

Press Release

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***Ewing Bemiss & Co. Announces the Sale of
Montauk Energy Capital***

Richmond, Virginia — January 17, 2007 *Ewing Bemiss & Co.* is pleased to announce that it represented DQE Financial Corp., a subsidiary of Duquesne Light Holdings, Inc. (NYSE:DQE) in its sale of Montauk Energy Capital to Blue Wolf Energy Holdings LLC, an affiliate of the New York based private equity firm Blue Wolf Capital Management LLC. The purchase price was \$101.8 million. Golden Tree Asset Management, LP provided Senior and junior financing for the transaction.

Based in Pittsburgh, Montauk is one of the largest and most successful landfill gas-to-energy project developers and operators in the United States. The company is the industry leader in the ownership and operation of plants that convert landfill gas into pipeline-quality gas. The company also has operations that produce electricity from natural gas and is a 50% partner in the world's first commercial landfill gas-to-liquefied natural gas project located in Irvine, California.

Ewing Bemiss & Co. is an investment bank focused on delivering superior service and optimal results to middle market companies. Since its founding in 1992, *Ewing Bemiss & Co.* has given clients across a broad range of manufacturing and services sectors the benefit of its extensive transaction experience and strong relationship orientation. *Ewing Bemiss & Co.*'s core services include Merger and Acquisition Advisory, Private Capital Formation, Financial Restructuring and Strategic Advisory.

Ewing Bemiss & Co. is widely recognized for in-depth sector knowledge and expertise developed through proactive research, years of dedicated service and the development of strong relationships with sector participants in several industries, including Healthcare, Energy, Transportation & Logistics and Business & Technology Services. For more information, please visit www.EwingBemiss.com.

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