

130 FERC ¶ 61,241  
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20426

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In Reply Refer To:  
Entergy Services, Inc.  
Docket No. EL03-230-005, *et al.*

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Dear Mrs. Murphy:

1. On October 20, 2009, Entergy Services, Inc. (ESI) filed a settlement agreement (Settlement) in the above-captioned proceeding on behalf of Entergy Texas Services, Inc. (ETI). The Settlement purports to resolve the disputed issues, including transmission credits, in Docket No. EL03-230-000 and all sub-dockets, including the issues set for hearing in the Commission's September 4, 2008 order,<sup>1</sup> by providing a one-time, lump sum payment of \$1,500,000.00 from ESI to Exxon Mobil Corporation.
2. Comments in support of the Settlement were filed by both the Commission's Trial Staff and Exxon Mobil Corporation on November 9, 2009. No reply comments were filed. On November 13, 2009, the settlement judge certified the Settlement to the Commission as uncontested.<sup>2</sup>
3. The Commission finds that the Settlement is fair and reasonable and in the public interest, and is hereby approved. The Commission's approval of this Settlement does not constitute approval of, or precedent regarding, any principle or issue in this proceeding.

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<sup>1</sup> *Exxon Mobil Corp. v. Entergy Serv., Inc.*, 124 FERC ¶ 61,223 (2008).

<sup>2</sup> *Exxon Mobil Corp. v. Entergy Serv., Inc.*, 129 FERC ¶ 63,012 (2009).

4. This letter terminates Docket No. EL03-230-005, *et al.*

By direction of the Commission.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,  
Deputy Secretary.

cc: All Parties