively. In the first quarter 2010, Entergy received \$1.2 million in Medicare subsidies for prescription drug claims.

Based on actuarial analysis, the estimated effect of future Medicare subsidies reduced the December 31, 2009 APBO and the first quarters 2010 and 2009 other postretirement benefit cost for the Registrant Subsidiaries as follows:

|                                                                   | Entergy<br>Arkansas | Entergy<br>Gulf<br>States<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Louisiana | Entergy<br>Mississippi | Entergy<br>New<br>Orleans | Entergy<br>Texas | System<br>Energy |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                   | (In Thousands)      |                                        |                      |                        |                           |                  |                  |
| Reduction in<br>12/31/2009<br>APBO                                | (\$45,809)          | (\$22,227)                             | (\$25,443)           | (\$14,824)             | (\$9,798)                 | (\$16,652)       | (\$7,965)        |
| Reduction in<br>first quarter<br>2010                             |                     |                                        |                      |                        |                           |                  |                  |
| other                                                             | (\$1,314)           | (\$850)                                | (\$786)              | (\$412)                | (\$268)                   | (\$277)          | (\$267)          |
| Reduction in<br>first quarter<br>2009                             |                     |                                        |                      |                        |                           |                  |                  |
| other                                                             | (\$1,235)           | (\$814)                                | (\$695)              | (\$391)                | (\$261)                   | (\$240)          | (\$231)          |
| Medicare<br>subsidies<br>received in the<br>first quarter<br>2010 | \$269               | \$157                                  | \$174                | \$95                   | \$92                      | \$135            | \$30             |

For further information on the Medicare Act refer to Note 11 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K.

NOTE 7. BUSINESS SEGMENT INFORMATION (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

#### Entergy Corporation

Entergy's reportable segments as of March 31, 2010 are Utility and Non-Utility Nuclear. Utility generates, transmits, distributes, and sells electric power in portions of Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Texas, and provides natural gas utility service in portions of Louisiana. Non-Utility Nuclear owns and operates six nuclear power plants and is primarily focused on selling electric power produced by those plants to wholesale customers. "All Other" includes the parent company, Entergy Corporation, and other business activity, including the non-nuclear wholesale assets business, and earnings on the proceeds of sales of previously-owned businesses.

Entergy's segment financial information for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 is as follows:

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|                                | Utility        | Non-Utility<br>Nuclear* | All Other*  | Eliminations  | Consolidated |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                | (In Thousands) |                         |             |               |              |
| 2010                           |                |                         |             |               |              |
| Operating revenues             | \$2,103,829    | \$613,776               | \$48,581    | (\$6,839)     | \$2,759,347  |
| Income taxes (benefit)         | \$89,970       | \$86,205                | (\$28,490)  | \$-           | \$147,685    |
| Consolidated net income (loss) | \$142,971      | \$94,226                | (\$24)      | (\$18,359)    | \$218,814    |
| Total assets                   | \$29,253,077   | \$9,405,822             | \$1,329,834 | (\$1,927,323) | \$38,061,410 |
| 2009                           |                |                         |             |               |              |
| Operating revenues             | \$2,102,206    | \$656,187               | \$37,742    | (\$7,023)     | \$2,789,112  |
| Income taxes (benefit)         | \$73,464       | \$102,077               | (\$12,495)  | \$-           | \$163,046    |
| Consolidated net income (loss) | \$115,968      | \$180,882               | (\$38,158)  | (\$18,359)    | \$240,333    |
| Total assets                   | \$28,658,115   | \$8,136,681             | \$2,175,033 | (\$2,357,242) | \$36,612,587 |

Businesses marked with \* are sometimes referred to as the "competitive businesses," with the exception of the parent company, Entergy Corporation. Eliminations are primarily intersegment activity. Almost all of Entergy's goodwill is related to the Utility segment.

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On April 5, 2010, Entergy announced that, effective immediately, it plans to unwind the business infrastructure associated with its proposed plan to spin-off its Non-Utility Nuclear business. As a result of the plan to unwind the business infrastructure, Entergy recorded expenses in the first quarter 2010 in the Non-Utility Nuclear segment for the write-off of certain capitalized costs incurred in connection with the planned spin-off transaction. Other operation and maintenance expenses include the write-off of \$32 million of capital costs, primarily for software that will not be utilized. Interest charges include the write-off of \$37 million of debt financing costs, primarily incurred for Enexus's \$1.2 billion credit facility. Entergy expects that it will incur approximately \$50 million in additional expenses in unwinding this business through the remainder of 2010, including additional write-offs, dis-synergies, and certain other costs.

Registrant Subsidiaries

The Registrant Subsidiaries have one reportable segment, which is an integrated utility business, except for System Energy, which is an electricity generation business. The Registrant Subsidiaries' operations are managed on an integrated basis because of the substantial effect of cost-based rates and regulatory oversight on the business process, cost structures, and operating results.

NOTE 8. RISK MANAGEMENT AND FAIR VALUES (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

Market and Commodity Risks

In the normal course of business, Entergy is exposed to a number of market and commodity risks. Market risk is the potential loss that Entergy may incur as a result of changes in the market or fair value of a particular instrument or commodity. All financial and commodity-related instruments, including derivatives, are subject to market risk. Entergy is subject to a number of commodity and market risks, including:

| Type of Risk                                      | Affected Businesses                                        |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| Power price risk                                  | Utility, Non-Utility Nuclear, Non-nuclear wholesale assets |
| Fuel price risk                                   | Utility, Non-Utility Nuclear, Non-nuclear wholesale assets |
| Foreign currency exchange rate risk               | Utility, Non-Utility Nuclear, Non-nuclear wholesale assets |
| Equity price and interest rate risk - investments | Utility, Non-Utility Nuclear                               |

Entergy manages a portion of these risks using derivative instruments, some of which are classified as cash flow hedges due to their financial settlement provisions while others are classified as normal purchase/normal sales transactions due to their physical settlement provisions. Normal purchase/normal sale risk management tools include power purchase and sales agreements and fuel purchase agreements, capacity contracts, and tolling agreements. Financially-settled cash flow hedges can include natural gas and electricity futures, forwards, swaps, and options; foreign currency forwards; and interest rate swaps. Entergy enters into derivatives only to manage natural



risks inherent in its physical or financial assets or liabilities.

Entergy manages fuel price risk for its Louisiana jurisdictions (Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and Entergy New Orleans) and Entergy Mississippi primarily through the purchase of short-term natural gas swaps. These swaps are marked-to-market with offsetting regulatory assets or liabilities. The notional volumes of these swaps are based on a portion of projected annual exposure to gas for electric generation and projected winter purchases for gas distribution at Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy New Orleans.

Entergy's exposure to market risk is determined by a number of factors, including the size, term, composition, and diversification of positions held, as well as market volatility and liquidity. For instruments such as options, the time period during which the option may be exercised and the relationship between the current market price of the underlying instrument and the option's contractual strike or exercise price also affects the level of market risk. A

significant factor influencing the overall level of market risk to which Entergy is exposed is its use of hedging techniques to mitigate such risk. Entergy manages market risk by actively monitoring compliance with stated risk management policies as well as monitoring the effectiveness of its hedging policies and strategies. Entergy's risk management policies limit the amount of total net exposure and rolling net exposure during the stated periods. These policies, including related risk limits, are regularly assessed to ensure their appropriateness given Entergy's objectives.

#### Derivatives

The fair values of Entergy's derivative instruments in the consolidated balance sheet as of March 31, 2010 are as follows:

| Instrument                                        | Balance Sheet Location                                       | Fair Value    | Business            |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| Derivatives designated as hedging instruments     |                                                              |               |                     |
| Assets:                                           |                                                              |               |                     |
| Electricity futures, forwards, and swaps          | Prepayments and other (current portion)                      | \$264 million | Non-Utility Nuclear |
| Electricity futures, forwards, and swaps          | Other deferred debits and other assets (non-current portion) | \$168 million | Non-Utility Nuclear |
| Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments |                                                              |               |                     |
| Liabilities:                                      |                                                              |               |                     |
| Natural gas swaps                                 | Other current liabilities                                    | \$70 million  | Utility             |

The fair values of Entergy's derivative instruments in the consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2009 are as follows:

| Instrument                                    | Balance Sheet Location | Fair Value | Business |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------|------------|----------|
| Derivatives designated as hedging instruments |                        |            |          |
| Assets:                                       |                        |            |          |

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|                                                   |                                                              |               |                     |
|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| Electricity futures, forwards, and swaps          | Prepayments and other (current portion)                      | \$109 million | Non-Utility Nuclear |
| Electricity futures, forwards, and swaps          | Other deferred debits and other assets (non-current portion) | \$91 million  | Non-Utility Nuclear |
| Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments |                                                              |               |                     |
| Assets:                                           |                                                              |               |                     |
| Natural gas swaps                                 | Prepayments and other                                        | \$8 million   | Utility             |

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The effect of Entergy's derivative instruments designated as cash flow hedges on the consolidated statements of income for the three months ended March 31, 2010 is as follows:

| Instrument                               | Amount of gain (loss) recognized in OCI (effective portion) | Statement of Income location              | Amount of gain (loss) reclassified from accumulated OCI into income (effective portion) |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Electricity futures, forwards, and swaps | \$268 million                                               | Competitive businesses operating revenues | \$36 million                                                                            |

The effect of Entergy's derivative instruments designated as cash flow hedges on the consolidated statements of income for the three months ended March 31, 2009 is as follows:

| Instrument                               | Amount of gain (loss) recognized in OCI (effective portion) | Statement of Income location              | Amount of gain (loss) reclassified from accumulated OCI into income (effective portion) |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Electricity futures, forwards, and swaps | \$201 million                                               | Competitive businesses operating revenues | \$57 million                                                                            |

Electricity over-the-counter swaps that financially settle against day-ahead power pool prices are used to manage price exposure for Non-Utility Nuclear generation. Based on market prices as of March 31, 2010, cash flow hedges relating to power sales totaled \$432 million of net gains, of which approximately \$264 million are expected to be reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income (OCI) to operating revenues in the next twelve months.

The actual amount reclassified from accumulated OCI, however, could vary due to future changes in market prices. Gains totaling approximately \$36 million were realized on the maturity of cash flow hedges for the three months ended March 31, 2010. Unrealized gains or losses recorded in OCI result from hedging power output at the Non-Utility Nuclear power plants. The related gains or losses from hedging power are included in operating revenues when realized. The maximum length of time over which Entergy is currently hedging the variability in future cash flows for forecasted power transactions at March 31, 2010 is approximately four years. Planned generation currently

sold forward from Non-Utility Nuclear power plants is 91% for the remaining three quarters of 2010 of which approximately 40% is sold under financial hedges and the remainder under normal purchase/sale contracts. The ineffective portion of the change in the value of Entergy's cash flow hedges during the three months ended March 31, 2010 was insignificant. Certain of the agreements to sell the power produced by Entergy's Non-Utility Nuclear power plants contain provisions that require an Entergy subsidiary to provide collateral to secure its obligations when the current market prices exceed the contracted power prices. The primary form of collateral to satisfy these requirements is an Entergy Corporation guaranty. At March 31, 2010, no hedge contracts were in a liability position.

Natural gas over-the-counter swaps that financially settle against NYMEX futures are used to manage fuel price risk for the Utility's Louisiana and Mississippi customers. All benefits or costs of the program are recorded in fuel costs. The total volume of natural gas swaps outstanding as of March 31, 2010 is 55,470,000 MMBtu for Entergy, 13,450,000 MMBtu for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, 23,510,000 MMBtu for Entergy Louisiana, and 18,510,000 MMBtu for Entergy Mississippi.

The effect of Entergy's derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments on the consolidated statements of income for the three months ended March 31, 2010 is as follows:

| Instrument        | Statement of Income Location                              | Amount of gain (loss) recorded in income |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | (\$86) million                           |

The effect of Entergy's derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments on the consolidated statements of income for the three months ended March 31, 2009 is as follows:

| Instrument        | Statement of Income Location                              | Amount of gain (loss) recorded in income |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | (\$24) million                           |

Due to regulatory treatment, the natural gas swaps are marked to market through fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale and then such amounts are simultaneously reversed and recorded as offsetting regulatory assets or liabilities. The gains or losses recorded as fuel expenses when the swaps are settled are recovered through fuel cost recovery mechanisms.

The fair values of the Registrant Subsidiaries' derivative instruments on their balance sheets as of March 31, 2010 are as follows:

| Instrument                                        | Balance Sheet Location | Fair Value     | Registrant                    |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|
| Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments |                        |                |                               |
| Liabilities:                                      |                        |                |                               |
| Natural gas swaps                                 | Gas hedge contracts    | \$17.0 million | Entergy Gulf States Louisiana |
| Natural gas swaps                                 | Gas hedge contracts    | \$29.7 million | Entergy Louisiana             |
| Natural gas swaps                                 | Gas hedge contracts    | \$23.4 million | Entergy Mississippi           |

The fair values of the Registrant Subsidiaries' derivative instruments on their balance sheets as of December 31, 2009 are as follows:

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| Instrument                                        | Balance Sheet Location | Fair Value    | Registrant                    |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|
| Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments |                        |               |                               |
| Assets:                                           |                        |               |                               |
| Natural gas swaps                                 | Prepayments and other  | \$2.1 million | Entergy Gulf States Louisiana |
| Natural gas swaps                                 | Gas hedge contracts    | \$3.4 million | Entergy Louisiana             |
| Natural gas swaps                                 | Gas hedge contracts    | \$2.9 million | Entergy Mississippi           |

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The effects of the Registrant Subsidiaries' derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments on their statements of income for the three months ended March 31, 2010 are as follows:

| Instrument        | Statement of<br>Income Location                           | Amount of<br>gain<br>(loss)<br>recorded<br>in income | Registrant                    |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | (\$21.2) million                                     | Entergy Gulf States Louisiana |
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | (\$36.2) million                                     | Entergy Louisiana             |
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | (\$27.8) million                                     | Entergy Mississippi           |

The effects of the Registrant Subsidiaries' derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments on their statements of income for the three months ended March 31, 2009 are as follows:

| Instrument        | Statement of<br>Income Location                           | Amount of<br>gain<br>(loss)<br>recorded<br>in income | Registrant                    |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | (\$2.7) million                                      | Entergy Gulf States Louisiana |
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | (\$13.2) million                                     | Entergy Louisiana             |
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for        | (\$11.4) million                                     | Entergy Mississippi           |



|                   |                                                           |               |                     |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| resale            |                                                           |               |                     |
| Natural gas swaps | Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | \$3.0 million | Entergy New Orleans |

Due to regulatory treatment, the natural gas swaps are marked to market through fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale and then such amounts are simultaneously reversed and recorded as offsetting regulatory assets or liabilities. The gains or losses recorded as fuel expenses when the swaps are settled are recovered through fuel recovery mechanisms.

#### Fair Values

The estimated fair values of Entergy's financial instruments and derivatives are determined using bid prices and market quotes. Considerable judgment is required in developing the estimates of fair value. Therefore, estimates are not necessarily indicative of the amounts that Entergy could realize in a current market exchange. Gains or losses realized on financial instruments other than natural gas swaps held by regulated businesses are reflected in future rates and therefore do not accrue to the benefit or detriment of shareholders. Entergy considers the carrying amounts of most financial instruments classified as current assets and liabilities to be a reasonable estimate of their fair value because of the short maturity of these instruments.

Accounting standards define fair value as an exit price, or the price that would be received to sell an asset or the amount that would be paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between knowledgeable market participants at date of measurement. Entergy and the Registrant Subsidiaries use assumptions or market input data that market participants would use in pricing assets or liabilities at fair value. The inputs can be readily observable, corroborated by market data, or generally unobservable. Entergy and the Registrant Subsidiaries endeavor to use the best available information to determine fair value.

Accounting standards establish a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs used to measure fair value. The hierarchy establishes the highest priority for unadjusted market quotes in an active market for the identical asset or liability and the lowest priority for unobservable inputs. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are:

- Level 1 - Level 1 inputs are unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity has the ability to access at the measurement date. Active markets are those in which transactions for the asset or liability occur in sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis. Level 1 primarily consists of individually owned common stocks, cash equivalents, debt instruments, and gas hedge contracts.
- Level 2 - Level 2 inputs are inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are, either directly or indirectly, observable for the asset or liability at the measurement date. Assets are valued based on prices derived by independent third parties that use inputs such as benchmark yields, reported trades, broker/dealer quotes, and issuer spreads. Prices are reviewed and can be challenged with the independent parties and/or overridden by Entergy if it is believed such would be more reflective of fair value. Level 2 inputs include the following:
  - quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
  - quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
  - inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; or
  - inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

Level 2 consists primarily of individually owned debt instruments or shares in common trusts. Common trust funds are stated at estimated fair value based on the fair market value of the underlying investments.

- Level 3 - Level 3 inputs are pricing inputs that are generally less observable or unobservable from objective sources. These inputs are used with internally developed methodologies to produce management's best estimate of fair value for the asset or liability. Level 3 consists primarily of derivative power contracts used as cash flow hedges of power sales at merchant power plants.

The values for the cash flow hedges that are recorded as derivative contract assets or liabilities are based on both observable inputs including public market prices and unobservable inputs such as model-generated prices for longer-term markets and are classified as Level 3 assets and liabilities. The amounts reflected as the fair value of derivative assets or liabilities are based on the estimated amount that the contracts are in-the-money at the balance sheet date (treated as an asset) or out-of-the-money at the balance sheet date (treated as a liability) and would equal the estimated amount receivable or payable by Entergy if the contracts were settled at that date. These derivative contracts include cash flow hedges that swap fixed for floating cash flows for sales of the output from Entergy's Non-Utility Nuclear business. The fair values are based on the mark-to-market comparison between the fixed contract prices and the floating prices determined each period from a combination of quoted forward power market prices for the period for which such curves are available, and model-generated prices using quoted forward gas market curves and estimates regarding heat rates to convert gas to power and the costs associated with the transportation of the power from the plants' bus bar to the contract's point of delivery, generally a power market hub, for the period thereafter. The differences between the fixed price in the swap contract and these market-related prices multiplied by the volume specified in the contract and discounted at the counterparties' credit adjusted risk free rate are recorded as derivative contract assets or liabilities. All of the \$432 million of cash flow hedges as of March 31, 2010 are in-the-money contracts with counterparties who are all currently investment grade.



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The following table sets forth, by level within the fair value hierarchy, Entergy's assets and liabilities that are accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009. The assessment of the significance of a particular input to a fair value measurement requires judgment and may affect their placement within the fair value hierarchy levels.

| 2010                                  | Level<br>1 | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|---------|
| (In Millions)                         |            |            |            |         |
| Assets:                               |            |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments            | \$1,582    | \$-        | \$-        | \$1,582 |
| Decommissioning trust funds:          |            |            |            |         |
| Equity securities                     | 496        | 1,478      | -          | 1,974   |
| Debt securities                       | 452        | 905        | -          | 1,357   |
| Power contracts                       | -          | -          | 432        | 432     |
| Securitization recovery trust account | 35         | -          | -          | 35      |
| Other investments                     | 34         | -          | -          | 34      |
|                                       | \$2,599    | \$2,383    | \$432      | \$5,414 |
| Liabilities:                          |            |            |            |         |
| Gas hedge contracts                   | \$70       | \$-        | \$-        | \$70    |
|                                       |            |            |            |         |
| 2009                                  | Level<br>1 | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
| (In Millions)                         |            |            |            |         |
| Assets:                               |            |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments            | \$1,624    | \$-        | \$-        | \$1,624 |
| Decommissioning trust funds:          |            |            |            |         |
| Equity securities                     | 528        | 1,260      | -          | 1,788   |
| Debt securities                       | 443        | 980        | -          | 1,423   |
| Power contracts                       | -          | -          | 200        | 200     |
| Securitization recovery trust account | 13         | -          | -          | 13      |
| Gas hedge contracts                   | 8          | -          | -          | 8       |
| Other investments                     | 42         | -          | -          | 42      |
|                                       | \$2,658    | \$2,240    | \$200      | \$5,098 |

The following table sets forth a reconciliation of changes in the assets for the fair value of derivatives classified as Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy for the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009:

2010      2009  
(In Millions)

|                                         |       |       |
|-----------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Balance as of January 1,                | \$200 | \$207 |
| Price changes (unrealized gains/losses) | 268   | 201   |
| Settlements                             | (36)  | (57)  |
| Balance as of March 31,                 | \$432 | \$351 |

The following table sets forth, by level within the fair value hierarchy, the Registrant Subsidiaries' assets that are accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009. The assessment of the significance of a particular input to a fair value measurement requires judgment and may affect its placement within the fair value hierarchy levels.

## Entergy Arkansas

| 2010                         | Level<br>1    | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|------------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|---------|
|                              | (In Millions) |            |            |         |
| Assets:                      |               |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments   | \$163.8       | \$-        | \$-        | \$163.8 |
| Decommissioning trust funds: |               |            |            |         |
| Equity securities            | 4.4           | 262.4      | -          | 266.8   |
| Debt securities              | 14.0          | 178.7      | -          | 192.7   |
|                              | \$182.2       | \$441.1    | \$-        | \$623.3 |

| 2009                         | Level<br>1    | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|------------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|---------|
|                              | (In Millions) |            |            |         |
| Assets:                      |               |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments   | \$82.9        | \$-        | \$-        | \$82.9  |
| Decommissioning trust funds: |               |            |            |         |
| Equity securities            | 15.4          | 205.3      | -          | 220.7   |
| Debt securities              | 17.6          | 201.9      | -          | 219.5   |
|                              | \$115.9       | \$407.2    | \$-        | \$523.1 |

## Entergy Gulf States Louisiana

| 2010                         | Level<br>1    | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|------------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|---------|
|                              | (In Millions) |            |            |         |
| Assets:                      |               |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments   | \$108.5       | \$-        | \$-        | \$108.5 |
| Decommissioning trust funds: |               |            |            |         |
| Equity securities            | 2.1           | 199.8      | -          | 201.9   |
| Debt securities              | 27.8          | 133.2      | -          | 161.0   |
|                              | \$138.4       | \$333.0    | \$-        | \$471.4 |
| Liabilities:                 |               |            |            |         |

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|                              |               |            |            |         |
|------------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|---------|
| Gas hedge contracts          | \$17.0        | \$-        | \$-        | \$17.0  |
| 2009                         | Level<br>1    | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|                              | (In Millions) |            |            |         |
| Assets:                      |               |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments   | \$144.3       | \$-        | \$-        | \$144.3 |
| Decommissioning trust funds: |               |            |            |         |
| Equity securities            | 6.7           | 175.5      | -          | 182.2   |
| Debt securities              | 25.3          | 142.0      | -          | 167.3   |
| Gas hedge contracts          | 2.1           | -          | -          | 2.1     |
|                              | \$178.4       | \$317.5    | \$-        | \$495.9 |

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| 2010                         | Level<br>1 | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|---------|
| (In Millions)                |            |            |            |         |
| Assets:                      |            |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments   | \$101.4    | \$-        | \$-        | \$101.4 |
| Decommissioning trust funds: |            |            |            |         |
| Equity securities            | 4.5        | 126.5      | -          | 131.0   |
| Debt securities              | 44.5       | 43.8       | -          | 88.3    |
| Other investments            | 0.8        | -          | -          | 0.8     |
|                              | \$151.2    | \$170.3    | \$-        | \$321.5 |
| Liabilities:                 |            |            |            |         |
| Gas hedge contracts          | \$29.7     | \$-        | \$-        | \$29.7  |

| 2009                         | Level<br>1 | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|---------|
| (In Millions)                |            |            |            |         |
| Assets:                      |            |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments   | \$151.7    | \$-        | \$-        | \$151.7 |
| Decommissioning trust funds: |            |            |            |         |
| Equity securities            | 7.0        | 110.9      | -          | 117.9   |
| Debt securities              | 44.3       | 46.9       | -          | 91.2    |
| Gas hedge contracts          | 3.4        | -          | -          | 3.4     |
| Other investments            | 0.8        | -          | -          | 0.8     |
|                              | \$207.2    | \$157.8    | \$-        | \$365.0 |

Entergy Mississippi

| 2010                       | Level<br>1 | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total  |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|--------|
| (In Millions)              |            |            |            |        |
| Assets:                    |            |            |            |        |
| Temporary cash investments | \$9.1      | \$-        | \$-        | \$9.1  |
| Other investments          | 31.9       | -          | -          | 31.9   |
|                            | \$41.0     | \$-        | \$-        | \$41.0 |
| Liabilities:               |            |            |            |        |
| Gas hedge contracts        | \$23.4     | \$-        | \$-        | \$23.4 |



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| 2009                       | Level<br>1 | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|---------|
| (In Millions)              |            |            |            |         |
| Assets:                    |            |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments | \$90.3     | \$-        | \$-        | \$90.3  |
| Gas hedge contracts        | 2.9        | -          | -          | 2.9     |
| Other investments          | 31.9       | -          | -          | 31.9    |
|                            | \$125.1    | \$-        | \$-        | \$125.1 |

## Entergy New Orleans

| 2010                       | Level<br>1    | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|----------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|---------|
|                            | (In Millions) |            |            |         |
| Assets:                    |               |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments | \$168.3       | \$-        | \$-        | \$168.3 |
| Other investments          | 1.2           | -          | -          | 1.2     |
|                            | \$169.5       | \$-        | \$-        | \$169.5 |
| 2009                       | Level<br>1    | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|                            | (In Millions) |            |            |         |
| Assets:                    |               |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments | \$190.0       | \$-        | \$-        | \$190.0 |
| Other investments          | 9.5           | -          | -          | 9.5     |
|                            | \$199.5       | \$-        | \$-        | \$199.5 |

## Entergy Texas

| 2010                                  | Level<br>1    | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|---------|
|                                       | (In Millions) |            |            |         |
| Assets:                               |               |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments            | \$103.9       | \$-        | \$-        | \$103.9 |
| Securitization recovery trust account | 35.0          | -          | -          | 35.0    |
|                                       | \$138.9       | \$-        | \$-        | \$138.9 |
| 2009                                  | Level<br>1    | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total   |
|                                       | (In Millions) |            |            |         |
| Assets:                               |               |            |            |         |
| Temporary cash investments            | \$199.2       | \$-        | \$-        | \$199.2 |
| Securitization recovery trust account | 13.1          | -          | -          | 13.1    |
|                                       | \$212.3       | \$-        | \$-        | \$212.3 |

## System Energy

| 2010 | Level<br>1 | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total |
|------|------------|------------|------------|-------|
|------|------------|------------|------------|-------|

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(In Millions)

Assets:

|                              |         |         |     |         |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|-----|---------|
| Temporary cash investments   | \$284.5 | \$-     | \$- | \$284.5 |
| Decommissioning trust funds: |         |         |     |         |
| Equity securities            | 2.2     | 195.6   | -   | 197.8   |
| Debt securities              | 89.5    | 59.8    | -   | 149.3   |
|                              | \$376.2 | \$255.4 | \$- | \$631.6 |

|      |            |            |            |       |
|------|------------|------------|------------|-------|
| 2009 | Level<br>1 | Level<br>2 | Level<br>3 | Total |
|------|------------|------------|------------|-------|

(In Millions)

Assets:

|                              |         |         |     |         |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|-----|---------|
| Temporary cash investments   | \$263.6 | \$-     | \$- | \$263.6 |
| Decommissioning trust funds: |         |         |     |         |
| Equity securities            | 2.1     | 180.2   | -   | 182.3   |
| Debt securities              | 78.4    | 66.3    | -   | 144.7   |
|                              | \$344.1 | \$246.5 | \$- | \$590.6 |

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NOTE 9. DECOMMISSIONING TRUST FUNDS (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and System Energy)

Entergy holds debt and equity securities, classified as available-for-sale, in nuclear decommissioning trust accounts. The NRC requires Entergy to maintain trusts to fund the costs of decommissioning ANO 1, ANO 2, River Bend, Waterford 3, Grand Gulf, Pilgrim, Indian Point 1 and 2, Vermont Yankee, and Palisades (NYPA currently retains the decommissioning trusts and liabilities for Indian Point 3 and FitzPatrick). The funds are invested primarily in equity securities; fixed-rate, fixed-income securities; and cash and cash equivalents.

Entergy records decommissioning trust funds on the balance sheet at their fair value. Because of the ability of the Registrant Subsidiaries to recover decommissioning costs in rates and in accordance with the regulatory treatment for decommissioning trust funds, the Registrant Subsidiaries have recorded an offsetting amount of unrealized gains/(losses) on investment securities in other regulatory liabilities/assets. For the nonregulated portion of River Bend, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana has recorded an offsetting amount of unrealized gains/(losses) in other deferred credits. Decommissioning trust funds for Pilgrim, Indian Point 2, Vermont Yankee, and Palisades do not meet the criteria for regulatory accounting treatment. Accordingly, unrealized gains recorded on the assets in these trust funds are recognized in the accumulated other comprehensive income component of shareholders' equity because these assets are classified as available for sale. Unrealized losses (where cost exceeds fair market value) on the assets in these trust funds are also recorded in the accumulated other comprehensive income component of shareholders' equity unless the unrealized loss is other than temporary and therefore recorded in earnings. Generally, Entergy records realized gains and losses on its debt and equity securities using the specific identification method to determine the cost basis of its securities.

The securities held as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are summarized as follows:

|                      | Fair<br>Value  | Total<br>Unrealized<br>Gains<br>(In Millions) | Total<br>Unrealized<br>Losses |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 2010                 |                |                                               |                               |
| Equity<br>Securities | \$1,974        | \$326                                         | \$20                          |
| Debt<br>Securities   | 1,357          | 58                                            | 5                             |
| <b>Total</b>         | <b>\$3,331</b> | <b>\$384</b>                                  | <b>\$25</b>                   |
| 2009                 |                |                                               |                               |
| Equity<br>Securities | \$1,788        | \$311                                         | \$30                          |
| Debt<br>Securities   | 1,423          | 63                                            | 8                             |
| <b>Total</b>         | <b>\$3,211</b> | <b>\$374</b>                                  | <b>\$38</b>                   |

The amortized cost of debt securities was \$1,300 million as of March 31, 2010 and \$1,368 million as of December 31, 2009. As of March 31, 2010, the debt securities have an average coupon rate of approximately 4.54%, an average

duration of approximately 5.06 years, and an average maturity of approximately 8.3 years. The equity securities are generally held in funds that are designed to approximate or somewhat exceed the return of the Standard & Poor's 500 Index. A relatively small percentage of the securities are held in funds intended to replicate the return of the Wilshire 4500 Index or the Russell 3000 Index.

The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of March 31, 2010:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
|                     | (In Millions)     |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$12              | \$-                     | \$293           | \$3                     |
| More than 12 months | 167               | 20                      | 29              | 2                       |
| Total               | \$179             | \$20                    | \$322           | \$5                     |

The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of December 31, 2009:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
|                     | (In Millions)     |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$57              | \$1                     | \$311           | \$6                     |
| More than 12 months | 205               | 29                      | 18              | 2                       |
| Total               | \$262             | \$30                    | \$329           | \$8                     |

The unrealized losses in excess of twelve months on equity securities above relate to Entergy's Utility operating companies and System Energy.

The fair value of debt securities, summarized by contractual maturities, as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are as follows:

|                    | 2010          | 2009 |
|--------------------|---------------|------|
|                    | (In Millions) |      |
| less than 1 year   | \$35          | \$31 |
| 1 year - 5 years   | 553           | 676  |
| 5 years - 10 years | 442           | 388  |
|                    | 113           | 131  |

|                        |         |         |
|------------------------|---------|---------|
| 10 years - 15<br>years |         |         |
| 15 years - 20<br>years | 58      | 34      |
| 20 years+              | 156     | 163     |
| Total                  | \$1,357 | \$1,423 |

During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, proceeds from the dispositions of securities amounted to \$771 million and \$583 million, respectively. During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, gross gains of \$15 million and \$14 million, respectively, and gross losses of \$2 million and \$16 million, respectively, were reclassified out of other comprehensive income into earnings.





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The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of December 31, 2009:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
|                     | (In Millions)     |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$-               | \$-                     | \$31.9          | \$1.2                   |
| More than 12 months | 26.8              | 3.4                     | 3.9             | 0.5                     |
| Total               | \$26.8            | \$3.4                   | \$35.8          | \$1.7                   |

The fair value of debt securities, summarized by contractual maturities, as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are as follows:

|                     | 2010          | 2009    |
|---------------------|---------------|---------|
|                     | (In Millions) |         |
| less than 1 year    | \$6.9         | \$6.7   |
| 1 year - 5 years    | 83.1          | 133.2   |
| 5 years - 10 years  | 91.3          | 68.2    |
| 10 years - 15 years | 3.6           | 5.1     |
| 15 years - 20 years | 2.5           | -       |
| 20 years+           | 5.3           | 6.3     |
| Total               | \$192.7       | \$219.5 |

During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, proceeds from the dispositions of securities amounted to \$99.0 million and \$29.8 million, respectively. During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, gross gains of \$2.0 million and \$0.1 million, respectively, and gross losses of \$0.3 million and \$0.8 million, respectively, were recorded in earnings.

#### Entergy Gulf States Louisiana

Entergy Gulf States Louisiana holds debt and equity securities, classified as available-for-sale, in nuclear decommissioning trust accounts. The securities held as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are summarized as follows:

|                   | Fair Value | Total Unrealized Gains<br>(In Millions) | Total Unrealized Losses |
|-------------------|------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 2010              |            |                                         |                         |
| Equity Securities | \$201.9    | \$25.1                                  | \$3.4                   |
| Debt Securities   | 161.0      | 9.0                                     | 0.7                     |
| Total             | \$362.9    | \$34.1                                  | \$4.1                   |
| 2009              |            |                                         |                         |
| Equity Securities | \$182.2    | \$17.0                                  | \$5.3                   |
| Debt Securities   | 167.3      | 10.0                                    | 0.9                     |

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|       |         |        |       |
|-------|---------|--------|-------|
| Total | \$349.5 | \$27.0 | \$6.2 |
|-------|---------|--------|-------|

The amortized cost of debt securities was \$152.7 million as of March 31, 2010 and \$158.5 million as of December 31, 2009. As of March 31, 2010, the debt securities have an average coupon rate of approximately 4.62%, an average duration of approximately 6.19 years, and an average maturity of approximately 9.3 years. The equity securities are generally held in funds that are designed to approximate the return of the Standard & Poor's 500 Index. A relatively small percentage of the securities are held in funds intended to replicate the return of the Wilshire 4500 Index.

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The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of March 31, 2010:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
|                     | (In Millions)     |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$-               | \$-                     | \$15.8          | \$0.3                   |
| More than 12 months | 32.7              | 3.4                     | 5.6             | 0.4                     |
| Total               | \$32.7            | \$3.4                   | \$21.4          | \$0.7                   |

The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of December 31, 2009:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
|                     | (In Millions)     |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$-               | \$-                     | \$24.7          | \$0.6                   |
| More than 12 months | 48.9              | 5.3                     | 4.3             | 0.3                     |
| Total               | \$48.9            | \$5.3                   | \$29.0          | \$0.9                   |

The fair value of debt securities, summarized by contractual maturities, as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are as follows:

|                     | 2010          | 2009  |
|---------------------|---------------|-------|
|                     | (In Millions) |       |
| less than 1 year    | \$4.4         | \$3.3 |
| 1 year - 5 years    | 34.6          | 46.1  |
| 5 years - 10 years  | 58.6          | 53.9  |
| 10 years - 15 years | 44.6          | 52.0  |

|               |         |         |
|---------------|---------|---------|
| 15 years - 20 |         |         |
| years         | 10.6    | 3.5     |
| 20 years+     | 8.2     | 8.5     |
| Total         | \$161.0 | \$167.3 |

During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, proceeds from the dispositions of securities amounted to \$42.3 million and \$23.8 million, respectively. During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, gross gains of \$0.9 million and \$0.8 million, respectively, and gross losses of \$0.05 million and \$0.1 million, respectively, were recorded in earnings.

## Entergy Louisiana

Entergy Louisiana holds debt and equity securities, classified as available-for-sale, in nuclear decommissioning trust accounts. The securities held as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are summarized as follows:

|                   | Fair Value | Total Unrealized Gains<br>(In Millions) | Total Unrealized Losses |
|-------------------|------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 2010              |            |                                         |                         |
| Equity Securities | \$131.0    | \$20.6                                  | \$3.6                   |
| Debt Securities   | 88.3       | 3.7                                     | 0.6                     |
| Total             | \$219.3    | \$24.3                                  | \$4.2                   |
| 2009              |            |                                         |                         |
| Equity Securities | \$117.9    | \$15.3                                  | \$5.3                   |
| Debt Securities   | 91.2       | 3.9                                     | 0.9                     |
| Total             | \$209.1    | \$19.2                                  | \$6.2                   |

The amortized cost of debt securities was \$85.4 million as of March 31, 2010 and \$88.2 million as of December 31, 2009. As of March 31, 2010, the debt securities have an average coupon rate of approximately 4.02%, an average duration of approximately 4.88 years, and an average maturity of approximately 9.8 years. The equity securities are generally held in funds that are designed to approximate the return of the Standard & Poor's 500 Index. A relatively small percentage of the securities are held in funds intended to replicate the return of the Wilshire 4500 Index.

The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of March 31, 2010:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
| (In Millions)       |                   |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$-               | \$-                     | \$25.5          | \$0.5                   |
| More than 12 months | 30.1              | 3.6                     | 2.3             | 0.1                     |
| Total               | \$30.1            | \$3.6                   | \$27.8          | \$0.6                   |

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The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of December 31, 2009:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
|                     | (In Millions)     |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$-               | \$-                     | \$29.7          | \$0.8                   |
| More than 12 months | 37.5              | 5.3                     | 0.9             | 0.1                     |
| Total               | \$37.5            | \$5.3                   | \$30.6          | \$0.9                   |

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The fair value of debt securities, summarized by contractual maturities, as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are as follows:

|                     | 2010          | 2009          |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|
|                     | (In Millions) |               |
| less than 1 year    | \$3.4         | \$2.2         |
| 1 year - 5 years    | 28.3          | 31.9          |
| 5 years - 10 years  | 24.0          | 23.7          |
| 10 years - 15 years | 11.5          | 12.1          |
| 15 years - 20 years | 6.3           | 5.5           |
| 20 years+           | 14.8          | 15.8          |
| <b>Total</b>        | <b>\$88.3</b> | <b>\$91.2</b> |

During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, proceeds from the dispositions of securities amounted to \$20.5 million and \$10.2 million, respectively. During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, gross gains of \$0.6 million and \$0.4 million, respectively, and gross losses of \$0.01 million and \$0.1 million, respectively, were recorded in earnings.

System Energy

System Energy holds debt and equity securities, classified as available-for-sale, in nuclear decommissioning trust accounts. The securities held as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are summarized as follows:

|                   | Fair Value     | Total Unrealized Gains<br>(In Millions) | Total Unrealized Losses |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>2010</b>       |                |                                         |                         |
| Equity Securities | \$197.8        | \$23.9                                  | \$10.5                  |
| Debt Securities   | 149.3          | 2.6                                     | 0.6                     |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>\$347.1</b> | <b>\$26.5</b>                           | <b>\$11.1</b>           |
| <b>2009</b>       |                |                                         |                         |
| Equity Securities | \$182.3        | \$17.8                                  | \$14.7                  |
| Debt Securities   | 144.7          | 2.8                                     | 0.8                     |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>\$327.0</b> | <b>\$20.6</b>                           | <b>\$15.5</b>           |



The amortized cost of debt securities was \$147.4 million as of March 31, 2010 and \$142.8 million as of December 31, 2009. As of March 31, 2010, the debt securities have an average coupon rate of approximately 3.96%, an average duration of approximately 4.83 years, and an average maturity of approximately 7.5 years. The equity securities are generally held in funds that are designed to approximate the return of the Standard & Poor's 500 Index. A relatively small percentage of the securities are held in funds intended to replicate the return of the Wilshire 4500 Index.

The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of March 31, 2010:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
|                     | (In Millions)     |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$-               | \$-                     | \$58.0          | \$0.5                   |
| More than 12 months | 82.1              | 10.5                    | 2.7             | 0.1                     |
| Total               | \$82.1            | \$10.5                  | \$60.7          | \$0.6                   |

The fair value and gross unrealized losses of available-for-sale equity and debt securities, summarized by investment type and length of time that the securities have been in a continuous loss position, are as follows as of December 31, 2009:

|                     | Equity Securities |                         | Debt Securities |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|
|                     | Fair Value        | Gross Unrealized Losses | Fair Value      | Gross Unrealized Losses |
|                     | (In Millions)     |                         |                 |                         |
| Less than 12 months | \$-               | \$-                     | \$56.4          | \$0.6                   |
| More than 12 months | 89.3              | 14.7                    | 3.2             | 0.2                     |
| Total               | \$89.3            | \$14.7                  | \$59.6          | \$0.8                   |

The fair value of debt securities, summarized by contractual maturities, as of March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009 are as follows:

|                     | 2010          | 2009  |
|---------------------|---------------|-------|
|                     | (In Millions) |       |
| less than 1 year    | \$-           | \$1.0 |
| 1 year - 5 years    | 85.5          | 84.0  |
| 5 years - 10 years  | 40.0          | 36.2  |
| 10 years - 15 years | 5.1           | 4.2   |

|               |         |         |
|---------------|---------|---------|
| 15 years - 20 |         |         |
| years         | 2.9     | 2.3     |
| 20 years+     | 15.8    | 17.0    |
| Total         | \$149.3 | \$144.7 |

During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, proceeds from the dispositions of securities amounted to \$81.4 million and \$151.9 million, respectively. During the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009, gross gains of \$1.0 million and \$3.0 million, respectively, and gross losses of \$0.1 million and \$2.4 million, respectively, were recorded in earnings.

#### Other-than-temporary impairments and unrealized gains and losses

Entergy, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and System Energy evaluate unrealized losses at the end of each period to determine whether an other-than-temporary impairment has occurred. Effective January 1, 2009, Entergy adopted an accounting pronouncement providing guidance regarding recognition and presentation of other-than-temporary impairments related to investments in debt securities. The assessment of whether an investment in a debt security has suffered an other-than-temporary impairment is based on whether Entergy has the intent to sell or more likely than not will be required to sell the debt security before recovery of its amortized costs. Further, if Entergy does not expect to recover the entire amortized cost basis of the debt security, an other-than-temporary impairment is considered to have occurred and it is measured by the present

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value of cash flows expected to be collected less the amortized cost basis (credit loss). For debt securities held as of January 1, 2009 for which an other-than-temporary impairment had previously been recognized but for which assessment under the new guidance indicates this impairment is temporary, Entergy recorded an adjustment to its opening balance of retained earnings of \$11.3 million (\$6.4 million net-of-tax). Entergy did not have any material other-than-temporary impairments relating to credit losses on debt securities for the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2009. The assessment of whether an investment in an equity security has suffered an other-than-temporary impairment continues to be based on a number of factors including, first, whether Entergy has the ability and intent to hold the investment to recover its value, the duration and severity of any losses, and, then, whether it is expected that the investment will recover its value within a reasonable period of time. Entergy's trusts are managed by third parties who operate in accordance with agreements that define investment guidelines and place restrictions on the purchases and sales of investments. Non-Utility Nuclear recorded charges to other income of \$16 million in the three months ended March 31, 2009 resulting from the recognition of the other-than-temporary impairment of certain equity securities held in its decommissioning trust funds.

NOTE 10. INCOME TAXES (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

Income Tax Audits and Litigation

See Note 3 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for a discussion of tax proceedings.

NOTE 11. PROPERTY, PLANT, AND EQUIPMENT (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

Construction expenditures included in accounts payable at March 31, 2010 is \$128.2 million for Entergy, \$13.2 million for Entergy Arkansas, \$13.3 million for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, \$26.0 million for Entergy Louisiana, \$3.0 million for Entergy Mississippi, \$22 thousand for Entergy New Orleans, \$4.4 million for Entergy Texas, and \$18.2 million for System Energy. Nuclear fuel purchases included in accounts payable at March 31, 2010 is \$112.7 million for Entergy and System Energy.

Entergy's Non-Utility Nuclear business currently has pending applications for license renewals for the Vermont Yankee, Pilgrim, Indian Point 2, and Indian Point 3 power plants. In addition, for Vermont Yankee the state certificates of public good to operate the plant and store spent nuclear fuel also expire in 2012. Non-Utility Nuclear filed an application with the Vermont Public Service Board on March 3, 2008 for approval of continued operations and storage of spent nuclear fuel generated after March 21, 2012. Under Vermont law the Vermont General Assembly approval of Non-Utility Nuclear's request is required for the request to be granted. On February 24, 2010, a bill to approve the continued operation of Vermont Yankee was advanced to a vote in the Vermont Senate and defeated by a margin of 26 to 4. This vote does not preclude the Vermont Senate from voting again on a similar bill in the future. If all necessary approvals to operate Vermont Yankee beyond its current license expiration are not received, it could result in an impairment of part or all of the carrying value of the plant, including any capitalized asset retirement cost associated with the recording of the decommissioning liability. Decommissioning liabilities are further described in Note 9 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K.



**NOTE 12. VARIABLE INTEREST ENTITIES (Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, System Energy)**

Under applicable authoritative accounting guidance, a variable interest entity (VIE) is an entity that conducts a business or holds property that possesses any of the following characteristics: an insufficient amount of equity at risk to finance its activities, equity owners who do not have the power to direct the significant activities of the entity (or have voting rights that are disproportionate to their ownership interest), or where equity holders do not receive expected losses or returns. An entity may have an interest in a VIE through ownership or other contractual rights or obligations, and is required to consolidate a VIE if it is the VIE's primary beneficiary.

The FASB issued authoritative accounting guidance that became effective in the first quarter 2010 that revises the manner in which entities evaluate whether consolidation is required for VIEs. Under the revised guidance, the primary beneficiary of a VIE is the entity that has the power to direct the activities of the VIE that most significantly affect the VIE's economic performance, and has the obligation to absorb losses or has the right to residual returns that would potentially be significant to the entity. In conjunction with the adoption of the new guidance, Entergy updated reviews of its contracts and arrangements to determine whether Entergy is the primary beneficiary of a VIE based on the revisions to the previous consolidation model and other provisions of this standard. Based on this review Entergy determined that Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and System Energy should consolidate the respective companies from which they lease nuclear fuel, usually in a sale and leaseback transaction. This determination is because Entergy directs the nuclear fuel companies with respect to nuclear fuel purchases, assists the nuclear fuel companies in obtaining financing, and, if financing cannot be arranged, the lessee (Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, or System Energy) is responsible to repurchase nuclear fuel to allow the nuclear fuel company (the VIE) to meet its obligations. Under the previous guidance, the determination of the primary beneficiary of a VIE was based on ownership interests and the risks and rewards in the entity attributable to the variable interest holders. Therefore, the Entergy companies did not previously consolidate the nuclear fuel companies. Because Entergy has historically accounted for the leases with the nuclear fuel companies as capital lease obligations, the effect of consolidating the nuclear fuel companies did not materially affect Entergy's financial statements. During the term of the arrangements, none of the Entergy operating companies have been required to provide financial support apart from their scheduled lease payments. These nuclear fuel leases are further described in Note 10 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K. See Note 4 to the financial statements herein for details of the nuclear fuel companies' credit facility borrowings and long-term debt that are reported by Entergy, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and System Energy. These amounts also represent Entergy's and the respective Registrant Subsidiary's maximum exposure to losses associated with their respective interests in the nuclear fuel companies.

Entergy Louisiana and System Energy are also considered to each hold a variable interest in the lessors from which they lease undivided interests representing approximately 9.3% of the Waterford 3 and 11.5% of the Grand Gulf nuclear plants, respectively. Entergy Louisiana and System Energy are the lessees under these arrangements, which are described in more detail in Note 10 to the consolidated financial statements in the Form 10-K. Entergy Louisiana made payments on its lease, including interest, of \$25.3 million in the first quarter 2010 and \$22.0 million in the first quarter 2009. System Energy made payments on its lease, including interest, of \$45.7 million in the first quarter 2010 and \$43.8 million in the first quarter 2009. The lessors are banks acting in the capacity of owner trustee for the benefit of equity investors in the transactions pursuant to trust agreements entered solely for the purpose of facilitating the lease transactions. It is possible that Entergy Louisiana and System Energy may be considered as the primary beneficiary of the lessors, but Entergy is unable to apply the revised authoritative accounting guidance with respect to these VIEs because the lessors are not required to, and could not, provide the necessary financial information to

consolidate the lessors. Because Entergy accounts for these leasing arrangements as capital financings, however, Entergy believes that consolidating the lessors would not materially affect the financial statements. In the unlikely event of default under a lease, remedies available to the lessor include payment by the lessee of the fair value of the undivided interest in the plant, payment of the present value of the basic rent payments, or payment of a predetermined casualty value. Entergy believes, however, that the obligations recorded on the balance sheets materially represent each companies' potential exposure to loss.

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Entergy has also reviewed various lease arrangements, power purchase agreements, and other agreements in which it holds a variable interest. In these cases, Entergy has determined that it is not the primary beneficiary of the related VIE because it does not have the power to direct the activities of the VIE that most significantly affect the VIE's economic performance, or it does not have the obligation to absorb losses or the right to residual returns that would potentially be significant to the entity, or both.

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In the opinion of the management of Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas and System Energy, the accompanying unaudited financial statements contain all adjustments (consisting primarily of normal recurring accruals and reclassification of previously reported amounts to conform to current classifications) necessary for a fair statement of the results for the interim periods presented. The business of the Registrant Subsidiaries is subject to seasonal fluctuations, however, with the peak periods occurring during the third quarter. The results for the interim periods presented should not be used as a basis for estimating results of operations for a full year.



Part I, Item 4. Controls and Procedures

Disclosure Controls and Procedures

As of March 31, 2010, evaluations were performed under the supervision and with the participation of Entergy Corporation, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy (individually "Registrant" and collectively the "Registrants") management, including their respective Principal Executive Officers (PEO) and Principal Financial Officers (CFO). The evaluations assessed the effectiveness of the Registrants' disclosure controls and procedures. Based on the evaluations, each PEO and PFO has concluded that, as to the Registrant or Registrants for which they serve as PEO or PFO, the Registrant's or Registrants' disclosure controls and procedures are effective to ensure that information required to be disclosed by each Registrant in reports that it files or submits under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in Securities and Exchange Commission rules and forms; and that the Registrant's or Registrants' disclosure controls and procedures are also effective in reasonably assuring that such information is accumulated and communicated to the Registrant's or Registrants' management, including their respective PEOs and PFOs, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

Changes in Internal Controls over Financial Reporting

Under the supervision and with the participation of the Registrants' management, including their respective PEOs and PFOs, the Registrants evaluated changes in internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the quarter ended March 31, 2010 and found no change that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, internal control over financial reporting.

## ENTERGY ARKANSAS, INC.

## MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## Results of Operations

## Net Income

Net income remained relatively unchanged, decreasing by \$0.8 million, for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to higher other operation and maintenance expenses substantially offset by higher other income.

## Net Revenue

Net revenue consists of operating revenues net of: 1) fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale, 2) purchased power expenses, and 3) other regulatory credits. Following is an analysis of the change in net revenue comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009.

|                          | Amount<br>(In<br>Millions) |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| 2009 net revenue         | \$259.8                    |
| Volume/weather           | 9.1                        |
| Net wholesale<br>revenue | (5.2)                      |
| Retail electric<br>price | (4.4)                      |
| Other                    | 1.1                        |
| 2010 net revenue         | \$260.4                    |

The volume/weather variance is primarily due to the effect of more favorable weather on residential sales.

The net wholesale revenue variance is primarily due to the expiration of a wholesale customer contract in 2009.

The retail electric price variance is primarily due to the recovery in 2009 of 2008 extraordinary storm costs as approved by the APSC, effective January 2009. The recovery of 2008 extraordinary storm costs is discussed in Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K.

## Other Income Statement Variances

Other operation and maintenance expenses increased primarily due to:

- an increase of \$7.4 million in payroll-related and benefits costs;
- nuclear insurance premium refunds of \$3.4 million received in 2009; and
  - an increase of \$1.2 million in vegetation maintenance.

The increase was partially offset by:

- a decrease of \$5.7 million due to 2008 storm costs which were deferred per an APSC order and were recovered through revenues in 2009; and
  - a decrease of \$3.3 million in fossil expenses due to early plant outage costs in 2009.

Other income increased primarily due to an increase of \$3.4 million in earnings on decommissioning trust funds.

## Income Taxes

The effective income tax rates for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 were 48.8% and 51.8%, respectively. The differences in the effective income tax rates for the first quarter 2010 and 2009 versus the federal statutory rate of 35.0% are primarily due to certain book and tax differences related to utility plant items.

## Liquidity and Capital Resources

## Cash Flow

Cash flows for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 were as follows:

|                                                  | 2010           | 2009      |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                  | (In Thousands) |           |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | \$86,233       | \$39,568  |
| Cash flow provided by (used in):                 |                |           |
| Operating activities                             | 222,382        | 186,951   |
| Investing activities                             | (111,499)      | (126,646) |
| Financing activities                             | (32,873)       | (7,658)   |
| Net increase in cash and cash equivalents        | 78,010         | 52,647    |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period       | \$164,243      | \$92,215  |

## Operating Activities

Cash flow from operations increased \$35.4 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to the timing of accounts receivable and payable activity and ice storm restoration spending in 2009, partially offset by decreased recovery of fuel costs, an increase of \$16.4 million in pension contributions, and income tax refunds of \$24.9 million received in 2009.

## Investing Activities

Net cash flow used in investing activities decreased \$15.1 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to a decrease in distribution construction expenditures as a result of an ice storm hitting Entergy Arkansas's service territory in the first quarter 2009, partially offset by an increase in nuclear construction expenditures primarily due to the reactor coolant pump upgrade project and security upgrades.

## Financing Activities

Net cash flow used in financing activities increased \$25.2 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to the payment on a short-term note of \$17.5 million and an increase of \$7.6 million in common stock dividends paid in 2010.



Environmental Quality (ADEQ) prepared a State Implementation Plan (SIP) for Arkansas facilities to implement its obligations under the Clean Air Visibility Rule. The ADEQ determined that Entergy Arkansas's White Bluff power plant affects a Class I Area visibility and will be subject to the EPA's presumptive BART requirements to install scrubbers and low NOx burners. Under current regulations, the scrubbers would have to be operational by October 2013. Entergy filed a petition in December 2009 with the Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology (APC&E) Commission requesting a variance from this deadline, however, because the EPA has not approved Arkansas's Regional Haze SIP and the EPA has recently expressed concerns about Arkansas's Regional Haze SIP and questioned the appropriateness of issuing an air permit prior to that approval. Entergy Arkansas's petition requested that, consistent with federal law, the compliance deadline be changed as expeditiously as practicable, but in no event later than five years after EPA approval of the Arkansas Regional Haze SIP. The APC&E Commission approved the variance at its March 26, 2010 meeting. The timeline for EPA action on the Arkansas Regional Haze SIP is uncertain at this time.

In March 2009, Entergy Arkansas made a filing with the APSC seeking a declaratory order that the White Bluff project is in the public interest. In May 2009 the APSC Staff filed a motion requesting that the APSC require Entergy Arkansas to file testimony on several issues. In December 2009, in response to the EPA concerns regarding Arkansas's Regional Haze SIP, the APSC suspended the procedural schedule in the proceeding and directed Entergy Arkansas to file monthly status reports regarding developments between the EPA and the ADEQ concerning the EPA's approval of the Arkansas Regional Haze SIP.

Currently, the White Bluff project is suspended, but the latest conceptual cost estimate indicated that Entergy Arkansas's share of the project could cost approximately \$465 million. The plant would continue to operate during construction, although an outage would be necessary to complete the tie in of the scrubbers. Entergy continues to review potential environmental spending needs and financing alternatives for any such spending, and future spending estimates are likely to change based on the results of this continuing analysis.

#### State and Local Rate Regulation

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS – State and Local Rate Regulation" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of state and local rate regulation. Following is an update to the discussion in the Form 10-K.

On September 4, 2009, Entergy Arkansas filed with the APSC for a general change in rates, charges, and tariffs. Entergy Arkansas requested a \$223.2 million base rate increase that would become effective in July 2010. In testimony filed in March 2010, Entergy Arkansas lowered its requested base rate increase to \$168.6 million. The request now reflects a 10.65% return on common equity, using a projected capital structure, and proposes a formula rate plan mechanism. Proposed formula rate plan provisions include a +/- 25 basis point bandwidth, with earnings outside the bandwidth reset to the 10.65% return on common equity midpoint and rates changing on a prospective basis depending on whether Entergy Arkansas is over or under-earning. The proposed formula rate plan also includes a recovery mechanism for APSC-approved costs for additional capacity purchases or construction/acquisition of new transmission or generating facilities. Entergy Arkansas also lowered its requested annual storm damage accrual to \$13.8 million. The latest APSC Staff position filed in testimony proposes a \$49 million revenue increase reflecting a 10.1% return on common equity and \$10 million for the 2009 ice storm. In the event a formula rate plan is adopted, the APSC Staff recommends a further return on common equity reduction to 9.6%. The APSC scheduled hearings in the proceeding beginning in May 2010.

#### Entergy Arkansas Storm Reserve Accounting

The APSC's June 2007 order in Entergy Arkansas' base rate proceeding eliminated storm reserve accounting for Entergy Arkansas. In March 2009 a law was enacted in Arkansas that requires the APSC to permit storm reserve accounting for utilities that request it. Entergy Arkansas filed its request with the APSC, and has reinstated storm reserve accounting effective January 1, 2009. A hearing on Entergy Arkansas' request was held in March 2010, and in April 2010 the ALJ approved Entergy Arkansas's establishment of a storm cost reserve account.

#### Federal Regulation

See "System Agreement Proceedings" and "Independent Coordinator of Transmission" in the "Rate, Cost-recovery, and Other Regulation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K.



Nuclear Matters

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Nuclear Matters" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of nuclear matters.

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Environmental Risks

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Environmental Risks" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of environmental risks.

Critical Accounting Estimates

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Critical Accounting Estimates" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the estimates and judgments necessary in Entergy Arkansas's accounting for nuclear decommissioning costs, unbilled revenue, and qualified pension and other postretirement benefits.

Federal Healthcare Legislation

See the "Critical Accounting Estimates - Federal Healthcare Legislation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for an update to the Form 10-K discussion on critical accounting estimates.

ENTERGY ARKANSAS, INC.  
 INCOME STATEMENTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                           | 2010<br>(In Thousands) | 2009           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| <b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>                                 |                        |                |
| Electric                                                  | \$ 531,894             | \$ 535,994     |
| <b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>                                 |                        |                |
| Operation and Maintenance:                                |                        |                |
| Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | 165,730                | 185,156        |
| Purchased power                                           | 108,150                | 94,327         |
| Nuclear refueling outage expenses                         | 11,111                 | 9,494          |
| Other operation and maintenance                           | 112,140                | 107,426        |
| Decommissioning                                           | 8,742                  | 9,143          |
| Taxes other than income taxes                             | 22,524                 | 21,367         |
| Depreciation and amortization                             | 63,998                 | 62,361         |
| Other regulatory credits - net                            | (2,418 )               | (3,335 )       |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>489,977</b>         | <b>485,939</b> |
| <b>OPERATING INCOME</b>                                   | <b>41,917</b>          | <b>50,055</b>  |
| <b>OTHER INCOME</b>                                       |                        |                |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction       | 1,454                  | 1,775          |
| Interest and dividend income                              | 7,688                  | 3,224          |
| Miscellaneous - net                                       | 238                    | (928 )         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>9,380</b>           | <b>4,071</b>   |
| <b>INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES</b>                         |                        |                |
| Interest on long-term debt                                | 21,360                 | 21,212         |
| Other interest - net                                      | 976                    | 674            |
| Allowance for borrowed funds used during construction     | (849 )                 | (1,103 )       |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>21,487</b>          | <b>20,783</b>  |
| <b>INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES</b>                         | <b>29,810</b>          | <b>33,343</b>  |
| Income taxes                                              | 14,557                 | 17,273         |
| <b>NET INCOME</b>                                         | <b>15,253</b>          | <b>16,070</b>  |
| Preferred dividend requirements and other                 | 1,718                  | 1,718          |

EARNINGS APPLICABLE TO

|              |           |           |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| COMMON STOCK | \$ 13,535 | \$ 14,352 |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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ENTERGY ARKANSAS, INC.  
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                        | 2010           | 2009      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                        | (In Thousands) |           |
| <b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Net income                                                                             | \$ 15,253      | \$ 16,070 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flow provided by operating activities: |                |           |
| Reserve for regulatory adjustments                                                     | (2,417 )       | 1,203     |
| Other regulatory credits - net                                                         | (2,418 )       | (3,335 )  |
| Depreciation, amortization, and decommissioning, including nuclear fuel amortization   | 91,235         | 71,504    |
| Deferred income taxes, investment tax credits, and non-current taxes accrued           | (64,921 )      | 38,870    |
| Changes in working capital:                                                            |                |           |
| Receivables                                                                            | 38,352         | 12,383    |
| Fuel inventory                                                                         | (11,737 )      | (16,087 ) |
| Accounts payable                                                                       | (13,464 )      | (2,904 )  |
| Taxes accrued                                                                          | 63,837         | -         |
| Interest accrued                                                                       | (2,735 )       | (2,413 )  |
| Deferred fuel costs                                                                    | 98,976         | 115,120   |
| Other working capital accounts                                                         | 30,362         | 14,784    |
| Provision for estimated losses and reserves                                            | (8,191 )       | (3,247 )  |
| Changes in other regulatory assets                                                     | (30,940 )      | (33,221 ) |
| Changes in pension and other postretirement liabilities                                | (15,774 )      | (1,438 )  |
| Other                                                                                  | 36,964         | (20,338 ) |
| Net cash flow provided by operating activities                                         | 222,382        | 186,951   |
| <b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Construction expenditures                                                              | (64,856 )      | (83,527 ) |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction                                    | 1,454          | 1,775     |
| Nuclear fuel purchases                                                                 | (1,619 )       | (194 )    |
| Proceeds from sale/leaseback of nuclear fuel                                           | -              | 217       |
| Proceeds from nuclear decommissioning trust fund sales                                 | 98,992         | 29,779    |
| Investment in nuclear decommissioning trust funds                                      | (101,901 )     | (31,469 ) |
| Proceeds from sale of equipment                                                        | 2,489          | -         |

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|                                                          |            |              |
|----------------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------|
| Change in money pool receivable - net                    | (46,058 )  | (43,227 )    |
| Net cash flow used in investing activities               | (111,499 ) | (126,646)    |
| <b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                              |            |              |
| Changes in short-term borrowings - net                   | (17,531 )  | -            |
| Dividends paid:                                          |            |              |
| Common stock                                             | (13,400 )  | (5,800 )     |
| Preferred stock                                          | (1,718 )   | (1,718 )     |
| Other                                                    | (224 )     | (140 )       |
| Net cash flow used in financing activities               | (32,873 )  | (7,658 )     |
| Net increase in cash and cash equivalents                | 78,010     | 52,647       |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period         | 86,233     | 39,568       |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period               | \$ 164,243 | \$ 92,215    |
| <b>SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:</b> |            |              |
| Cash paid/(received) during the period for:              |            |              |
| Interest - net of amount capitalized                     | \$ 20,770  | \$ 23,197    |
| Income taxes                                             | \$ -       | \$ (24,911 ) |
| See Notes to Financial Statements.                       |            |              |

ENTERGY ARKANSAS, INC.  
BALANCE SHEETS

ASSETS

March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009

(Unaudited)

|                                                                | 2010             | 2009             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>                                          |                  |                  |
| Cash and cash equivalents                                      |                  |                  |
| Cash                                                           | \$ 436           | \$ 3,336         |
| Temporary cash investments                                     | 163,807          | 82,897           |
| Total cash and cash equivalents                                | 164,243          | 86,233           |
| Accounts receivable:                                           |                  |                  |
| Customer                                                       | 102,747          | 93,754           |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                                | (22,318 )        | (21,853 )        |
| Associated companies                                           | 113,182          | 91,650           |
| Other                                                          | 52,370           | 55,381           |
| Accrued unbilled revenues                                      | 56,783           | 76,126           |
| Total accounts receivable                                      | 302,764          | 295,058          |
| Deferred fuel costs                                            | 23,826           | 122,802          |
| Fuel inventory - at average cost                               | 26,797           | 15,060           |
| Materials and supplies - at average cost                       | 133,200          | 132,182          |
| Deferred nuclear refueling outage costs                        | 35,044           | 34,492           |
| System agreement cost equalization                             | 70,000           | 70,000           |
| Prepayments and other                                          | 11,638           | 32,668           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>767,512</b>   | <b>788,495</b>   |
| <b>OTHER PROPERTY AND INVESTMENTS</b>                          |                  |                  |
| Investment in affiliates - at equity                           | 11,201           | 11,201           |
| Decommissioning trust funds                                    | 459,470          | 440,220          |
| Non-utility property - at cost (less accumulated depreciation) | 1,435            | 1,435            |
| Other                                                          | 2,976            | 2,976            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>475,082</b>   | <b>455,832</b>   |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT</b>                                           |                  |                  |
| Electric                                                       | 7,623,516        | 7,602,975        |
| Property under capital lease                                   | 1,350            | 1,364            |
| Construction work in progress                                  | 139,179          | 114,998          |
| Nuclear fuel under capital lease                               | -                | 173,076          |
| Nuclear fuel                                                   | 167,408          | 11,543           |
| <b>TOTAL UTILITY PLANT</b>                                     | <b>7,931,453</b> | <b>7,903,956</b> |
| Less - accumulated depreciation and amortization               | 3,566,222        | 3,534,056        |



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|                                         |              |              |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| UTILITY PLANT - NET                     | 4,365,231    | 4,369,900    |
| DEFERRED DEBITS AND OTHER ASSETS        |              |              |
| Regulatory assets:                      |              |              |
| Regulatory asset for income taxes - net | 51,476       | 51,340       |
| Other regulatory assets                 | 777,105      | 746,955      |
| Other                                   | 27,483       | 23,118       |
| TOTAL                                   | 856,064      | 821,413      |
| TOTAL ASSETS                            | \$ 6,463,889 | \$ 6,435,640 |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY ARKANSAS, INC.  
BALANCE SHEETS  
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                                                          | 2010             | 2009             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                                                                          | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                                                                               |                  |                  |
| Currently maturing long-term debt                                                                                        | \$ 100,000       | \$ 100,000       |
| Notes payable                                                                                                            | 39,535           | -                |
| Accounts payable:                                                                                                        |                  |                  |
| Associated companies                                                                                                     | 97,980           | 107,584          |
| Other                                                                                                                    | 110,757          | 111,523          |
| Customer deposits                                                                                                        | 68,463           | 67,480           |
| Taxes accrued                                                                                                            | 63,837           | -                |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                                                                                        | 35,802           | 74,794           |
| Interest accrued                                                                                                         | 23,859           | 24,104           |
| Obligations under capital leases                                                                                         | 63               | 72,838           |
| Other                                                                                                                    | 24,661           | 14,742           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                                                                             | <b>564,957</b>   | <b>573,065</b>   |
| <b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                                                                           |                  |                  |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes and taxes accrued                                                                      | 1,498,220        | 1,493,580        |
| Accumulated deferred investment tax credits                                                                              | 46,917           | 47,909           |
| Obligations under capital leases                                                                                         | 1,287            | 101,601          |
| Other regulatory liabilities                                                                                             | 123,668          | 101,370          |
| Decommissioning                                                                                                          | 575,116          | 566,374          |
| Accumulated provisions                                                                                                   | 5,026            | 13,217           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                                                                             | 432,647          | 448,421          |
| Long-term debt                                                                                                           | 1,653,645        | 1,518,569        |
| Other                                                                                                                    | 34,360           | 43,623           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                                                                             | <b>4,370,886</b> | <b>4,334,664</b> |
| <b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>                                                                                     |                  |                  |
| Preferred stock without sinking fund                                                                                     | 116,350          | 116,350          |
| <b>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>                                                                                              |                  |                  |
| Common stock, \$0.01 par value, authorized 325,000,000 shares; issued and outstanding 46,980,196 shares in 2010 and 2009 | 470              | 470              |

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|                                               |              |              |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Paid-in capital                               | 588,444      | 588,444      |
| Retained earnings                             | 822,782      | 822,647      |
| TOTAL                                         | 1,411,696    | 1,411,561    |
|                                               |              |              |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND<br>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY | \$ 6,463,889 | \$ 6,435,640 |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY ARKANSAS, INC.  
 SELECTED OPERATING RESULTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

| Description                         | 2010                  | 2009   | Increase/<br>(Decrease) | %      |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|
|                                     | (Dollars In Millions) |        |                         |        |
| <b>Electric Operating Revenues:</b> |                       |        |                         |        |
| Residential                         | \$ 219                | \$ 211 | \$ 8                    | 4      |
| Commercial                          | 109                   | 114    | (5 )                    | (4 )   |
| Industrial                          | 101                   | 104    | (3 )                    | (3 )   |
| Governmental                        | 5                     | 4      | 1                       | 25     |
| Total retail                        | 434                   | 433    | 1                       | -      |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |        |
| Associated companies                | 79                    | 73     | 6                       | 8      |
| Non-associated companies            | 24                    | 32     | (8 )                    | (25 )  |
| Other                               | (5 )                  | (2 )   | (3 )                    | (150 ) |
| Total                               | \$ 532                | \$ 536 | \$ (4 )                 | (1 )   |
| <b>Billed Electric Energy</b>       |                       |        |                         |        |
| Sales (GWh):                        |                       |        |                         |        |
| Residential                         | 2,401                 | 2,109  | 292                     | 14     |
| Commercial                          | 1,380                 | 1,352  | 28                      | 2      |
| Industrial                          | 1,586                 | 1,499  | 87                      | 6      |
| Governmental                        | 64                    | 64     | -                       | -      |
| Total retail                        | 5,431                 | 5,024  | 407                     | 8      |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |        |
| Associated companies                | 1,986                 | 1,870  | 116                     | 6      |
| Non-associated companies            | 248                   | 563    | (315 )                  | (56 )  |
| Total                               | 7,665                 | 7,457  | 208                     | 3      |

## ENTERGY GULF STATES LOUISIANA, L.L.C.

## MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## Results of Operations

## Net Income

Net income increased by \$11 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to higher net revenue and lower interest expense, partially offset by lower other income.

## Net Revenue

Net revenue consists of operating revenues net of: 1) fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale, 2) purchased power expenses and 3) other regulatory charges (credits). Following is an analysis of the change in net revenue comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009.

|                       | Amount<br>(In<br>Millions) |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 2009 net revenue      | \$196.1                    |
| Volume/weather        | 17.1                       |
| Retail electric price | 8.2                        |
| Net wholesale revenue | (7.3)                      |
| Other                 | 3.9                        |
| 2010 net revenue      | \$218.0                    |

The volume/weather variance is primarily due to an increase of 698 GWh, or 18%, in billed electricity usage in all sectors, including the effect of more favorable weather on the residential sector.

The retail electric price variance is primarily due to a formula rate plan increase effective November 2009. See Note 2 to the financial statements for further discussion of the formula rate plan increase.

The net wholesale revenue variance is primarily due to the transfer of several wholesale customers to Entergy Texas in the first quarter 2010.

## Other Income Statement Variances

Other income decreased primarily due to a decrease of \$7.7 million in interest and dividend income related to the debt assumption agreement with Entergy Texas. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana remains primarily liable on this debt, of which \$159 million remained outstanding as of March 31, 2010 and \$699 million remained outstanding as of March 31, 2009.

Interest expense decreased primarily due to a decrease in mortgage bonds and governmental bonds outstanding.



Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, L.L.C.  
Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis

### Income Taxes

The effective income tax rate was 38.2% for the first quarter 2010 and 41.1% for the first quarter 2009. The difference in the effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2010 versus the federal statutory rate of 35% is primarily due to certain book and tax differences related to the utility plant items and state income taxes, partially offset by book and tax differences related to storm cost financing and the amortization of investment tax credits. The difference in the effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2009 versus the federal statutory rate of 35% is primarily due to certain book and tax differences related to the utility plant items and state income taxes, partially offset by book and tax differences related to storm cost financing, flow through book and tax timing differences, book and tax differences related to allowance for equity funds used during construction, and the amortization of investment tax credits.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

#### Cash Flow

Cash flows for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 were as follows:

|                                                  | 2010           | 2009     |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|
|                                                  | (In Thousands) |          |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | \$144,460      | \$49,303 |
| Cash flow provided by (used in):                 |                |          |
| Operating activities                             | 90,288         | 38,818   |
| Investing activities                             | (77,992)       | (54,820) |
| Financing activities                             | (47,934)       | (206)    |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents        | (35,638)       | (16,208) |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period       | \$108,822      | \$33,095 |

#### Operating Activities

Net cash flow provided by operating activities increased \$51.5 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to income tax payments of \$27.9 million in 2009, a decrease of \$13.5 million in interest payments, and storm restoration spending in 2009.

#### Investing Activities

Net cash flow used in investing activities increased \$23.2 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to:

- an increase in construction expenditures resulting from \$24.9 million in costs associated with the development of new nuclear generation at River Bend, as discussed below;
- proceeds from the sale/leaseback of nuclear fuel of \$10.5 million in 2009. See Note 12 to the financial statements for discussion of the consolidation of nuclear fuel company variable interest entities effective January 1, 2010; and
  - an increase of \$9.1 million in nuclear fuel purchases.

The increase was partially offset by a decrease in distribution construction expenditures related to Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike work in 2009 and money pool activity.



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Decreases in Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's receivable from the money pool are a source of cash flow, and Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's receivable from the money pool decreased by \$0.8 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to increasing by \$9.2 million for the first quarter 2009. The money pool is an inter-company borrowing arrangement designed to reduce the Utility subsidiaries' need for external short-term borrowings.

#### Financing Activities

Net cash flow used in financing activities increased \$47.7 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to \$41 million of common equity distributions in 2010.

#### Capital Structure

Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's capitalization is balanced between equity and debt, as shown in the following table. The calculation below does not reduce the debt by the debt assumed by Entergy Texas (\$159 million as of March 31, 2010, and \$168 million as of December 31, 2009) because Entergy Gulf States Louisiana remains primarily liable on the debt.

|                                      | March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Net debt to net capital              | 53.7%                | 53.2%                   |
| Effect of subtracting cash from debt | 1.6%                 | 2.1%                    |
| Debt to capital                      | 55.3%                | 55.3%                   |

Net debt consists of debt less cash and cash equivalents. Debt consists of notes payable, capital lease obligations and long-term debt, including the currently maturing portion. Capital consists of debt and members' equity. Net capital consists of capital less cash and cash equivalents. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana uses the net debt to net capital ratio in analyzing its financial condition and believes it provides useful information to its investors and creditors in evaluating Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's financial condition.

#### Uses and Sources of Capital

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Liquidity and Capital Resources" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's uses and sources of capital. Following are additional updates to the information provided in the Form 10-K.

Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's receivables from the money pool were as follows:

| March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 | March<br>31,<br>2009 | December<br>31,<br>2008 |
|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
|                      |                         |                      |                         |
| (In Thousands)       |                         |                      |                         |

|          |          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| \$49,346 | \$50,131 | \$20,805 | \$11,589 |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|

See Note 4 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for a description of the money pool.

As discussed in the Form 10-K, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana has a credit facility in the amount of \$100 million scheduled to expire in August 2012. No borrowings were outstanding under the facility as of March 31, 2010.

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New Nuclear Development

As discussed in the Form 10-K, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana provided public notice to the LPSC of their intention to make a filing pursuant to the LPSC's general order that governs the development of new nuclear generation in Louisiana. The project option being developed by the companies is for new nuclear generation at River Bend. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana, together with Entergy Mississippi, have been engaged in the development of options to construct new nuclear generation at the River Bend and Grand Gulf sites. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana are leading the development at River Bend, and Entergy Mississippi is leading the development at Grand Gulf. This project is in the early stages, and several issues remain to be addressed over time before significant additional capital would be committed to this project. In the first quarter 2010, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana each paid for and recognized on its books \$24.9 million in costs associated with the development of new nuclear generation at the River Bend site; these costs previously had been recorded on the books of Entergy New Nuclear Utility Development, LLC, a System Energy subsidiary. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana will share costs going forward on a 50/50 basis, which reflects each company's current participation level in the project. In March 2010, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana filed with the LPSC seeking approval to continue the development activities. A procedural schedule has not been established.

Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike

As discussed in the Form 10-K, in September 2008, Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike caused catastrophic damage to Entergy's service territory. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana filed their Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike storm cost recovery case with the LPSC in May 2009. In September 2009, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana and the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation (LURC), an instrumentality of the State of Louisiana, filed with the LPSC an application requesting that the LPSC grant financing orders authorizing the financing of Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's storm costs, storm reserves, and issuance costs pursuant to Act 55 of the Louisiana Regular Session of 2007 (Act 55 financings). Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita storm costs were financed primarily by Act 55 financings, as discussed in the Form 10-K. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana also filed an application requesting LPSC approval for ancillary issues including the mechanism to flow charges and Act 55 financing savings to customers via a Storm Cost Offset rider. On December 30, 2009, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana entered into a stipulation agreement with the LPSC Staff that provides for total recoverable costs of approximately \$234 million for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and \$394 million for Entergy Louisiana. Under this stipulation, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana agrees not to recover \$4.4 million and Entergy Louisiana agrees not to recover \$7.2 million of their storm restoration spending. The stipulation also permits replenishing Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's storm reserve in the amount of \$90 million and Entergy Louisiana's storm reserve in the amount of \$200 million when the Act 55 financings are accomplished. In March and April 2010, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and other parties to the proceeding filed with the LPSC an uncontested stipulated settlement that includes these terms and also includes Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's proposals under the Act 55 financings, which includes a commitment to pass on to customers a minimum of \$15.5 million and \$27.75 million of customer benefits, respectively, through prospective annual rate reductions of \$3.1 million and \$5.55 million for five years. A stipulation hearing was held before the ALJ on April 13, 2010. On April 21, 2010, the LPSC approved the settlement and subsequently issued two financing orders and one ratemaking order intended to facilitate the implementation of the Act 55 financings. Louisiana State Bond Commission approval is now required before Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana proceed with the Act 55 financings.

State and Local Rate Regulation

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS – State and Local Rate Regulation" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of state and local rate regulation.

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Federal Regulation

See "System Agreement Proceedings" and "Independent Coordinator of Transmission" in the "Rate, Cost-recovery, and Other Regulation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K.

Nuclear Matters

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Nuclear Matters" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of nuclear matters.

Environmental Risks

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Environmental Risks" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of environmental risks.

Critical Accounting Estimates

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Critical Accounting Estimates" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the estimates and judgments necessary in Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's accounting for nuclear decommissioning costs, unbilled revenue, and qualified pension and other postretirement benefits.

Federal Healthcare Legislation

See the "Critical Accounting Estimates - Federal Healthcare Legislation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for an update to the Form 10-K discussion on critical accounting estimates.

ENTERGY GULF STATES LOUISIANA, L.L.C.  
 INCOME STATEMENTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                       | 2010           | 2009           |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                                                       | (In Thousands) |                |
| <b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>                             |                |                |
| Electric                                              | \$ 457,781     | \$ 459,005     |
| Natural gas                                           | 40,894         | 29,900         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>498,675</b> | <b>488,905</b> |
| <b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>                             |                |                |
| Operation and Maintenance:                            |                |                |
| Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and                      |                |                |
| gas purchased for resale                              | 64,136         | 107,991        |
| Purchased power                                       | 218,610        | 179,942        |
| Nuclear refueling outage expenses                     | 5,718          | 5,235          |
| Other operation and maintenance                       | 79,639         | 79,752         |
| Decommissioning                                       | 3,279          | 3,295          |
| Taxes other than income taxes                         | 18,456         | 17,723         |
| Depreciation and amortization                         | 35,189         | 33,260         |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net              | (2,054 )       | 4,882          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>422,973</b> | <b>432,080</b> |
| <b>OPERATING INCOME</b>                               | <b>75,702</b>  | <b>56,825</b>  |
| <b>OTHER INCOME</b>                                   |                |                |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction   | 1,286          | 2,272          |
| Interest and dividend income                          | 10,598         | 18,238         |
| Miscellaneous - net                                   | (1,579 )       | (1,392 )       |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>10,305</b>  | <b>19,118</b>  |
| <b>INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES</b>                     |                |                |
| Interest on long-term debt                            | 24,249         | 29,026         |
| Other interest - net                                  | 933            | 2,234          |
| Allowance for borrowed funds used during construction | (817 )         | (1,336 )       |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>24,365</b>  | <b>29,924</b>  |
| <b>INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES</b>                     | <b>61,642</b>  | <b>46,019</b>  |
| Income taxes                                          | 23,559         | 18,898         |
| <b>NET INCOME</b>                                     | <b>38,083</b>  | <b>27,121</b>  |
| Preferred distribution requirements and other         | 206            | 206            |

EARNINGS APPLICABLE TO  
COMMON EQUITY

\$ 37,877

\$ 26,915

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY GULF STATES LOUISIANA, L.L.C.  
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                        | 2010           | 2009      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                        | (In Thousands) |           |
| <b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Net income                                                                             | \$ 38,083      | \$ 27,121 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flow provided by operating activities: |                |           |
| Reserve for regulatory adjustments                                                     | 684            | -         |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net                                               | (2,054 )       | 4,882     |
| Depreciation, amortization, and decommissioning, including nuclear fuel amortization   | 50,324         | 36,555    |
| Deferred income taxes, investment tax credits, and non-current taxes accrued           | (36,921 )      | (17,870 ) |
| Changes in working capital:                                                            |                |           |
| Receivables                                                                            | (53,135 )      | 68,525    |
| Fuel inventory                                                                         | 1,207          | (4,663 )  |
| Accounts payable                                                                       | 11,157         | (55,279 ) |
| Taxes accrued                                                                          | 38,089         | 19,454    |
| Interest accrued                                                                       | 9,319          | 1,924     |
| Deferred fuel costs                                                                    | (13,273 )      | 20,501    |
| Other working capital accounts                                                         | 58,154         | 4,243     |
| Provision for estimated losses and reserves                                            | (5,562 )       | (165 )    |
| Changes in other regulatory assets                                                     | (27,947 )      | (38,556 ) |
| Other                                                                                  | 22,163         | (27,854 ) |
| Net cash flow provided by operating activities                                         | 90,288         | 38,818    |
| <b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Construction expenditures                                                              | (68,284 )      | (54,775 ) |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction                                    | 1,286          | 2,272     |
| Nuclear fuel purchases                                                                 | (9,141 )       | (27 )     |
| Proceeds from sale/leaseback of nuclear fuel                                           | -              | 10,459    |
| Investment in affiliates                                                               | -              | 160       |
| Proceeds from nuclear decommissioning trust fund sales                                 | 42,324         | 23,769    |
| Investment in nuclear decommissioning trust funds                                      | (44,962 )      | (27,462 ) |



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|                                            |           |           |
|--------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Change in money pool receivable - net      | 785       | (9,216 )  |
| Net cash flow used in investing activities | (77,992 ) | (54,820 ) |

**FINANCING ACTIVITIES**

|                                            |           |        |
|--------------------------------------------|-----------|--------|
| Changes in short-term borrowings - net     | (6,600 )  | -      |
| Distributions paid:                        |           |        |
| Common equity                              | (41,000 ) | -      |
| Preferred membership interests             | (206 )    | (206 ) |
| Other                                      | (128 )    | -      |
| Net cash flow used in financing activities | (47,934 ) | (206 ) |

|                                           |           |           |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents | (35,638 ) | (16,208 ) |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|

|                                                  |         |        |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------|--------|
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | 144,460 | 49,303 |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------|--------|

|                                            |            |           |
|--------------------------------------------|------------|-----------|
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | \$ 108,822 | \$ 33,095 |
|--------------------------------------------|------------|-----------|

**SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:**

Cash paid/(received) during the period for:

|                                      |           |           |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Interest - net of amount capitalized | \$ 15,128 | \$ 28,592 |
| Income taxes                         | \$ (6 )   | \$ 27,937 |

Noncash financing activities:

|                                                      |          |           |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Repayment by Entergy Texas of assumed long-term debt | \$ 9,160 | \$ 70,825 |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY GULF STATES LOUISIANA, L.L.C.  
BALANCE SHEETS

ASSETS

March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009

(Unaudited)

|                                                                | 2010             | 2009             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>                                          |                  |                  |
| <b>Cash and cash equivalents:</b>                              |                  |                  |
| Cash                                                           | \$ 346           | \$ 139           |
| Temporary cash investments                                     | 108,476          | 144,321          |
| <b>Total cash and cash equivalents</b>                         | <b>108,822</b>   | <b>144,460</b>   |
| <b>Accounts receivable:</b>                                    |                  |                  |
| Customer                                                       | 66,046           | 38,633           |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                                | (1,409 )         | (1,235 )         |
| Associated companies                                           | 126,760          | 102,807          |
| Other                                                          | 29,813           | 22,425           |
| Accrued unbilled revenues                                      | 50,195           | 56,425           |
| <b>Total accounts receivable</b>                               | <b>271,405</b>   | <b>219,055</b>   |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                              | 3,336            | -                |
| Fuel inventory - at average cost                               | 28,091           | 29,298           |
| Materials and supplies - at average cost                       | 109,303          | 107,531          |
| Deferred nuclear refueling outage costs                        | 21,507           | 26,722           |
| Debt assumption by Entergy Texas                               | 158,582          | 167,742          |
| Prepayments and other                                          | 8,581            | 42,146           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>709,627</b>   | <b>736,954</b>   |
| <b>OTHER PROPERTY AND INVESTMENTS</b>                          |                  |                  |
| Investment in affiliate preferred membership interests         | 189,400          | 189,400          |
| Decommissioning trust funds                                    | 362,886          | 349,527          |
| Non-utility property - at cost (less accumulated depreciation) | 148,490          | 146,190          |
| Other                                                          | 11,767           | 11,342           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>712,543</b>   | <b>696,459</b>   |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT</b>                                           |                  |                  |
| Electric                                                       | 6,881,986        | 6,855,075        |
| Natural gas                                                    | 115,008          | 113,970          |
| Construction work in progress                                  | 118,144          | 84,161           |
| Nuclear fuel under capital lease                               | -                | 156,996          |
| Nuclear fuel                                                   | 163,736          | 6,005            |
| <b>TOTAL UTILITY PLANT</b>                                     | <b>7,278,874</b> | <b>7,216,207</b> |
| Less - accumulated depreciation and amortization               | 3,738,633        | 3,714,199        |

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|                                         |              |              |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| UTILITY PLANT - NET                     | 3,540,241    | 3,502,008    |
| DEFERRED DEBITS AND OTHER ASSETS        |              |              |
| Regulatory assets:                      |              |              |
| Regulatory asset for income taxes - net | 290,242      | 288,313      |
| Other regulatory assets                 | 325,555      | 299,793      |
| Deferred fuel costs                     | 100,124      | 100,124      |
| Long-term receivables                   | 974          | 967          |
| Other                                   | 12,860       | 11,564       |
| TOTAL                                   | 729,755      | 700,761      |
| TOTAL ASSETS                            | \$ 5,692,166 | \$ 5,636,182 |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY GULF STATES LOUISIANA, L.L.C.  
BALANCE SHEETS  
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                       | 2010             | 2009             |
|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                       | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                            |                  |                  |
| Currently maturing long-term debt                     | \$ 11,975        | \$ 11,975        |
| Notes payable                                         | 27,700           | -                |
| Accounts payable:                                     |                  |                  |
| Associated companies                                  | 67,821           | 52,622           |
| Other                                                 | 91,938           | 91,604           |
| Customer deposits                                     | 45,436           | 45,645           |
| Taxes accrued                                         | 38,089           | -                |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                     | 7,548            | 12,219           |
| Interest accrued                                      | 36,043           | 24,709           |
| Deferred fuel costs                                   | 29,078           | 42,351           |
| Obligations under capital leases                      | -                | 30,387           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities          | 8,109            | 8,021            |
| Gas hedge contracts                                   | 17,024           | 263              |
| System agreement cost equalization                    | 10,000           | 10,000           |
| Other                                                 | 13,296           | 8,790            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>404,057</b>   | <b>338,586</b>   |
| <b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                        |                  |                  |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes and taxes accrued   | 1,332,751        | 1,345,984        |
| Accumulated deferred investment tax credits           | 87,399           | 88,246           |
| Obligations under capital leases                      | -                | 126,226          |
| Other regulatory liabilities                          | 52,753           | 47,423           |
| Decommissioning and asset retirement cost liabilities | 325,750          | 321,158          |
| Accumulated provisions                                | 9,107            | 14,669           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities          | 232,304          | 234,473          |
| Long-term debt                                        | 1,740,268        | 1,614,366        |
| Long-term payables - associated companies             | 33,937           | 34,340           |
| Other                                                 | 34,630           | 28,952           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>3,848,899</b> | <b>3,855,837</b> |
| <b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>                  |                  |                  |
| <b>MEMBERS' EQUITY</b>                                |                  |                  |
| Preferred membership interests without sinking fund   | 10,000           | 10,000           |

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|                                      |                  |                  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Members' equity                      | 1,470,802        | 1,473,930        |
| Accumulated other comprehensive loss | (41,592 )        | (42,171 )        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                         | <b>1,439,210</b> | <b>1,441,759</b> |

|                                       |                     |                     |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS'</b> |                     |                     |
| <b>EQUITY</b>                         | <b>\$ 5,692,166</b> | <b>\$ 5,636,182</b> |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY GULF STATES LOUISIANA, L.L.C.  
 STATEMENTS OF MEMBERS' EQUITY AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                                                      | 2010           |           | 2009         |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
|                                                                                      | (In Thousands) |           |              |           |
| <b>MEMBERS' EQUITY</b>                                                               |                |           |              |           |
| Members' Equity - Beginning of period                                                | \$ 1,473,930   |           | \$ 1,352,408 |           |
| <b>Add:</b>                                                                          |                |           |              |           |
| Net Income                                                                           | 38,083         | \$ 38,083 | 27,121       | \$ 27,121 |
|                                                                                      | 38,083         |           | 27,121       |           |
| <b>Deduct:</b>                                                                       |                |           |              |           |
| Distributions declared on common equity                                              | 41,000         |           | -            |           |
| Distributions declared on preferred membership interests                             | 206            | 206       | 206          | 206       |
| Other                                                                                | 5              |           | 5            |           |
|                                                                                      | 41,211         |           | 211          |           |
| Members' Equity - End of period                                                      | \$ 1,470,802   |           | \$ 1,379,318 |           |
| <b>ACCUMULATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE LOSS (Net of Taxes):</b>                          |                |           |              |           |
| <b>Balance at beginning of period:</b>                                               |                |           |              |           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                                         | \$ (42,171 )   |           | \$ (30,265 ) |           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities (net of tax expense of \$543 and \$436) | 579            | 579       | 402          | 402       |
| <b>Balance at end of period:</b>                                                     |                |           |              |           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                                         | \$ (41,592 )   |           | \$ (29,863 ) |           |
| Comprehensive Income                                                                 |                | \$ 38,456 |              | \$ 27,317 |
| See Notes to Financial Statements.                                                   |                |           |              |           |



ENTERGY GULF STATES LOUISIANA, L.L.C.  
 SELECTED OPERATING RESULTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

| Description                         | 2010                  | 2009   | Increase/<br>(Decrease) | %     |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|-------|
|                                     | (Dollars In Millions) |        |                         |       |
| <b>Electric Operating Revenues:</b> |                       |        |                         |       |
| Residential                         | \$ 119                | \$ 101 | \$ 18                   | 18    |
| Commercial                          | 98                    | 99     | (1 )                    | (1 )  |
| Industrial                          | 113                   | 112    | 1                       | 1     |
| Governmental                        | 5                     | 5      | -                       | -     |
| Total retail                        | 335                   | 317    | 18                      | 6     |
| <b>Sales for resale</b>             |                       |        |                         |       |
| Associated companies                | 93                    | 96     | (3 )                    | (3 )  |
| Non-associated companies            | 24                    | 32     | (8 )                    | (25 ) |
| Other                               | 6                     | 14     | (8 )                    | (57 ) |
| Total                               | \$ 458                | \$ 459 | \$ (1 )                 | -     |
| <b>Billed Electric Energy</b>       |                       |        |                         |       |
| <b>Sales (GWh):</b>                 |                       |        |                         |       |
| Residential                         | 1,325                 | 1,056  | 269                     | 25    |
| Commercial                          | 1,199                 | 1,125  | 74                      | 7     |
| Industrial                          | 2,010                 | 1,660  | 350                     | 21    |
| Governmental                        | 56                    | 51     | 5                       | 10    |
| Total retail                        | 4,590                 | 3,892  | 698                     | 18    |
| <b>Sales for resale</b>             |                       |        |                         |       |
| Associated companies                | 1,690                 | 1,783  | (93 )                   | (5 )  |
| Non-associated companies            | 477                   | 661    | (184 )                  | (28 ) |
| Total                               | 6,757                 | 6,336  | 421                     | 7     |



## ENTERGY LOUISIANA, LLC

## MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## Results of Operations

## Net Income

Net income remained relatively unchanged, increasing by \$0.3 million, for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to higher net revenue, offset by higher other operation and maintenance expenses, lower other income, higher interest expense, and a higher effective income tax rate.

## Net Revenue

Net revenue consists of operating revenues net of: 1) fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale, 2) purchased power expenses, and 3) other regulatory charges (credits). Following is an analysis of the change in net revenue comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009.

|                       | Amount<br>(In<br>Millions) |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 2009 net revenue      | \$211.9                    |
| Volume/weather        | 22.1                       |
| Retail electric price | 10.0                       |
| Other                 | (5.8)                      |
| 2010 net revenue      | \$238.2                    |

The volume/weather variance is primarily due to an increase of 723 GWh, or 11%, in billed electricity usage in all sectors primarily due to the effect of colder-than-normal weather.

The retail electric price variance is primarily due to a net increase in the formula rate plan effective November 2009 which allowed Entergy Louisiana to reset its rates to achieve a 10.25% return on equity for the 2008 test year. See Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K and herein for more discussion of the formula rate plan rate reset.

## Gross operating revenues and fuel and purchased power expenses

Gross operating revenues increased primarily due to an increase of \$64.5 million in fuel cost recovery revenues due to higher fuel rates and increased usage and an increase of \$22.1 million related to volume/weather, as discussed above.

Fuel and purchased power expenses increased primarily due to an increase in the average market price of purchased power, an increase in demand, and an increase in the recovery from customers of deferred fuel costs, partially offset by a decrease in the average market price of natural gas.

## Other Income Statement Variances

Other operation and maintenance expenses increased primarily due to:

- an increase of \$4.3 million in payroll-related and benefits costs;
- an increase of \$3.5 million due to higher fossil plant outage expenses compared to 2009; and
- an increase of \$2.8 million in nuclear expenses due to higher nuclear labor and contract costs.

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The increase was partially offset by a decrease of \$2.2 million in customer service costs primarily as a result of higher write-offs of uncollectible customer accounts in 2009.

Other income decreased primarily due to carrying charges on storm restoration costs recorded in the first quarter of 2009 as provided by the LPSC.

Interest expense increased primarily due to an increase in long-term debt outstanding as a result of the issuance of \$400 million of 5.40% Series first mortgage bonds in November 2009 and the issuance of \$150 million of 6.0% Series first mortgage bonds in March 2010.

#### Income Taxes

The effective income tax rates for the first quarter of 2010 and 2009 were 28.8% and 25.1%, respectively. The differences in the effective income tax rates for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 versus the federal statutory rate of 35.0% are primarily due to book and tax differences related to storm cost financing and allowance for equity funds used during construction, partially offset by certain book and tax differences related to utility plant items and state income taxes.

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

##### Cash Flow

Cash flows for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 were as follows:

|                                                  | 2010           | 2009      |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                  | (In Thousands) |           |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | \$151,849      | \$138,918 |
| Cash flow provided by (used in):                 |                |           |
| Operating activities                             | 100,579        | 41,581    |
| Investing activities                             | (121,451)      | (95,805)  |
| Financing activities                             | (29,163)       | (11,353)  |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents        | (50,035)       | (65,577)  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period       | \$101,814      | \$73,341  |

#### Operating Activities

Cash flow provided by operating activities increased \$59.0 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to storm restoration spending in 2009 as a result of Hurricane Gustav and increased recovery of fuel costs, offset by the timing of accounts receivable and payable activity and income tax refunds of \$31.0 million in 2009.



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Investing Activities

Net cash flow used in investing activities increased \$25.6 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to:

- an increase in construction expenditures resulting from \$24.9 million in costs associated with the development of new nuclear generation at River Bend, as discussed below;
- increased nuclear construction expenditures primarily due to the Waterford 3 steam generator replacement project, the dry fuel storage project, and security upgrades; and
  - money pool activity.

The increase was partially offset by:

- higher distribution construction expenditures in 2009 due to Hurricane Gustav; and
- decreased fossil construction expenditures due to the suspension of the Little Gypsy repowering project in 2009. See MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - "Little Gypsy Repowering Project" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the suspension.

Decreases in Entergy Louisiana's receivable from the money pool are a source of cash flow, and Entergy Louisiana's receivable from the money pool decreased by \$6.4 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to decreasing by \$14.5 million for the first quarter 2009. The money pool is an inter-company borrowing arrangement designed to reduce Entergy's subsidiaries' need for external short-term borrowings.

Financing Activities

Net cash flow used in financing activities increased \$17.8 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to a principal payment of \$17.3 million in 2010 for the Waterford 3 sale-leaseback obligation compared to a principal payment of \$6.6 million in 2009.

In addition, in March 2010, Entergy Louisiana issued \$150 million of 6.0% Series first mortgage bonds due March 2040. Because the proceeds were deposited directly with a trustee and not held by Entergy Louisiana, the bond issuance is reported as a non-cash financing activity on the cash flow statement. Entergy Louisiana used the proceeds in April 2010, together with other available funds, to redeem, prior to maturity, all of its \$150 million 7.60% Series first mortgage bonds, due April 2032.

Capital Structure

Entergy Louisiana's capitalization is balanced between equity and debt, as shown in the following table.

|                         | March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Net debt to net capital | 49.8%                | 47.8%                   |
|                         | 1.3%                 | 2.1%                    |

E f f e c t o f  
subtracting cash  
from debt

|                 |       |       |
|-----------------|-------|-------|
| Debt to capital | 51.1% | 49.9% |
|-----------------|-------|-------|

Net debt consists of debt less cash and cash equivalents. Debt consists of notes payable, capital lease obligations, and long-term debt, including the currently maturing portion. Capital consists of debt and members' equity. Net capital consists of capital less cash and cash equivalents. Entergy Louisiana uses the net debt to net capital ratio in analyzing its financial condition and believes it provides useful information to its investors and creditors in evaluating Entergy Louisiana's financial condition.

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Uses and Sources of Capital

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Liquidity and Capital Resources" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of Entergy Louisiana's uses and sources of capital. Following are updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K.

Entergy Louisiana's receivables from the money pool were as follows:

| March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 | March<br>31,<br>2009 | December<br>31,<br>2008 |
|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
|                      |                         | (In Thousands)       |                         |
| \$46,369             | \$52,807                | \$46,784             | \$61,236                |

See Note 4 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for a description of the money pool.

As discussed in the Form 10-K, Entergy Louisiana has a credit facility in the amount of \$200 million scheduled to expire in August 2012. No borrowings were outstanding under the facility as of March 31, 2010.

Acadia Unit 2 Purchase Agreement

As discussed more fully in the Form 10-K, in October 2009, Entergy Louisiana announced that it has signed an agreement to acquire Unit 2 of the Acadia Energy Center, a 580 MW generating unit located near Eunice, La., from Acadia Power Partners, LLC, an independent power producer. Entergy Louisiana's purchase is contingent upon, among other things, obtaining necessary approvals, including full cost recovery, from various federal and state regulatory and permitting agencies. Currently the closing is expected to occur in the first quarter 2011. Entergy Louisiana and Acadia Power Partners also have entered into a purchase power agreement for 100 percent of the output of Acadia Unit 2 that is expected to commence after receipt of all required regulatory approvals and is set to expire at the closing of the acquisition transaction. Entergy Louisiana has filed with the LPSC for approval of the transaction, and the LPSC has approved the purchase power agreement. The parties have agreed to a procedural schedule for the acquisition that would lead to LPSC consideration of the matter at its January 2011 meeting and includes a hearing before the ALJ in September 2010.

New Nuclear Development

As discussed in the Form 10-K, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana provided public notice to the LPSC of their intention to make a filing pursuant to the LPSC's general order that governs the development of new nuclear generation in Louisiana. The project option being developed by the companies is for new nuclear generation at River Bend. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana, together with Entergy Mississippi, have been engaged in the development of options to construct new nuclear generation at the River Bend and Grand Gulf sites. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana are leading the development at River Bend, and Entergy Mississippi is leading the development at Grand Gulf. This project is in the early stages, and several issues remain to be addressed over time before significant additional capital would be committed to this project. In the first quarter 2010, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana each paid for and recognized on its books \$24.9 million in costs associated with the development of new nuclear generation at the River Bend site; these costs previously had

been recorded on the books of Entergy New Nuclear Utility Development, LLC, a System Energy subsidiary. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana will share costs going forward on a 50/50 basis, which reflects each company's current participation level in the project. In March 2010, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana filed with the LPSC seeking approval to continue the development activities. A procedural schedule has not been established.



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Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike

As discussed in the Form 10-K, in September 2008, Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike caused catastrophic damage to Entergy's service territory. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana filed their Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike storm cost recovery case with the LPSC in May 2009. In September 2009, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana and the Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation (LURC), an instrumentality of the State of Louisiana, filed with the LPSC an application requesting that the LPSC grant financing orders authorizing the financing of Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's storm costs, storm reserves, and issuance costs pursuant to Act 55 of the Louisiana Regular Session of 2007 (Act 55 financings). Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita storm costs were financed primarily by Act 55 financings, as discussed in the Form 10-K. Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana also filed an application requesting LPSC approval for ancillary issues including the mechanism to flow charges and Act 55 financing savings to customers via a Storm Cost Offset rider. On December 30, 2009, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana entered into a stipulation agreement with the LPSC Staff that provides for total recoverable costs of approximately \$234 million for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and \$394 million for Entergy Louisiana. Under this stipulation, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana agrees not to recover \$4.4 million and Entergy Louisiana agrees not to recover \$7.2 million of their storm restoration spending. The stipulation also permits replenishing Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's storm reserve in the amount of \$90 million and Entergy Louisiana's storm reserve in the amount of \$200 million when the Act 55 financings are accomplished. In March and April 2010, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, and other parties to the proceeding filed with the LPSC an uncontested stipulated settlement that includes these terms and also includes Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's and Entergy Louisiana's proposals under the Act 55 financings, which includes a commitment to pass on to customers a minimum of \$15.5 million and \$27.75 million of customer benefits, respectively, through prospective annual rate reductions of \$3.1 million and \$5.55 million for five years. A stipulation hearing was held before the ALJ on April 13, 2010. On April 21, 2010, the LPSC approved the settlement and subsequently issued two financing orders and one ratemaking order intended to facilitate the implementation of the Act 55 financings. Louisiana State Bond Commission approval is now required before Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana proceed with the Act 55 financings.

State and Local Rate Regulation

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS – State and Local Rate Regulation" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of state and local rate regulation.

See the Form 10-K for a discussion of Entergy Louisiana's formula rate plan that the LPSC approved for the 2008, 2009, and 2010 test years. Entergy Louisiana, effective with the November 2009 billing cycle, reset its rates to achieve a 10.25% return on equity for the 2008 test year. The rate reset, a \$2.5 million increase that includes a \$16.3 million cost of service adjustment less a \$13.8 million net reduction for decreased capacity costs and a base rate reclassification, was implemented for the November 2009 billing cycle, and the rate reset was subject to refund pending review of the 2008 test year filing that was made in October 2009. In April 2010, Entergy Louisiana and the LPSC staff submitted a joint report on the 2008 test year filing and requested that the LPSC accept the report, which will result in a \$0.1 million reduction in current rates effective in the May 2010 billing cycle and a \$0.1 million refund. In addition, Entergy Louisiana will move the recovery of approximately \$12.5 million of capacity costs from fuel adjustment clause recovery to base rate recovery. At its April 21, 2010 meeting, the LPSC accepted the joint report.

Federal Regulation

See "System Agreement Proceedings" and "Independent Coordinator of Transmission" in the "Rate, Cost-recovery, and Other Regulation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K.

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#### Nuclear Matters

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Nuclear Matters" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of nuclear matters.

#### Environmental Risks

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Environmental Risks" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of environmental risks.

#### Critical Accounting Estimates

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Critical Accounting Estimates" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the estimates and judgments necessary in Entergy Louisiana's accounting for nuclear decommissioning costs, unbilled revenue, and qualified pension and other postretirement benefits.

#### Federal Healthcare Legislation

See the "Critical Accounting Estimates - Federal Healthcare Legislation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for an update to the Form 10-K discussion on critical accounting estimates.

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 INCOME STATEMENTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                       | 2010           | 2009           |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                                                       | (In Thousands) |                |
| <b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>                             |                |                |
| Electric                                              | \$ 611,524     | \$ 529,257     |
| <b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>                             |                |                |
| Operation and Maintenance:                            |                |                |
| Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and                      |                |                |
| gas purchased for resale                              | 159,249        | 134,574        |
| Purchased power                                       | 220,073        | 176,522        |
| Nuclear refueling outage expenses                     | 6,098          | 5,594          |
| Other operation and maintenance                       | 101,980        | 93,642         |
| Decommissioning                                       | 5,587          | 5,202          |
| Taxes other than income taxes                         | 18,000         | 16,644         |
| Depreciation and amortization                         | 50,227         | 49,447         |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net              | (6,018 )       | 6,255          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>555,196</b> | <b>487,880</b> |
| <b>OPERATING INCOME</b>                               | <b>56,328</b>  | <b>41,377</b>  |
| <b>OTHER INCOME</b>                                   |                |                |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction   | 6,537          | 7,446          |
| Interest and dividend income                          | 16,342         | 21,513         |
| Miscellaneous - net                                   | (821 )         | (773 )         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>22,058</b>  | <b>28,186</b>  |
| <b>INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES</b>                     |                |                |
| Interest on long-term debt                            | 28,863         | 23,407         |
| Other interest - net                                  | 2,174          | 2,160          |
| Allowance for borrowed funds used during construction | (4,368 )       | (4,810 )       |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>26,669</b>  | <b>20,757</b>  |
| <b>INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES</b>                     | <b>51,717</b>  | <b>48,806</b>  |
| Income taxes                                          | 14,884         | 12,268         |
| <b>NET INCOME</b>                                     | <b>36,833</b>  | <b>36,538</b>  |
| Preferred dividend requirements and other             | 1,738          | 1,738          |

EARNINGS APPLICABLE TO  
COMMON EQUITY

\$ 35,095

\$ 34,800

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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 STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                                                        | 2010           | 2009      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                        | (In Thousands) |           |
| <b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Net income                                                                             | \$ 36,833      | \$ 36,538 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flow provided by operating activities: |                |           |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net                                               | (6,018 )       | 6,255     |
| Depreciation, amortization, and decommissioning, including nuclear fuel amortization   | 71,721         | 54,649    |
| Deferred income taxes, investment tax credits, and non-current taxes accrued           | (3,823 )       | 56,390    |
| Changes in working capital:                                                            |                |           |
| Receivables                                                                            | (57,916 )      | 45,195    |
| Accounts payable                                                                       | (17,809 )      | (56,547 ) |
| Taxes accrued                                                                          | 29,379         | 254       |
| Interest accrued                                                                       | (5,403 )       | (14,682 ) |
| Deferred fuel costs                                                                    | 44,146         | 5,779     |
| Other working capital accounts                                                         | 44,130         | 21,877    |
| Provision for estimated losses and reserves                                            | (4,254 )       | 8,592     |
| Changes in other regulatory assets                                                     | (8,229 )       | (143,715) |
| Other                                                                                  | (22,178 )      | 20,996    |
| Net cash flow provided by operating activities                                         | 100,579        | 41,581    |
| <b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Construction expenditures                                                              | (132,063 )     | (115,970) |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction                                    | 6,537          | 7,446     |
| Proceeds from nuclear decommissioning trust fund sales                                 | 20,453         | 10,223    |
| Investment in nuclear decommissioning trust funds                                      | (22,575 )      | (12,652 ) |
| Change in money pool receivable - net                                                  | 6,438          | 14,452    |
| Other                                                                                  | (241 )         | 696       |
| Net cash flow used in investing activities                                             | (121,451 )     | (95,805 ) |

| FINANCING ACTIVITIES                                                                  |            |              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------|
| Changes in short-term borrowings - net                                                | 24,925     | -            |
| Retirement of long-term debt                                                          | (47,326 )  | (6,597 )     |
| Distributions paid:                                                                   |            |              |
| Common stock                                                                          | -          | (2,900 )     |
| Preferred membership interests                                                        | (1,738 )   | (1,738 )     |
| Other                                                                                 | (5,024 )   | (118 )       |
| Net cash flow used in financing activities                                            | (29,163 )  | (11,353 )    |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents                                             | (50,035 )  | (65,577 )    |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period                                      | 151,849    | 138,918      |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period                                            | \$ 101,814 | \$ 73,341    |
| SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:                                     |            |              |
| Cash paid/(received) during the period for:                                           |            |              |
| Interest - net of amount capitalized                                                  | \$ 35,537  | \$ 39,421    |
| Income taxes                                                                          | \$ -       | \$ (31,044 ) |
| Noncash investing and financing activities:                                           |            |              |
| Proceeds from long-term debt issued for the purpose of refunding prior long-term debt | \$ 150,000 | \$ -         |
| See Notes to Financial Statements.                                                    |            |              |

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BALANCE SHEETS  
ASSETS  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                | 2010             | 2009             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>                                          |                  |                  |
| Cash and cash equivalents:                                     |                  |                  |
| Cash                                                           | \$ 426           | \$ 160           |
| Temporary cash investments                                     | 101,388          | 151,689          |
| Total cash and cash equivalents                                | 101,814          | 151,849          |
| Accounts receivable:                                           |                  |                  |
| Customer                                                       | 103,522          | 56,978           |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                                | (1,567 )         | (1,312 )         |
| Associated companies                                           | 122,520          | 110,425          |
| Other                                                          | 8,984            | 9,174            |
| Accrued unbilled revenues                                      | 65,834           | 72,550           |
| Total accounts receivable                                      | 299,293          | 247,815          |
| Note receivable - Entergy New Orleans                          | 9,353            | 9,353            |
| Materials and supplies - at average cost                       | 130,080          | 127,812          |
| Deferred nuclear refueling outage costs                        | 29,579           | 36,783           |
| Gas hedge contracts                                            | -                | 3,409            |
| Bond escrow account                                            | 150,000          | -                |
| Prepayments and other                                          | 9,978            | 10,633           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>730,097</b>   | <b>587,654</b>   |
| <b>OTHER PROPERTY AND INVESTMENTS</b>                          |                  |                  |
| Investment in affiliate preferred membership interests         | 544,994          | 544,994          |
| Decommissioning trust funds                                    | 219,331          | 209,070          |
| Non-utility property - at cost (less accumulated depreciation) | 1,078            | 1,124            |
| Other                                                          | 810              | 810              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>766,213</b>   | <b>755,998</b>   |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT</b>                                           |                  |                  |
| Electric                                                       | 7,237,315        | 7,190,609        |
| Property under capital lease                                   | 262,111          | 262,111          |
| Construction work in progress                                  | 565,358          | 509,667          |
| Nuclear fuel under capital lease                               | -                | 122,011          |
| Nuclear fuel                                                   | 106,347          | -                |
| <b>TOTAL UTILITY PLANT</b>                                     | <b>8,171,131</b> | <b>8,084,398</b> |
|                                                                | <b>3,362,667</b> | <b>3,370,225</b> |



|                                                  |              |              |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Less - accumulated depreciation and amortization |              |              |
| UTILITY PLANT - NET                              | 4,808,464    | 4,714,173    |
| DEFERRED DEBITS AND OTHER ASSETS                 |              |              |
| Regulatory assets:                               |              |              |
| Regulatory asset for income taxes - net          | 135,278      | 132,086      |
| Other regulatory assets                          | 481,552      | 477,020      |
| Deferred fuel costs                              | 67,998       | 67,998       |
| Long-term receivables                            | -            | 1,500        |
| Other                                            | 26,869       | 18,762       |
| TOTAL                                            | 711,697      | 697,366      |
| TOTAL ASSETS                                     | \$ 7,016,471 | \$ 6,755,191 |
| See Notes to Financial Statements.               |              |              |

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BALANCE SHEETS  
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                     | 2010             | 2009             |
|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                     | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                          |                  |                  |
| Currently maturing long-term debt                   | \$ 235,287       | \$ 222,326       |
| Notes payable                                       | 72,116           | -                |
| Accounts payable:                                   |                  |                  |
| Associated companies                                | 61,139           | 56,057           |
| Other                                               | 102,490          | 141,311          |
| Customer deposits                                   | 83,516           | 82,864           |
| Taxes accrued                                       | 55,372           | 25,993           |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                   | 8,825            | 13,349           |
| Interest accrued                                    | 29,476           | 32,955           |
| Deferred fuel costs                                 | 45,779           | 1,633            |
| Obligations under capital leases                    | -                | 56,528           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities        | 9,232            | 9,153            |
| System agreement cost equalization                  | 54,000           | 54,000           |
| Gas hedge contracts                                 | 29,679           | -                |
| Other                                               | 14,551           | 9,831            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                        | <b>801,462</b>   | <b>706,000</b>   |
| <b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                      |                  |                  |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes and taxes accrued | 1,723,050        | 1,703,272        |
| Accumulated deferred investment tax credits         | 78,851           | 79,650           |
| Obligations under capital leases                    | -                | 65,483           |
| Other regulatory liabilities                        | 48,881           | 45,711           |
| Decommissioning                                     | 303,803          | 298,216          |
| Accumulated provisions                              | 16,047           | 20,301           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities        | 295,743          | 296,347          |
| Long-term debt                                      | 1,726,974        | 1,557,226        |
| Other                                               | 74,310           | 71,176           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                        | <b>4,267,659</b> | <b>4,137,382</b> |
| <b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>                |                  |                  |
| <b>MEMBERS' EQUITY</b>                              |                  |                  |
| Preferred membership interests without sinking fund | 100,000          | 100,000          |
| Members' equity                                     | 1,872,443        | 1,837,348        |
| Accumulated other comprehensive loss                | (25,093 )        | (25,539 )        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                        | <b>1,947,350</b> | <b>1,911,809</b> |

|                                          |              |              |
|------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS'<br>EQUITY | \$ 7,016,471 | \$ 6,755,191 |
|------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY LOUISIANA, LLC  
 STATEMENTS OF MEMBERS' EQUITY AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                                                      | 2010           |           | 2009         |           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
|                                                                                      | (In Thousands) |           |              |           |
| <b>MEMBERS' EQUITY</b>                                                               |                |           |              |           |
| Members' Equity - Beginning of period                                                | \$ 1,837,348   |           | \$ 1,632,053 |           |
| <b>Add:</b>                                                                          |                |           |              |           |
| Net income                                                                           | 36,833         | \$ 36,833 | 36,538       | \$ 36,538 |
|                                                                                      | 36,833         |           | 36,538       |           |
| <b>Deduct:</b>                                                                       |                |           |              |           |
| Distributions declared:                                                              |                |           |              |           |
| Preferred membership interests                                                       | 1,738          | 1,738     | 1,738        | 1,738     |
| Common equity                                                                        | -              |           | 4,600        |           |
|                                                                                      | 1,738          |           | 6,338        |           |
| Members' Equity - End of period                                                      | \$ 1,872,443   |           | \$ 1,662,253 |           |
| <b>ACCUMULATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE LOSS (Net of Taxes):</b>                          |                |           |              |           |
| Balance at beginning of period:                                                      |                |           |              |           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                                         | \$ (25,539 )   |           | \$ (24,215 ) |           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities (net of tax expense of \$377 and \$348) | 446            | 446       | 418          | 418       |
| Balance at end of period:                                                            |                |           |              |           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                                         | \$ (25,093 )   |           | \$ (23,797 ) |           |
| Comprehensive Income                                                                 |                | \$ 35,541 |              | \$ 35,218 |

See Notes to Financial Statements.



ENTERGY LOUISIANA, LLC  
 SELECTED OPERATING RESULTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

| Description                         | 2010                  | 2009   | Increase/<br>(Decrease) | %     |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|-------|
|                                     | (Dollars In Millions) |        |                         |       |
| <b>Electric Operating Revenues:</b> |                       |        |                         |       |
| Residential                         | \$ 215                | \$ 164 | \$ 51                   | 31    |
| Commercial                          | 132                   | 118    | 14                      | 12    |
| Industrial                          | 204                   | 184    | 20                      | 11    |
| Governmental                        | 11                    | 10     | 1                       | 10    |
| Total retail                        | 562                   | 476    | 86                      | 18    |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |       |
| Associated companies                | 37                    | 32     | 5                       | 16    |
| Non-associated companies            | 3                     | 2      | 1                       | 50    |
| Other                               | 10                    | 19     | (9 )                    | (47 ) |
| Total                               | \$ 612                | \$ 529 | \$ 83                   | 16    |
| <b>Billed Electric Energy</b>       |                       |        |                         |       |
| <b>Sales (GWh):</b>                 |                       |        |                         |       |
| Residential                         | 2,389                 | 1,931  | 458                     | 24    |
| Commercial                          | 1,384                 | 1,312  | 72                      | 5     |
| Industrial                          | 3,223                 | 3,043  | 180                     | 6     |
| Governmental                        | 128                   | 115    | 13                      | 11    |
| Total retail                        | 7,124                 | 6,401  | 723                     | 11    |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |       |
| Associated companies                | 234                   | 349    | (115 )                  | (33 ) |
| Non-associated companies            | 51                    | 55     | (4 )                    | (7 )  |
| Total                               | 7,409                 | 6,805  | 604                     | 9     |

## ENTERGY MISSISSIPPI, INC.

## MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## Results of Operations

## Net Income

Net income increased \$5.0 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to higher net revenue.

## Net Revenue

Net revenue consists of operating revenues net of: 1) fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale, 2) purchased power expenses, and 3) other regulatory charges (credits). Following is an analysis of the change in net revenue comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009.

|                       | Amount<br>(In<br>Millions) |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 2 0 0 9 n e t revenue | \$106.7                    |
| Retail electric price | 5.4                        |
| Other                 | 0.4                        |
| 2 0 1 0 n e t revenue | \$112.5                    |

The retail electric price variance is primarily due to a formula rate plan increase effective July 2009 and an increase in the Attala power plant costs that are recovered through the power management rider. The formula rate plan filing is discussed further in Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K. The net income effect of the Attala power plant costs recovery is limited to a portion representing an allowed return on equity with the remainder offset by Attala power plant costs in other operation and maintenance expenses, depreciation expenses, and taxes other than income taxes.

Gross operating revenues, fuel and purchased power expenses, and other regulatory charges (credits)

Gross operating revenues decreased primarily due to a decrease of \$77.2 million in fuel cost recovery revenues due to lower fuel rates, offset by an increase of \$46.2 million in power management rider revenue.

Fuel and purchased power expenses decreased primarily due to a decrease in deferred fuel expenses.

Other regulatory charges increased primarily due to increased recovery of costs associated with the power management recovery rider. There is no material effect on net income due to quarterly adjustments to the power management recovery rider. See Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the power management recovery rider.

Other Income Statement Variances

Interest expense increased primarily due to the issuance of \$150 million of 6.64% Series first mortgage bonds in June 2009.

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### Income Taxes

The effective income tax rates for the first quarters 2010 and 2009 were 28.5% and 25.1%, respectively. The difference between the effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2010 versus the federal statutory rate of 35.0% is primarily due to allowance for equity funds used during construction. The difference between the effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2009 versus the federal statutory rate of 35.0% is primarily due to a state income tax benefit resulting from a manufacturing credit in the first quarter 2009.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

#### Cash Flow

Cash flows for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 were as follows:

|                                                  | 2010           | 2009     |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|
|                                                  | (In Thousands) |          |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | \$91,451       | \$1,082  |
| Cash flow provided by (used in):                 |                |          |
| Operating activities                             | (26,142)       | 1,966    |
| Investing activities                             | (45,591)       | (27,746) |
| Financing activities                             | (10,559)       | 24,732   |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents        | (82,292)       | (1,048)  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period       | \$9,159        | \$34     |

#### Operating Activities

Entergy Mississippi's operating activities used \$26.1 million in cash flow for the first quarter 2010 compared to providing \$2.0 million in cash flow for the first quarter 2009 primarily due to decreased recovery of deferred fuel costs.

#### Investing Activities

Cash flow used in investing activities increased \$17.8 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to increased construction expenditures resulting from a \$49 million payment to a System Energy subsidiary for costs associated with the development of new nuclear generation at Grand Gulf, as discussed below. The increase was partially offset by money pool activity.

Decreases in Entergy Mississippi's receivable from the money pool are a source of cash flow, and Entergy Mississippi's receivable from the money pool decreased by \$27.3 million in the first quarter 2010. The money pool is an inter-company borrowing arrangement designed to reduce Entergy's subsidiaries' need for external short-term

borrowings.

#### Financing Activities

Entergy Mississippi's financing activities used \$10.6 million in cash flow for the first quarter 2010 compared to providing \$24.7 million in cash flow for the first quarter 2009 primarily due to borrowings of \$25 million on Entergy Mississippi's credit facility in 2009, an increase of \$6.8 million in common stock dividends paid, and money pool activity.

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Increases in Entergy Mississippi's payable to the money pool are a source of cash flow, and Entergy Mississippi's payable to the money pool increased by \$3.5 million in the first quarter 2009.

### Capital Structure

Entergy Mississippi's capitalization is balanced between equity and debt, as shown in the following table.

|                                      | March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Net debt to net capital              | 53.2%                | 50.7%                   |
| Effect of subtracting cash from debt | 0.3%                 | 2.8%                    |
| Debt to capital                      | 53.5%                | 53.5%                   |

Net debt consists of debt less cash and cash equivalents. Debt consists of notes payable, capital lease obligations, and long-term debt, including the currently maturing portion. Capital consists of debt, preferred stock without sinking fund, and shareholders' equity. Net capital consists of capital less cash and cash equivalents. Entergy Mississippi uses the net debt to net capital ratio in analyzing its financial condition and believes it provides useful information to its investors and creditors in evaluating Entergy Mississippi's financial condition.

### Uses and Sources of Capital

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Liquidity and Capital Resources" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of Entergy Mississippi's uses and sources of capital. Following are updates to the information presented in the Form 10-K.

Entergy Mississippi's receivables from or (payables to) the money pool were as follows:

| March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 | March<br>31,<br>2009 | December<br>31,<br>2008 |
|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| \$4,176              | \$31,435                | (\$69,540)           | (\$66,044)              |

(In Thousands)

See Note 4 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for a description of the money pool.

As discussed in the Form 10-K, Entergy Mississippi has three separate credit facilities in the aggregate amount of \$70 million scheduled to expire in May 2010. Entergy Mississippi expects to renew all of its credit facilities prior to expiration. No borrowings were outstanding under the credit facilities as of March 31, 2010.

In April 2010, Entergy Mississippi issued \$80 million of 6.20% Series first mortgage bonds due April 2040. Entergy Mississippi expects to use the proceeds, together with other available funds, to redeem, prior to maturity, all of its \$100 million 7.25% Series first mortgage bonds, due December 2032.

#### New Nuclear Development

Pursuant to the Mississippi Baseload Act and the Mississippi Public Utilities Act, Entergy Mississippi is developing a project option for new nuclear generation at Grand Gulf Nuclear Station. Entergy Mississippi, together with Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana, has been engaged in the development of options to construct new nuclear generation at the Grand Gulf and River Bend Station sites. Entergy Mississippi is leading the development at Grand Gulf, and Entergy Gulf States Louisiana and Entergy Louisiana are leading the development at River Bend. This project is in the early stages, and several issues remain to be addressed over time before significant additional capital would be committed to this project. In 2010, Entergy Mississippi paid for and has recognized on its books \$49 million in costs associated with the development of new nuclear generation at Grand Gulf; these costs previously had been recorded on the books of Entergy New Nuclear Utility Development, LLC, a System Energy subsidiary.

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State and Local Rate Regulation

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - State and Local Rate Regulation" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the formula rate plan and fuel and purchased power cost recovery. Following are updates to that discussion.

Formula Rate Plan

In September 2009, Entergy Mississippi filed with the MPSC proposed modifications to its formula rate plan rider. In March 2010 the MPSC issued an order: (1) providing the opportunity for a reset of Entergy Mississippi's return on common equity to a point within the formula rate plan bandwidth and eliminating the 50/50 sharing that had been in the plan, (2) modifying the performance measurement process, and (3) replacing the revenue change limit of two percent of revenues, which was subject to a \$14.5 million revenue adjustment cap, with a limit of four percent of revenues, although any adjustment above two percent requires a hearing before the MPSC. The MPSC did not approve Entergy Mississippi's request to use a projected test year for its annual scheduled formula rate plan filing and, therefore, Entergy Mississippi will continue to use a historical test year for its annual evaluation reports under the plan.

On March 15, 2010, Entergy Mississippi submitted its 2009 test year filing, its first annual filing under the new formula rate plan rider. The filing requests an \$11.8 million revenue increase to reset Entergy Mississippi's return on common equity to 11.74%, which is a point within the formula rate plan bandwidth. The formula rate plan calls for new rates to be implemented in June 2010. The Mississippi Public Utilities Staff has informed Entergy Mississippi by letter that, based upon the information the Staff has reviewed to date, the Staff has identified certain possible adjustments for consideration and that the Staff's review of the filing is ongoing.

Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery

In August 2009 the MPSC retained an independent audit firm to audit Entergy Mississippi's fuel adjustment clause submittals for the period October 2007 through September 2009. The independent audit firm submitted its report to the MPSC in December 2009. The report does not recommend that any costs be disallowed for recovery. The report did suggest that some costs, less than one percent of the fuel and purchased power costs recovered during the period, may have been more reasonably charged to customers through base rates rather than through fuel charges, but the report did not suggest that customers should not have paid for those costs. In November 2009 the MPSC also retained another firm to review processes and practices related to fuel and purchased energy. The results of that review were filed with the MPSC in March 2010. In that report, the independent consulting firm found that the practices and procedures in activities that directly affect the costs recovered through Entergy Mississippi's fuel adjustment clause appear reasonable. Both audit reports were certified by the MPSC to the Mississippi Legislature, as required by Mississippi law. In March 2010, the MPSC opened a docket to consider revisions to its rules regarding recovery of fuel and energy costs and other general matters related to fuel adjustment clauses and fuel audits.

Federal Regulation

See "System Agreement Proceedings" and "Independent Coordinator of Transmission" in the "Rate, Cost-recovery, and Other Regulation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K.



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Critical Accounting Estimates

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Critical Accounting Estimates" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the estimates and judgments necessary in Entergy Mississippi's accounting for unbilled revenue and qualified pension and other postretirement benefits.

Federal Healthcare Legislation

See the "Critical Accounting Estimates - Federal Healthcare Legislation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for an update to the Form 10-K discussion on critical accounting estimates.

ENTERGY MISSISSIPPI, INC.  
 INCOME STATEMENTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                           | 2010           | 2009           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                                                           | (In Thousands) |                |
| <b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>                                 |                |                |
| Electric                                                  | \$ 243,557     | \$ 261,705     |
| <b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>                                 |                |                |
| Operation and Maintenance:                                |                |                |
| Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | 8,053          | 100,898        |
| Purchased power                                           | 100,335        | 95,269         |
| Other operation and maintenance                           | 47,400         | 50,143         |
| Taxes other than income taxes                             | 16,048         | 16,610         |
| Depreciation and amortization                             | 22,104         | 21,283         |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net                  | 22,694         | (41,147 )      |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>216,634</b> | <b>243,056</b> |
| <b>OPERATING INCOME</b>                                   | <b>26,923</b>  | <b>18,649</b>  |
| <b>OTHER INCOME</b>                                       |                |                |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction       | 1,391          | 965            |
| Interest and dividend income                              | 188            | 226            |
| Miscellaneous - net                                       | 28             | (507 )         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>1,607</b>   | <b>684</b>     |
| <b>INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES</b>                         |                |                |
| Interest on long-term debt                                | 13,045         | 10,467         |
| Other interest - net                                      | 605            | 1,154          |
| Allowance for borrowed funds used during construction     | (776 )         | (617 )         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>12,874</b>  | <b>11,004</b>  |
| <b>INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES</b>                         | <b>15,656</b>  | <b>8,329</b>   |
| Income taxes                                              | 4,463          | 2,091          |
| <b>NET INCOME</b>                                         | <b>11,193</b>  | <b>6,238</b>   |
| Preferred dividend requirements and other                 | 707            | 707            |



EARNINGS APPLICABLE TO  
COMMON STOCK

\$ 10,486

\$ 5,531

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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ENTERGY MISSISSIPPI, INC.  
 STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                                                                  | 2010           | 2009      |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                                  | (In Thousands) |           |
| <b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                      |                |           |
| Net income                                                                                       | \$ 11,193      | \$ 6,238  |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flow provided by (used in) operating activities: |                |           |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net                                                         | 22,694         | (41,147 ) |
| Depreciation and amortization                                                                    | 22,104         | 21,283    |
| Deferred income taxes, investment tax credits, and non-current taxes accrued                     | (22,905 )      | (3,202 )  |
| Changes in working capital:                                                                      |                |           |
| Receivables                                                                                      | 23,913         | 28,491    |
| Fuel inventory                                                                                   | (41 )          | 1,095     |
| Accounts payable                                                                                 | (11,588 )      | (21,837 ) |
| Taxes accrued                                                                                    | (4,318 )       | (24,726 ) |
| Interest accrued                                                                                 | (1,082 )       | (3,494 )  |
| Deferred fuel costs                                                                              | (55,749 )      | 45,154    |
| Other working capital accounts                                                                   | 34,505         | 13,063    |
| Provision for estimated losses and reserves                                                      | (3,183 )       | 3,427     |
| Changes in other regulatory assets                                                               | (20,048 )      | (40,760 ) |
| Other                                                                                            | (21,637 )      | 18,381    |
| Net cash flow provided by (used in) operating activities                                         | (26,142 )      | 1,966     |
| <b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                      |                |           |
| Construction expenditures                                                                        | (78,185 )      | (28,676 ) |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction                                              | 1,391          | 965       |
| Proceeds from the sale of assets                                                                 | 3,951          | -         |
| Change in money pool receivable - net                                                            | 27,259         | -         |
| Other                                                                                            | (7 )           | (35 )     |
| Net cash flow used in investing activities                                                       | (45,591 )      | (27,746 ) |
| <b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                      |                |           |
| Change in money pool payable - net                                                               | -              | 3,496     |

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|                                                          |           |           |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Changes in credit borrowings - net                       | -         | 25,000    |
| Dividends paid:                                          |           |           |
| Common stock                                             | (9,800 )  | (3,000 )  |
| Preferred stock                                          | (707 )    | (707 )    |
| Other                                                    | (52 )     | (57 )     |
| Net cash flow provided by (used in) financing activities | (10,559 ) | 24,732    |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents                | (82,292 ) | (1,048 )  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period         | 91,451    | 1,082     |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period               | \$ 9,159  | \$ 34     |
| SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:        |           |           |
| Cash paid during the period for:                         |           |           |
| Interest - net of amount capitalized                     | \$ 14,102 | \$ 14,573 |
| See Notes to Financial Statements.                       |           |           |

ENTERGY MISSISSIPPI, INC.  
BALANCE SHEETS  
ASSETS  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                | 2010             | 2009             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>                                          |                  |                  |
| Cash and cash equivalents:                                     |                  |                  |
| Cash                                                           | \$ 19            | \$ 1,147         |
| Temporary cash investment                                      | 9,140            | 90,304           |
| Total cash and cash equivalents                                | 9,159            | 91,451           |
| Accounts receivable:                                           |                  |                  |
| Customer                                                       | 44,703           | 50,092           |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                                | (956 )           | (1,018 )         |
| Associated companies                                           | 9,298            | 36,565           |
| Other                                                          | 5,919            | 12,842           |
| Accrued unbilled revenues                                      | 29,482           | 41,137           |
| Total accounts receivable                                      | 88,446           | 139,618          |
| Note receivable - Entergy New Orleans                          | 7,610            | 7,610            |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                              | 8,943            | 294              |
| Fuel inventory - at average cost                               | 5,916            | 5,875            |
| Materials and supplies - at average cost                       | 35,643           | 37,979           |
| Prepayments and other                                          | -                | 2,820            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>155,717</b>   | <b>285,647</b>   |
| <b>OTHER PROPERTY AND INVESTMENTS</b>                          |                  |                  |
| Investment in affiliates - at equity                           | 5,535            | 5,535            |
| Non-utility property - at cost (less accumulated depreciation) | 4,829            | 4,864            |
| Storm reserve escrow account                                   | 31,873           | 31,867           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>42,237</b>    | <b>42,266</b>    |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT</b>                                           |                  |                  |
| Electric                                                       | 3,072,528        | 3,070,109        |
| Property under capital lease                                   | 6,059            | 6,418            |
| Construction work in progress                                  | 117,648          | 62,866           |
| <b>TOTAL UTILITY PLANT</b>                                     | <b>3,196,235</b> | <b>3,139,393</b> |
| Less - accumulated depreciation and amortization               | 1,118,160        | 1,115,756        |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT - NET</b>                                     | <b>2,078,075</b> | <b>2,023,637</b> |
| <b>DEFERRED DEBITS AND OTHER ASSETS</b>                        |                  |                  |
| Regulatory assets:                                             |                  |                  |
| Regulatory asset for income taxes - net                        | 41,617           | 34,114           |

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|                         |                |                |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Other regulatory assets | 262,302        | 251,407        |
| Other                   | 22,829         | 19,564         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>            | <b>326,748</b> | <b>305,085</b> |

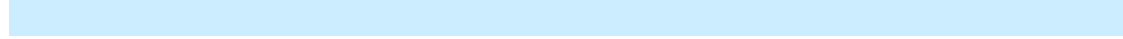
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| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b> | <b>\$ 2,602,777</b> | <b>\$ 2,656,635</b> |
|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY MISSISSIPPI, INC.  
BALANCE SHEETS  
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                                                    | 2010             | 2009             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                                                                    | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                                                                         |                  |                  |
| Accounts payable:                                                                                                  |                  |                  |
| Associated companies                                                                                               | \$ 45,027        | \$ 58,421        |
| Other                                                                                                              | 31,654           | 31,176           |
| Customer deposits                                                                                                  | 63,342           | 62,316           |
| Taxes accrued                                                                                                      | 37,285           | 41,603           |
| Interest accrued                                                                                                   | 18,097           | 19,179           |
| Deferred fuel costs                                                                                                | 17,158           | 72,907           |
| Gas hedge contracts                                                                                                | 23,397           | -                |
| Other                                                                                                              | 10,325           | 5,399            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                                                                       | <b>246,285</b>   | <b>291,001</b>   |
| <b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                                                                     |                  |                  |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes and taxes accrued                                                                | 577,129          | 578,759          |
| Accumulated deferred investment tax credits                                                                        | 7,271            | 7,514            |
| Obligations under capital lease                                                                                    | 4,568            | 4,949            |
| Other regulatory liabilities                                                                                       | -                | 2,905            |
| Asset retirement cost liabilities                                                                                  | 5,145            | 5,071            |
| Accumulated provisions                                                                                             | 38,220           | 41,403           |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                                                                       | 107,836          | 111,437          |
| Long-term debt                                                                                                     | 845,322          | 845,304          |
| Other                                                                                                              | 31,169           | 29,146           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                                                                       | <b>1,616,660</b> | <b>1,626,488</b> |
| <b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>                                                                               |                  |                  |
| Preferred stock without sinking fund                                                                               | 50,381           | 50,381           |
| <b>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>                                                                                        |                  |                  |
| Common stock, no par value, authorized 12,000,000 shares; issued and outstanding 8,666,357 shares in 2010 and 2009 | 199,326          | 199,326          |
| Capital stock expense and other                                                                                    | (690 )           | (690 )           |
| Retained earnings                                                                                                  | 490,815          | 490,129          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                                                                       | <b>689,451</b>   | <b>688,765</b>   |
|                                                                                                                    | \$ 2,602,777     | \$ 2,656,635     |

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND  
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY



See Notes to Financial Statements.



ENTERGY MISSISSIPPI, INC.  
 SELECTED OPERATING RESULTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

| Description                         | 2010                  | 2009   | Increase/<br>(Decrease) | %      |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|
|                                     | (Dollars In Millions) |        |                         |        |
| <b>Electric Operating Revenues:</b> |                       |        |                         |        |
| Residential                         | \$ 106                | \$ 107 | \$ (1 )                 | (1 )   |
| Commercial                          | 84                    | 93     | (9 )                    | (10 )  |
| Industrial                          | 29                    | 36     | (7 )                    | (19 )  |
| Governmental                        | 9                     | 9      | -                       | -      |
| Total retail                        | 228                   | 245    | (17 )                   | (7 )   |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |        |
| Associated companies                | 8                     | 5      | 3                       | 60     |
| Non-associated companies            | 8                     | 7      | 1                       | 14     |
| Other                               | -                     | 5      | (5 )                    | (100 ) |
| Total                               | \$ 244                | \$ 262 | \$ (18 )                | (7 )   |
| <b>Billed Electric Energy</b>       |                       |        |                         |        |
| <b>Sales (GWh):</b>                 |                       |        |                         |        |
| Residential                         | 1,545                 | 1,284  | 261                     | 20     |
| Commercial                          | 1,096                 | 1,071  | 25                      | 2      |
| Industrial                          | 502                   | 507    | (5 )                    | (1 )   |
| Governmental                        | 97                    | 93     | 4                       | 4      |
| Total retail                        | 3,240                 | 2,955  | 285                     | 10     |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |        |
| Associated companies                | 67                    | 20     | 47                      | 235    |
| Non-associated companies            | 75                    | 71     | 4                       | 6      |
| Total                               | 3,382                 | 3,046  | 336                     | 11     |

## ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, INC.

## MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## Results of Operations

## Net Income

Net income increased \$6.2 million primarily due to higher net revenue, partially offset by higher other operation and maintenance expenses and lower other income.

## Net Revenue

Net revenue consists of operating revenues net of: 1) fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale, 2) purchased power expenses, and 3) other regulatory charges (credits). Following is an analysis of the changes in net revenue comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009.

|                                   | Amount<br>(In<br>Millions) |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 2009 net revenue                  | \$55.8                     |
| Net gas revenue                   | 7.4                        |
| Volume/weather                    | 7.2                        |
| Effect of rate<br>case settlement | (2.9)                      |
| Other                             | 2.8                        |
| 2010 net revenue                  | \$70.3                     |

The net gas variance is primarily due to colder than normal weather, partially offset by lower price.

The volume/weather variance is primarily due to an increase of 171GWh, or 17%, in billed retail electricity usage primarily due to the effect of colder than normal weather.

The effect of rate case settlement variance results from the April 2009 settlement of Entergy New Orleans's rate case, and includes the effects of realigning non-fuel costs associated with the operation of Grand Gulf from the fuel adjustment clause to electric base rates effective June 2009. See Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for further discussion of the rate case settlement.

## Gross operating revenues and fuel expenses

Gross operating revenues increased \$9.0 million primarily due to increased gas and electricity usage due to the effect of more favorable weather, as discussed above.

Fuel expenses decreased primarily due to a decrease in the average market price of natural gas.

## Other Income Statement Variances

Other operation and maintenance expenses increased primarily due to an increase of \$1.6 million in fossil expenses due to the timing of outages.

Other income decreased primarily due to carrying costs on Hurricane Gustav and Hurricane Ike storm restoration costs recorded in 2009. See Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for further discussion of the storm reserve established in the April 2009 rate case settlement.

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### Income Taxes

The effective income tax rate was 34.7% for the first quarter 2010 and 39.4% for the first quarter 2009. The difference in the effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2010 versus the federal statutory rate of 35% is primarily due to flow-through book and tax timing differences, partially offset by state income taxes. The difference in the effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2009 versus the federal statutory rate of 35% is primarily due to certain book and tax differences related to utility plant items and state income taxes.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

#### Cash Flow

Cash flows for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 were as follows:

|                                                  | 2010           | 2009      |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                  | (In Thousands) |           |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | \$191,191      | \$137,444 |
| Cash flow provided by (used in):                 |                |           |
| Operating activities                             | 11,268         | 17,744    |
| Investing activities                             | (18,831)       | (31,834)  |
| Financing activities                             | (15,155)       | (3,771)   |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents        | (22,718)       | (17,861)  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period       | \$168,473      | \$119,583 |

#### Operating Activities

Net cash flow provided by operating activities decreased \$6.5 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to a \$3.2 million income tax refund received in 2009 and decreased recovery of deferred fuel costs.

#### Investing Activities

Net cash flow used in investing activities decreased \$13.0 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to a storm reserve drawdown in 2010 and money pool activity.

Increases in Entergy New Orleans's receivable from the money pool are a use of cash flow, and Entergy New Orleans's receivable from the money pool increased by \$10.8 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to increasing by \$16.6 million for the first quarter 2009. The money pool is an inter-company borrowing arrangement designed to reduce the Utility subsidiaries' need for external short-term borrowings.

Financing Activities

Net cash used in financing activities increased \$11.4 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to an increase of \$11.4 million in common stock dividends paid.



See "System Agreement Proceedings" and "Independent Coordinator of Transmission" in the "Rate, Cost-recovery, and Other Regulation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for updates to the discussion in the Form 10-K.

#### Environmental Risks

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Environmental Risks" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of environmental risks.

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#### Critical Accounting Estimates

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Critical Accounting Estimates" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the estimates and judgments necessary in Entergy New Orleans's accounting for unbilled revenue and qualified pension and other postretirement benefits.

#### Federal Healthcare Legislation

See the "Critical Accounting Estimates - Federal Healthcare Legislation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for an update to the Form 10-K discussion on critical accounting estimates.



ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, INC.  
 INCOME STATEMENTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                           | 2010           | 2009           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                                                           | (In Thousands) |                |
| <b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>                                 |                |                |
| Electric                                                  | \$ 124,966     | \$ 126,944     |
| Natural gas                                               | 55,133         | 44,150         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>180,099</b> | <b>171,094</b> |
| <b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>                                 |                |                |
| Operation and Maintenance:                                |                |                |
| Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | 60,091         | 68,028         |
| Purchased power                                           | 48,909         | 47,277         |
| Other operation and maintenance                           | 28,128         | 26,209         |
| Taxes other than income taxes                             | 11,946         | 10,455         |
| Depreciation and amortization                             | 8,709          | 8,313          |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net                  | 764            | (46 )          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>158,547</b> | <b>160,236</b> |
| <b>OPERATING INCOME</b>                                   | <b>21,552</b>  | <b>10,858</b>  |
| <b>OTHER INCOME</b>                                       |                |                |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction       | 169            | 219            |
| Interest and dividend income                              | 134            | 1,782          |
| Miscellaneous - net                                       | (184 )         | (257 )         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>119</b>     | <b>1,744</b>   |
| <b>INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES</b>                         |                |                |
| Interest on long-term debt                                | 2,906          | 2,911          |
| Other interest - net                                      | 1,151          | 900            |
| Allowance for borrowed funds used during construction     | (82 )          | (119 )         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>3,975</b>   | <b>3,692</b>   |
| <b>INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES</b>                         | <b>17,696</b>  | <b>8,910</b>   |
| Income taxes                                              | 6,135          | 3,511          |
| <b>NET INCOME</b>                                         | <b>11,561</b>  | <b>5,399</b>   |
|                                                           | 241            | 241            |

Preferred dividend requirements and  
other

EARNINGS APPLICABLE TO

|              |           |          |
|--------------|-----------|----------|
| COMMON STOCK | \$ 11,320 | \$ 5,158 |
|--------------|-----------|----------|

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ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, INC.  
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                        | 2010           | 2009      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                        | (In Thousands) |           |
| <b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Net income                                                                             | \$ 11,561      | \$ 5,399  |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flow provided by operating activities: |                |           |
| Reserve for regulatory adjustment                                                      | 163            | -         |
| Other regulatory charges (credits) - net                                               | 764            | (46 )     |
| Depreciation and amortization                                                          | 8,709          | 8,313     |
| Deferred income taxes, investment tax credits, and non-current taxes accrued           | (19,528 )      | 15,631    |
| Changes in working capital:                                                            |                |           |
| Receivables                                                                            | (2,095 )       | 17,020    |
| Fuel inventory                                                                         | 1,895          | 4,787     |
| Accounts payable                                                                       | (9,729 )       | (12,719 ) |
| Taxes accrued                                                                          | 26,232         | (8,338 )  |
| Interest accrued                                                                       | (2,150 )       | (1,984 )  |
| Deferred fuel costs                                                                    | 3,144          | 6,240     |
| Other working capital accounts                                                         | (7,587 )       | (8,595 )  |
| Provision for estimated losses and reserves                                            | (9,639 )       | (907 )    |
| Changes in other regulatory assets                                                     | 6,144          | (15,423 ) |
| Changes in pensions and other postretirement liabilities                               | (1,580 )       | (876 )    |
| Other                                                                                  | 4,964          | 9,242     |
| Net cash flow provided by operating activities                                         | 11,268         | 17,744    |
| <b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Construction expenditures                                                              | (16,491 )      | (13,752 ) |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction                                    | 169            | 219       |
| Change in money pool receivable - net                                                  | (10,832 )      | (16,607 ) |
| Changes in other investments - net                                                     | 8,323          | (1,694 )  |
| Net cash flow used in investing activities                                             | (18,831 )      | (31,834 ) |
| <b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                |           |
| Dividends paid:                                                                        |                |           |
| Common stock                                                                           | (14,900 )      | (3,500 )  |
| Preferred stock                                                                        | (241 )         | (241 )    |

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|                                                  |            |            |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Other                                            | (14 )      | (30 )      |
| Net cash flow used in financing activities       | (15,155 )  | (3,771 )   |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents        | (22,718 )  | (17,861 )  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | 191,191    | 137,444    |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period       | \$ 168,473 | \$ 119,583 |

**SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:**

Cash paid/(received) during the period for:

## ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, INC.

## BALANCE SHEETS

## ASSETS

March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009

(Unaudited)

|                                                              | 2010             | 2009             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                              | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>                                        |                  |                  |
| Cash and cash equivalents                                    |                  |                  |
| Cash                                                         | \$ 153           | \$ 1,179         |
| Temporary cash investments                                   | 168,320          | 190,012          |
| Total cash and cash equivalents                              | 168,473          | 191,191          |
| Accounts receivable:                                         |                  |                  |
| Customer                                                     | 48,343           | 41,284           |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                              | (1,224 )         | (1,166 )         |
| Associated companies                                         | 88,820           | 78,670           |
| Other                                                        | 3,012            | 2,299            |
| Accrued unbilled revenues                                    | 15,391           | 20,328           |
| Total accounts receivable                                    | 154,342          | 141,415          |
| Deferred fuel costs                                          | 852              | 3,996            |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                            | 2,669            | 2,584            |
| Fuel inventory - at average cost                             | 638              | 2,533            |
| Materials and supplies - at average cost                     | 10,520           | 9,674            |
| Prepayments and other                                        | 9,662            | 4,311            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                 | <b>347,156</b>   | <b>355,704</b>   |
| <b>OTHER PROPERTY AND INVESTMENTS</b>                        |                  |                  |
| Investment in affiliates - at equity                         | 3,259            | 3,259            |
| Non-utility property at cost (less accumulated depreciation) | 1,016            | 1,016            |
| Storm reserve escrow account                                 | 1,176            | 9,499            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                 | <b>5,451</b>     | <b>13,774</b>    |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT</b>                                         |                  |                  |
| Electric                                                     | 805,300          | 789,367          |
| Natural gas                                                  | 200,689          | 199,847          |
| Construction work in progress                                | 10,557           | 21,148           |
| <b>TOTAL UTILITY PLANT</b>                                   | <b>1,016,546</b> | <b>1,010,362</b> |
| Less - accumulated depreciation and amortization             | 518,257          | 514,609          |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT - NET</b>                                   | <b>498,289</b>   | <b>495,753</b>   |
| <b>DEFERRED DEBITS AND OTHER ASSETS</b>                      |                  |                  |

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|                         |                |                |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Regulatory assets:      |                |                |
| Deferred fuel costs     | 4,080          | 4,080          |
| Other regulatory assets | 119,465        | 125,686        |
| Other                   | 7,278          | 6,079          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>            | <b>130,823</b> | <b>135,845</b> |

|                     |                   |                     |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b> | <b>\$ 981,719</b> | <b>\$ 1,001,076</b> |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|

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ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, INC.  
BALANCE SHEETS  
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                                                                 | 2010           | 2009           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                                                                                                                                 | (In Thousands) |                |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                                                                                      |                |                |
| Currently maturing long-term debt                                                                                               | \$ 30,000      | \$ 30,000      |
| Notes payable - associated companies                                                                                            | 74,230         | 74,230         |
| Accounts payable:                                                                                                               |                |                |
| Associated companies                                                                                                            | 22,613         | 28,138         |
| Other                                                                                                                           | 19,917         | 23,653         |
| Customer deposits                                                                                                               | 20,639         | 20,505         |
| Taxes accrued                                                                                                                   | 27,909         | 1,677          |
| Interest accrued                                                                                                                | 1,799          | 3,949          |
| System agreement cost equalization                                                                                              | 6,000          | 6,000          |
| Other                                                                                                                           | 4,279          | 5,803          |
| <b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                                                                                | <b>207,386</b> | <b>193,955</b> |
| <b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                                                                                  |                |                |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes and taxes<br>accrued                                                                          | 135,718        | 147,496        |
| Accumulated deferred investment tax credits                                                                                     | 2,073          | 2,153          |
| Regulatory liability for income taxes - net                                                                                     | 58,685         | 58,970         |
| Other regulatory liabilities                                                                                                    | 42,003         | 43,148         |
| Retirement cost liability                                                                                                       | 3,228          | 3,174          |
| Accumulated provisions                                                                                                          | 6,352          | 15,991         |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities                                                                                    | 42,193         | 43,773         |
| Long-term debt                                                                                                                  | 168,025        | 168,023        |
| Gas system rebuild insurance proceeds                                                                                           | 84,226         | 90,116         |
| Other                                                                                                                           | 7,044          | 5,911          |
| <b>TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                                                                            | <b>549,547</b> | <b>578,755</b> |
| <b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>                                                                                            |                |                |
| Preferred stock without sinking fund                                                                                            | 19,780         | 19,780         |
| <b>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>                                                                                                     |                |                |
| Common stock, \$4 par value, authorized<br>10,000,000<br>shares; issued and outstanding 8,435,900<br>shares in 2010<br>and 2009 | 33,744         | 33,744         |



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|                   |                |                |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Paid-in capital   | 36,294         | 36,294         |
| Retained earnings | 134,968        | 138,548        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>      | <b>205,006</b> | <b>208,586</b> |

|                                                       |                   |                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND<br/>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b> | <b>\$ 981,719</b> | <b>\$ 1,001,076</b> |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, INC.  
 SELECTED OPERATING RESULTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

| Description                         | 2010                  | 2009   | Increase/<br>(Decrease) | %     |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|-------|
|                                     | (Dollars In Millions) |        |                         |       |
| <b>Electric Operating Revenues:</b> |                       |        |                         |       |
| Residential                         | \$ 46                 | \$ 35  | \$ 11                   | 32    |
| Commercial                          | 37                    | 39     | (2 )                    | (5 )  |
| Industrial                          | 7                     | 9      | (2 )                    | (22 ) |
| Governmental                        | 15                    | 16     | (1 )                    | (6 )  |
| Total retail                        | 105                   | 99     | 6                       | 6     |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |       |
| Associated companies                | 20                    | 31     | (11 )                   | (35 ) |
| Other                               | -                     | (3 )   | 3                       | 100   |
| Total                               | \$ 125                | \$ 127 | \$ (2 )                 | (2 )  |
| <b>Billed Electric Energy</b>       |                       |        |                         |       |
| Sales (GWh):                        |                       |        |                         |       |
| Residential                         | 486                   | 333    | 153                     | 46    |
| Commercial                          | 428                   | 405    | 23                      | 6     |
| Industrial                          | 107                   | 113    | (6 )                    | (5 )  |
| Governmental                        | 183                   | 182    | 1                       | 1     |
| Total retail                        | 1,204                 | 1,033  | 171                     | 17    |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |       |
| Associated companies                | 280                   | 488    | (208 )                  | (43 ) |
| Non-associated companies            | 8                     | 8      | 0                       | -     |
| Total                               | 1,492                 | 1,529  | (37 )                   | (2 )  |

## ENTERGY TEXAS, INC.

## MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## Results of Operations

## Net Income

Net income increased by \$6.1 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to higher net revenue, partially offset by lower other income, higher interest expense, and higher taxes other than income taxes.

## Net Revenue

Net revenue consists of operating revenues net of: 1) fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale, 2) purchased power expenses, and 3) other regulatory charges. Following is an analysis of the change in net revenue comparing the first quarter 2010 to the first quarter 2009.

|                          | Amount<br>(In<br>Millions) |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| 2009 net revenue         | \$98.6                     |
| Net wholesale<br>revenue | 12.4                       |
| Volume/weather           | 11.1                       |
| Other                    | (1.0)                      |
| 2010 net revenue         | \$121.1                    |

The net wholesale revenue variance is primarily due to increased sales to municipal and co-op customers due to the addition of new contracts and higher revenue as a result of sales to Entergy Gulf States Louisiana.

The volume/weather variance is primarily due to the effect of colder than normal weather on billed sales in the residential sector.

Gross operating revenues, fuel and purchased power expenses, and other regulatory charges

Gross operating revenues decreased primarily due to a decrease of \$124.2 million in fuel cost recovery revenues primarily attributable to lower fuel rates and the interim fuel refund in the first quarter 2010. The decrease was partially offset by an increase of \$22.9 million in gross wholesale revenues as the result of increased customer contracts and an increase of \$11.1 million related to volume/weather, as discussed above. The interim refund and the PUCT approval is discussed in Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K.

Fuel and purchased power expenses decreased primarily due to a decrease in deferred fuel expense as the result of lower fuel revenues as discussed above, partially offset by increased net area demand.



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### Other Income Statement Variances

Taxes other than income taxes increased primarily due to a provision recorded for potential additional sales and use taxes.

Other income decreased primarily due to carrying costs recorded in 2009 on storm restoration costs as approved by the PUCT and a decrease in the allowance for equity funds used during construction due to less construction work in progress in the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 because of the effects of Hurricane Ike. See Note 2 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for further discussion of Hurricane Ike storm cost recovery filings.

Interest expense increased primarily due to the issuance of \$546 million in securitization bonds in November 2009 and the issuance of \$150 million of 7.875% Series mortgage bonds in May 2009, partially offset by pay-down of the debt assumption agreement liability.

### Income Taxes

The effective income tax rate was 43.0% for the first quarter 2010 and 38.4% for the first quarter 2009. The difference in the effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2010 versus the federal statutory rate of 35% is primarily due to book and tax differences related to utility plant items. The difference in the effective income tax rate for the first quarter 2009 versus the federal statutory rate of 35% is primarily due to state income taxes and a reserve on uncertain tax positions, substantially offset by book and tax differences related to the allowance for equity funds used during construction and the amortization of investment tax credits.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

#### Cash Flow

Cash flows for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 were as follows:

|                                                  | 2010           | 2009     |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|
|                                                  | (In Thousands) |          |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | \$200,703      | \$2,239  |
| Cash flow provided by (used in):                 |                |          |
| Operating activities                             | (39,877)       | (93,941) |
| Investing activities                             | (33,600)       | (60,383) |
| Financing activities                             | (23,072)       | 152,405  |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents        | (96,549)       | (1,919)  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period       | \$104,154      | \$320    |

#### Operating Activities

Net cash flow used in operating activities decreased \$54.1 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to Hurricane Ike restoration spending in the first quarter 2009, partially offset by an \$87.8 million fuel cost refund made in the first quarter 2010, which is discussed further in the Form 10-K, and the timing of collection of receivables from customers.

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### Investing Activities

Net cash flow used in investing activities decreased \$26.8 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to money pool activity and a decrease in construction expenditures due to Hurricane Ike spending in 2009, offset by increased remittances to the securitization trust account as a result of the issuance of \$546 million in securitization bonds in November 2009. See Note 5 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for further discussion of the issuance of the securitization bonds.

Decreases in Entergy Texas's receivable from the money pool are a source of cash flow, and Entergy Texas's receivable from the money pool decreased by \$21.8 million in the first quarter 2010. The money pool is an inter-company borrowing arrangement designed to reduce Entergy's subsidiaries' need for external short-term borrowings.

### Financing Activities

Entergy Texas's financing activities used \$23.1 million of cash for the first quarter 2010 compared to providing \$152.4 million of cash for the first quarter 2009 primarily due to the following activity:

- the issuance of \$500 million of 7.125% Series mortgage bonds in January 2009;
  - the repayment of Entergy Texas's \$160 million note payable to Entergy Corporation in January 2009;
  - the repayment of \$100 million outstanding on Entergy Texas's credit facility in February 2009; and
    - the retirement of \$70.8 million of long-term debt in March 2009.

### Capital Structure

Entergy Texas's capitalization is balanced between equity and debt, as shown in the following table.

|                                                                                                                     | March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Net debt to net capital,<br>excluding the<br>securitization<br>bonds, which are<br>non-recourse to Entergy<br>Texas | 45.6%                | 42.3%                   |
| Effect of excluding the<br>securitization bonds                                                                     | 19.1%                | 21.0%                   |
| Net debt to net capital                                                                                             | 64.7%                | 63.3%                   |
| Effect of subtracting cash<br>from debt                                                                             | 1.5%                 | 3.0%                    |
| Debt to capital                                                                                                     | 66.2%                | 66.3%                   |

Net debt consists of debt less cash and cash equivalents. Debt consists of notes payable and long-term debt, including the currently maturing portion and the debt assumption liability. Capital consists of debt and shareholder's

equity. Net capital consists of capital less cash and cash equivalents. Entergy Texas uses the net debt to net capital ratio in analyzing its financial condition and believes it provides useful information to its investors and creditors in evaluating Entergy Texas's financial condition.







ENTERGY TEXAS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENTS  
For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                           | 2010             | 2009            |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| (In Thousands)                                            |                  |                 |
| <b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>                                 |                  |                 |
| Electric                                                  | \$ 336,206       | \$ 413,474      |
| <b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>                                 |                  |                 |
| Operation and Maintenance:                                |                  |                 |
| Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and gas purchased for resale | 6,559            | 166,949         |
| Purchased power                                           | 192,694          | 141,257         |
| Other operation and maintenance                           | 43,369           | 45,503          |
| Decommissioning                                           | 51               | 48              |
| Taxes other than income taxes                             | 16,525           | 14,121          |
| Depreciation and amortization                             | 19,077           | 18,523          |
| Other regulatory charges - net                            | 15,848           | 6,621           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>294,123</b>   | <b>393,022</b>  |
| <b>OPERATING INCOME</b>                                   | <b>42,083</b>    | <b>20,452</b>   |
| <b>OTHER INCOME</b>                                       |                  |                 |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction       | 641              | 2,370           |
| Interest and dividend income                              | 1,054            | 6,724           |
| Miscellaneous - net                                       | 1,454            | 1,306           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>3,149</b>     | <b>10,400</b>   |
| <b>INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES</b>                         |                  |                 |
| Interest on long-term debt                                | 24,268           | 21,512          |
| Other interest - net                                      | (360 )           | 294             |
| Allowance for borrowed funds used during construction     | (480 )           | (1,188 )        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                              | <b>23,428</b>    | <b>20,618</b>   |
| <b>INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES</b>                         | <b>21,804</b>    | <b>10,234</b>   |
| Income taxes                                              | 9,386            | 3,931           |
| <b>NET INCOME</b>                                         | <b>\$ 12,418</b> | <b>\$ 6,303</b> |

See Notes to Financial Statements.



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ENTERGY TEXAS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                    | 2010           | 2009      |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                                                    | (In Thousands) |           |
| <b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                        |                |           |
| Net income                                                                         | \$ 12,418      | \$ 6,303  |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flow used in operating activities: |                |           |
| Reserve for regulatory adjustments                                                 | 571            | -         |
| Other regulatory charges - net                                                     | 15,848         | 6,621     |
| Depreciation, amortization, and decommissioning                                    | 19,128         | 18,571    |
| Deferred income taxes, investment tax credits, and non-current taxes accrued       | 29,581         | 26,944    |
| Changes in working capital:                                                        |                |           |
| Receivables                                                                        | (5,415 )       | 36,013    |
| Fuel inventory                                                                     | (531 )         | (2,700 )  |
| Accounts payable                                                                   | 7,218          | (69,019 ) |
| Taxes accrued                                                                      | (30,221 )      | (35,410 ) |
| Interest accrued                                                                   | 718            | 8,372     |
| Deferred fuel costs                                                                | (76,280 )      | 82,712    |
| Other working capital accounts                                                     | 2,774          | 9,774     |
| Provision for estimated losses and reserves                                        | (2,274 )       | (2,933 )  |
| Changes in other regulatory assets                                                 | 10,176         | (170,733) |
| Other                                                                              | (23,588 )      | (8,456 )  |
| Net cash flow used in operating activities                                         | (39,877 )      | (93,941 ) |
| <b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                        |                |           |
| Construction expenditures                                                          | (34,138 )      | (54,922 ) |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction                                | 641            | 2,370     |
| Change in money pool receivable - net                                              | 21,836         | -         |
| Collections remitted to securitization recovery trust account                      | (21,939 )      | (7,831 )  |
| Net cash flow used in investing activities                                         | (33,600 )      | (60,383 ) |
| <b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                        |                |           |
| Proceeds from the issuance of long-term debt                                       | -              | 492,721   |
| Retirement of long-term debt                                                       | (9,160 )       | (70,825 ) |
| Changes in money pool payable - net                                                | -              | (9,091 )  |
| Repayment of loan from Entergy Corporation                                         | -              | (160,000) |
| Changes in credit borrowings - net                                                 | -              | (100,000) |
| Dividends paid:                                                                    |                |           |
| Common stock                                                                       | (13,900 )      | (400 )    |

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|                                                          |            |          |
|----------------------------------------------------------|------------|----------|
| Other                                                    | (12 )      | -        |
| Net cash flow provided by (used in) financing activities | (23,072 )  | 152,405  |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents                | (96,549 )  | (1,919 ) |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period         | 200,703    | 2,239    |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period               | \$ 104,154 | \$ 320   |

**SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:**

Cash paid/(received) during the period for:

|                                      |             |           |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Interest - net of amount capitalized | \$ 22,159   | \$ 12,564 |
| Income taxes                         | \$ (2,254 ) | \$ -      |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY TEXAS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS  
ASSETS

March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                | 2010             | 2009             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                                | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>                                          |                  |                  |
| Cash and cash equivalents:                                     |                  |                  |
| Cash                                                           | \$ 298           | \$ 1,552         |
| Temporary cash investments                                     | 103,856          | 199,151          |
| Total cash and cash equivalents                                | 104,154          | 200,703          |
| Securitization recovery trust account                          | 35,037           | 13,098           |
| Accounts receivable:                                           |                  |                  |
| Customer                                                       | 40,678           | 51,194           |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                                | (756 )           | (844 )           |
| Associated companies                                           | 75,170           | 75,437           |
| Other                                                          | 7,894            | 10,688           |
| Accrued unbilled revenues                                      | 32,795           | 35,727           |
| Total accounts receivable                                      | 155,781          | 172,202          |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                              | 59,418           | 59,399           |
| Fuel inventory - at average cost                               | 55,488           | 54,957           |
| Materials and supplies - at average cost                       | 30,220           | 30,432           |
| Prepayments and other                                          | 14,200           | 16,357           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>454,298</b>   | <b>547,148</b>   |
| <b>OTHER PROPERTY AND INVESTMENTS</b>                          |                  |                  |
| Investments in affiliates - at equity                          | 840              | 845              |
| Non-utility property - at cost (less accumulated depreciation) | 1,442            | 1,496            |
| Other                                                          | 16,849           | 16,309           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>19,131</b>    | <b>18,650</b>    |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT</b>                                           |                  |                  |
| Electric                                                       | 3,094,273        | 3,074,334        |
| Construction work in progress                                  | 88,225           | 82,167           |
| <b>TOTAL UTILITY PLANT</b>                                     | <b>3,182,498</b> | <b>3,156,501</b> |
| Less - accumulated depreciation and amortization               | 1,217,850        | 1,210,172        |
| <b>UTILITY PLANT - NET</b>                                     | <b>1,964,648</b> | <b>1,946,329</b> |
| <b>DEFERRED DEBITS AND OTHER ASSETS</b>                        |                  |                  |
| Regulatory assets:                                             |                  |                  |
| Regulatory asset for income taxes - net                        | 97,513           | 95,894           |
| Other regulatory assets                                        | 1,221,257        | 1,232,101        |



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|                       |                  |                  |
|-----------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Long-term receivables | 33,937           | 34,340           |
| Other                 | 23,445           | 21,176           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>          | <b>1,376,152</b> | <b>1,383,511</b> |

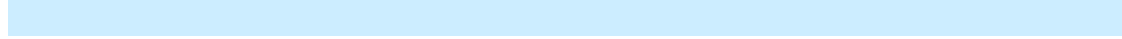
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| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b> | <b>\$ 3,814,229</b> | <b>\$ 3,895,638</b> |
|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|

See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY TEXAS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS  
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                            | 2010                | 2009                |
|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
|                                                            | (In Thousands)      |                     |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                 |                     |                     |
| Currently maturing portion of debt assumption liability    | \$ 158,582          | \$ 167,742          |
| Accounts payable:                                          |                     |                     |
| Associated companies                                       | 60,942              | 47,677              |
| Other                                                      | 63,391              | 70,147              |
| Customer deposits                                          | 39,845              | 39,665              |
| Taxes accrued                                              | 47,360              | 77,581              |
| Interest accrued                                           | 31,293              | 30,575              |
| Deferred fuel costs                                        | 26,468              | 102,748             |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities               | 1,008               | 935                 |
| System agreement cost equalization                         | 117,314             | 117,204             |
| Other                                                      | 2,716               | 2,674               |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                               | <b>548,919</b>      | <b>656,948</b>      |
| <b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                             |                     |                     |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes and taxes accrued        | 780,922             | 740,074             |
| Accumulated deferred investment tax credits                | 22,133              | 22,532              |
| Other regulatory liabilities                               | 20,448              | 20,417              |
| Asset retirement cost liabilities                          | 3,495               | 3,445               |
| Accumulated provisions                                     | 6,436               | 8,710               |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities               | 75,857              | 78,722              |
| Long-term debt                                             | 1,490,386           | 1,490,283           |
| Other                                                      | 22,625              | 30,017              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                               | <b>2,422,302</b>    | <b>2,394,200</b>    |
| <b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>                       |                     |                     |
| <b>SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY</b>                                |                     |                     |
| Common stock, no par value, authorized 200,000,000 shares; |                     |                     |
| issued and outstanding 46,525,000 shares in 2010 and 2009  | 49,452              | 49,452              |
| Paid-in capital                                            | 481,994             | 481,994             |
| Retained earnings                                          | 311,562             | 313,044             |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                               | <b>843,008</b>      | <b>844,490</b>      |
|                                                            | <b>\$ 3,814,229</b> | <b>\$ 3,895,638</b> |

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND  
SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY



See Notes to Financial Statements.

ENTERGY TEXAS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
 SELECTED OPERATING RESULTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

| Description                         | 2010                  | 2009   | Increase/<br>(Decrease) | %     |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|-------|
|                                     | (Dollars In Millions) |        |                         |       |
| <b>Electric Operating Revenues:</b> |                       |        |                         |       |
| Residential                         | \$ 113                | \$ 139 | \$ (26 )                | (19 ) |
| Commercial                          | 66                    | 98     | (32 )                   | (33 ) |
| Industrial                          | 67                    | 104    | (37 )                   | (36 ) |
| Governmental                        | 5                     | 6      | (1 )                    | (17 ) |
| Total retail                        | 251                   | 347    | (96 )                   | (28 ) |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |       |
| Associated companies                | 57                    | 58     | (1 )                    | (2 )  |
| Non-associated companies            | 25                    | 1      | 24                      | 2,400 |
| Other                               | 3                     | 7      | (4 )                    | (57 ) |
| Total                               | \$ 336                | \$ 413 | \$ (77 )                | (19 ) |
| <b>Billed Electric Energy</b>       |                       |        |                         |       |
| <b>Sales (GWh):</b>                 |                       |        |                         |       |
| Residential                         | 1,500                 | 1,179  | 321                     | 27    |
| Commercial                          | 985                   | 928    | 57                      | 6     |
| Industrial                          | 1,303                 | 1,316  | (13 )                   | (1 )  |
| Governmental                        | 65                    | 60     | 5                       | 8     |
| Total retail                        | 3,853                 | 3,483  | 370                     | 11    |
| Sales for resale                    |                       |        |                         |       |
| Associated companies                | 632                   | 888    | (256 )                  | (29 ) |
| Non-associated companies            | 458                   | 29     | 429                     | 1,479 |
| Total                               | 4,943                 | 4,400  | 543                     | 12    |

## SYSTEM ENERGY RESOURCES, INC.

## MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

## Results of Operations

System Energy's principal asset consists of a 90% ownership and leasehold interest in Grand Gulf. The capacity and energy from its 90% interest is sold under the Unit Power Sales Agreement to its only four customers, Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, and Entergy New Orleans. System Energy's operating revenues are derived from the allocation of the capacity, energy, and related costs associated with its 90% interest in Grand Gulf pursuant to the Unit Power Sales Agreement. Payments under the Unit Power Sales Agreement are System Energy's only source of operating revenues.

Net income remained relatively flat, decreasing \$1.8 million, for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to a decrease in rate base resulting in lower operating income.

## Liquidity and Capital Resources

## Cash Flow

Cash flows for the first quarters of 2010 and 2009 were as follows:

|                                                      | 2010           | 2009      |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
|                                                      | (In Thousands) |           |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period     | \$264,482      | \$102,788 |
| Cash flow provided by (used in):                     |                |           |
| Operating activities                                 | 65,587         | 40,871    |
| Investing activities                                 | 32,102         | (21,517)  |
| Financing activities                                 | (77,568)       | (43,582)  |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | 20,121         | (24,228)  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period           | \$284,603      | \$78,560  |

## Operating Activities

Net cash provided by operating activities increased \$24.7 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to \$6.4 million in income tax payments made in 2009, and the timing of payments to vendors.

## Investing Activities

Investing activities provided \$32.1 million of cash in the first quarter 2010 compared to using \$21.5 million of cash for the first quarter 2009 primarily due to the proceeds from the transfer of \$100.3 million in development costs

related to Entergy New Nuclear Utility Development, LLC, as discussed in the Form 10-K, partially offset by money pool activity.

Increases in System Energy's receivable from the money pool are a use of cash flow, and System Energy's receivable from the money pool increased by \$34.8 million in the first quarter 2010 compared to increasing \$4.6 million in the first quarter 2009. The money pool is an inter-company borrowing arrangement designed to reduce the Utility subsidiaries' need for external short-term borrowings.

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### Financing Activities

Net cash used in financing activities increased \$34.0 million for the first quarter 2010 compared to the first quarter 2009 primarily due to:

- an increase of \$13.3 million in the January 2010 principal payment made on the Grand Gulf sale-leaseback compared to the January 2009 principal payment;
  - the payment on a short-term note of \$12.1 million; and
  - an increase of \$8.6 million in common stock dividends paid.

### Capital Structure

System Energy's capitalization is balanced between equity and debt, as shown in the following table.

|                                      | March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Net debt to net capital              | 37.4%                | 40.1%                   |
| Effect of subtracting cash from debt | 11.1%                | 9.6%                    |
| Debt to capital                      | 48.5%                | 49.7%                   |

Net debt consists of debt less cash and cash equivalents. Debt consists of notes payable, capital lease obligations, and long-term debt, including the currently maturing portion. Capital consists of debt and common shareholder's equity. Net capital consists of capital less cash and cash equivalents. System Energy uses the net debt to net capital ratio in analyzing its financial condition and believes it provides useful information to its investors and creditors in evaluating System Energy's financial condition.

### Uses and Sources of Capital

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Liquidity and Capital Resources" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of System Energy's uses and sources of capital. The following is an update to the Form 10-K.

System Energy's receivables from the money pool were as follows:

| March<br>31,<br>2010 | December<br>31,<br>2009 | March<br>31,<br>2009 | December<br>31,<br>2008 |
|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| (In Thousands)       |                         |                      |                         |
| \$125,301            | \$90,507                | \$47,560             | \$42,915                |

See Note 4 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for a description of the money pool.

#### Nuclear Matters

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS – Nuclear Matters" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of nuclear matters.

#### Environmental Risks

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS – Environmental Risks" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of environmental risks.



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Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis

Critical Accounting Estimates

See "MANAGEMENT'S FINANCIAL DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Critical Accounting Estimates" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of the estimates and judgments necessary in System Energy's accounting for nuclear decommissioning costs and qualified pension and other postretirement benefits.

Federal Healthcare Legislation

See the "Critical Accounting Estimates - Federal Healthcare Legislation" section of Entergy Corporation and Subsidiaries Management's Financial Discussion and Analysis for an update to the Form 10-K discussion on critical accounting estimates.

SYSTEM ENERGY RESOURCES, INC.  
 INCOME STATEMENTS  
 For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
 (Unaudited)

|                                                              | 2010             | 2009             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                                              | (In Thousands)   |                  |
| <b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>                                    |                  |                  |
| Electric                                                     | \$ 128,584       | \$ 127,372       |
| <b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>                                    |                  |                  |
| Operation and Maintenance:                                   |                  |                  |
| Fuel, fuel-related expenses, and<br>gas purchased for resale | 15,318           | 15,767           |
| Nuclear refueling outage expenses                            | 4,673            | 4,767            |
| Other operation and maintenance                              | 28,886           | 25,355           |
| Decommissioning                                              | 7,634            | 7,229            |
| Taxes other than income taxes                                | 6,031            | 6,183            |
| Depreciation and amortization                                | 28,371           | 27,293           |
| Other regulatory credits - net                               | (725 )           | (2,703 )         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                 | <b>90,188</b>    | <b>83,891</b>    |
| <b>OPERATING INCOME</b>                                      | <b>38,396</b>    | <b>43,481</b>    |
| <b>OTHER INCOME</b>                                          |                  |                  |
| Allowance for equity funds used during<br>construction       | 1,819            | 1,901            |
| Interest and dividend income                                 | 5,386            | 3,317            |
| Miscellaneous - net                                          | (131 )           | (172 )           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                 | <b>7,074</b>     | <b>5,046</b>     |
| <b>INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES</b>                            |                  |                  |
| Interest on long-term debt                                   | 10,306           | 11,211           |
| Other interest - net                                         | 3                | 19               |
| Allowance for borrowed funds used<br>during construction     | (629 )           | (639 )           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                 | <b>9,680</b>     | <b>10,591</b>    |
| <b>INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES</b>                            | <b>35,790</b>    | <b>37,936</b>    |
| Income taxes                                                 | 15,177           | 15,544           |
| <b>NET INCOME</b>                                            | <b>\$ 20,613</b> | <b>\$ 22,392</b> |

See Notes to Financial Statements.



SYSTEM ENERGY RESOURCES, INC.  
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
For the Three Months Ended March 31, 2010 and 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                                                        | 2010<br>(In Thousands) | 2009       |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|------------|
| <b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                        |            |
| Net income                                                                             | \$ 20,613              | \$ 22,392  |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flow provided by operating activities: |                        |            |
| Other regulatory credits - net                                                         | (725 )                 | (2,703 )   |
| Depreciation, amortization, and decommissioning, including nuclear fuel amortization   | 47,068                 | 34,522     |
| Deferred income taxes, investment tax credits, and non-current taxes accrued           | (47,751 )              | (49,901 )  |
| Changes in working capital:                                                            |                        |            |
| Receivables                                                                            | 7,166                  | 9,710      |
| Accounts payable                                                                       | 95,653                 | (6,197 )   |
| Prepaid taxes and taxes accrued                                                        | 47,526                 | 44,946     |
| Interest accrued                                                                       | (38,723 )              | (34,446 )  |
| Other working capital accounts                                                         | (1,129 )               | (2,053 )   |
| Provision for estimated losses and reserves                                            | (2,009 )               | (99 )      |
| Changes in other regulatory assets                                                     | 3,086                  | (7,052 )   |
| Pensions and other postretirement liabilities                                          | (2,140 )               | (131 )     |
| Other                                                                                  | (63,048 )              | 31,883     |
| Net cash flow provided by operating activities                                         | 65,587                 | 40,871     |
| <b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                        |            |
| Construction expenditures                                                              | (26,741 )              | (11,953 )  |
| Proceeds from the transfer of development costs                                        | 100,280                | -          |
| Allowance for equity funds used during construction                                    | 1,819                  | 1,901      |
| Proceeds from nuclear decommissioning trust fund sales                                 | 81,447                 | 151,931    |
| Investment in nuclear decommissioning trust funds                                      | (89,909 )              | (159,347 ) |
| Change in money pool receivable - net                                                  | (34,794 )              | (4,645 )   |
| Other                                                                                  | -                      | 596        |
| Net cash flow provided by (used in) investing activities                               | 32,102                 | (21,517 )  |
| <b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                            |                        |            |
| Retirement of long-term debt                                                           | (41,715 )              | (28,440 )  |
| Changes in short-term borrowings - net                                                 | (12,146 )              | -          |

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|                                                          |            |           |
|----------------------------------------------------------|------------|-----------|
| <b>Dividends paid:</b>                                   |            |           |
| Common stock                                             | (23,600 )  | (15,000 ) |
| Other                                                    | (107 )     | (142 )    |
| Net cash flow used in financing activities               | (77,568 )  | (43,582 ) |
|                                                          |            |           |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents     | 20,121     | (24,228 ) |
|                                                          |            |           |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period         | 264,482    | 102,788   |
|                                                          |            |           |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period               | \$ 284,603 | \$ 78,560 |
|                                                          |            |           |
| <b>SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:</b> |            |           |
| <b>Cash paid during the period for:</b>                  |            |           |
| Interest - net of amount capitalized                     | \$ 47,526  | \$ 44,790 |
| Income taxes                                             | \$ -       | \$ 6,409  |

See Notes to Financial Statements.



|              |              |              |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$ 3,122,337 | \$ 3,099,082 |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|

See Notes to Financial Statements.

SYSTEM ENERGY RESOURCES, INC.  
BALANCE SHEETS  
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY  
March 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009  
(Unaudited)

|                                                          | 2010                | 2009                |
|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
|                                                          | (In Thousands)      |                     |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                               |                     |                     |
| Currently maturing long-term debt                        | \$ 33,740           | \$ 41,715           |
| Notes payable                                            | 6,115               | -                   |
| Accounts payable:                                        |                     |                     |
| Associated companies                                     | 113,410             | 5,349               |
| Other                                                    | 31,445              | 45,826              |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes                        | 2,072               | 3,040               |
| Interest accrued                                         | 13,855              | 51,257              |
| Obligations under capital leases                         | -                   | 50,445              |
| Other                                                    | 1,908               | -                   |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                             | <b>202,545</b>      | <b>197,632</b>      |
| <b>NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                           |                     |                     |
| Accumulated deferred income taxes and taxes accrued      | 546,816             | 588,722             |
| Accumulated deferred investment tax credits              | 57,362              | 58,231              |
| Obligations under capital leases                         | -                   | 24,993              |
| Other regulatory liabilities                             | 246,769             | 197,437             |
| Decommissioning                                          | 429,041             | 421,408             |
| Accumulated provisions                                   | -                   | 2,009               |
| Pension and other postretirement liabilities             | 73,308              | 75,448              |
| Long-term debt                                           | 739,541             | 703,260             |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                             | <b>2,092,837</b>    | <b>2,071,508</b>    |
| <b>Commitments and Contingencies</b>                     |                     |                     |
| <b>SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY</b>                              |                     |                     |
| Common stock, no par value, authorized 1,000,000 shares; |                     |                     |
| issued and outstanding 789,350 shares in 2010 and 2009   | 789,350             | 789,350             |
| Retained earnings                                        | 37,605              | 40,592              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                             | <b>826,955</b>      | <b>829,942</b>      |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY</b>        | <b>\$ 3,122,337</b> | <b>\$ 3,099,082</b> |

See Notes to Financial Statements.





ENTERGY CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES  
PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

## Item 1. Legal Proceedings

See "PART I, Item 1, Litigation" in the Form 10-K for a discussion of legal, administrative, and other regulatory proceedings affecting Entergy, and also see "Item 5, Other Information, Environmental Regulation", below, for updates regarding environmental proceedings and regulation.

## Item 1A. Risk Factors

There have been no material changes to the risk factors discussed in "PART I, Item 1A, Risk Factors" in the Form 10-K.

## Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

## Issuer Purchases of Equity Securities (1)

| Period              | Total<br>Number of<br>Shares<br>Purchased | Average<br>Price Paid<br>per Share | Total<br>Number of<br>Shares<br>Purchased<br>as Part of a<br>Publicly<br>Announced<br>Plan | Maximum \$<br>Amount<br>of Shares that<br>May<br>Yet be<br>Purchased<br>Under a Plan<br>(2) |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1/01/2010-1/31/2010 | -                                         | \$-                                | -                                                                                          | \$750,000,000                                                                               |
| 2/01/2010-2/28/2010 | -                                         | \$-                                | -                                                                                          | \$750,000,000                                                                               |
| 3/01/2010-3/31/2010 | -                                         | \$-                                | -                                                                                          | \$750,000,000                                                                               |
| Total               | -                                         | \$-                                | -                                                                                          |                                                                                             |

- (1) In accordance with Entergy's stock-based compensation plans, Entergy periodically grants stock options to key employees, which may be exercised to obtain shares of Entergy's common stock. According to the plans, these shares can be newly issued shares, treasury stock, or shares purchased on the open market. Entergy's management has been authorized by the Board to repurchase on the open market shares up to an amount sufficient to fund the exercise of grants under the plans. See Note 12 to the financial statements in the Form 10-K for additional discussion of the stock-based compensation plans. In addition to this authority, in October 2009 the Board granted authority for a \$750 million share repurchase program.
- (2) Maximum amount of shares that may yet be repurchased does not include an estimate of the amount of shares that may be purchased to fund the exercise of grants under the stock-based compensation plans.

The amount of share repurchases may vary as a result of material changes in business results or capital spending or new investment opportunities.

Item 5. Other Information

Environmental Regulation

Following are updates to the Environmental Regulation section of Part I, Item 1 of the Form 10-K.

## Clean Air Act and Subsequent Amendments

### Regional Haze

In June 2005, the EPA issued final Best Available Retrofit Control Technology (BART) regulations that could potentially result in a requirement to install SO<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> pollution control technology on certain of Entergy's coal and oil generation units. The rule leaves certain BART determinations to the states. The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) prepared a State Implementation Plan (SIP) for Arkansas facilities to implement its obligations under the Clean Air Visibility Rule. The ADEQ determined that Entergy Arkansas's White Bluff power plant affects a Class I Area visibility and will be subject to the EPA's presumptive BART requirements to install scrubbers and low NO<sub>x</sub> burners. Under current regulations, the scrubbers would have to be operational by October 2013. Entergy filed a petition in December 2009 with the Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology (APC&E) Commission requesting a variance from this deadline, however, because the EPA has not approved Arkansas's Regional Haze SIP and the EPA has recently expressed concerns about Arkansas's Regional Haze SIP and questioned the appropriateness of issuing an air permit prior to that approval. Entergy Arkansas's petition requested that, consistent with federal law, the compliance deadline be changed as expeditiously as practicable, but in no event later than five years after EPA approval of the Arkansas Regional Haze SIP. The APC&E Commission approved the variance at the Commission's March 26, 2010 meeting. The timeline for EPA action on the Arkansas Regional Haze SIP is uncertain at this time.

In March 2009, Entergy Arkansas made a filing with the APSC seeking a declaratory order that the White Bluff project is in the public interest. In May 2009 the APSC Staff filed a motion requesting that the APSC require Entergy Arkansas to file testimony on several issues. In December 2009, in response to the EPA concerns regarding Arkansas's Regional Haze SIP, the APSC suspended the procedural schedule in the proceeding and directed Entergy Arkansas to file monthly status reports regarding developments between the EPA and the ADEQ concerning the EPA's approval of the Arkansas Regional Haze SIP.

### Potential Legislative, Regulatory, and Judicial Developments (Air)

As discussed further in the Form 10-K, in 2009, the EPA published an "endangerment finding" stating that the emission of greenhouse gases "may reasonably be anticipated to endanger public health or welfare" and that the emission of these pollutants from mobile sources (such as cars and trucks) contributes to this endangerment. The EPA issued final mobile source emission regulations on April 1, 2010. On April 2, 2010, the EPA issued a policy stating that the regulation of greenhouse gas emissions from mobile sources would, as of January 2, 2011 (the date that the mobile source rule "takes effect"), trigger the regulation of greenhouse gases from stationary sources under current Clean Air Act provisions.

## Clean Water Act

### NPDES Permits and Section 401 Water Quality Certifications

#### Indian Point

As discussed further in the Form 10-K, on April 6, 2009, with a reservation of rights regarding the applicability of the section, Entergy's Indian Point facility submitted a Section 401 water quality certification to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The certification, or a waiver or exemption of the same, is potentially required pursuant to Section 401 of the Clean Water Act as a supporting document to the NRC's license renewal decision. On April 2, 2010, the NYSDEC denied Indian Point's water quality certification concluding that Indian Point's continued operation during a renewed NRC license period would not comply with existing New York

state water quality standards. The denial was a NYSDEC staff decision and Entergy filed comments on this decision and has requested a hearing before an NYSDEC ALJ. After the hearing, a party to the proceeding can appeal the ALJ decision to the Commissioner of the NYSDEC and then to state court. The NYSDEC staff decision does not restrict Indian Point operations before the expiration dates of the current NRC licenses in 2013 for Indian Point 2 and 2015 for Indian Point 3.

### 316(b) Cooling Water Intake Structures

See the Form 10-K for a discussion of the EPA regulations governing the intake of water at large existing power plants employing cooling water intake structures and the regulations' potential effect on Entergy. In March 2010 the NYSDEC released a new proposed policy establishing closed cycle cooling as the presumptive performance goal for best technology available (BTA) determinations for cooling water intake structures. The proposed policy applies primarily to electric generating facilities with thermal discharges and capacity factors of greater than fifteen percent that also are designed to withdraw at least 20 million gallons of water per day. If closed cycle cooling is not available for a particular facility because of construction, operational, or other relevant reasons, then the facility must implement an alternative technology that achieves a level of protection for aquatic life that is within ten percent of the expected or projected reductions associated with closed cycle cooling. The NYSDEC would make BTA determinations through the State Pollution Discharge Elimination System (SPDES) permitting program, but BTA decisions would be subject to further review and modification under the State Environmental Quality Review Act. Public comments on the draft policy are due June 8, 2010. Entergy plans to file comments and will continue to monitor these developments.

### Groundwater at Certain Nuclear Sites

As discussed further in the Form 10-K, in January 2010, Vermont Yankee was notified by its off-site analytical laboratory that a sample collected from a groundwater monitoring well in mid-November 2009 showed elevated levels of tritium. Tritium is a radioactive form of hydrogen that occurs naturally and is also a byproduct of nuclear plant operations. In March 2010, Vermont Yankee announced that it has identified the source of the tritium leakage at the plant, and that it has stopped the leakage. Remediation of the soil and groundwater is underway. There has been no detectable tritium found in any drinking water well samples at the Vermont Yankee site or in the Connecticut River. Both the NRC and the Vermont Department of Health have stated that tritium in the groundwater at Vermont Yankee has not been a threat to public health and safety. Non-Utility Nuclear expects to incur approximately \$11 million in operating expenses related to the investigation of the leakage and its remediation, including approximately \$5 million incurred through March 2010.

On February 25, 2010, the Vermont Public Service Board (VPSB) began a proceeding in which it will conduct an investigation into whether Non-Utility Nuclear should be required to cease operations at Vermont Yankee, or take other ameliorative actions, pending completion of repairs to stop releases of tritium or other radionuclides into the environment. This investigation will also consider whether good cause exists to modify or revoke the Vermont Yankee certificate of public good that the VPSB issued in 2002 and whether any penalties should be imposed on Non-Utility Nuclear for any identified violations of Vermont statutes or VPSB orders related to those releases. The proceeding and VPSB investigation were opened prior to Non-Utility Nuclear locating the source and beginning the remediation of the tritium leaking into groundwater at Vermont Yankee. The VPSB conceded in its order that its jurisdiction to conduct all or portions of the investigation may be preempted by federal law or regulation, and the parties were asked to brief preemption issues during the initial phase of the proceeding. The proceeding remains in the initial discovery phase.

### Property

Following is an update to the Non-Utility Nuclear, Property section of Part I, Item 1 of the Form 10-K.

### Generating Stations

As discussed further in the Form 10-K, the operating license for Pilgrim expires in 2012. A license renewal application is pending at the NRC. The NRC's Atomic Safety and Licensing Board (ASLB) proceeding regarding the

license renewal was completed, but Pilgrim Watch filed a petition for NRC review of the ASLB's decision. In March 2010 the NRC issued a decision reversing and remanding part of the ASLB's decision in which it had granted a summary disposition dismissing Pilgrim Watch's contention that challenged the Entergy Environmental Report's severe accident mitigation alternatives analysis. The NRC remanded consideration of this contention to the ALSB for hearing. A hearing date has not been scheduled.

Earnings Ratios (Entergy Arkansas, Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, Entergy Louisiana, Entergy Mississippi, Entergy New Orleans, Entergy Texas, and System Energy)

The Registrant Subsidiaries have calculated ratios of earnings to fixed charges and ratios of earnings to combined fixed charges and preferred dividends/distributions pursuant to Item 503 of Regulation S-K of the SEC as follows:

|                               | Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges |      |      |      |      |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|                               | Twelve Months Ended                 |      |      |      |      |             |
|                               | December 31,                        |      |      |      |      | March       |
|                               | 2005                                | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 31,<br>2010 |
| Entergy Arkansas              | 3.75                                | 3.37 | 3.19 | 2.33 | 2.39 | 2.35        |
| Entergy Gulf States Louisiana | 3.34                                | 3.01 | 2.84 | 2.44 | 2.99 | 3.22        |
| Entergy Louisiana             | 3.50                                | 3.23 | 3.44 | 3.14 | 3.52 | 3.41        |
| Entergy Mississippi           | 3.16                                | 2.54 | 3.22 | 2.92 | 3.25 | 3.30        |
| Entergy New Orleans           | 1.22                                | 1.52 | 2.74 | 3.71 | 3.66 | 4.11        |
| Entergy Texas                 | 2.06                                | 2.12 | 2.07 | 2.04 | 1.92 | 2.01        |
| System Energy                 | 3.85                                | 4.05 | 3.95 | 3.29 | 3.73 | 3.76        |

|                               | Ratios of Earnings to Combined Fixed Charges and Preferred Dividends/Distributions |      |      |      |      |             |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|-------------|
|                               | Twelve Months Ended                                                                |      |      |      |      |             |
|                               | December 31,                                                                       |      |      |      |      | March       |
|                               | 2005                                                                               | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 31,<br>2010 |
| Entergy Arkansas              | 3.34                                                                               | 3.06 | 2.88 | 1.95 | 2.09 | 2.06        |
| Entergy Gulf States Louisiana | 3.18                                                                               | 2.90 | 2.73 | 2.42 | 2.95 | 3.18        |
| Entergy Louisiana             | 3.50                                                                               | 2.90 | 3.08 | 2.87 | 3.27 | 3.18        |
| Entergy Mississippi           | 2.83                                                                               | 2.34 | 2.97 | 2.67 | 3.01 | 3.06        |
| Entergy New Orleans           | 1.12                                                                               | 1.35 | 2.54 | 3.45 | 3.38 | 3.81        |

The Registrant Subsidiaries accrue interest expense related to unrecognized tax benefits in income tax expense and do not include it in fixed charges.





Item 6. Exhibits \*

4(a) - Sixty-seventh Supplemental Indenture, dated as of March 1, 2010, to Entergy Louisiana, LLC Mortgage and Deed of Trust, dated as of April 1, 1944.

4(b) - Twenty-seventh Supplemental Indenture, dated as of April 1, 2010, to the Entergy Mississippi, Inc. Mortgage and Deed of Trust, dated as of February 1, 1988.

10(a) - Fourth Amendment and Consent, dated as of April 15, 2010, to the System Energy Resources, Inc. Letter of Credit and Reimbursement Agreement.

12(a) - Entergy Arkansas's Computation of Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges and of Earnings to Combined Fixed Charges and Preferred Dividends, as defined.

12(b) - Entergy Gulf States Louisiana's Computation of Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges and of Earnings to Combined Fixed Charges and Preferred Distributions, as defined.

12(c) - Entergy Louisiana's Computation of Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges and of Earnings to Combined Fixed Charges and Preferred Distributions, as defined.

12(d) - Entergy Mississippi's Computation of Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges and of Earnings to Combined Fixed Charges and Preferred Dividends, as defined.

12(e) - Entergy New Orleans's Computation of Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges and of Earnings to Combined Fixed Charges and Preferred Dividends, as defined.

12(f) - Entergy Texas's Computation of Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges, as defined.

12(g) - System Energy's Computation of Ratios of Earnings to Fixed Charges, as defined.

31(a) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Corporation.

31(b) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Corporation.

31(c) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Arkansas.

31(d) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Arkansas.

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Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana.

31(f) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana.

31(g) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Louisiana.

31(h) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Louisiana.

31(i) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Mississippi.

31(j) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Mississippi.

31(k) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy New Orleans.

31(l) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy New Orleans.

31(m) -Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Texas.

31(n) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for Entergy Texas.

31(o) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for System Energy.

31(p) - Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) Certification for System Energy.

32(a) - Section 1350 Certification for Entergy Corporation.

32(b) - Section 1350 Certification for Entergy Corporation.

32(c) - Section 1350 Certification for Entergy Arkansas.

32(d) - Section 1350 Certification for Entergy Arkansas.

32(e) - Section 1350 Certification for Entergy Gulf States Louisiana.

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Pursuant to Item 601(b)(4)(iii) of Regulation S-K, Entergy Corporation agrees to furnish to the Commission upon request any instrument with respect to long-term debt that is not registered or listed herein as an Exhibit because the total amount of securities authorized under such agreement does not exceed ten percent of the total assets of Entergy Corporation and its subsidiaries on a consolidated basis.

- \* Reference is made to a duplicate list of exhibits being filed as a part of this report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2010, which list, prepared in accordance with Item 102 of Regulation S-T of the SEC, immediately precedes the exhibits being filed with this report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2010.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized. The signature for each undersigned company shall be deemed to relate only to matters having reference to such company or its subsidiaries.

ENTERGY  
CORPORATION  
ENTERGY  
ARKANSAS, INC.  
ENTERGY GULF  
STATES LOUISIANA,  
L.L.C.  
ENTERGY  
LOUISIANA, LLC  
ENTERGY  
MISSISSIPPI, INC.  
ENTERGY NEW  
ORLEANS, INC.  
ENTERGY TEXAS,  
INC.  
SYSTEM ENERGY  
RESOURCES, INC.

/s/ Theodore H. Bunting,  
Jr.  
Theodore H. Bunting, Jr  
Senior Vice President  
and Chief Accounting  
Officer  
(For each Registrant and  
for each as  
Principal Accounting  
Officer)

Date: May 7, 2010

