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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 AFC-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,¹ hereby notifies the Commission it has recently become aware of the following AFC-related error.

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. Accordingly, Entergy submits the following summary of mismanaged data.

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

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Incorrect Sink Definition

On July 30, 2012, the Independent Coordinator of Transmission (ICT) notified Entergy that the Brazos sink definition in AFC process looked suspect. Upon further investigation, Entergy determined that the Brazos area sink definition was incorrect. The correct definition should have listed a set of generators from the Entergy control area. As a result of this error, and Brazos being a load only control area, the Brazos sink did not have any designated generators which could be used in the response factor calculation. This error has existed since implementing a planned change establishing Brazos as a Control Area on June 1, 2012. This potentially impacted the Operating and Planning Horizon. The definition was corrected on July 31, 2012 at 1305hrs.

This error may have resulted in incorrect AFC values due to incorrect response factors calculated in RFCALC. It is not technically feasible to determine the exact impact to the AFC calculation. Customers requesting service during this time frame with Brazos as a sink could have been potentially impacted.

In the event that further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,
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cc: Southwest Power Pool, Inc.
ICT Users Group
Service List; Docket No. ER05-1065-000

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this 14th day of August, 2012, 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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