

ENTERGY CORP /DE/  
Form 35-CERT  
August 27, 2004

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
BEFORE THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

In the Matter of

ENTERGY CORPORATION

File No. 70-9749

(Public Utility Holding Company  
Act of 1935)

CERTIFICATE  
PURSUANT TO  
RULE 24

This is to certify, pursuant to Rule 24 under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as amended, that for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2004, the transactions described below, which were proposed by Entergy Corporation (the "Company" or "Entergy") in the Application-Declaration on Form U-1, as amended, in the above referenced File ("Application-Declaration"), have been carried out in accordance with the terms and conditions of and for the purposes represented by the Application-Declaration and pursuant to the Order of the Securities and Exchange Commission dated April 3, 2001, as amended by the Supplemental Order dated November 25, 2002.

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| (1) The per share purchase and market prices for each sale of common stock, preferred stock or other forms of preferred or equity linked securities on the date of each sale. | None.  |
| (2) The total number of shares of common stock issued or available for issuance under options granted during the reporting period.  | 3,315 shares of common stock are available for issuance pursuant to the terms of options granted during this period.   |
| (3) The number and price of, and restrictions on, common shares issued in connection with the acquisition of another business.  | None.  |
| (4) The principal amount of, and the terms and conditions associated with the issuance of Long-Term Debt.   | \$965,000,000 Credit Agreement, dated as of May 13, 2004, among Entergy, the Banks named therein and Citibank, N.A., as Administrative Agent, incorporated by reference as Exhibit 4(d) to Entergy's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for |

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|   | the quarterly period ended June 30, 2004.  |
| (5) The principal amount of, and the terms and conditions associated with, the issuance of Short-Term Debt.   | \$485,000,000 Credit Agreement, dated as of May 13, 2004, among Entergy, the Banks named therein and Citibank, N.A., as Administrative Agent, incorporated by reference as Exhibit 4(c) to Entergy's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2004. |
| (6) The notional amount and principal terms of, and the counter parties to, any Interest Rate Hedge or Anticipatory Hedge entered into during the reporting period.   | None.  |
| (7) The name of, and amount invested in, any new Financing Subsidiary.  | None.  |
| (8) A list of all Form U-6B-2 filings made during the reporting period, including the date of the filing.   | None.  |
| (9) Entergy's consolidated balance sheet and the balance sheet for any company that engaged in a financing transaction during the reporting period, each showing the type and outstanding amount of debt or equity, as the case may be. | Entergy's consolidated balance sheet is incorporated by reference to Entergy's quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the period ending June 30, 2004.  |
| (10) A calculation of Entergy's debt to equity ratio for the quarter ending June 30, 2004.  | Filed herein as Exhibit 10(a).   |

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this certificate to be executed this 27th day of August, 2004.

ENTERGY CORPORATION

By:

/s/ Nathan E. Langston

Nathan E. Langston

Senior Vice President and Chief  
Accounting Officer