

CONNECTICUT LIGHT & POWER CO

Form 8-K

February 23, 2012

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **February 23, 2012**

Commission
File Number

Registrant; State of Incorporation
Address; and Telephone Number

I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.

1-5324	NORTHEAST UTILITIES ----- (a Massachusetts voluntary association) One Federal Street, Building 111-4 Springfield, Massachusetts 01105 Telephone: (413) 785-5871	04-2147929
0-00404	THE CONNECTICUT LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY ----- (a Connecticut corporation) 107 Selden Street Berlin, Connecticut 06037-1616 Telephone: (860) 665-5000	06-0303850
1-6392	PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE ----- (a New Hampshire corporation) Energy Park 780 North Commercial Street Manchester, New Hampshire 03101-1134 Telephone: (603) 669-4000	02-0181050

0-7624

**WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS ELECTRIC
COMPANY**

04-1961130

(a Massachusetts corporation)
**One Federal Street, Building 111-4
Springfield, Massachusetts 01105
Telephone: (413) 785-5871**

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Section 2- Financial Information

Item 2.02

Results of Operations and Financial Conditions.

On February 23, 2012, Northeast Utilities issued a news release announcing its unaudited results of operations for the three and twelve month periods ending December 31, 2011, and related financial information for certain of its subsidiaries as of and for the same periods. A copy of the news release and related unaudited financial reports are attached as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, and are incorporated herein by reference thereto.

The information contained in this report on Form 8-K, including Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2, shall not be deemed filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission nor incorporated by reference in any registration statement filed by Northeast Utilities or any subsidiary thereof under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, unless specified otherwise.

Item 9.01

Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

<u>Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
Exhibit 99.1	News Release of Northeast Utilities dated February 23, 2012.
Exhibit 99.2	Unaudited Consolidated Balance Sheets as of December 31, 2011 and 2010; unaudited Consolidated Statements of Income for the years ended December

31, 2011, 2010 and 2009; unaudited Consolidated Statements of Income for the three months ended December 31, 2011 and 2010 and unaudited Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows for the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrants have duly caused this report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

NORTHEAST UTILITIES

THE CONNECTICUT LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY

PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS ELECTRIC COMPANY

(Registrants)

By:

/S/ JAY S. BUTH

Name: Jay S. Buth

Title: Vice President-Accounting and Controller

Date: February 23, 2012