

**CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY
RESPONSE TO COMPETITIVE ENERGY SERVICES' DATA REQUEST NO. 1
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- Q.** For each of the 5 pulp and paper companies and 6 small industrial facilities shown in Table 2 on Page 7 of 9, please provide the specific loads that were included in the year-to-year load forecasts for peak load as shown in Table 1 on Page 4 of 9.
- A.** CMP's load forecast did not include specific peak load estimates for the customers listed in Table 2 on Page 7 of 9. The Company's sales forecast does incorporate kWh sales projections for individual large customers. Madison Paper is not a CMP retail customer.

The confidential attachment to this response provides CMP's sales forecast for these customers. ***This information is provided under the terms and conditions of First Revised Protective Order No. 1, Confidential Retail Customer and Market Participant Information, dated August 27, 2008.***

The load flow analysis performed by RLC Engineering did include the maximum contractual load for some large customers as indicated in Table 2.

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Attachment(s):

1. CMP Sales Forecast for Selected Customers, Fall 2006.