

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM U-1/A

AMENDMENT NO. 4  
TO  
APPLICATION/DECLARATION

UNDER

THE PUBLIC UTILITY HOLDING COMPANY ACT OF 1935

CenterPoint Energy, Inc.  
1111 Louisiana  
Houston, Texas 77002

Utility Holding, LLC  
1011 Centre Road, Suite 324  
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CenterPoint Energy Service Company, LLC  
CenterPoint Energy Funding Company  
CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC  
CenterPoint Energy Transition Bond Company, LLC  
CenterPoint Energy Transition Bond Company II, LLC  
Houston Industries FinanceCo GP, LLC  
CenterPoint Energy Investment Management, Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy Properties, Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp.  
Arkansas Louisiana Finance Corporation  
Arkla Industries Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy Alternative Fuels, Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy Field Services, Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy Gas Receivables, LLC  
CenterPoint Energy Gas Transmission Company  
CenterPoint Energy - Illinois Gas Transmission Company  
CenterPoint Energy Intrastate Holdings, LLC  
Pine Pipeline Acquisition Company, LLC  
CenterPoint Energy Gas Services, Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy - Mississippi River Transmission Corporation

CenterPoint Energy MRT Services Company  
CenterPoint Energy Pipeline Services, Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy OQ, LLC  
CenterPoint Energy Intrastate Pipelines, Inc.  
Minnesota Intrastate Pipeline Company  
NorAm Financing I  
HL&P Capital Trust II  
CenterPoint Energy Funds Management, Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy International, Inc.  
CenterPoint Energy Avco Holdings, LLC  
CenterPoint Energy Offshore Management Services, LLC

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CAUTIONARY STATEMENT REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION

From time to time, we make statements concerning our expectations, beliefs, plans, objectives, goals, strategies, future events or performance and underlying assumptions and other statements, that are not historical facts. These statements are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Actual results may differ materially from those expressed or implied by these statements. You can generally identify our forward-looking statements by the words "anticipate," "believe," "continue," "could," "estimate," "expect," "forecast," "goal," "intend," "may," "objective," "plan," "potential," "predict," "projection," "should," "will," or other similar words.

We have based our forward-looking statements on our management's beliefs and assumptions based on information available to our management at the time the statements are made. We caution you that assumptions, beliefs, expectations, intentions and projections about future events may and often do vary materially from actual results. Therefore, we cannot assure you that actual results will not differ materially from those expressed or implied by our forward-looking statements.

Some of the factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied in forward-looking statements are discussed under "Risk Factors" in Item 1 of Part I of the Annual Report of CenterPoint Energy, Inc. on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2004.

The reader should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. Each forward-looking statement speaks only as of the date of the particular statement, and we undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements.

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The following sections of the Application-Declaration of CenterPoint Energy, Inc. ("CenterPoint" or the "Company"), Utility Holding, LLC ("Utility Holding") and their respective Subsidiaries (together, the "Applicants" or the "CenterPoint System") are hereby amended and restated as follows:(1)

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(1) The term "Subsidiaries" refers to the companies listed on the cover page (other than CenterPoint and Utility Holding), as well as any direct or indirect subsidiary companies that CenterPoint may form with the approval of the Commission. The term "Utility Subsidiaries" refers to CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC ("CEHE") and CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. ("CERC"). The term "Non-Utility Subsidiaries" refers to Subsidiaries other than the Utility Subsidiaries. "Inactive Subsidiaries" refers to the entities listed on Exhibit L-1. CenterPoint's Subsidiaries in existence as of March 31, 2005 and its Inactive Subsidiaries are further described in Exhibits K-1 and K-1.1.

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

A. EXHIBITS.

A-1 Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of CenterPoint as adopted on November 2, 2001 (filed with the Commission on November 5, 2001 as Exhibit 3.1 to Registration Statement on Form S-4 (File No. 333-69502) and incorporated by reference herein).

A-2 Articles of Amendment to Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of CenterPoint, dated March 27, 2002 (filed with the Commission as Exhibit 3.1.1 to the Annual Report of CenterPoint on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001 (File No. 333-69502) and incorporated by reference herein).

A-3 Amended and Restated By-Laws of CenterPoint as adopted on March 26, 2002 (filed with the Commission as Exhibit 3.2 to the Annual Report of CenterPoint on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001 (File No. 333-69502) and incorporated by reference herein).

B-1 Not applicable.

C-1 Not applicable.

D-1 Not applicable.

E-1 Not applicable.

F-1 Opinion of counsel (previously filed).

G-1 Table setting forth by issuer: (i) the type of securities and amount of each that is outstanding or, in the case of credit facilities that are not fully drawn, could be outstanding as of the date of the order requested by this Application; (ii) the amount of incremental investment authority that is being requested; and (iii) the total amount of securities that could be outstanding pursuant to the requested authority (previously filed).

G-1.2 Principal amount of external debt and trust preferred securities of CenterPoint and its Subsidiaries as of March 31, 2005 (previously filed).

G-2 Annual Report of CenterPoint on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004 (File No. 1-31447) (filed with the Commission on March 16, 2005 and incorporated by reference herein).

G-3 Annual Report of CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004 (File No. 1-03187) (filed with the Commission on March 24, 2005 and incorporated by reference herein).

G-4 Annual Report of CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004 (File No. 1-13265) (filed with the Commission on March 24, 2005 and incorporated by reference herein).

G-5 Annual Report of CenterPoint Energy Transition Bond Co., LLC on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004 (File No. 333-91093) (filed with the Commission on March 31, 2005 and incorporated by reference herein).

H-1 Proposed Form of Notice (previously filed).

I-1 Description of CenterPoint's Shareholder Rights Plan (previously filed).

J-1 Form of Second Amended and Restated Money Pool Agreement (previously filed).

K-1 Descriptions of Subsidiaries of CenterPoint Energy, Inc.

K-1.1 Organizational Structure Chart of CenterPoint Energy, Inc. and its Subsidiaries (filed under cover of Form SE in connection herewith).

L-1 List of Inactive Subsidiaries (previously filed).

#### B. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

FS-1 Consolidated Balance Sheets of CenterPoint as of December 31, 2004 and Statements of Consolidated Operations, Statements of Consolidated Comprehensive Income and Statements of Consolidated Cash Flows for the year ended December 31, 2004 (incorporated by reference to CenterPoint's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004 (File No. 1-31447)).

FS-2 Consolidated Balance Sheets of CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC as of December 31, 2004 and Statements of Consolidated Income, Statements of Consolidated Comprehensive Income and Statements of Consolidated Cash Flows for the year ended December 31, 2004 (incorporated by reference to CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004 (File No. 1-03187)).

FS-3 Consolidated Balance Sheets of CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. as of December 31, 2004 and Statements of Consolidated Income, Statements of Consolidated Comprehensive Income and Statements of Consolidated Cash Flows of CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. for the year ended December 31, 2004 (incorporated by reference to CenterPoint Energy Resources

Corp.'s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2004 (File No. 1-13265)).

FS-4 Balance Sheets of CenterPoint Energy Transition Bond Co., LLC as of March 31, 2005 (unaudited) and Statements of Income and Changes in Member's Equity and Statements of Cash Flows for the three months ended March 31, 2005 (unaudited) (incorporated by reference to CenterPoint Energy Transition Bond Co., LLC's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the three months ended March 31, 2005 (File No. 333-91093)).

FS-5 CenterPoint consolidated financials (forecasts through 2009) (previously filed).

FS-6 CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC financials (forecasts through 2009) (previously filed).

FS-7 CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. financials (forecasts through 2009) (previously filed).

FS-8 CenterPoint equity percentages as of December 31, 2004 (forecasts through 2009) (previously filed).

FS-9 CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC equity percentages (forecasts through 2009) (previously filed).

FS-10 CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp. equity percentages (forecasts through 2009) (previously filed).



SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as amended, the Applicants have duly caused this Application/Declaration to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: June 14, 2005

CENTERPOINT ENERGY, INC.  
and its Subsidiaries

By: /s/ Rufus S. Scott

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Rufus S. Scott  
Vice President, Deputy General Counsel and Assistant Corporate Secretary  
CenterPoint Energy, Inc.

DESCRIPTIONS OF SUBSIDIARIES OF  
CENTERPOINT ENERGY, INC.\*

		CENTERPOINT ENERGY RESOURCES CORP.(1) - Gas utility company	
CENTERPOINT ENERGY GAS SERVICES, INC.(3) - - Natural gas sales	ARKANSAS LOUISIANA FINANCE CORPORATION(1) - Limited appliance financing	CENTERPOINT ENERGY GAS TRANSMISSION COMPANY(1) - Interstate Pipeline	CENTERPOINT ENERGY FIELD SERVICES, INC.(1) - Energy-related subsidiary
CENTERPOINT ENERGY RETAIL INTERESTS, INC. - - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY FUNDS MANAGEMENT, INC.(1) - Holds receivables from CERC operations	CENTERPOINT ENERGY - MISSISSIPPI RIVER TRANSMISSION COMPANY(1) - Interstate Pipeline	CENTERPOINT ENERGY FIELD SERVICES HOLDINGS, INC. - INACTIVE  CENTERPOINT ENERGY INTERNATIONAL, INC.(1) Intermediate holding company
ENTEX GAS MARKETING COMPANY - - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY GAS RECEIVABLES, LLC(5) - Financing entity	CENTERPOINT ENERGY MRT SERVICES COMPANY(6) - Owns canal	CENTERPOINT ENERGY GAS PROCESSING, INC.(1) - Owns interest in gas processing plant.  (See additional chart for subsidiary information)
CENTERPOINT ENERGY INTRASTATE PIPELINES, INC.(10) - - Owns and operates 3 intrastate natural gas pipelines in Texas and Louisiana	NORAM FINANCING I - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY MRT HOLDINGS, INC. - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY HUB SERVICES, INC. - INACTIVE
CENTERPOINT ENERGY ALTERNATIVE FUELS, INC.(1) - - Natural gas vehicle, now offers its equipment for compression of gas	ALLIED MATERIALS CORPORATION - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY - ILLINOIS GAS TRANSMISSION COMPANY(1) - Intrastate pipeline	
CENTERPOINT ENERGY HOUSTON ELECTRIC, LLC - - Electric utility company	CENTERPOINT ENERGY SERVICE COMPANY, LLC(2) - Provides services to CenterPoint system companies	CENTERPOINT ENERGY POWER SYSTEMS, INC. - INACTIVE	
HOUSTON INDUSTRIES FINANCECO GP, LLC - - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY AVCO HOLDINGS, LLC(4) - Owner of CenterPoint's corporate aircraft	CENTERPOINT ENERGY PROPERTIES, INC.(1) - Owner of CenterPoint's office building, parking garage and dispatch facility	
HOUSTON INDUSTRIES FINANCECO, LP - - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY FUNDING COMPANY(1) - Financing subsidiary	CENTERPOINT ENERGY PRODUCTS, INC. - INACTIVE	
CENTERPOINT ENERGY TRANSITION BOND COMPANY, LLC(1) - - Issued original transition bonds	HL&P Capital Trust I - INACTIVE	NORAM ENERGY CORP. - INACTIVE	
CENTERPOINT ENERGY TRANSMISSION BOND COMPANY II, LLC(7) - - Formed to issue transition bonds in connection with the Texas true-up proceedings	HL&P CAPITAL TRUST II(1) - Holds preferred stock in connection with trust-preferred securities	UTILITY RAIL SERVICES, INC. - INACTIVE	
	REI Trust I - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY, INC. (a DELAWARE COMPANY) - INACTIVE	

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ENTEX NGV, INC. - - INACTIVE	ARKLA INDUSTRIES, INC. - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY INTRASTATE HOLDING, LLC(1) - Intermediate holding company	CENTERPOINT ENERGY INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, INC.(8) - Holds Time Warner stock
ENTEX OIL & GAS COMPANY - - INACTIVE	NATIONAL FURNACE COMPANY - INACTIVE	PINE PIPELINE ACQUISITION COMPANY, LLC(1) - Intrastate pipeline in Louisiana	CENTERPOINT ENERGY TEGCO, INC. - INACTIVE
	CENTERPOINT ENERGY CONSUMER GROUP, INC. - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY PIPELINE SERVICES, INC.(1) - Energy-related subsidiary	BLOCK 368 GP, LLC - INACTIVE
	NORAM UTILITY SERVICES, INC. - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY OFFSHORE MANAGEMENT SERVICES, LLC(9) - operations and maintenance management services for natural gas operations	BLOCK 368, LLC - INACTIVE
	ARKLA PRODUCTS COMPANY - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY OQ, LLC(1) - Intermediate holding company	
	ALG GAS SUPPLY COMPANY - INACTIVE	OQ PARTNERS(1) - Provides energy-industry related, web-based training services	
	INTEX, INC. - INACTIVE	MINNESOTA INTRASTATE PIPELINE COMPANY(1) - Natural gas pipeline in Minnesota	
	UNITED GAS, INC. - INACTIVE		
	CENTERPOINT ENERGY TRADING AND TRANSPORTATION GROUP, INC. - INACTIVE		

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CENTERPOINT ENERGY LIGHT, INC. - - INACTIVE	RELIANT ENERGY BRASIL, LTDA. - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY INTERNATIONAL SERVICES, INC. - INACTIVE	RELIANT ENERGY EL SALVADOR S.A. DE C.V. - INACTIVE	RELIANT ENERGY OUTSOURCE LTD. - INACTIVE	WORLDWIDE ELECTRIC HOLDINGS B.V. - INACTIVE	CENTERPOINT ENERGY INTERNATIONAL II, INC. - INACTIVE
	RELIANT ENERGY BRAZIL TIETE LTD. - INACTIVE	RELIANT ENERGY COLUMBIA LTDA. - INACTIVE		VENUS GENERATION EL SALVADOR - INACTIVE		HIE FORD HEIGHTS, INC. - INACTIVE
	RELIANT ENERGY BRAZIL LTD. - INACTIVE			CENTERPOINT ENERGY INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS, LLC - INACTIVE		HIE FULTON. INC. - INACTIVE
	RELIANT ENERGY INTERNATIONAL BRASIL LTDA. - INACTIVE					
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\* For the organizational structure of CenterPoint Energy, Inc. and its  
Subsidiaries, see the Organizational Structure Chart filed in connection  
herewith as Ex. K-1.1 under cover of Form SE.

CENTERPOINT NOTES FOR EXHIBIT K-1

1. Retention authorized in Reliant Energy, Incorporated, Holding Co. Act Release No. 27680 (July 5, 2002) (the "Initial Order"). The names of certain of the subsidiaries have changed as follows:

CenterPoint Energy Gas Transmission Company (fka Reliant Energy Gas Transmission Company)

CenterPoint Energy Field Services, Inc. (fka Reliant Energy Field Services, Inc.)

CenterPoint Energy Gas Processing, Inc. (fka Reliant Energy Gas Processing, Inc.)

CenterPoint Energy Properties, Inc. (fka Reliant Energy Properties, Inc.)

CenterPoint Energy Funds Management, Inc. (fka Reliant Energy Funds Management, Inc.)

CenterPoint Energy Mississippi River Transmission Company (fka Mississippi River Transmission Corporation)

CenterPoint Energy International, Inc. (fka Reliant Energy International, Inc.)

CenterPoint Energy Funding Company (fka Houston Industries Funding Company)

CenterPoint Energy Transition Bond Company, LLC (fka Reliant Energy Transition Bond Company LLC)

CenterPoint Energy Alternative Fuels, Inc. (fka Entex Fuels, Inc.)

CenterPoint Energy Illinois Gas Transmission Company (fka Illinois Gas Transmission Company)

CenterPoint Energy Intrastate Holding, LLC (fka Reliant Energy Intrastate Holdings, LLC)

CenterPoint Energy Pipeline Services, Inc. (fka Reliant Energy Pipeline Services, Inc.)

CenterPoint Energy OQ, LLC (fka Reliant Energy OQ, LLC)

2. See CenterPoint Energy, Inc., Holding Co. Act Release No. 27775 (Dec. 18, 2003) (authorizing formation of service company).

3. Formed by the combination on December 31, 2003 of three subsidiaries (Entex Gas Resources Corp., Reliant Energy Retail, Inc. and MRT Energy Marketing Company) the retention of which was authorized in the Initial Order. Authority for the reorganization of non-utility interests exists under CenterPoint Energy, Inc., Holding Co. Release No. 27692 (June 30, 2003) (the "2003 Omnibus Financing Order").

4. Formed pursuant to the non-utility reorganization authorized under the 2003 Omnibus Financing Order.

5. Formed pursuant to financing subsidiary authority in the 2003 Omnibus Financing Order.

6. Subject to divestment by June 30, 2006 under the 2003 Omnibus Financing Order.

7. Formed pursuant to CenterPoint Energy, Inc., Holding Co. Act Release No. 10128 (Nov. 30, 2004).

8. Retention authorized in the 2003 Omnibus Financing Order.

9. Acquired pursuant to Rule 58 on April 15, 2005.

10. Formerly known as Louisiana Unit Gas Transmission Company, it is the surviving entity in a combination of three small intrastate pipeline subsidiaries at the end of 2003. On December 31, 2003 Industrial Gas Supply Corporation and Unit Gas Transmission Company merged into Louisiana Unit Gas Transmission Company (the retention of each was authorized in the Initial Order) which changed its name to CenterPoint Energy Intrastate Pipelines, Inc. Authority for the reorganization exists under the 2003 Omnibus Financing Order.