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Below is a copy of the presentation that was given at Mirant Corporation's 2010 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, which was held on May 6, 2010.

Dickerson Generating Station
Mirant Corporation
Annual Meeting
May 6, 2010

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Forward-Looking Statements
This
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may
contain
statements,

estimates
or
projections
that
constitute
forward-looking
statements
as
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securities
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perform
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expected,
including
due
to
outages
for
unscheduled

maintenance
or
repair;
(iv)
changes
in
market
conditions
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the
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additional competition in our markets; (v) the expected timing and likelihood of completion of the proposed merger with RRI
receipt and terms and conditions of required stockholder, governmental and regulatory approvals that may reduce anticipated b
parties to abandon the merger; the ability of the parties to arrange debt financing in an amount sufficient to fund the refinancing,
terms consistent with, the Merger Agreement; the diversion of management's time and attention from our ongoing business du
seeking to complete the merger; the ability to maintain relationships with employees, customers and suppliers; the ability to int
businesses
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realize
cost
savings
and
any
other
synergies;
and
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risk
that
credit
ratings
of
the
combined
company
or
its
subsidiaries
may
be
different
from
what
the
companies
expect;
and
(vi)
those

factors
contained
in
our
periodic
reports
filed
with
the
SEC,
including
in
our
Annual
Report
on
Form
10-K
for
the
year
ended
December
31,
2009.

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jurisdiction.

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proposed
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between
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and
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Registration Statement on Form S-4 that will include a joint proxy statement of RRI Energy and Mirant that also constitutes a proxy statement. RRI Energy and Mirant will mail the joint proxy statement/prospectus to their respective shareholders. RRI Energy and Mirant will encourage their respective shareholders to read the joint proxy statement/prospectus regarding the proposed merger when it becomes available, as well as to file with the SEC, because they will contain important information. You may obtain copies of all documents filed with the SEC regarding the proposed merger

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Safe Harbor Statement

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Participants in The Merger Solicitation
RRI
Energy,
Mirant,
and
their

respective
directors,
executive
officers
and
certain
other
members
of
management
and
employees

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soliciting
proxies from RRI Energy and Mirant shareholders in favor of the merger and related matters. Information regarding the person
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definitive

proxy
statement
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with
the
SEC
on
April
1,
2010.

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can
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information
about
Mirant's
executive
officers
and
directors
in
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definitive
proxy
statement
filed
with
the
SEC
on
March

26,
2010.

Additional
information
about

RRI
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and
directors
and

Mirant's
executive

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Reconciliation to GAAP Financial Information

The
following
presentation
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certain

non-GAAP
financial
measures

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defined
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Regulation

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the
Securities
Exchange
Act

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financial
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following
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directly
comparable
financial
measures
calculated
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accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
Safe Harbor Statement

Dickerson Generating Station
Introduction

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Mirant Corporation Board of Directors
Operational
Performance
-
Cash
Generation

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Prudent

Growth

Edward R. Muller, Chairman

Thomas W. Cason

A.D. (Pete) Correll

Terry G. Dallas

Thomas H. Johnson

John T. Miller

Robert C. Murray

John M. Quain

William L. Thacker

Dickerson Generating Station
Business Overview

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2009 Highlights

Hedging strategy mitigated the effects of relatively low commodity prices

Generating facilities achieved 89% commercial availability

Incurred zero

lost time accidents at our facilities

Completed installation of four scrubbers to control emissions
of sulfur dioxide at our Maryland coal-fired facilities

Entered a ten-year power purchase agreement with PG&E for
new 760 MW Marsh Landing Generating Station

Operational
Performance

-

Cash
Generation

-

Prudent
Growth

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Financial Highlights
(\$millions)
Operational
Performance
-
Cash

Generation

-

Prudent

Growth

Adjusted EBITDA

890

782

2009

2008

Change in Adjusted EBITDA principally attributable to

Higher realized value of hedges

Higher realized results from proprietary trading and
fuel oil management activities

-

Lower energy gross margins from generation

9

1.45

1.01

1.15

0.50

0.34

0

3.35

2.34

2.21

1.24

1.01

1.08

0.00

0.50

1.00

1.50

2.00

2.50

3.00

3.50

4.00

2004

2005

2006

2007

2008

2009

2009 Operations Highlights

Operational

Performance

-

Cash

Generation

-

Prudent

Growth

Mirant's safety incident rates are Top Quartile against EEI's benchmark data

Commercial Availability, the percent of maximum achievable energy gross

margin that was realized in the period, has improved significantly

Safety Incident Rates

Commercial Availability

Lost Time Incident Rate

Lost Time EEI Top Quartile Benchmark

Recordable Incident Rate

Recordable EEI Top Quartile Benchmark

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Maryland Healthy Air Act
Operational
Performance
-
Cash
Generation

-

Prudent

Growth

All environmental controls were operational as of December 21, 2009

Control equipment allows our facilities to comply with all of the requirements of the Maryland Healthy Air Act

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California Update

Executed PPA with PG&E for 760 MW natural gas-fired

Marsh Landing Generating Station at Contra Costa site

Ten-year PPA for entire output of the peaking facility,
subject to CPUC approval

Construction to begin in late 2010 to be completed by

mid-2013

Existing PPA on Contra Costa units 6 & 7 extended through April 2013, subject to CPUC approval

At end of extension, subject to regulatory approval, units 6 & 7 will be retired

Reached settlement with City of San Francisco to shut down Potrero

facility when CAISO no longer needs units for reliability

Under reliability must-run contract through 2010

Expect to shutdown Potrero (362 MW) in 2010

Operational Performance

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Cash

Generation

-

Prudent

Growth

Potrero

Potrero

Contra

Costa

Pittsburg

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Introducing GenOn
Energy
Operational
Performance
-
Cash

Generation

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Prudent

Growth

On April 11, 2010, Mirant and RRI Energy announced that the companies would merge to form GenOn

Energy

Creation of GenOn

Energy will deliver significant value to stockholders

Strategic rationale for the transaction

Significant near-term value creation driven by annual cost savings of \$150 million to be fully realized starting in January 2012

Strengthened balance sheet and enhanced financial flexibility

Increased scale and geographic diversity across key regions

Well positioned to benefit from improvement in market fundamentals

Merger is expected to close by the end of 2010

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Transaction Terms
Company Name
GenOn
Energy
Consideration
Merger of equals

100% stock transaction

Exchange Ratio

Mirant stockholders will receive 2.835 shares of RRI Energy in exchange for each share of Mirant

Ownership

Mirant

stockholders

will

own

approximately

54%

of

GenOn

Energy

RRI

Energy

stockholders

will

own

approximately

46%

of

GenOn

Energy

Board of Directors

GenOn

Energy Board to consist of 10 directors

5 Directors from Mirant/ 5 Directors from RRI Energy

Management

Edward R. Muller, Chairman & CEO

Mark M. Jacobs, President & COO

J. William Holden III, CFO

Identified executive leadership team reflects balanced representation from both companies

Headquarters

Corporate headquarters in Houston, TX

Transaction Close

Expected before the end of 2010

Operational

Performance

-

Cash

Generation

-

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Q and A

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Regulation G Reconciliation
Operational
Performance
-
Cash
Generation

-
Prudent
Growth
(in millions except per share)
Per Share ¹
Per Share ¹
Net income
494
\$
3.41
\$
1,265
\$
6.36
\$
Income from discontinued operations
-
-
50
0.25
Income from continuing operations
494
3.41
1,215
6.11
Unrealized gains
(47)
(0.32)
(786)
(3.95)
Bankruptcy charges and legal contingencies
(62)
(0.43)
-
-

Severance and bonus plan for dispositions

13

0.09

14

0.07

Impairment charges

221

1.52

-

-

Lovett shut down costs

5

0.03

12

0.06

Lower of cost or market inventory adjustments, net

(31)

(0.21)

54

0.27

Other

1

0.01

8

0.04

Adjusted income from continuing operations

594

\$

4.10

\$
517
\$
2.60
\$
Provision for income taxes
12

2

Interest expense, net
135

119

Depreciation and amortization
149

144

Adjusted EBITDA
890

\$
782

\$
1

Per share amounts for 2009 are based on diluted weighted average shares outstanding of 145 million. Per share amounts for 2008 are based on diluted weighted average shares outstanding of 199 million.

Net Income to Adjusted Income from Continuing Operations and Adjusted EBITDA

Year to Date

Year to Date

December 31, 2009

December 31, 2008