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October 18, 2023

TO: Each Municipal Clerk and County  
Executive or Administrator of the  
Municipalities and Counties of  
New Jersey Served by Jersey  
Central Power & Light Company



**Re: In the Matter of the Verified Petition of Jersey Central Power & Light Company for Review and Approval of Increases in, and Other Adjustments to, its Rates and Charges for Electric Service, and for Approval of Other Proposed Tariff Revisions in Connection Therewith ("JCP&L 2023 Base Rate Filing")**

**BPU Docket No. ER23030144**  
**OAL Docket No. PUC 03346-23**

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find a copy of a Notice of Public Hearing regarding Jersey Central Power & Light Company's ("JCP&L" or the "Company") 2023 Base Rate Filing.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the Board has scheduled a virtual public hearing on this matter at the times set forth in the enclosed Public Notice.

A copy of the filing is also posted on the Company's website at:

[https://www.firstenergycorp.com/jersey\\_central\\_power\\_light/regulatory.html](https://www.firstenergycorp.com/jersey_central_power_light/regulatory.html)

JCP&L would be pleased to furnish you with any assistance or additional information that you might reasonably require.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James Austin Meehan".

James Austin Meehan  
Counsel for Jersey Central Power & Light Company

**NOTICE OF JERSEY CENTRAL POWER & LIGHT COMPANY'S PUBLIC  
HEARINGS AND OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS**

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**TO OUR CUSTOMERS:**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that on March 16, 2023, Jersey Central Power & Light Company ("JCP&L" or "Company"), filed a petition with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board"), seeking approval of proposed overall increases in and/or other adjustments to JCP&L's various tariff rates and charges for electric service, and for approval of other proposed Tariff charges and revisions, which were proposed to become effective for service rendered on and after April 26, 2023, or at such later date as the Board may determine.

On August 7, 2023, the Company updated its petition based on 12 months of actual data. As a result of this update, the proposed new rates would yield an overall net operating revenue increase of approximately \$192.2 million, representing an overall revenue increase of about 7.2% as compared to the same current annualized tariff rates and revenues. The annual percentage increase applicable to specific customers will vary according to the applicable rate schedule and the level of the customer's usage. As proposed, a typical JCP&L residential customer using 777 kWh per month currently paying, on average, \$112.83, will experience an increase to \$121.56 per month, resulting in a monthly increase of \$8.73 or 7.7%.

Copies of the petition and all related documents are available for inspection at the Company's regional headquarters at 101 Crawfords Corner Rd. Building #1, Suite 1-511, Holmdel, New Jersey 07733 and at 300 Madison Avenue, Morristown, New Jersey 07962-1911, at each of the Company's local business offices, and at the Board of Public Utilities, 44 South Clinton Avenue, Trenton, New Jersey 08625. A copy of the filing is also posted on the Company's website at:

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The following comparisons of present and proposed bills shows an approximate net effect upon them of the proposed increases and adjustments in rates. Any assistance required by customers in this regard will be furnished by the Company upon request. Please note that the Board in its discretion may apply all or any portion of whatever rate increases the Board may ultimately allow to other rate schedules or in a different manner than what JCP&L has proposed in its filings. Accordingly, the final rates and charges to be determined by the Board in this proceeding may be different than what JCP&L has described herein.

## SUMMARY OF APPROXIMATE CUSTOMER BILL IMPACT

Rate Class	Overall Class Average Per Customer (Includes 6.625 % Sales and Use Tax)		
	Current Monthly Bill (1)	Proposed Monthly Bill (2)	Proposed Monthly Increase %
Residential (RS)	\$114.77	\$123.92	8.0%
Residential Time of Day (RT/RGT)	\$155.49	\$167.93	8.0%
General Service – Secondary (GS)	\$575.00	\$620.58	7.9%
General Service - Secondary Time of Day (GST)	\$30,404.65	\$31,961.38	5.1%
General Service – Primary (GP)	\$42,732.39	\$44,438.25	4.0%
General Service – Transmission (GT)	\$109,087.29	\$112,381.57	3.0%
Lighting (Average Per Fixture)	\$11.20	\$12.40	10.7%

(1) Rates effective 3/1/2023

(2) Proposed rates effective TBD

The Company has also proposed other tariff revisions and related charges, some of which would apply to all customers and others that would apply only to those customers whose requests or actions give rise to the related costs. Descriptions of all such proposed tariff revisions are included in Exhibits JC-2, JC-5, and JC-9 of the petition, and their associated schedules.

Notice of these filings together with a statement of the effect on customers are being served upon the clerk, executive or administrator of each municipality and county within the Company's service areas. Such notice has also been served, together with the petition, tariffs, rate schedules and all other exhibits, upon the Director of the Division of Rate Counsel, who will represent the interests of ratepayers in these proceedings.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that the New Jersey Office of Administrative Law ("OAL") has scheduled virtual public hearings on the petition under OAL Docket No. PUC 03346-23 on the following date and times:

Date: November 14 at 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Link: [https://urldefense.com/v3/https://oal-nj-gov.zoomgov.com/j/1617391129?pwd=bTJPdnYwQ01DSU4wdVFld2dpNldKdz09.!!GeBfJs0!LnN5u-N-uerYsfMTLTh5jlqJetUqn6KdTKOd-60fXkufrFvoGpsTzCqru0cWbckeyA4Eny-DrC5YP2azNf9TFZdt28ml9ks\\$](https://urldefense.com/v3/https://oal-nj-gov.zoomgov.com/j/1617391129?pwd=bTJPdnYwQ01DSU4wdVFld2dpNldKdz09.!!GeBfJs0!LnN5u-N-uerYsfMTLTh5jlqJetUqn6KdTKOd-60fXkufrFvoGpsTzCqru0cWbckeyA4Eny-DrC5YP2azNf9TFZdt28ml9ks$)

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Members of the public will have an opportunity to be heard at each or any of the public hearings and/or to submit written comments or statements if they wish to do so. Such written comments or statements may be submitted directly to the Clerk of the Office of Administrative Law, 33 Washington Street, Newark, NJ 07102. Please include OAL Docket No. PUC 03346-23 in your comment letter. In order to encourage full participation in this opportunity for public comment, please submit any requests for special accommodations, including interpreters, at least 48 hours prior to this hearing by contacting the Clerk of the OAL at (973) 648-7136.

Dated: October 18, 2023

**JERSEY CENTRAL POWER & LIGHT COMPANY**