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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re:    Entergy Services, Inc.; Docket No. ER05-1065-000  
      Report of OASIS-Related Errors

Dear Secretary Bose:

Pursuant to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's ("Commission") April 24, 2006 Order in *Entergy Services, Inc.*, 115 FERC ¶ 61,095 (2006) ("April 24 Order"), Entergy Services, Inc., acting as agent for the Entergy Operating Companies,<sup>1</sup> hereby notifies the Commission it has recently become aware of an issue involving the posting of inaccurate data on OASIS and the mismanagement of data.

In the April 24 Order, the Commission conditionally accepted Entergy's proposal to establish an Independent Coordinator of Transmission ("ICT") for the Entergy System. As the Commission is aware, the Southwest Power Pool, Inc. acts as Entergy's ICT. In the April 24 Order, the Commission imposed an obligation for Entergy to "notify the Commission, the ICT and the Users Group within 15 days if Entergy discovers that it has lost data, or reported inaccurate data, or otherwise believes that it has mismanaged data." *See* April 24 Order at P 110.

Entergy is notifying the Commission that it has become aware of an error involving the use of certain "participation factor" data in the Available Flowgate Capacity ("AFC") process.

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<sup>1</sup> The Entergy Operating Companies include: Entergy Arkansas, Inc., Entergy Gulf States, Inc., Entergy Louisiana, LLC, Entergy Mississippi, Inc., and Entergy New Orleans, Inc. The Entergy Operating Companies and Entergy Services, Inc. are referred to collectively herein as "Entergy."

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Participation factors are data inputs to the AFC process that are used to calculate “response factors.”<sup>2</sup> The error has been corrected, but Entergy is still evaluating the causes and scope of the error. Entergy will submit additional information to the Commission regarding the error no later than August 17, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>2</sup> The AFC process evaluates short-term transmission service requests by calculating the amount of capacity available on individual flowgates and then measuring the impact that the service requests have on those flowgates. The impact of a particular service request on specific flowgates is measured by the “response factor” for that particular source-sink pair. For additional description of the use of participation factors, *see* the “Proposed Revisions to Entergy’s Open Access Transmission Tariff,” filed on November 4, 2005 in Docket No. ER06-162, pp 10-11.

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this 10th day of August, 2007, served the foregoing document upon the Southwest Power Pool, Inc., the ICT Users Group, and each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

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