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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

June 29, 2016

In the Matter of the Application of C.P. Crane *
LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience *
and Necessity Authorizing the Modification of *
the Charles P. Crane Generating Station in *
Baltimore County, Maryland *
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Case No. 9421

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Dear Mr. DuBois:

The Public Service Commission (“Commission”) has reviewed the Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) Authorizing the Modification of the Charles P. Crane Generating Station in Baltimore County, Maryland filed on June 24, 2016 by C. P. Crane LLC (“Applicant”). The Applicant is proposing to modify the existing Charles P. Crane Generating Station (“Crane”) in Baltimore County, Maryland to enable the use of natural gas in Unit 2 at Crane. The Applicant is located at 1001 Carroll Island Road, Baltimore, Maryland 21220. The Application indicates that the modification to enable the use of natural gas will allow Crane to reduce its ozone-season (summer) emissions while maintaining electric generating capacity, reduce usage of high maintenance coal and ash handling systems, reduce ash disposal requirements, and shorten Unit 2’s start-up time.

After review of the Application, the Commission hereby docket the matter as Case No. 9421, sets the matter for hearing, and delegates the matter to the Public Utility Law Judge Division to conduct the proceedings.

By Direction of the Commission,

/s/ David J. Collins

David J. Collins
Executive Secretary

cc: Terry J. Romine, Chief Public Utility Law Judge