

January 15, 2014

**Notice of Intent to Issue a Request for Proposals  
2014 Capacity RFP**

**Entergy Services, Inc.’s 2014 Capacity RFP** - Entergy Services, Inc. (“ESI”) hereby provides notice to interested parties that it intends to issue a Request for Proposals for Limited-Term Capacity Products (the “RFP”) on behalf of one or more of Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, L.L.C. (“EGSL”), Entergy Louisiana, LLC, (“ELL”), Entergy New Orleans, Inc. (“ENOI”), and Entergy Texas, Inc. (“ETI”) (collectively, the “Included Operating Companies”).

On December 19, 2013, the Included Operating Companies transferred functional control of their transmission assets to Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc. (“MISO”). Under the current planning assumptions, the Entergy System<sup>1</sup> is expected to need additional capacity to meet MISO’s resource adequacy requirements, starting in 2016. The RFP is intended to help the Entergy System meet those projected capacity needs.

Through the RFP, ESI will solicit offers for the sale to one or more of the Included Operating Companies of zonal resource credits issued pursuant to applicable MISO rules (“ZRCs”) for each of the MISO planning years from June 2016 through May 2021. The aggregate number of ZRCs targeted for purchase in each identified planning year is set forth below:

<u>MISO Planning Year</u>	<u>Target ZRC Quantity *</u>
June 1, 2016 – May 31, 2017	100 - 500
June 1, 2017 – May 31, 2018	500 - 1000
June 1, 2018 - May 31, 2019	500 - 1000
June 1, 2019 - May 31, 2020	500 - 1000
June 1, 2020 - May 31, 2021	500 - 1000

\* UCAP MW

The minimum amount of ZRCs a proposal may offer into the RFP for any planning year will be 50 MW; the maximum amount will be the target ZRC quantity for that planning year. ZRCs may be offered for one, more than one, or all of the planning years.

ESI intends to post draft RFP documents in March 2014 and final RFP documents in April 2014. Postings will be made to ESI’s RFP Website, <https://spofossil.entergy.com/ENTRFP/SEND/2014CapacityRFP/Index.htm>. Proposals are expected to be due in May 2014. All referenced time periods are subject to change.

ESI’s competitive affiliates will not be permitted to participate in the RFP.

Questions about this notice and/or the RFP can be directed to the RFP Administrator at [esirfp@entergy.com](mailto:esirfp@entergy.com).

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<sup>1</sup> The Entergy System currently includes the Included Operating Companies and Entergy Mississippi, Inc. Beginning in late 2015, the Entergy System is expected to consist of EGSL, ELL, ENOI and ETI.