# 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): November 14, 2005

PEPCO HOLDINGS, INC.			
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)			
Delaware	001-31403	52-2297449	
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(IRS Employer	
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)	
701 Ninth Street, N.W., Washington, DC		20068	
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)	
Registrant's telephone number, including area code (202) 872-3526			
	Not Applicable		
(Former name or fo	ormer address, if changed sinc	e last report.)	
the appropriate box below if the Fotion of the registrant under any of the		imultaneously satisfy the filing	
Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)			
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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))			

#### **Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On November 15, 2005, Pepco Holdings, Inc. ("Pepco Holdings") announced that its wholly owned subsidiary, Atlantic City Electric Company ("ACE"), had reached an agreement to sell its interests in two jointly-owned fossil fuel-fired generating plants to Duquesne Light Holdings, Inc., together with related assets and properties, for aggregate cash consideration of \$173.1 million, subject to adjustment based, among other things, on variances in the value of fuel and material inventories at the closing and certain capital expenditures. In addition, the purchase price will be increased by \$32,877 for each day prior to September 1, 2006 that the closing occurs and decreased by \$32,877 for each day after September 1, 2006 that the closing occurs. Net gains on the sale of these interests will be an offset to stranded costs

As a result of the agreement, subject to satisfaction of certain conditions, ACE's interest in the following fossil fuel-fired generating plants will be sold:

- 2.47% interest in Keystone Station, a jointly-owned coal-fired generating plant located in Shelocta, Pennsylvania; and
- 3.83% interest in Conemaugh Station, a jointly-owned coal-fired generating plant located in New Florence, Pennsylvania.

Consummation of the sale is subject to the satisfaction of certain conditions, including expiration of the applicable waiting period under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended, and receipt of other required regulatory approvals. The sale is expected to be completed during the second or third quarter of 2006. Under the terms of the agreement, either party may terminate the agreement if the closing does not occur on or before November 14, 2006 unless the failure to close is solely the result of either party's failure to obtain certain required regulatory approvals (i.e., Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, New Jersey Board of Public Utilities), in which event either party may terminate the sale only after an additional 180 days.

The foregoing description of the sale transaction contemplated by the Purchase and Sale Agreement, dated as of November 14, 2005, by and between ACE and Duquesne Light Holdings, Inc. does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Purchase and Sale Agreement. The Purchase and Sale Agreement is filed as Exhibit 2.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

Other than in respect of the Purchase and Sale Agreement and as otherwise described above, there is no material relationship between Pepco Holdings or its affiliates and Duquesne Light Holdings, Inc. or its affiliates.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed herewith:

### Exhibit No. Description of Exhibit

2.1 Purchase and Sale Agreement, dated as of November 14, 2005, by and between Atlantic City Electric Company and Duquesne Light Holdings, Inc.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

PEPCO HOLDINGS, INC.

(Registrant)

Date November 16, 2005 /s/ JOSEPH M. RIGBY

Name: Joseph M. Rigby
Title: Senior Vice President

and Chief Financial Officer