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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

December 29, 2016

In the Matter of the Application of CPV *
Maryland, LLC for a Certificate of Public *
Convenience and Necessity Authorizing the *
Modification of its St. Charles Generating *
Station *
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Case No. 9437

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Dear Mr. Prell:

The Public Service Commission (“Commission”) has reviewed the Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) Authorizing the Modification of the St. Charles Generating Station in Charles County, Maryland filed on December 20, 2016 by CPV Maryland, LLC (“Applicant”). The Applicant is proposing to modify its St. Charles Generating Station (“St. Charles” or “Facility”) – currently under construction – in Charles County, Maryland to increase St. Charles’ output by approximately 25 MW, an upgrade that will deliver additional clean power, improve the Facility’s heat rate, and increase system reliability, with only modest increases in emissions. The Application indicates that the modifications will cause increased potential greenhouse gas emissions and other regulated pollutants, and therefore constitute modifications requiring Commission approval.

After review of the Application, the Commission hereby docket the matter as Case No. 9437, 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