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eCORP Announces Asset Management Arrangement for Gas Marketing Subsidiary

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HOUSTON, Texas – eCORP, LLC (“eCORP”) of Houston, Texas today announced that its wholly owned subsidiary, eCORP Energy Marketing, LLC (“eCEM”), recently closed an Asset Management arrangement with Louis Dreyfus Energy Services, LLC. Under the arrangement Louis Dreyfus will manage certain northeast U.S. transportation and storage capacity temporarily released to them, and three of eCEM’s employees were seconded to Louis Dreyfus. The arrangement will be for an initial term of approximately one year, with potential extensions contemplated.

John F. Thrash, CEO of eCORP LLC said, “We are very excited to be aligned with one of the powerhouses in natural gas trading. eCEM, by combining its assets and related expertise with the expanded credit and infrastructure that Louis Dreyfus brings, expects to significantly amplify the financial results from the utilization of these assets and further benefit its customers and the northeast marketplace.”

About eCORP

eCORP, LLC is a Houston, Texas based multifaceted energy company which, through its subsidiaries, affiliates and related entities, is engaged in the development and operation of natural gas storage facilities, natural gas pipelines, electric power plants and other energy related facilities. eCORP Energy Marketing, LLC is the energy marketing affiliate of eCORP, LLC. eCORP Resources, LLC is a domestic up-stream company related to eCORP, LLC. For more information, visit www.ecorpusa.com.

About Louis Dreyfus Energy Services

Louis Dreyfus Energy Services is a major global energy merchant active in the processing, trading, marketing and transportation of a wide range of energy products. Its merchant activities are supported with a diversified processing, pipeline and storage asset base operated to provide bundled commodity and logistics services to the energy industry. A top ten marketer of natural gas in North America, it has a leading merchant position in the global midstream natural gas liquids market and is also a leading merchant of petroleum products (e.g., heating oil, gasoline, diesel fuel) in North America. www.louisdreyfus.com