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## Maryland PSC Schedules Public Hearing for CPV Maryland, LLC CPCN Modification

(BALTIMORE, MD-January 24, 2018) – The Maryland Public Service Commission (PSC) will hold a public comment hearing on the application of CPV Maryland, LLC to amend its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) for its St. Charles generating station located near Waldorf, in northern Charles County, Maryland. The hearing will be held on **Wednesday**, **February 7**, **2018** at **7:00 p.m.** at the **Marriott Courtyard Hotel**, **3145 Crain Highway in Waldorf**.

Members of the public who wish to comment on the matter are welcome to attend the hearing before Chief Public Utility Law Judge Terry J. Romine. The CPCN for this project was first issued by the PSC in 2008 and modified in 2012.

CPV Maryland proposes to upgrade the project's existing combustors, which will increase the plant's electrical power output by approximately 25 megawatts, and increase the annual hours of operation of duct firing. The public hearing and written public comments are limited to the application and the recommended licensing conditions for the modified project.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection and copying at the P.D. Brown Memorial Branch of the Charles County Public Library, 50 Village Street, Waldorf, Maryland 20602. Case filings and associated pleadings in the matter are available in the electronic docket file for Case No. <u>9437</u>, which may be viewed or downloaded at <u>www.psc.state.md.us</u>.

Written comments referencing Case No. <u>9437</u> may also be mailed (**by February 12**, **2018**) to:

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