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House Rule XI, clause 2(g)(5): "Each committee shall, to the greatest extent practicable, require witnesses who appear before it to submit in advance written statements of proposed testimony and to limit their initial presentation to the committee to brief summaries thereof. In the case of a witness appearing in a nongovernmental capacity, a written statement of proposed testimony shall include a curriculum vitae and a disclosure of the amount and source (by agency and program) of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) received during the current fiscal year or either of the two previous fiscal years by the witness or by an entity represented by the witness. Such statements, with appropriate redactions to protect the privacy of the witness, shall be made publically available in electronic form not later one day after the witness appears."

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Witnesses are reminded to submit a copy of your curriculum vitae or biography. The disclosure of Federal grants must be completed on the following page. If no grants are received, then indicate with "None".

Should you have any additional questions please contact the Committee at (202) 226-8417.

1. **Name:** Gary W. Hayes
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2. **Title:** Division Vice President and Chief Information Officer
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3. **Organization you are representing:** Centerpoint Energy, Inc.
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6. **Date of hearing:** March 6, 2013
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5. **Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) which you, personally, have received since October 1, 2010, from Federal Agencies under the purview of the hearing, the source and the amount of each grant or contract: (attach additional pages as necessary).**

None

6. **Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) which were received since October 1, 2010, from Federal Agencies under the purview of the hearing by the organization(s) which you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract: (attach additional pages as necessary)**

1. In October 2009, CenterPoint Energy, Inc.'s electric distribution and transmission subsidiary, Houston Electric, LLC, was selected by the Department of Energy to receive a \$200 million "large project" grant to accelerate the completion of deployment of more than two million smart meters by almost two years to be completed in mid-2012 as part of its Advanced Metering System (AMS) and to install the first phase of its grid strengthening and automation project called the Intelligent Grid (IG).

2. CenterPoint Energy, Inc. is a founding member and participant in the Center for Commercialization of Electric Technologies (CCET) which received a grant from the Department of Energy for a \$13 million demonstration award to install monitoring equipment at a solar subdivision formerly known as Discovery at Spring Travels (now known as Harmony).

3. CenterPoint Energy is a domestic energy delivery company that includes electric transmission & distribution, natural gas distribution, competitive natural gas sales and services, interstate pipelines, and field services operations across half the United States. Therefore, the company has a wide variety of contracts and agreements with its customers, including federal agency customers, as part of its energy delivery operations. In addition to providing regulated electric delivery service to federal agency customers, representative electric-related contracts with federal agencies since October 2010 include: (1) a no-cost land easement for electric facilities with the Department of Veterans Affairs; (2) electric distribution facilities work for the US Coast Guard in the amount of \$181,000; (3) electric distribution facilities work for the Federal Aviation Administration in the amount of \$81,000; (4) the sale of surge arresters to a Department of Energy contractor for \$2,436; and (5) electrical switching and grounding operations for a Department of Energy Contractor for no charge. In addition to providing regulated gas service to federal agency customers, gas-related contracts with federal agencies since October 2010 include a General Services Administration contract for the provision of gas delivery in an approximate annual amount of \$1.7 million.

Signature of Witness: _____

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