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SUEZ Energy Resources NA opens South Texas office to serve market needs

HOUSTON – SUEZ Energy Resources NA, Inc., the U.S. retail energy business of SUEZ Energy International, has opened an office in Corpus Christi, Texas, in order to better serve the South Texas market's electricity needs.

SUEZ Energy Resources NA will market to about 7,000 commercial and industrial customers in the Corpus Christi region, which also includes Harlingen, Brownsville, Weslaco and McAllen. The company offers a full range of retail electricity service, 99 percent billing accuracy, and on-time enrollment. Customers who switch from their incumbent utility to an alternative provider like SUEZ Energy Resources NA have the potential to save 10 to 15 percent on their energy bills.

Lisa Newcomb, of Corpus Christi, has joined SUEZ Energy Resources NA as Sales Manager with responsibilities for the South Texas region. Newcomb is located in the South Texas office, which can be reached via P.O. Box 260454, Corpus Christi, Texas, 78426-0454, or by calling 1-866-999-8374.

To learn more about SUEZ Energy Resources NA, or request a price proposal, customers may visit the company's Web site at www.suezenergyresources.com or contact Newcomb at the above number.

Licensed in 12 markets (Texas, New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Maryland, Maine, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Rhode Island, Delaware, Connecticut and Washington, DC), SUEZ Energy Resources NA plans to expand to other states in the Northeast and Midwest in latter 2005.

SUEZ Energy International is a business line of SUEZ (NYSE: SZE), which is an international industrial and services Group that employs 160,700 people worldwide and achieved revenues of €40.7 billion in 2004.

About SUEZ Energy North America, Inc.

Based in Houston, SUEZ Energy Resources NA, Inc. (formerly named Tractebel Energy Services, Inc.) is a wholly owned subsidiary of SUEZ Energy North America Inc. SUEZ Energy North America is responsible for managing SUEZ positions within the energy value chain in the U.S., Mexico and Canada, including electricity generation and cogeneration, natural gas and liquefied natural gas (LNG), asset-based trading and origination, and retail energy sales and related services to Commercial and Industrial customers.

SUEZ Energy North America owns and/or operates a total of 45 power, cogeneration, steam, and chilled-water facilities, including those in construction or development, representing a capacity of more than 5,538 MW of electricity generation, 7.0 million pounds per hour of steam, and more than 65,000 tons per hour of chilled water. SUEZ Energy North America's wholly owned subsidiary, Distrigas of Massachusetts, owns and operates a liquefied natural gas receiving terminal in Everett, Massachusetts, which commenced operations in 1971 and currently serves most of the gas utilities in New England and key power producers, meeting approximately 20 percent of New England's annual gas demand.

In Mexico, SUEZ Energy North America affiliates operate three natural gas distribution companies as well as cogeneration plants in Tampico and Monterrey, which produce 280 MW of power.

For more information about SUEZ Energy North America, visit www.suezenergyna.com. For information about SUEZ Energy International, visit www.suezenergyint.com, and for more information about SUEZ, visit www.suez.com.

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