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Re: Case 08-E-0077, Entergy Corporation, et al., Joint Petition for a Declaratory Ruling Regarding a Corporate Reorganization, or, in the Alternative, an Order Approving the Transaction and an Order Approving Debt Financing.

Dear Administrative Judges:

Riverkeeper hereby submits this letter in response to the letter sent out by Your Honors on July 3, 2008 requesting information from the parties regarding the completion of discovery and the parties' arguments addressing the need for SEQRA review of Entergy's petition.

First, Riverkeeper respectfully requests that the discovery period be extended an additional thirty days, until August 21, 2008, in order to provide us with additional time to review the responses to all parties' discovery requests filed to date, and to allow us the limited opportunity to file additional information requests if we find it necessary to do so. Riverkeeper filed its first information request earlier today. Riverkeeper has endeavored to review all documentation disclosed through discovery thus far in a timely manner. However, due to limited resources and the large volume of information disclosed thus far, Riverkeeper does not anticipate concluding its review before July 22, the current end of the discovery period. We do not believe this delay would result in any harm to the Petitioners or other parties. Nor would it negatively affect the public interest. On the contrary, the public interest would be best served by extending the discovery period to allow all parties the fullest opportunity to develop a complete record in this proceeding.

Second, in answer to the fourth question posed by Judges Prestemon and Lynch regarding whether full SEQRA review is merited, Riverkeeper respectfully refers Your Honors to our April 17, 2008 letter to the Public Service Commission regarding Entergy's Petition.

Sincerely,



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