



David Crane, NRG President and CEO, to Speak at Goldman Sachs' Power and Utility Conference

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PRINCETON, N.J.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--May 31, 2005--NRG Energy, Inc. (NYSE:NRG) announced that David Crane, President and Chief Executive Officer, will participate in the panel discussion, "More Aggressive Management: Measuring the Opportunity to Improve Generation Operations," at the Goldman Sachs Power and Utility Conference. The panel is scheduled for Thursday, June 2 at 9:00 a.m. pacific.

Interested investors can listen to the live audio webcast at <http://www.nrgenergy.com> under "Investors." A replay of the webcast will be archived on the website.

NRG Energy, Inc. owns and operates a diverse portfolio of power-generating facilities, primarily in the Northeast, South Central and West Coast regions of the United States. Its operations include baseload, intermediate, peaking, and cogeneration facilities, thermal energy production and energy resource recovery facilities. NRG also has ownership interests in generating facilities in Australia and Germany.

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