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### **NRG Energy, Inc. to Present First Quarter 2008 Earnings on May 1**

**Princeton, NJ; April 18, 2008** – NRG Energy, Inc. (NYSE: NRG) plans to present the Company's first quarter 2008 financial results to the financial community in a conference call to be held Thursday, May 1, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. eastern.

Investors, the news media and others may access the live webcast of the conference call and presentation materials by logging on to NRG's website at <http://www.nrgenergy.com> and clicking on "Investors." The webcast will be archived on the site for those unable to listen in real time.

#### **About NRG**

A Fortune 500 company, NRG Energy, Inc. owns and operates a diverse portfolio of power-generating facilities, primarily in Texas and the Northeast, South Central and West regions of the United States and also in Australia, Germany and Brazil. NRG is a member of USCAP, a diverse group of business and environmental organizations calling for mandatory legislation to achieve significant reductions of greenhouse gas emissions. NRG is also a founding member of "3C--Combat Climate Change," a global initiative with 42 business leaders calling on the global business community to take a leadership role in designing the road map to a low carbon society. More information on NRG is available at [www.nrgenergy.com](http://www.nrgenergy.com).

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