

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 3561

August 5, 2016

NRG Energy, Inc. NRG Yield, Inc. Kirkland B. Andrews Chief Financial Officer 211 Carnegie Center Princeton, New Jersey 08540

> Re: NRG Energy, Inc. NRG Yield, Inc. Forms 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2015 File Nos. 1-15891 and 1-36002

Dear Mr. Andrews:

We have completed our review of your filings. We remind you that our comments or changes to disclosure in response to our comments do not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the company or the filings and the company may not assert staff comments as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States. We urge all persons who are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosure in the filings to be certain that the filings include the information the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and all applicable rules require.

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Sincerely,

/s/ Jennifer Thompson

Jennifer Thompson Accounting Branch Chief Office of Consumer Products