

NRG Energy, Inc. has scheduled an NRG Corporate Update Conference Call

January 9, 2001

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2:00 PM Eastern Time on January 9, 2001 The call will be webcast live on the Internet

Go to www.nrgenergy.com and click on "Investor Relations" and then click on the "webcast" icon and follow the directions.

You may also listen to the call by dialing the following numbers:

- United States800) 230-1951
- International612) 288-0337

A replay of the conference call may be accessed until midnight January 16, 2001 either from the Investor Relations portion of the NRG Energy, Inc. website, www.nrgenergy.com or through telephone replay on the following phone numbers:

- United States (800) 475-6701
- International (320) 365-3844
- Access Code 564238

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