



NRG Energy, Inc. Announces Quarterly Dividend

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PRINCETON, N.J.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Oct. 17, 2018-- NRG Energy, Inc. (NYSE:NRG) today announced that its Board of Directors declared a quarterly dividend on the Company's common stock of \$0.03 per share, or \$0.12 per share on an annualized basis. The dividend is payable on November 15, 2018 to stockholders of record as of November 1, 2018.

About NRG

At NRG, we're redefining power by putting customers at the center of everything we do. We create value by generating electricity and serving nearly 3 million residential and commercial customers through our portfolio of retail electricity brands. A Fortune 500 company, NRG delivers customer-focused solutions for managing electricity, while enhancing energy choice and working towards a sustainable energy future. More information is available at www.nrg.com. Connect with NRG on Facebook, LinkedIn and follow us on Twitter @[nrgenergy](#), @[nrginsight](#).

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