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FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

[X] QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2001

	OR	
[] TRANSITION ACT OF 1934	N REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SE	CURITIES EXCHANGE
For the transiti	on period from to	
Commission <u>file number</u>	Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter, <u>State of incorporation</u> , <u>Address and Telephone number</u>	IRS Employer <u>Identification No.</u>
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Indicate by check mark whether each registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was

New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

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required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes X No ____

As of April 30, 2001, shares of common stock outstanding for each registrant were:

Registrant	<u>Description</u>	<u>Shares</u>
Energy East Corporation	Par value \$.01 per share	116,349,598
Central Maine Power Company	Par value \$5 per share	31,211,471 (1)
New York State Electric & Gas Corporation	Par value \$6.66 2/3 per share	64,508,477 (2)
(1)		

All shares are owned by CMP Group, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Energy East Corporation. (2) All shares are owned by Energy East Corporation.

This combined Form 10-Q is separately filed by **Energy East Corporation**, **Central Maine Power Company** and **New York State Electric & Gas Corporation**. Information contained herein relating to any individual registrant is filed by such registrant on its own behalf. Each registrant makes no representation as to information relating to the other registrants.

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Financial Statements

Energy East Corporation Consolidated Statements of Income - (Unaudited

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Three Months Ended March 31	2001	2000	
	(Thousands, except	(Thousands, except per share amounts)	
Operating Revenues			
Sales and services	\$1,271,139	\$684,426	
Operating Expenses			
Electricity purchased and fuel used in generation	352,629	231,347	
Natural gas purchased	369,471	111,813	
Other operating expenses	140,739	76,651	
Maintenance	36,013	21,019	
Depreciation and amortization	51,339	32,960	
Other taxes	58,420	41,309	
Total Operating Expenses	1,008,611	515,099	
Operating Income	262,528	169,327	
Other (Income) and Deductions	1,246	(7,596)	
Interest Charges, Net	55,625	28,412	
Preferred Stock Dividends of Subsidiaries	478	99	
Income Before Income Taxes	205,179	148,412	
Income Taxes	89,578	55,085	
Net Income	\$115,601	\$93,327	
Earnings Per Share, basic and diluted	\$.98	\$.83	

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Dividends Paid Per Share	\$.23	\$.22
Average Common Shares Outstanding	117,386	112,777

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Energy East Corporation Consolidated Balance Sheets - (Unaudited)

	March 31, 2001	Dec. 31, 2000
Assets	(Thous	sands)
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$153,149	\$143,626
Special deposits	21,573	21,516
Accounts receivable, net	584,375	536,280
Fuel, at average cost	19,790	65,496
Materials and supplies, at average cost	23,156	22,759
Accumulated deferred income tax benefits, net	5,955	5,007
Prepayments	60,630	57,720
Total Current Assets	868,628	852,404
Utility Plant, at Original Cost		
Electric	4,684,798	4,784,312
Natural gas	1,680,084	1,665,386
Common	213,464	220,124
	6,578,346	6,669,822

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Less accumulated depreciation	3,007,063	3,096,283
Net Utility Plant in Service	3,571,283	3,573,539
Construction work in progress	41,106	59,389
Total Utility Plant	3,612,389	3,632,928
Other Property and Investments, Net	270,677	259,708
Regulatory and Other Assets		
Regulatory assets		
Nuclear plant obligations	236,089	234,929
Unfunded future income taxes	186,755	184,570
Unamortized loss on debt reacquisitions	57,515	58,848
Demand-side management program costs	41,231	48,929
Environmental remediation costs	77,508	78,406
Other	227,918	241,396
Total regulatory assets	827,016	847,078
Other assets		
Goodwill, net	945,730	952,358
Prepaid pension benefits	372,287	350,038
Other	162,392	119,214
Total other assets	1,480,409	1,421,610
Total Regulatory and Other Assets	2,307,425	2,268,688
Total Assets	\$7,059,119	\$7,013,728

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Financial Statements (Cont'd)

Energy East Corporation Consolidated Balance Sheets - (Unaudited)

	March 31, 2001	Dec. 31, 2000	
Liabilities	(Thous	(Thousands)	
Current Liabilities			
Current portion of long-term debt	\$34,328	\$25,285	
Notes payable	393,279	418,995	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	241,636	345,424	
Interest accrued	54,890	35,309	
Taxes accrued	89,926	-	
Other	143,779	211,784	
Total Current Liabilities	957,838	1,036,797	
Regulatory and Other Liabilities			
Regulatory liabilities			
Deferred income taxes	100,911	91,421	
Deferred income taxes, unfunded future income taxes	76,247	75,473	
Gain on sale of generation assets	226,522	232,041	
Pension benefits	95,295	96,514	
Other	78,653	76,813	
Total regulatory liabilities	577,628	572,262	
Other liabilities			
Deferred income taxes	472,125	457,495	
Nuclear plant obligations	236,089	234,929	
Other postretirement benefits	276,067	279,864	

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Environmental remediation costs	91,486	91,811
Other	221,425	233,910
Total other liabilities	1,297,192	1,298,009
Total Regulatory and Other Liabilities	1,874,820	1,870,271
Long-term debt	2,361,574	2,346,814
Total Liabilities	5,194,232	5,253,882
Commitments	-	-
Preferred Stock of Subsidiaries	43,332	43,324
Preferred stock redeemable solely at the option of subsidiaries		
Common Stock Equity	1,185	1,191
Common stock		
Capital in excess of par value	859,319	871,078
Retained earnings	1,006,598	918,016
Accumulated other comprehensive income	(6,607)	(34,823)
Treasury stock, at cost	(38,940)	(38,940)
Total Common Stock Equity	1,821,555	1,716,522
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$7,059,119	\$7,013,728

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Financial Statements (Cont'd)

Energy East Corporation Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows - (Unaudited

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Three Months Ended March 31	2001	2000
Operating Activities	(Thousands)	
Net income	\$115,601	\$93,327
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities		
Depreciation and amortization	51,339	32,960
Income taxes and investment tax credits deferred, net	3,653	(8,661)
Pension income	(18,675)	(16,133)
Changes in current operating assets and liabilities		
Accounts receivable	(48,095)	1,670
Inventory	45,309	10,718
Prepayments	(2,910)	(12,026)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(103,788)	(25,338)
Interest accrued	19,581	9,375
Taxes accrued	89,926	59,272
Other current liabilities	(68,005)	(32,201)
Other, net	12,004	5,529
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	95,940	118,492
Investing Activities		
Acquisition, net of cash acquired	-	(212,025)
Utility plant additions	(32,790)	(18,585)
Temporary investments, net	-	284,177
Other property and investments	(13,343)	(5,239)
Other	526	(7,318)
Net Cash (Used in) Provided by Investing Activities	(45,607)	41,010

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Financing Activities		
Repurchase of common stock	(11,765)	(52,052)
Repayments of first mortgage bonds and preferred stock of subsidiaries, including net premiums	(469)	(83,137)
Long-term note issuances	25,000	-
Long-term note retirements	(841)	(102)
Notes payable, net	(25,716)	(82,600)
Dividends on common stock	(27,019)	(24,055)
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities	(40,810)	(241,946)
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	9,523	(82,444)
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period	143,626	116,806
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period	\$153,149	\$34,362
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flows Information		
Cash paid during the period: Interest, net of amounts capitalized Income taxes	\$34,338 \$7,946	\$18,227 \$6,636
Acquisition: Fair value of assets acquired Liabilities assumed Common stock issued Cash acquired	- - -	\$585,512 (152,251) (215,382) (5,854)
Net cash paid for acquisition	T - 1	\$212,025

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Energy East Corporation Consolidated Statements of Retained Earnings - (Unaudited)

Three Months Ended March 31	2001	2000
	(Thousands)	

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Balance, Beginning of Period	\$918,016	\$782,588
Add net income	115,601	93,327
Deduct dividends on common stock	27,019	24,055
Balance, End of Period	\$1,006,598	\$851,860

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Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income - (Unaudited)

Three Months Ended March 31	2001	2000
	(Thousands)	
Net income	\$115,601	\$93,327
Other comprehensive income, net of tax		
Foreign currency translation adjustment	-	(11)
Net unrealized gain (loss) on investments	(4,590)	1,526
Minimum pension liability adjustment	-	(1,351)
Unrealized gains on derivatives qualified as hedges		
Unrealized gains on derivatives qualified as hedges arising during the period due to cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle	58,250	-
Unrealized losses on derivatives qualified as hedges	(14,410)	-
Reclassification adjustment for gains included in net income	(11,034)	-

Net unrealized gains on derivatives qualified as hedges	32,806	-
Total other comprehensive income	28,216	164
Comprehensive Income	\$143,817	\$93,491

The notes on pages 24 through 27 are an integral part of the financial statements.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Energy East Corporation

(a) Liquidity and Capital Resources

RGS Energy Merger Agreement

On February 20, 2001, Energy East Corporation (Energy East or the company) announced that it had entered into a merger agreement with RGS Energy Group, Inc. under which all of the outstanding common stock of RGS Energy would be exchanged for a combination of cash and Energy East common stock valued at approximately \$1.4 billion in the aggregate. The company will also assume approximately \$1.0 billion of RGS Energy debt. RGS Energy will become a wholly-owned subsidiary of the company and the transaction will be accounted for under the purchase method of accounting.

Under the merger agreement 45% of the RGS Energy common stock will be exchanged for Energy East common stock with a value of \$39.50 per RGS Energy share, subject to restrictions on the minimum and maximum number of shares to be issued, and 55% of the RGS Energy common stock will be converted into \$39.50 in cash per RGS Energy share. RGS Energy shareholders will be able to elect the form of consideration they wish to receive, subject to proration. The company intends to finance the cash portion of the transaction primarily through the issuance of long-term debt and preferred stock.

The merger is subject to, among other things, the approval of RGS Energy's shareholders and the approvals of various regulatory agencies, including the New York State Public Service Commission (NYPSC), Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), Nuclear Regulatory Commission and Securities and Exchange Commission. The company has made filings with the NYPSC and FERC. All regulatory approvals are expected to be obtained by the first quarter of 2002. The merger is also subject to the company's shareholders approving the issuance of Energy East shares in connection with the merger. Both RGS Energy's and Energy East's shareholder meetings are scheduled for June 15, 2001.

Electric Delivery Business

Sale of Millstone Unit No. 3:

On March 31, 2001, Central Maine Power Company (CMP) sold its 2.5% ownership interest in the Millstone Unit No. 3 nuclear unit. The net proceeds from the sale, \$1.3 million including unfunded deferred taxes, were used to reduce a regulatory asset related to CMP's non-nuclear generating assets that were sold in 1999. CMP contributed \$1.3 million to the qualified nuclear trust fund, as part of the sale agreement, and is released from any liability for decommissioning the plant in the future.

CMP owns an interest in Vermont Yankee, an operating nuclear unit, which is in the process of being sold through an auction.

MPUC Delivery Price Decision

: In March 2001, in response to price increases resulting from higher energy prices, the Maine Public Utilities Commission (MPUC) reduced CMP's delivery prices for certain medium and large customer classes by 0.8 cent per kilowatt hour, effective

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Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations (Cont'd)

Energy East Corporation

April 15, 2001, through February 28, 2002. CMP expects that total revenues will not, however, be affected by this price reduction of approximately \$30 million, because the MPUC is permitting CMP to amortize a corresponding amount into revenues from CMP's gain on sale of generation assets account, established as a result of the sale of its non-nuclear generating assets.

On April 5, 2001, the Industrial Energy Consumer Group (IECG) filed a motion for reconsideration of the MPUC's decision to reduce CMP's delivery prices for certain medium and large customer classes by 0.8 cent per kilowatt-hour. The IECG requested an increase in the price reduction from 0.8 cent to 1.0 cent per kilowatt-hour for all medium and large customer classes. As a result of this motion, the MPUC issued an order dated May 3, 2001, that retained the price reduction at 0.8 cent per kilowatt-hour and extended it to more, but not all, medium and large customer classes for the period April 15, 2001, through February 28, 2002. CMP expects that total revenues will not be affected by this latest MPUC order because the resulting additional decrease of approximately \$4 million will be offset by amortizing a corresponding amount into revenues from CMP's gain on sale of generation assets account.

NYSEG's Price Protection Plan

: On March 14, 2001, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG) filed an electric Price Protection Plan with the NYPSC that would modify and extend NYSEG's 1998 electric rate and restructuring agreement for seven years from the date the plan is approved. The plan would, among other things: 1) freeze electricity prices for all customers at current levels for seven years and on March 3, 2002, implement the last 5% rate reduction under the existing agreement for eligible high-load factor customers; 2) absorb, within current rates, escalating NUG and wholesale electricity costs over the term of the plan and annual inflation of up to 4%; and 3) provide all customers the opportunity to choose an alternative electric power supplier.

NYPSC proceedings to review the Price Protection Plan are ongoing. NYSEG anticipates that the NYPSC will issue its decision about mid-year.

Retail Access Credit

: In May 2000 the NYPSC instituted proceedings to review NYSEG's retail access credit (the amount backed out of a customer's bill when that customer participates in retail access). In September 2000 the NYPSC issued an order denying a petition NYSEG had filed in August 2000 related to issues concerning its retail access credit. In January 2001 the NYPSC issued an order directing NYSEG to adopt a market-based retail access credit, effective February 1, 2001. As a result of this order, NYSEG will be exposed to fluctuations in the spot price of electricity for customers who have chosen retail access. On April 26, 2001, the NYPSC issued an order denying NYSEG's request to recover costs and lost revenues associated with the implementation of the market-based retail access credit. NYSEG is planning to seek rehearing of this order.

Independent System Operator

: The New York Independent System Operator (NYISO) has operational control over certain transmission facilities of each of the New York transmission-owning utilities, including NYSEG. The NYISO administers centralized capacity, energy, transmission and ancillary service markets, including operating reserves markets in New York.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operation (Cont'd)

Energy East Corporation

In early 2000, the NYISO's operating reserves markets experienced problems that resulted in substantial charges to all customers required to buy operating reserves, including NYSEG. Several parties, including NYSEG, commenced FERC and court proceedings in response to these problems. In May 2000, the FERC ordered a bid cap for a portion of the operating reserves markets until the market problems are corrected and the NYISO makes a filing to lift the cap but did not order refunds of earlier higher operating reserves prices as sought by NYSEG. Several requests for rehearing and litigation are pending before FERC or the court.

In response to complaints and other filings by NYSEG and other parties that raised concerns over energy market flaws and tight supply, FERC approved in July 2000 a bid cap on energy of \$1,000 per megawatt-hour in the NYISO's energy markets. FERC subsequently extended the bid cap until April 30, 2001. On March 12, 2001, the NYISO filed with FERC a request to further extend the \$1,000 per megawatt-hour bid cap until October 31, 2002. The bid cap limits the price NYSEG pays or receives for energy it buys or sells in the NYISO energy markets.

The NYISO also administers a market power mitigation plan that helps to reduce price spikes under certain circumstances. In the second quarter of 2001, the NYISO adopted certain enhancements to the plan that are being challenged at FERC.

Natural Gas Delivery Business

Natural Gas Supply Alliance

: Energy East's four natural gas companies, NYSEG; The Southern Connecticut Gas Company (SCG); Connecticut Natural Gas Corporation (CNG) and The Berkshire Gas Company (Berkshire Gas), entered into a one-year strategic alliance agreement with BP Energy Company effective March 30, 2001, for the acquisition and management of natural gas supply. The alliance is expected to provide the companies with greater supply flexibility and enhance the

benefits of a larger natural gas portfolio as a result of Energy East's mergers that were completed in 2000. The alliance is based on sharing incremental savings. The Energy East natural gas companies have made appropriate regulatory filings concerning the alliance, seeking approvals as required.

Southern Connecticut Gas Incentive Rate Plan

: In December 2000 the Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control (DPUC) issued a decision in the SCG rate proceeding that is designed to establish a multi-year incentive rate plan (IRP). The decision endorses the concept of an IRP and recommends a four-year price freeze, the continuation of the gas adjustment and weather-normalization clauses, a 50/50 sharing between customers and shareholders of earnings in excess of an 11.71% return on common equity, a 50/50 sharing of merger-enabled gas supply savings, and service quality requirements to help ensure that customer service standards are met.

In January 2001 the Office of Consumer Counsel (OCC) filed an appeal in State Superior Court arguing that the DPUC's order approving the SCG IRP was unlawful. On March 30, 2001, the OCC filed a Motion to Stay the implementation of the DPUC's order. The outcome of this appeal cannot be predicted, but the company believes it is without merit.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operation (Cont'd)

Energy East Corporation

Connecticut Natural Gas Incentive Rate Plan

: CNG proposed an IRP, similar to SCG's IRP, as a second phase of its rate case filed in November 1999. The IRP seeks the opportunity to share in returns on equity in excess of 11.8%, while holding rates constant for four years. The IRP also includes certain performance and service measures that CNG must meet.

In May 2001 the DPUC issued a decision for the IRP, approving a four-year term and replacing the proposed sharing in returns on equity with a graduated sharing in returns on equity in excess of 10.8%. The excess over 10.8% would be shared among shareholders and customers as follows: first 2% 75/25, next 4% 50/50 and over 6% 25/75. The performance and service measures were adopted, with certain adjustments and one addition. After-tax merger-related natural gas cost savings are to be shared 50/50.

Investing and Financing Activities

<u>Investing Activities</u>: Capital spending for the first three months of 2001 was \$46 million, including nuclear fuel. For 2001 capital spending is projected to be \$226 million, including nuclear fuel, and is expected to be paid for with internally generated funds. Capital spending will be primarily for the extension of energy delivery service, necessary improvements to existing facilities and compliance with environmental requirements.

Financing Activities

: During the three months ended March 31, 2001, the company repurchased 0.6 million shares of its common stock at an average price of approximately \$18.65 per share.

CMP issued on January 30, 2001, \$25 million of 6.67% Series E Medium Term Notes due January 2006.

(b) Results of Operations

Due to the mergers completed in 2000, the company's results of operations for the first quarter of 2001 include Connecticut Energy Corporation (CNE), CMP Group, Inc, CTG Resources, Inc. and Berkshire Energy Resources. Results of operations for the first quarter of 2000 include CNE beginning with February 2000.

Three months ended March 31	2001	2000	Change
(Thousands, except per share amounts)			
Operating Revenues	\$1,271,139	\$684,426	86%
Operating Income	\$262,528	\$169,327	55%
Net Income	\$115,601	\$93,327	24%
Average Common Shares Outstanding	117,386	112,777	4%
Earnings Per Share, basic and diluted	\$.98	\$.83	18%
Dividends Paid Per Share	\$.23	\$.22	5%

Earnings per share for the quarter increased 15 cents compared to last year primarily due to earnings from the merged companies, higher retail electricity and natural gas deliveries because of colder weather this quarter and the share repurchase program. Those increases were partially

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Operating Results for the Electric Delivery Business

Energy East Corporation

offset by higher costs of energy, lower retail electricity prices and a non-recurring benefit in 2000 from a federal income tax audit adjustment. Due to the seasonal nature of the merged companies' businesses, earnings for 2001 are expected to be stronger in the first and fourth quarters and weaker in the second and third quarters, as compared to last year.

Three months ended March 31	2001	2000	Change

(Thousands)

Retail Deliveries - Megawatt-hours	6,204	3,561	74%
Operating Revenues	\$688,006	\$438,011	57%
Operating Expenses	\$498,868	\$331,152	51%
Operating Income	\$189,138	\$106,859	77%

The \$250 million increase in operating revenues is primarily due to the addition of CMP's delivery revenues, higher retail deliveries because of colder weather this quarter and higher transmission revenues. Those increases were partially offset by lower wholesale deliveries and lower retail electricity prices.

Operating expenses increased \$168 million primarily due to the addition of CMP's purchases for retail deliveries and its operating costs. That increase was partially offset by lower purchased power costs, primarily due to lower wholesale deliveries and ancillary services costs, and cost control efforts.

Operating Results for the Natural Gas Delivery Business

Three months ended March 31	2001	2000	Change
(Thousands)			
Retail Deliveries - Dekatherms	55,496	34,493	61%
Operating Revenues	\$513,213	\$211,302	143%
Operating Expenses	\$430,860	\$146,907	193%
Operating Income	\$82,353	\$64,395	28%

The \$302 million increase in operating revenues is primarily due to the addition of delivery revenues from CNG, SCG and Berkshire Gas and the recovery of increased natural gas costs caused by higher market prices.

Operating expenses increased \$284 million primarily due to the additional natural gas purchases and operating costs associated with the three merged gas companies, and an increase in retail purchased gas costs caused by higher market prices.

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(CMP is a wholly-owned subsidiary of CMP Group, Inc. Effective September 1, 2000, CMP Group became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Energy East Corporation.)

Central Maine Power Company Consolidated Statements of Income - (Unaudited

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Three Months Ended March 31	2001	Predecessor 2000
	(Thous	ands)
Operating Revenues		
Sales and services	\$230,161	\$263,341
Operating Expenses		
Electricity purchased and fuel used in generation	118,302	139,084
Other operating expenses	42,178	46,755
Maintenance	11,515	6,476
Depreciation and amortization	9,145	10,398
Other taxes	5,066	4,899
Total Operating Expenses	186,206	207,612
Operating Income	43,955	55,729
Other (Income) and Deductions	(278)	(9,240)
Interest Charges, Net	6,500	22,552
Recovery of Non-Provided Deferred Income Taxes	-	(75,421)
Income Before Income Taxes	37,733	117,838
Income Taxes	15,487	84,070
Net Income	22,246	33,768
Preferred Stock Dividends	361	559
Earnings Available for Common Stock	\$21,885	\$33,209

The notes on pages 24 through 27 are an integral part of the financial statements.

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Financial Statements (Cont'd)

Central Maine Power Company Consolidated Balance Sheets - (Unaudited)

	March 31, 2001	Dec. 31, 2000
Assets	(Thous	ands)
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$24,229	\$17,933
Accounts receivable, net	123,912	135,707
Materials and supplies, at average cost	9,067	9,052
Accumulated deferred income tax benefits, net	2,758	4,533
Prepayments	4,477	9,574
Other	36	38
Total Current Assets	164,479	176,837
Utility Plant, at Original Cost		
Electric	1,292,920	1,392,693
Less accumulated depreciation	471,352	571,275
Net Utility Plant in Service	821,568	821,418
Construction work in progress	18,452	16,682
Total Utility Plant	840,020	838,100
Other Property	6,586	6,526
Investment in Associated Companies, at Equity	33,641	33,952
Regulatory and Other Assets		
Regulatory assets		

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Nuclear plant obligations	236,089	234,929
Unfunded future income taxes	82,460	80,999
Unamortized loss on debt reacquisitions	11,681	12,057
Demand-side management program costs	18,936	20,563
Environmental remediation costs	7,624	8,217
Other	109,424	118,480
Total regulatory assets	466,214	475,245
Other assets		
Goodwill, net	339,699	342,306
Prepaid pension benefits	32,270	32,070
Other	14,153	23,761
Total other assets	386,122	398,137
Total Regulatory and Other Assets	852,336	873,382
Total Assets	\$1,897,062	\$1,928,797

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Financial Statements (Cont'd)

Central Maine Power Company Consolidated Balance Sheets - (Unaudited)

	March 31, 2001	Dec. 31, 2000	
Liabilities	(Thousands)		
Current Liabilities			
Current portion of long-term debt	\$22,260	\$12,946	

Notes payable	35,000	46,500
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	72,135	77,075
Interest accrued	2,262	5,084
Taxes accrued	4,607	-
Other	38,993	57,423
Total Current Liabilities	175,257	199,028
Regulatory and Other Liabilities		
Regulatory liabilities		
Deferred income taxes	29,007	28,812
Deferred income taxes, unfunded future income taxes	33,647	33,051
Gain on sale of generation assets	226,522	232,041
Pension benefits	46,728	47,632
Other	33,114	37,796
Total regulatory liabilities	369,018	379,332
Other liabilities		
Deferred income taxes	20,786	20,065
Nuclear plant obligations	236,089	234,929
Other postretirement benefits	61,947	69,808
Environmental remediation costs	4,087	4,147
Other	94,489	99,710
Total other liabilities	417,398	428,659
Total Regulatory and Other Liabilities	786,416	807,991
Long-term debt	237,268	222,309
Total Liabilities	1,198,941	1,229,328
Commitments	-	-

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Preferred Stock	35,571	35,571
Preferred stock		
Capital in excess of par value	(3,457)	(3,503)
Common Stock Equity	162,213	162,213
Common stock		
Capital in excess of par value	500,443	500,897
Retained earnings	22,076	23,291
Accumulated other comprehensive income	275	-
Treasury stock, at cost	(19,000)	(19,000)
Total Common Stock Equity	666,007	667,401
Total Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity	\$1,897,062	\$1,928,797

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Financial Statements (Cont'd)

Central Maine Power Company Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows - (Unaudited

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Three Months Ended March 31	2	001	Predecessor 2000
		(Thou	sands)
Operating Activities			
Net income		\$22,246	\$33,768

Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities		
Depreciation and amortization	9,145	10,398
Income taxes and investment tax credits deferred, net	2,459	(12,979)
Pension income	(200)	-
Power supply costs recovered with asset sale	-	(9,612)
Changes in current operating assets and liabilities		
Accounts receivable	11,795	27,331
Inventory	(15)	800
Prepayments	5,057	426
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(4,940)	(37,598)
Interest accrued	(2,822)	(673)
Taxes accrued	4,607	10,600
Other current liabilities	(18,430)	7,909
Changes in deferred balances and related carrying costs	(206)	12,660
Other, net	1,382	12,562
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	30,078	55,592
Investing Activities		
Utility plant additions	(13,087)	(20,655)
Contributions in aid of construction, net	-	16,940
Other property and investments, net	7	-
Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	(13,080)	(3,715)
Financing Activities		
Long-term note issuances	25,000	-
Long-term note retirements	(741)	(30,734)
Notes payable, net	(11,500)	-

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Dividends on common and preferred stock	(23,461)	(11,795)
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities	(10,702)	(42,529)
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents	6,296	9,348
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period	17,933	112,873
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period	\$24,229	\$122,221
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flows Information		
Cash paid during the period:		
Interest, net of amounts capitalized	\$8,477	\$4,452
Income taxes	\$5,886	\$10,027

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Financial Statements (Cont'd)

Central Maine Power Company Consolidated Statements of Retained Earnings - (Unaudited)

Three Months Ended March 31	2001	Predecessor 2000
	(Thou	sands)
Balance, beginning of period	\$23,291	\$100,754
Add net income	22,246	33,768
	45,537	134,522
Deduct dividends on capital stock		
Preferred	361	559
Common	23,100	11,236
Amortization of reacquired capital stock	-	68

	23,461	11,863
Balance, end of period	\$22,076	\$122,659

The notes on pages 24 through 27 are an integral part of the financial statements.

Central Maine Power Company Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income - (Unaudited)

Three Months Ended March 31	2001	Predecessor 2000
	(Thou	sands)
Net income	\$22,246	\$33,768
Other comprehensive income, net of tax		
Net unrealized gain on investments	275	•
Total other comprehensive income	275	-
Comprehensive income	\$22,521	\$33,768

The notes on pages 24 through 27 are an integral part of the financial statements.

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<u>Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition</u> <u>and Results of Operations</u>

Central Maine Power Company

(a) Liquidity and Capital Resources

Electric Delivery Business

<u>Sale of Millstone Unit No. 3</u>: See Energy East Corporation's Item 2(a), Electric Delivery Business, for the discussion of this item.

MPUC Delivery Price Decision

: See Energy East Corporation's Item 2(a), Electric Delivery Business, for the discussion of this item.

Investing and Financing Activities

<u>Investing Activities</u>: Capital spending for the first three months of 2001 was \$13 million, including nuclear fuel. For 2001 capital spending is projected to be \$45 million, including nuclear fuel, and is expected to be paid for with internally generated funds. Capital spending will be primarily for the extension of electric delivery service, necessary improvements to existing facilities and compliance with environmental requirements.

Financing Activities

: CMP issued on January 30, 2001, \$25 million of 6.67% Series E Medium Term Notes due January 2006.

(b) Results of Operations

Three months ended March 31	2001	Predecessor 2000	<u>Change</u>
(Thousands)			
Retail Deliveries - Megawatt-hours	2,418	2,352	3%
Operating Revenues	\$230,161	\$263,341	(13%)
Operating Expenses	\$186,206	\$207,612	(10%)
Operating Income	\$43,955	\$55,729	(21%)
Earnings Available for Common Stock	\$21,885	\$33,209	(34%)

Earnings for the quarter decreased \$11 million primarily due to the deregulation of Maine's electric industry and its associated effects on operating revenues and expenses, as discussed below. CMP no longer supplies electricity unless directed by the MPUC to be the standard offer provider. CMP is currently the standard offer provider for commercial and industrial rate classes.

The \$33 million decrease in operating revenues is primarily the result of CMP no longer collecting revenue for the supply of electricity unless directed to by the MPUC, and a rate reduction that began March 1, 2000. Those decreases were partially offset by higher transmission revenues and asset sale gain amortization.

Operating expenses decreased \$21 million primarily due to decreased purchased power expenses because CMP no longer supplies electricity unless directed to by the MPUC.

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New York State Electric & Gas Corporation Statements of Income - (Unaudited

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Three Months Ended March 31	2001	2000
	(Thousa	ands)
Operating Revenues		
Electric	\$457,761	\$438,011
Natural Gas	167,700	137,753
Total Operating Revenues	625,461	575,764
Operating Expenses		
Electricity purchased and fuel used in generation	201,520	215,116
Natural gas purchased	122,610	68,553
Other operating expenses	54,914	58,752
Maintenance	21,062	20,237
Depreciation and amortization	25,337	27,491
Other taxes	34,869	36,092
Total Operating Expenses	460,312	426,241
Operating Income	165,149	149,523
Interest Charges, Net	26,653	25,426
Other (Income) and Deductions	2,385	(821)
Income Before Income Taxes	136,111	124,918
Income Taxes	56,513	41,454
Net Income	79,598	83,464

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Preferred Stock Dividends	99	99
Earnings Available for Common Stock	\$79,499	\$83,365

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New York State Electric & Gas Corporation Balance Sheets - (Unaudited)

	March 31, 2001	Dec. 31, 2000
Assets	(Thousa	nds)
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$15,621	\$17,618
Special deposits	21,440	21,440
Accounts receivable, net	199,286	200,846
Fuel, at average cost	2,767	28,677
Materials and supplies, at average cost	7,626	7,395
Prepayments	39,970	27,893
Accumulated deferred income tax benefits, net	3,916	3,943
Total Current Assets	290,626	307,812
Utility Plant, at Original Cost		
Electric	3,391,878	3,391,619
Natural gas	649,994	647,145
Common	133,269	140,020
	4,175,141	4,178,784

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Less accumulated depreciation	2,120,066	2,116,787
Net Utility Plant in Service	2,055,075	2,061,997
Construction work in progress	12,308	25,006
Total Utility Plant	2,067,383	2,087,003
Other Property and Investments, Net	78,612	76,737
Regulatory and Other Assets		
Regulatory assets		
Unfunded future income taxes	44,940	44,610
Unamortized loss on debt reacquisitions	45,833	46,791
Demand-side management program costs	22,296	28,366
Environmental remediation costs	58,000	58,200
Other	33,931	30,386
Total regulatory assets	205,000	208,353
Other assets		
Prepaid pension benefits	271,902	250,826
Derivative assets	52,651	-
Other	22,470	22,254
Total other assets	347,023	273,080
Total Regulatory and Other Assets	552,023	481,433
Total Assets	\$2,988,644	\$2,952,985

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Financial Statements (Cont'd)

New York State Electric & Gas Corporation Balance Sheets - (Unaudited)

	March 31, 2001	Dec. 31, 2000
Liabilities	(Thous	sands)
Current Liabilities		
Current portion of long-term debt	\$822	\$1,088
Notes payable	84,000	123,000
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	111,988	160,654
Interest accrued	26,856	15,925
Taxes accrued	49,810	9,006
Other	49,514	71,510
Total Current Liabilities	322,990	381,183
Regulatory and Other Liabilities		
Regulatory liabilities		
Deferred income taxes	49,137	50,306
Deferred income taxes, unfunded future income taxes	18,848	18,848
Other	19,668	16,975
Total regulatory liabilities	87,653	86,129
Other liabilities		
Deferred income taxes	315,718	287,560
Other postretirement benefits	187,274	183,666
Environmental remediation costs	77,300	77,500
Other	90,252	100,148
Total other liabilities	670,544	648,874
Total Regulatory and Other Liabilities	758,197	735,003

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Long-term debt	1,189,369	1,189,249
Total Liabilities	2,270,556	2,305,435
Commitments	-	-
Preferred Stock	10,159	10,159
Preferred stock redeemable solely at NYSEG's option		
Common Stock Equity	430,057	430,057
Common stock		
Capital in excess of par value	170,678	170,678
Retained earnings	74,285	35,329
Accumulated other comprehensive income	32,909	1,327
Total Common Stock Equity	707,929	637,391
Total Liabilities and Stockholder's Equity	\$2,988,644	\$2,952,985

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New York State Electric & Gas Corporation Statements of Cash Flows - (Unaudited

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Three Months Ended March 31	2001	001 2000	
Operating Activities	(Thousands)		
Net income	\$79,598	\$83,464	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities			

Depreciation and amortization	25,337	27,491
Income taxes and investment tax credits deferred, net	5,205	(3,687)
Pension income	(18,041)	(16,320)
Changes in current operating assets and liabilities		
Accounts receivable	1,560	10,128
Inventory	25,679	10,690
Prepayments	(12,077)	(12,394)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(48,666)	(24,142)
Interest accrued	10,931	10,595
Taxes accrued	40,804	54,875
Other current liabilities	(21,996)	(17,325)
Other, net	(120)	4,890
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	88,214	128,265
Investing Activities		
Utility plant additions	(11,786)	(12,431)
Other property and investments	721	(829)
Other	496	(7,343)
Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	(10,569)	(20,603)
Financing Activities		
Notes payable, net	(39,000)	(163,240)
Dividends on common and preferred stock	(40,642)	(38,237)
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities	(79,642)	(201,477)
Net Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(1,997)	(93,815)
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period	17,618	114,494
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period	\$15,621	\$20,679

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Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flows Information		
Cash paid during the period: Interest, net of amounts capitalized Income taxes	\$14,624 \$6,664	\$13,698 \$5,661

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New York State Electric & Gas Corporation Statements of Retained Earnings - (Unaudited)

Three Months Ended March 31	2001	2000
	(Thou	sands)
Balance, Beginning of Period	\$35,329	\$26,731
Add net income	79,598	83,464
	114,927	110,195
Deduct Dividends on Capital Stock		
Preferred	99	99
Common	40,543	38,138
	40,642	38,237
Balance, End of Period	\$74,285	\$71,958

The notes on pages 24 through 27 are an integral part of the financial statements.

New York State Electric & Gas Corporation Statements of Comprehensive Income - (Unaudited)

Three Months Ended March 31	2001	2000
	(Thousands)	
Net income	\$79,598	\$83,464
Other comprehensive income, net of tax		
Net unrealized gain on investments	79	138
Minimum pension liability adjustment	-	(1,351)
Unrealized gains on derivatives qualified as hedges		
Unrealized gains on derivatives qualified as hedges arising during the period due to cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle	54,602	-
Unrealized losses on derivatives qualified as hedges	(13,261)	-
Reclassification adjustment for gains included in net income	(9,838)	-
Net unrealized gains on derivatives qualified as hedges	31,503	-
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	31,582	(1,213)
Comprehensive Income	\$111,180	\$82,251

The notes on pages 24 through 27 are an integral part of the financial statements.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

(a) Liquidity and Capital Resources

Electric Delivery Business

<u>NYSEG's Price Protection Plan</u>: See Energy East Corporation's Item 2(a), Electric Delivery Business, for the discussion of this item.

Retail Access Credit

: See Energy East Corporation's Item 2(a), Electric Delivery Business, for the discussion of this item.

Independent System Operator

: See Energy East Corporation's Item 2(a), Electric Delivery Business, for the discussion of this item.

Natural Gas Delivery Business

<u>Natural Gas Supply Alliance</u>: See Energy East Corporation's Item 2(a), Natural Gas Delivery Business, for the discussion of this item.

Investing Activities

<u>Investing Activities</u>: Capital spending for the first three months of 2001 was \$11 million, including nuclear fuel. For 2001 capital spending is projected to be \$77 million, including nuclear fuel, and is expected to be paid for with internally generated funds. Capital spending will be primarily for the extension of energy delivery service, necessary improvements to existing facilities and compliance with environmental requirements.

(b) Results of Operations

Three months ended March 31	2001	2000	<u>Change</u>
(Thousands)			
Operating Revenues	\$625,461	\$575,764	9%
Operating Income	\$165,149	\$149,523	10%
Earnings Available for Common Stock	\$79,499	\$83,365	(5%)

The \$4 million decrease in earnings for the quarter was primarily due to higher natural gas costs caused by higher market prices, lower retail electricity prices and a non-recurring benefit in 2000 from a federal income tax audit adjustment. Those decreases were partially offset by higher retail electricity deliveries because of colder weather this quarter, lower purchased power and ancillary services costs and higher electricity transmission revenues.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operation (Cont'd)

New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

Operating Results for the Electric Delivery Business

Three months ended March 31	2001	2000	<u>Change</u>
(Thousands)			
Retail Deliveries - Megawatt-hours	3,787	3,561	6%
Operating Revenues	\$457,761	\$438,011	5%
Operating Expenses	\$312,574	\$331,150	(6%)
Operating Income	\$145,187	\$106,861	36%

The \$20 million increase in operating revenues is primarily due to higher retail deliveries because of colder weather this quarter and higher transmission revenues. Those increases were partially offset by lower wholesale deliveries and lower retail prices primarily due to higher retail access deliveries.

Operating expenses decreased \$19 million for the quarter due to lower purchased power costs, primarily due to lower wholesale deliveries and ancillary services costs, and cost control efforts.

Operating Results for the Natural Gas Delivery Business

Three months ended March 31	2001	2000	Change
(Thousands)			
Retail Deliveries - Dekatherms	23,964	24,248	(1%)
Operating Revenues	\$167,700	\$137,753	22%
Operating Expenses	\$147,738	\$95,091	55%
Operating Income	\$19,962	\$42,662	(53%)

The \$30 million increase in operating revenues is primarily due to the recovery of increased natural gas costs for non-residential deliveries.

Operating expenses increased \$53 million primarily due to an increase in retail purchased gas costs caused by higher market prices.

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Notes to Financial Statements
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Notes to Financial Statements of Registrants:

Registrant	Applicable Notes
Energy East	1, 2, 3, 4, 5
CMP	1, 2, 3, 4
NYSEG	1, 3, 4, 5

Note 1. Unaudited Financial Statements

The accompanying unaudited financial statements reflect all adjustments which are necessary, in the opinion of the management of the registrants, for a fair presentation of the interim results. All such adjustments are of a normal, recurring nature.

Energy East's financial statements and CMP's financial statements consolidate their majority-owned subsidiaries after eliminating all intercompany transactions.

The accompanying unaudited financial statements for each registrant should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and notes contained in the report on Form 10-K filed by each registrant for the year ended December 31, 2000. Due to the seasonal nature of the registrants' operations, financial results for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of trends for a 12-month period.

Note 2. Acquisitions of Connecticut Energy, CMP Group, CTG Resources and Berkshire Energy

Due to completion of the company's merger with CNE on February 8, 2000, and its mergers with CMP Group, CTG Resources and Berkshire Energy on September 1, 2000, the company's consolidated financial statements include CNE's results beginning with February 2000 and include CMP Group's, CTG Resources' and Berkshire Energy's results beginning with September 2000.

Amounts presented in the consolidated financial statements for CMP for the three months ended March 31, 2000, reflect the historical predecessor amounts reported by CMP prior to its acquisition by Energy East. Amounts reported for the three months ended March 31, 2001, include the amortization of goodwill related to the acquisition of CMP by Energy East.

The four merger transactions were accounted for using the purchase method. In each transaction the purchase price was allocated to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on values on the date of purchase. The cost in excess of the fair value of the net assets acquired in each transaction was recorded as goodwill and will be amortized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life. The useful life is determined based on the individual characteristics of each acquired company and the lives range from four to 40 years. Goodwill may be adjusted over the 12 months following the mergers as actual amounts for estimated liabilities become known.

The following pro forma information for the company for the three months ended March 31, 2000, which is based on unaudited data, gives effect to the company's four mergers as if they had been completed January 1, 2000. This information does not reflect future revenues or cost savings that may result from the mergers and is not indicative of actual results of operations had the mergers occurred at the beginning of the period presented or of results that may occur in the future.

Three Months Ended March 31	2000
(Thousands, except per share amounts)	
Revenues	\$1,148,971
Net income	\$120,730
Earnings per share of common stock	\$.97

Pro forma adjustments reflected in the amounts presented above include: (1) adjusting the four merged companies' non-utility assets to fair value based on an independent appraisal, (2) amortization of goodwill, (3) elimination of merger costs, (4) adjustments for estimated tax effects of the above adjustments, (5) lower investment income due to the sale of temporary investments to complete the mergers and (6) interest expense due to the issuance of merger-related debt.

Note 3. Segment Information

Energy East's electric delivery business consists of its regulated transmission, distribution and generation operations in New York and Maine; and its natural gas delivery business consists of its regulated transportation, storage and distribution operations in New York, Connecticut, Maine and Massachusetts. Other includes: the company's corporate assets, interest costs and operating expenses; intersegment eliminations; and non-utility businesses.

CMP's electric delivery business consists of its transmission and distribution operations. CMP operates in the State of Maine. Other includes CMP's corporate assets.

NYSEG's electric delivery business consists of its transmission, distribution and generation operations; and its natural gas segment consists of its transportation, storage and distribution operations. NYSEG operates in the State of New York. Other includes NYSEG's corporate assets.

Selected financial information for Energy East's, CMP's and NYSEG's business segments is presented in the following table.

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	Electric Delivery	Natural Gas Delivery	Other	Total
	(Thousands)			
Three Months Ended				
March 31, 2001				
Operating Revenues				
Energy East	\$688,006	\$513,213	\$69,920	\$1,271,139
CMP	\$230,161	-	-	\$230,161
NYSEG	\$457,761	\$167,700	-	\$625,461
Net Income				
Energy East	\$86,343	\$35,275	(\$6,017)	\$115,601
CMP	\$22,246	-	-	\$22,246
NYSEG	\$70,464	\$9,134	-	\$79,598
March 31, 2000				
Operating Revenues				
Energy East	\$438,011	\$211,302	\$35,113	\$684,426
CMP (Predecessor)	\$263,341	-	-	\$263,341
NYSEG	\$438,011	\$137,753	-	\$575,764
Net Income				
Energy East	\$58,904	\$31,853	\$2,570	\$93,327
CMP (Predecessor)	\$33,768	-	-	\$33,768
NYSEG	\$58,985	\$24,479	-	\$83,464
Total Assets				
March 31, 2001				
	\$4,216,047	\$2,443,934	\$399,138	\$7,059,119
	\$1,892,600	-	\$4,462	\$1,897,062
Energy East CMP	\$2,151,148	\$644,333	\$193,163	\$2,988,644
NYSEG				
December 31, 2000	.	ha (25.212	h ac :	A= 0.12 = 2
	\$4,212,623	\$2,406,848	\$394,257	\$7,013,728
	\$1,924,357	_	\$4,440	\$1,928,797
Energy East CMP NYSEG	\$2,116,933	\$639,684	\$196,368	\$2,952,985

Note 4. Reclassifications

Certain amounts have been reclassified on the unaudited financial statements to conform with the 2001 presentation.

Note 5. Statement 133

The Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 133, Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities, in June 1998, which was amended in later FASB pronouncements. Statement 133 establishes standards for the accounting and reporting for derivative instruments and for hedging activities. Statement 133 requires that all derivatives be recognized as either assets or liabilities on a company's balance sheet at their fair value. The company adopted Statement 133 as of January 1, 2001.

Substantially all of the company's derivative instruments receive hedge accounting treatment under Statement 133. The transition adjustment for the company's derivative instruments, as of January 1, 2001, affected both Other Comprehensive Income and Net Income. The amount of the transition adjustment recorded in Other Comprehensive Income was a gain of approximately \$58 million for the company, which included a gain of approximately \$55 million for NYSEG. The amount of the transition adjustment recorded in Net Income was a gain of less than \$1 million for the company due to NYSEG.

Forward-looking Statements

This Form 10-Q contains certain forward-looking statements that are based upon management's current expectations and information that is currently available. The Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 provides a safe harbor for forward-looking statements in certain circumstances. Whenever used in this report, the words "estimate," "expect," "believe," or similar expressions are intended to identify such forward-looking statements.

In addition to the assumptions and other factors referred to specifically in connection with such statements, factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated in any forward-looking statements include, among others: the deregulation and continued regulatory unbundling of a vertically integrated industry; the companies' ability to compete in the rapidly changing and increasingly competitive electricity and natural gas utility markets; regulatory uncertainty in a politically-charged environment of rising energy prices; the operation of the New York Independent System Operator (NYISO) and ISO New England, Inc.; the ability to control non-utility generator and other costs; changes in fuel supply or cost and the success of strategies to satisfy power requirements now that all of the company's coal-fired generation assets have been sold; the company's ability to expand its products and services, including its energy infrastructure in the Northeast; the company's ability to integrate the operations of CNE, CMP Group, CTG Resources, Berkshire Energy and RGS Energy with its operations; market risk; the ability to obtain adequate and timely rate relief; nuclear or environmental incidents; legal or administrative proceedings; changes in the cost or availability of capital; growth in the areas in which the companies are doing business; weather variations affecting customer energy usage; and other considerations that may be disclosed from time to time in the companies publicly disseminated documents and filings. The companies undertake no obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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Item 3.

Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

(See reports on Form 10-K for Energy East, CMP and NYSEG for fiscal year ended December 31, 2000, Item 7A- Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk.)

Commodity Price Risk

: NYSEG has hedged approximately 80% of its expected residential natural gas load for the remainder of 2001 through futures and option contracts. For its remaining unhedged positions in 2001, a \$1.00 per dekatherm change in the cost of natural gas changes natural gas costs by \$2 million.

NYSEG uses electricity contracts and contracts for differences (CFDs) to manage against fluctuations in the cost of electricity. Those contracts allow NYSEG to fix margins on the majority of its retail electricity sales. The cost or benefit of those contracts is included in the amount expensed for electricity purchased when the electricity is sold. NYSEG has CFDs, generation and other electricity contracts, which provide for all of its total expected demand for the remainder of 2001, 89% for 2002 and 67% for 2003.

NYSEG is also exposed to daily price fluctuations in the spot price of electricity. In situations where the electricity contracts do not cover peak demand, NYSEG must buy electricity in the spot market. Conversely, when NYSEG has contracts for more electricity than its demand, it must sell the excess in the spot market. NYSEG uses a cash flow at risk (CFAR) calculation to measure this price risk. At May 1, 2001, the CFAR for electricity requirements was approximately \$6 million for the next 12-month period. The CFAR indicates the amount by which the fair value of NYSEG's net position could vary from its current level over a 12-month period, with a 97.5% certainty, assuming all unhedged positions during that period are filled in the spot market.

PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1.

Legal Proceedings

NYSEG received a letter in October 1999 from the New York State Attorney General's office alleging that NYSEG may have constructed and operated major modifications to certain emission sources at the Goudey and Greenidge generating stations, which it formerly owned, without obtaining the required prevention of significant deterioration or new source review permits. The Goudey and Greenidge plants were sold to The AES Corporation in May 1999. The letter requested that NYSEG and AES provide the Attorney General's office with a large number of documents relating to this allegation. In January 2000 NYSEG received a subpoena from the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) ordering production of similar documents. The NYSDEC subsequently requested similar documents with respect to the Hickling and Jennison generating stations, which the company formerly owned. Those stations were also sold to AES in May 1999.

In April 2000 NYSEG received a letter from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) requesting information with respect to the operation of the Milliken and Kintigh generating stations, which the company formerly owned. Those stations were also sold to AES in May 1999. NYSEG furnished documents pursuant to the Attorney General's, NYSDEC's and EPA's requests.

In May 2000 NYSEG received a notice of violation from the NYSDEC alleging that two projects at Goudey and four projects at Greenidge were constructed without the necessary permits having been obtained.

On April 18, 2001, EPA notified NYSEG by telephone that EPA would be issuing notices of violation alleging that various projects at the Milliken and Kintigh generating stations were constructed without the necessary permits having been obtained.

NYSEG believes it has complied with the applicable rules and regulations and there is no basisfor the Attorney General's, NYSDEC's and EPA's allegations. NYSEG believes that any liability related to this matter will be the responsibility of AES in accordance with the asset purchase agreement.

Item 6.

Exhibits and Reports on Form 8-K

- (a) Exhibits See Exhibit Index.
- (b) The following reports on Form 8-K were filed during the quarter:

Energy East filed a report on Form 8-K, dated February 16, 2001, to report certain information under Item 5, "Other Events" and Item 7, "Financial Statements, *Pro Forma* Financial Information and Exhibits."

Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

ENERGY EAST CORPORATION (Registrant)

Date: May 10, 2001 By <u>/s/Robert E. Rude</u>

Robert E. Rude Vice President and Controller (Chief Accounting Officer)

CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY (Registrant)

Date: May 10, 2001 By /s/Curtis I. Call

Curtis I. Call Treasurer

(Chief Accounting Officer)

NEW YORK STATE ELECTRIC & GAS CORPORATION (Registrant)

Date: May 10, 2001 By <u>/s/Sherwood J. Rafferty</u>

Sherwood J. Rafferty Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

EXHIBIT INDEX

The following exhibit is delivered with this report:

Registrant	Exhibit No.	Description of Exhibit
Energy East Corporation	3-4 -	By-Laws of the Company as amended April 12, 2001.