PRICING TERM SHEET

(to Preliminary Prospectus Supplement dated January 10, 2019)

Issuer: CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC

Security: 4.25% General Mortgage Bonds, Series AC, due 2049

Legal Format: SEC Registered

Anticipated Ratings*: A1 (stable) / A (negative watch) / A+ (stable) (Moody's / S&P / Fitch)

Size: \$700,000,000

Trade Date: January 10, 2019

Expected Settlement Date: January 15, 2019

Maturity Date: February 1, 2049

Interest Payment Dates: February 1 and August 1, commencing August 1, 2019

 Coupon:
 4.25%

 Price to Public:
 99.393%

Benchmark Treasury: 3.000% due August 15, 2048

Benchmark Treasury Yield: 3.066%

Spread to Benchmark Treasury: +122 basis points

Re-offer Yield: 4.286%

Optional Redemption: Prior to August 1, 2048, greater of 100% or make-whole at a discount rate of Treasury plus 20

basis points (calculated to August 1, 2048); and on or after August 1, 2048, 100% plus, in either

case, accrued and unpaid interest.

CUSIP: 15189X AT5

Joint Book-Running Managers: Mizuho Securities USA LLC

PNC Capital Markets LLC Regions Securities LLC TD Securities (USA) LLC U.S. Bancorp Investments, Inc.

Co-Managers: C.L. King & Associates, Inc.

Drexel Hamilton, LLC Evercore Group L.L.C.

Samuel A. Ramirez & Company, Inc. The Williams Capital Group, L.P.

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