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**RE: Project No. 35077, ERCOT Standard Generation Interconnection Agreement
between CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC and Cottonwood Bayou Storage,
LLC**

To whom it may concern:

Enclosed for filing in Project No. 35077 is the November 22, 2024 Amendment Three to the ERCOT Standard Generation Interconnection Agreement (SGIA) dated March 18, 2022 between CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC and Cottonwood Bayou Storage, LLC. This filing is made pursuant to 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 25.195(e).

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mickey Moon', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Mickey Moon
Assistant General Counsel
CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC

Enclosures: (1) Executed SGIA Amendment Three

**AMENDMENT THREE TO
ERCOT STANDARD GENERATION
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT**

This Amendment Three (“Amendment”) to that certain Standard Generation Interconnection Agreement dated March 18, 2022 (the “SGIA”), by and between **Cottonwood Bayou Storage, LLC** (“Generator”) and **CENTERPOINT ENERGY HOUSTON ELECTRIC, LLC** (“CenterPoint Energy”), (collectively, “the Parties”) is entered into by and between Generator and CenterPoint Energy effective on the 22nd day of November 2024. In consideration of the mutual promises and undertakings herein set forth, Generator and CenterPoint Energy agree to amend the SGIA as follows:

Exhibit “B” dated March 18, 2022 is replaced with the Exhibit “B” dated November 22, 2024, which is attached to this Amendment Two.

Except as otherwise expressly provided for herein, the SGIA will continue in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.

Generator and CenterPoint Energy have caused this Amendment to be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all shall constitute one and the same instrument.

CENTERPOINT ENERGY HOUSTON ELECTRIC, LLC

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Kevin Sarvis
By: _____
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Name: Kevin Sarvis
Title: Manager, Transmission Accounts and Support

Cottonwood Bayou Storage, LLC

DocuSigned by:
Jeffrey NEWCOMBE
By: _____
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Name: Jeffrey Newcombe
Title: Vice president

**Exhibit “B”
Time Schedule**

1. Interconnection Option chosen by Generator (check one):

 X Section 4.1.A. or Section 4.1.B

If Section 4.1.B is chosen by Generator, the In-Service Date(s) was determined by (check one):
 (1) N/A good faith negotiations, or (2) N/A designated by Generator upon failure to agree.
2. Generator must deliver each of the following items (collectively, the “Prerequisite Items”) to TSP by no later than July 16, 2023 (the “Scheduled Start Date”):
 - A. The Notice to Proceed defined in Section 4.3.D of Exhibit “A”;
 - B. The CIAC, if any, described in Exhibit “C”; and
 - C. The Security described in Exhibit “E.”
3. The TIF In-Service Date is the later of March 25, 2025 or 18 (eighteen) months after TSP’s receipt of the Prerequisite Items.
4. The scheduled Commercial Operation Date is the later of October 1, 2025 or 6 (six) months after the In-Service Date.

The Parties may change the dates and times in this Exhibit B in accordance with Section 4.5 of Exhibit “A.”

Generator acknowledges that ERCOT imposes annual transmission outage restrictions on TSP. Such outage restrictions could impact the ability of TSP to meet any TIF In-Service Date that falls within the months of May, June, July, August and September (“Outage Restriction Period”). Generator further acknowledges that if the Prerequisite Items are not fulfilled by the Scheduled Start Date, which results in the TIF In-Service Date falling within the Outage Restriction Period, the TIF In-Service Date may be deferred to a date no earlier than October 1st. TSP will use reasonable efforts to meet the In-Service Date, regardless if it falls within the Outage Restriction Period.