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PART 51—FRUITS, VEGETABLES AND OTHER PRODUCTS (INSPECTION, CERTIFICATION AND STANDARDS)

SUBPART—UNITED STATES STANDARDS FOR RADISHES¹

On April 13, 1954, a notice of proposed rule making was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER (19 F. R. 2128) regarding a proposed revision of United States Standards for Bunched Radishes.

After consideration of all relevant matters presented, including the proposal set forth in the aforesaid notice, the following United States Standards for Radishes are hereby promulgated pursuant to the authority contained in the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 (60 Stat. 1087 et seq., 7 U. S. C. 1621 et seq.) and the Department of Agriculture Appropriation Act, 1954 (Pub. Law 156, 83d Cong., approved July 28, 1953).

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STYLES

§ 51.2395 *Bunched radishes*. "Bunched radishes" means radishes with full length tops which are tied in bunches.

§ 51.2396 *Topped radishes*. "Topped radishes" means radishes with the tops clipped back to not more than three-eighths inch in length.

GRADES

§ 51.2397 *U. S. No. 1*. U. S. No. 1 consists of radishes of similar varietal characteristics the roots of which are clean, well formed, smooth, firm, tender, and free from decay and which are free from damage caused by freezing, growth cracks or air cracks, cuts, pithiness, disease, insects, or mechanical or other means. Bunched radishes shall have tops which are fresh and free from decay and free from damage caused by freezing, seedstems, yellowing or other discoloration, disease, insects, or mechanical or other means.

(a) Unless otherwise specified, the diameter of each radish root shall be not less than five-eighths inch.

(b) In order to allow for variations incident to proper grading and handling, the following tolerances shall be permitted:

(1) *For defects of roots*. 10 percent, by count, for radish roots in any lot which fail to meet the requirements of the grade, including therein not more than 1 percent for decay;

(2) *For defects of tops of bunched radishes*. 10 percent, by count, for bunches in any lot which fail to meet the requirements of the grade, including therein not more than 5 percent for decay;

(3) *For off-size roots*. 10 percent, by count, for radish roots in any lot which fail to meet the specified minimum diameter: *Provided*, That when the minimum and maximum diameters are both stated, and additional tolerance of 10 percent shall be allowed for radish roots which are larger than the maximum diameter specified; and,

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(4) For excess length of tops of topped radishes, 5 percent, by count, for radishes in any lot with tops which are in excess of the maximum length specified under "Styles".

§ 51.2398 U. S. Commercial. U. S. Commercial consists of radishes which meet the requirements of U. S. No. 1 grade except for the increased tolerances specified in this section.

(a) In order to allow for variations incident to proper grading and handling, the following tolerances shall be permitted:

(1) For defects of roots. 20 percent, by count, for radish roots in any lot which fail to meet the requirements of this grade, but not more than one-half of this amount, or 10 percent, shall be allowed for serious damage, including therein not more than 1 percent for decay;

(2) For defects of tops of bunched radishes. 10 percent, by count, for bunches in any lot which fail to meet the requirements of the grade, including therein not more than 5 percent for decay;

(3) For off-size roots. 10 percent, by count, for radish roots in any lot which fail to meet the specified minimum diameter: Provided, That when the minimum and maximum diameters are both stated, an additional tolerance of 10 percent shall be allowed for radish roots which are larger than the maximum diameter specified; and,

(4) For excess length of tops of topped radishes. 10 percent, by count, for radishes in any lot with tops which are in excess of the maximum length specified under "Styles".

UNCLASSIFIED

§ 51.2399 Unclassified. Unclassified consists of radishes which have not been classified in accordance with any of the forgoing grades. The term "unclassified" is not a grade within the meaning of these standards, but is provided as a designation to show that no grade has been applied to the lot.

APPLICATION OF TOLERANCES

§ 51.2400 Application of tolerances. (a) The contents of individual packages in the lot, based on sample inspection, are subject to the following limitations: Provided, That the averages for the entire lot are within the tolerances specified for the grade:

(1) For a tolerance of 10 percent or more, individual packages in any lot may contain not more than one and one-half times the tolerance specified, except that when the package contains one pound or less, individual packages may contain not more than double the tolerance specified; and,

(2) For a tolerance of less than 10 percent, individual packages in any lot may contain not more than double the tolerance specified, except that at least one defective and one off-size specimen may be permitted in any package.

STANDARD BUNCHING

§ 51.2401 *Standard bunching.* (a) Standard bunches of radishes shall be fairly uniform in size and radishes in the individual bunches shall not vary more than one-half inch in diameter.

(b) Not more than 10 percent of the bunches in any lot may fail to meet the requirements for "Standard Bunching".

SIZE TERMS

§ 51.2402 *Size terms.* (a) The following terms are provided for describing the diameters of any lot of radishes:

(1) "Small" means less than three-fourths inch in diameter;

(2) "Medium" means three-fourths to 1 inch in diameter;

(3) "Large" means over 1 to 1¼ inches in diameter; and,

(4) "Very large" means over 1¼ inches in diameter.

DEFINITIONS

§ 51.2403 *Similar varietal characteristics.* "Similar varietal characteristics" means that the radishes in any container are similar in color and shape; for example, red varieties shall not be mixed with white varieties and globe-shaped varieties shall not be mixed with long-shaped varieties.

§ 51.2404 *Clean.* "Clean" means that the radishes are practically free from dirt or other foreign material.

§ 51.2405 *Well formed.* "Well formed" means that the radishes have the shape characteristic of the variety.

§ 51.2406 *Smooth.* "Smooth" means that the radish is not rough, or ridged to the extent that the appearance is materially affected.

§ 51.2407 *Firm.* "Firm" means that the radishes are crisp and not soft, flabby, or wilted.

§ 51.2408 *Tender.* "Tender" means that the radishes are not stringy or woody.

§ 51.2409 *Damage.* "Damage" means any defect which materially affects the appearance, or the edible or shipping quality of the individual radish root or the general appearance of the radish roots in the container, or which materially affects the appearance or shipping quality of the tops of bunches in the container. Any one of the following defects, or any combination of defects, the seriousness of which exceeds the maximum allowed for any one defect, shall be considered as damage:

(a) Growth cracks or air cracks when discolored or deep, or when more than three-eighths inch in length or the appearance is materially affected;

(b) Cuts when discolored, rough, or deep, or when the aggregate area exceeds the area of a circle three-eighths inch in diameter;

(c) Pithiness when the edible quality is materially affected by pith. Slight

pithiness which does not materially affect the edible quality shall not be considered as damage;

(d) Insects or insect injury when the appearance of the root is materially affected, or when the injury penetrates into the flesh of the radish; or when the tops are affected to the extent that the appearance of the bunch is materially affected; and,

(e) Yellowing or other discoloration of the tops when the appearance of the bunch is materially affected. The appearance of bunches with tops having slight discoloration such as yellowing, browning, or other abnormal color affecting a few leaves shall not be considered materially affected if the tops as a whole show a predominantly normal green color.

§ 51.2410 *Fresh.* "Fresh" means that the radish tops have normal green color and are not badly wilted.

§ 51.2411 *Diameter.* "Diameter" means the greatest dimension of the root measured at right angles to a line running from the crown to the base of the root.

§ 51.2412 *Serious damage.* "Serious damage" means any defect which seriously affects the appearance, or the edible or shipping quality of the individual radish root.

The United States Standards for Radishes contained in this subpart shall become effective 30 days after publication hereof in the FEDERAL REGISTER, and will thereupon supersede the United States Standards for Bunched Radishes which have been in effect since February 25, 1926.

Dated: June 9, 1954.

[SEAL] ROY W. LENNARTSON,
Deputy Administrator,
Marketing Services.

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Chapter IX—Agricultural Marketing Service (Marketing Agreements and Orders), Department of Agriculture

[Lemon Reg. 540, Amtd. 1]

PART 953—LEMONS GROWN IN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA

LIMITATION OF SHIPMENTS

Findings. 1. Pursuant to the marketing agreement, as amended, and Order No. 53, as amended (7 CFR Part 953; 18 F. R. 6767), regulating the handling of lemons grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona, effective under the applicable provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended, and upon the basis of the recommendation and information submitted by the Lemon Administrative Committee, established under the said amended marketing agreement and order, and upon other available information, it is hereby found that the limitation of the quantity of such lemons which may be handled, as hereinafter provided, will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

2. It is hereby further found that it is impracticable and contrary to the public interest to give preliminary notice and engage in public rule-making procedure, and postpone the effective date of this regulation until 30 days after publication thereof in the FEDERAL REGISTER (60 Stat. 237; 5 U. S. C. 1001 et seq.) because the time intervening between the date when information upon which this amendment is based became available and the time when this amendment must become effective in order to effectuate the declared policy of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended, is insufficient, and this amendment relieves restriction on the handling of lemons grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona.

Order, as amended. The provisions in paragraph (b) (1) (ii) of § 953.647 (Lemon Regulation 540, 19 F. R. 3322) are hereby amended to read as follows:

(ii) District 2, 675 carloads.

(Sec. 5, 49 Stat. 753, as amended; 7 U. S. C. 608c)

Done at Washington, D. C., this 10th day of June 1954.

[SEAL] S. R. SMITH,
Director, Fruit and Vegetable
Division, Agricultural Marketing Service.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4517; Filed, June 14, 1954;
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PART 992—IRISH POTATOES GROWN IN WASHINGTON

LIMITATION OF SHIPMENTS

§ 992.309 *Limitation of shipments—(a) Findings.* (1) Pursuant to Marketing Agreement No. 113 and Order No. 92 (7 CFR Part 992), regulating the handling of Irish potatoes grown in the State of Washington, effective under the applicable provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (48 Stat. 31, as amended; 7 U. S. C. 601 et seq.), and upon the basis of the recommendation and information submitted by the State of Washington Potato Committee, established pursuant to said marketing agreement and order, and upon other available information, it is hereby found that the limitation of shipments, as hereinafter provided, will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

(2) It is hereby found that it is impracticable and contrary to the public interest to give preliminary notice, engage in public rule making procedure, and postpone the effective date of this section until 30 days after publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER (5 U. S. C. 1001 et seq.) in that (i) the time intervening between the date when information upon which this section is based became available and the time when this section must become effective in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act is insufficient, (ii) more orderly marketing in the public interest, than would otherwise prevail, will be promoted by regulating the shipment of potatoes, in the manner set forth below, on and after the effective date of this section, (iii) compliance

with this section will not require any preparation on the part of handlers which cannot be completed by the effective date, (iv) a reasonable time is permitted, under the circumstances, for such preparation, and (v) information regarding the committee's recommendations has been made available to producers and handlers in the production area.

(b) *Order.* (1) During the period from June 15, 1954, to May 31, 1955, both dates inclusive, no handler shall ship (i) potatoes of the red skin varieties unless such potatoes meet the requirements of the U. S. No. 2 or better grade, 1 7/8 inches minimum diameter or three ounces minimum weight, or (ii) potatoes of the White Rose or Netted Gem varieties unless such potatoes meet the requirements of the U. S. No. 2 or better grade, 2 inches minimum diameter or 4 ounces minimum weight, as such terms, grades, and sizes are defined in the U. S. Standards for Potatoes (§§ 51.1540 to 51.1559 of this title), including the tolerances set forth therein.

(2) Pursuant to § 992.49, each handler may make one shipment of not in excess of five hundredweight per week without regard to the limitations set forth in subparagraphs (1) and (3) of this paragraph and §§ 992.41 and 992.53.

(3) During the period from June 15, 1954, to September 30, 1954, both dates inclusive, no handler shall ship (i) potatoes of the red skin varieties if more than 20 percent of the potatoes in any lot have more than one-half of the skin missing or feathered, as such terms are used in the U. S. Standards for Potatoes, (ii) potatoes of the White Rose variety if more than 35 percent of the potatoes in any lot have more than one-half of the skin missing or feathered, as such terms are used in the U. S. Standards for Potatoes, and (iii) potatoes of the Netted Gem variety which are more than "moderately skinned" as such term is defined in the U. S. Standards for Potatoes, which means that not more than 10 percent of the potatoes in any lot have more than one-half of the skin missing or feathered: *Provided*, That one lot of not to exceed 100 hundredweight of each variety of potatoes of each producer may be handled every four days without regard to the aforesaid maturity requirements: *Provided further*, That the grade and size requirements set forth in subparagraph (1) of this paragraph will be equally applicable to potatoes shipped under the maturity requirements set forth in this subparagraph.

(4) The limitations set forth in subparagraphs (1) and (3) of this paragraph shall not be applicable to shipments of potatoes for the following purposes: (i) Export; (ii) distribution by the Federal Government, distribution by relief agencies, or consumption by charitable institutions; (iii) manufacture or conversion into starch, flour, alcohol, dehydrated products, canned products, frozen products, and potato chips; (iv) livestock feed; and (v) seed potatoes.

(5) Each handler making shipments of potatoes pursuant to subparagraph (4) of this paragraph shall (i) file an application with the committee pursuant to § 992.120 for permission to make such

shipments (except as to shipments for distribution by the Federal Government), (ii) pay assessments on such shipments pursuant to § 992.41 (except shipments for livestock feed); and (iii) have such shipments (except shipments of seed potatoes and shipments for livestock feed) inspected pursuant to § 992.53.

(6) The terms used in this section shall have the same meaning as when used in the Marketing Agreement No. 113 and Order No. 92 (§§ 992.1 to 992.78), and the aforementioned grades and sizes shall have the same meanings assigned these terms in the U. S. Standards for Potatoes (§§ 51.1540 to 51.1559 of this title), including the tolerances set forth therein.

(Sec. 5, 49 Stat. 753, as amended; 7 U. S. C. 608c)

Done at Washington, D. C., this 9th day of June 1954 to become effective June 15, 1954.

S. R. SMITH,
Director,

Fruit and Vegetable Division.

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TITLE 14—CIVIL AVIATION

Chapter I—Civil Aeronautics Board

Subchapter B—Economic Regulations

[Reg. No. ER-197]

PART 221—CONSTRUCTION, PUBLICATION, FILING AND POSTING OF TARIFFS OF AIR CARRIERS AND OF FOREIGN AIR CARRIERS

In F. R. Doc. 54-4143, appearing in the issue for Saturday, May 29, 1954, p. 3153, the following corrections are hereby made:

1. In § 221.35 *Explanations of abbreviations, reference marks, and symbols*, paragraph (d) (3) should read:

(3) Name of a city or town (except in routings).

2. In § 221.37 *Index of points*, paragraph (d), the reference "paragraph (b) (1) or (2)" should read: "paragraph (b) (1), (2) or (3)".

3. In the introductory paragraph of § 221.39 *Classification ratings or exceptions ratings*, "for exceptions" should read: "or exceptions".

4. In § 221.74 *General commodity rates*, the last sentence should read: "If it is desired to establish a rate on a particular commodity different from the general commodity rate, a specific commodity rate shall be published on such commodity."

5. In paragraph (c) (4) of § 221.75 *Specific commodity rates*, the reference "in this paragraph (b)" should read: "in this paragraph (c)".

6. In paragraph (a) of § 221.160 *Required notice*, the word "affected" should read "effected".

7. In § 221.201 *Form of application for waivers*:

a. In introductory paragraph: reference "Tariff Section" should read: "Tariffs Section".

b. In paragraph (c) "replies" should read "relies".

8. In § 221.241 *Application for Special Tariff Permission* the form in paragraph (a) should read as follows:

Name _____ (1) _____
Mail address _____
Date _____
Special Tariff Permission Application
No. _____ (2) _____

To the CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD,
Tariffs Section, Washington 25, D. C.

_____ (1) _____ hereby petitions the Civil Aeronautics Board that your petitioner be permitted under Section 403 of the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended, to put in force the following proposed tariff provisions to become effective not less than _____ days after the filing thereof with the Civil Aeronautics Board:

_____ (3) _____
The proposed tariff provisions will be published in _____ (4) _____

The proposed tariff provisions will supersede and take the place of _____ (5) _____

The following air carriers and foreign air carriers are known to maintain competitive _____

(Fares, rates, or charges)

between the points where the proposed tariff provisions will apply (or points related thereto): _____ (6) _____

The basis on which the proposed _____

(Fares, rates, or charges)

are constructed is as follows: _____ (7) _____

The following facts are relied upon by your petitioner as constituting special circumstances or unusual conditions which justify the request made herein: _____ (8) _____

_____ (1) _____

By _____ (9) _____

(Signature)

(Show typed name and title of issuing officer or agent under signature)

For explanations of reference marks shown in the above form, see paragraph (b) of this section.)

(Sec. 205, 52 Stat. 984; 49 U. S. C. 425. Interpret or apply sec. 403, 52 Stat. 992; 49 U. S. C. 483)

By the Civil Aeronautics Board.

[SEAL] M. C. MULLIGAN,
Secretary.

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TITLE 16—COMMERCIAL PRACTICES

Chapter I—Federal Trade Commission

[File No. 21-187]

PART 46—BABY AND DOLL CARRIAGE INDUSTRY

ORDER RESCINDING TRADE PRACTICE RULES

Whereas, the Commission on August 29, 1931, promulgated trade practice rules for the Baby and Doll Carriage Industry which were codified in the Code of Federal Regulations (16 CFR Part 46); and

Whereas, it appears that the rules for this industry are general in form and in some respects obsolete, and that there is no interest on the part of said industry in a revision thereof; and

Whereas, under the circumstances proceedings for the revision of the rules for this industry do not appear to be essential to the public interest:

It is ordered, That the said rules be and the same are hereby rescinded.

Issued: June 10, 1954.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ROBERT M. PARRISH,
Secretary.

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TITLE 24—HOUSING AND HOUSING CREDIT

Chapter II—Federal Housing Administration, Housing and Home Finance Agency

Subchapter B—Property Improvement Loans

PART 201—CLASS 1 AND CLASS 2 PROPERTY IMPROVEMENT LOANS

ELIGIBLE IMPROVEMENTS

Part 201 is amended by adding a new § 201.7a as follows:

§ 201.7a *Eligible improvements*—(a) *Ineligible items.* There is hereby established a "List of Ineligible Items" which includes items, products, alterations, repairs, or improvements, or classes thereof, which the Commissioner has determined not to be eligible for financing with the proceeds of loans reported for insurance under this part.

(1) *List of ineligible items.* No part of the proceeds of a loan made on or after June 10, 1954, shall be used to finance any of the following items:

- Barbecue pits.
- Bathhouses.
- Burglar alarms.
- Burglar protection bars.
- Door opening and closing devices.
- Dumbwaiters.
- Fire alarms or fire detecting devices.
- Fire extinguishers.
- Flower boxes.
- Grading and landscaping.
- Greenhouses.
- Hangars (airplane).
- Kennels.
- Lawn sprinkling systems.
- Outdoor fireplaces or hearths.
- Penthouses.
- Photo murals.
- Radiator covers or enclosures.
- Stands.
- Steam cleaning of exterior surfaces.
- Swimming pools.
- Television antennae.
- Tennis courts.
- Tree surgery.
- Valance or cornice boards.
- Venetian blinds.

(b) *Other ineligible items.* The omission of any item from the "List of Ineligible Items" shall not be construed as rendering such omitted item eligible for financing. All items otherwise ineligible for Title I financing shall remain ineligible for such financing notwithstanding any provision of this section. If an insured has any doubt as to the eligibility of any item, product, alteration, repair or improvement, or class thereof, it should request a specific ruling from the Commissioner before making any loan for the purpose of financing such item, product, alteration, repair or improvement.

(c) *Commitments.* If an insured has made a legally binding commitment to

make a loan for the purpose of financing any item or improvement which was eligible for financing under Title I at the time such commitment was given, such loan will be eligible to be reported for insurance if:

(1) The improvements financed are completed and the proceeds of the loan disbursed within 20 days after the determination by the Commissioner that the item, product, alteration, repair or improvement is no longer to be eligible for Title I financing, and

(2) The insured attaches to the report of any such loan to the Commissioner a certification in the following form:

The undersigned hereby certifies that it had made a legally binding commitment to make the loan in this case prior to ----- 195--

(Name of Insured Financial Institution)

By -----
Title -----

(Sec. 2, 48 Stat. 1246, as amended; 12 U. S. C. 1703)

Issued at Washington, D. C., June 10, 1954.

NORMAN T. MASON,
Acting Federal Housing Commissioner.
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TITLE 33—NAVIGATION AND NAVIGABLE WATERS

Chapter II—Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army

PART 209—ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE

BRIDGES AND DAMS ACROSS WATERWAYS; PIERS, DREDGING, ETC., IN WATERWAYS

Sections 209.120 (a) (7) and (c) and 209.130 (c) (3) are amended as follows:

§ 209.120 *Bridges and dams across waterways*—(a) *How to obtain approval of plans.* * * *

(7) One set of the plans furnished should be on tracing linen, vellum, or heavy tracing paper. The location of the work and the essential features covered by the application will be outlined in red.

(c) *Dams, dikes, and causeways.* The requirements as to primary authority and approval by the Chief of Engineers and the Secretary of the Army of the plans and location applicable to bridges are also applicable to dams, dikes, and causeways in navigable waters of the United States. Such structures may be built under authority of the legislature of a State across waterways the navigable portions of which lie wholly within the limits of a single State, otherwise an act of Congress is necessary. Applications for approval of plans and location should be in the form of a letter submitted to the District Engineer in charge of the waterway. Information similar to that required in the case of bridges, together with maps showing plans and location, should be furnished. One set of plans on tracing linen, vellum,

or heavy tracing paper drawn with India ink or pencil and three sets of prints or other copies are required. Applications for authority to construct water power dams are subject to the provisions of the Federal Power Act, revised to August 26, 1935. Inquiries concerning the required procedure in such cases should be addressed to the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

§ 209.130 *Piers, dredging, etc., in waterways.* * * *

(c) *Maps and plans.* * * *

(3) One set of plans on tracing linen, vellum, or heavy tracing paper drawn with India ink or pencil and three sets of prints or other copies are required. An exception will be made when the map or drawing is a part of a printed map or plan which is sufficiently clear to permit reproduction by a photographic process; and, in ordinary applications for dredging, all four copies of the map may be prints which may often be secured from the District Engineer at small cost. In all cases four complete sets must be furnished. Whenever the word "ink" is used in the following paragraphs it shall be interpreted to mean either ink or suitable pencil.

[Regs., June 3, 1954-ENGWO] (R. S. 161; 5 U. S. C. 22)

[SEAL] JOHN A. KLEIN,
*Major General, U. S. Army,
The Adjutant General.*

[F. R. Doc. 54-4090; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:46 a. m.]

TITLE 45—PUBLIC WELFARE

Chapter I—Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare

PART 107—FEDERAL ASSISTANCE IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF MINIMUM SCHOOL FACILITIES IN AREAS AFFECTED BY FEDERAL ACTIVITIES

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

Part 107 (18 F. R. 6708) issued pursuant to Public Law 815, 81st Congress, as amended (64 Stat. 967, as amended by 67 Stat. 522) is amended by revising paragraph (s) of § 107.1 to reduce the percentage of eligible children who reside on Federal property required under section 401 (a) (1) of said law; and by adding sections making determination of probable insufficiency of available funds for fiscal year 1955 for title IV of said law and establishing a final date for filing of applications under title IV. The revised paragraph and new sections read as follows:

§ 107.1 *Definitions.* * * *

(s) *Substantial percentage.* An application will not be considered to meet the "substantial percentage" requirement under section 401 (a) (1) of title IV which does not show that the total number of children who reside on Federal property (for whom the applicant is providing or, upon completion of the school facilities for which provision is made in section 401 (a), will provide free public education, and whose membership

in the schools of such applicant has not formed and will not form the basis for payments under title II or title III of Public Law 815 as amended) is in excess of 15 and represents at least 10 percent of the total number of children for whom the applicant is providing free public education.

§ 107.30 *Determination made for fiscal year 1955 of insufficiency of available funds under title IV.* The Commissioner has determined that the funds which may be available in fiscal year 1955 (including any funds available in fiscal year 1954 which may not be needed for payments on applications filed on or before November 24, 1953) may not be

sufficient to pay in full the amounts which all applicants filing complete applications under title IV may be entitled to receive under title IV and this part.

§ 107.31 *Final date for filing applications under title IV.* Pursuant to section 401 (c) of title IV and § 107. 2 (b), December 31, 1954, is fixed as the date on or before which all complete applications for payments to which applicants may be entitled under title IV from funds then available for fiscal year 1955 (including any funds available for fiscal year 1954, which may not be needed for payments on applications filed on or before November 24, 1953) or which may be made available shall be filed. Complete applications heretofore filed in

compliance with this part shall be considered as filed for purposes of this section. Such complete applications may be modified or amended on or before December 31, 1954.

(Sec. 208, 64 Stat. 975; 20 U. S. C. 278)

Dated: June 4, 1954.

[SEAL] S. M. BROWNELL,
United States Commissioner
of Education.

Approved: June 9, 1954.

OVETA CULP HOBBY,
Secretary of Health, Education,
and Welfare.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4510; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:48 a. m.]

NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

ALASKA

NOTICE OF PROPOSED WITHDRAWAL AND RESERVATION OF LANDS

JUNE 1, 1954.

An application, serial number Fairbanks 010777, for the withdrawal from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, of the lands described below was filed on February 4, 1954, by the Department of the Air Force.

The purposes of the proposed withdrawal: Military purposes.

For a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, persons having cause to object to the proposed withdrawal may present their objections in writing to the Regional Administrator, Area IV, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior at Anchorage, Alaska. In case any objection is filed and the nature of the opposition is such as to warrant it, a public hearing will be held at a convenient time and place, which will be announced, where opponents to the order may state their views and where proponents of the order can explain its purpose.

The determination of the Secretary on the application will be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER, either in the form of a public land order or in the form of a notice of determination if the application is rejected. In either case, a separate notice will be sent to each interested party of record.

The lands involved in the application are:

- T. 3 S., R. 3 E., F. M.,
Sec. 7: Lots 5 and 6.
Sec. 8: S $\frac{1}{2}$.
Sec. 17: Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4,
E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$,
E $\frac{1}{2}$.
Sec. 18: Lot 1.
Sec. 20: Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4,
E $\frac{1}{2}$.
Sec. 29: Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4,
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.
Sec. 32: Lot 1.

and

Those certain islands or portions thereof, lying in the Tanana River south of the north line of T. 3 S., R. 2 E., F. M., extended west to the west bank of the Tanana River and lying west of the north-south center line of Section 34, T. 3 S., R. 3 E., F. M., extended south to the west bank of the Tanana River.

Containing approximately 5283.10 acres.

LOWELL M. PUCKETT,
Area Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4091; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:45 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Office of the Secretary

OREGON

DESIGNATION OF AREA FOR PRODUCTION EMERGENCY LOANS

For the purpose of making loans pursuant to section 2 (a) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress, it is found that in Umatilla County, Oregon, a production disaster has caused a need for agricultural credit not readily available from commercial banks, cooperative lending agencies, or other responsible sources.

After June 30, 1955, loans under section 2 (a) of Public Law 38, 81st Congress, will not be made in the above named county except to borrowers who previously received such assistance.

Done at Washington, D. C., this 10th day of June 1954.

[SEAL] TRUE D. MORSE,
Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4520; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:50 a. m.]

Rural Electrification Administration

[Administrative Order 4574]

MINNESOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 1, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as

amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Minnesota 97K Roseau..... \$290,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4521; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:50 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4575]

MINNESOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 1, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Minnesota 48W Anoka..... \$530,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4522; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:50 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4576]

FLORIDA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 1, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Florida 24L Monroe..... \$490,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4523; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:50 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4577]

SOUTH DAKOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 6, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
South Dakota 28E McCook..... \$112,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4524; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:51 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4578]

LOUISIANA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 7, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Louisiana 7U Grant..... \$400,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4525; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:51 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4579]

MONTANA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 7, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Montana 24 G Blaine..... \$280,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4526; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:51 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4580]

MINNESOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 12, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Minnesota 1W Kanabec..... \$346,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4527; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:51 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4581]

GEORGIA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 14, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Georgia 95L Clinch..... \$390,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4528; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:51 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4582]

KENTUCKY

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 14, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Kentucky 26 "U" Todd..... \$490,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4529; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:51 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4583]

SOUTH CAROLINA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 14, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
South Carolina 41L York..... \$210,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4530; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:51 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4584]

PENNSYLVANIA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 14, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended,

a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Pennsylvania 13Z Tioga..... \$900,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4531; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:52 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4585]

NORTH CAROLINA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 14, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
North Carolina 33S Martin..... \$130,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4532; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:52 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4586]

NEBRASKA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 14, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Nebraska 76 AP Southern Nebraska, District Public..... \$153,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4533; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:52 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4587]

KANSAS

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

May 14, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Kansas 40 K Leavenworth..... \$135,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4534; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:52 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4568]

MINNESOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 17, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Minnesota 12P St. Louis..... \$1,171,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4535; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:53 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4589]

MISSISSIPPI

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 18, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Mississippi 20T Yazoo..... \$1,175,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4536; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:52 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4590]

NORTH CAROLINA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 18, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
North Carolina 36U Randolph.... \$735,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4537; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:52 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4591]

NEBRASKA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 18, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Nebraska 87 F Webster..... \$440,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4538; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:53 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4592]

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR LOANS

MAY 20, 1954.

Inasmuch as Intercounty Electric Association, Inc., and Clay-Union Electric Corporation have each transferred certain of their properties and assets to East River Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., and East River Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. has assumed in part the indebtedness to United States of America of Intercounty Electric Association, Inc. and Clay-Union Electric Corporation, arising out of loans made by United States of America pursuant to the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, I hereby amend:

(a) Administrative Order No. 961, dated September 19, 1945, by changing the project designation appearing therein as "South Dakota 23A Sanborn" in the amount of \$490,000 to read "South Dakota 23A Sanborn" in the amount of \$478,370.48 and "South Dakota 43TP1 Minnehaha (South Dakota 23A Sanborn)" in the amount of \$11,629.52;

(b) Administrative Order No. 1193, dated December 20, 1946, by changing the project designation appearing therein as "South Dakota 3H Clay" in the amount of \$398,000 to read "South Dakota 3H Clay" in the amount of \$231,501.04 and "South Dakota 43TP2 Minnehaha (South Dakota 3H Clay)" in the amount of \$164,498.96; and

(c) Administrative Order No. 1475, dated April 1, 1948, by changing the project designation appearing therein as "South Dakota 3K Clay" in the amount of \$710,000 to read "South Dakota 3K Clay" in the amount of \$676,258.07 and "South Dakota 43TP2 Minnehaha (South Dakota 3K Clay)" in the amount of \$33,741.93.

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4539; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:53 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4593]

NEW MEXICO

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 20, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
New Mexico 16E Rio Arriba..... \$61,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4540; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:53 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4594]

TEXAS

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 20, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Texas 144P Kinney..... \$1,750,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4541; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:53 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4595]

OKLAHOMA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 20, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Oklahoma 23W Okmulgee..... \$835,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4542; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:53 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4596]

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR LOANS

MAY 20, 1954.

I hereby amend:
(a) Administrative Order No. 652, dated December 19, 1941, by reducing the allocation of \$548,000 therein made for "Alabama 2043A1 Marshall" by \$137,152.33 so that the reduced allocation shall be \$410,847.67.

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4543; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:53 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4597]

ILLINOIS

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 21, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Illinois 8M Coles..... \$175,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4544; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:54 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4598]

IOWA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 21, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Iowa 21N Guthrie.....	\$135,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4545; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:54 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4599]

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR LOANS

MAY 24, 1954.

I hereby amend:

(a) Administrative Order No. 335, dated April 12, 1939, by reducing the allocation of \$10,000 therein made for "North Carolina R9036W1 Randolph" by \$8,917 so that the reduced allocation shall be \$1,083.

[SEAL] FRED H. STRONG,
Acting Administrator.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4546; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:54 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4600]

GEORGIA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 27, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Georgia 86S Seminole.....	\$610,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4547; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:54 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4601]

GEORGIA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 27, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Georgia 73L Dodge.....	\$385,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4548; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:54 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 4602]

WASHINGTON

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 28, 1954.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Washington 9 N San Juan.....	\$250,000

[SEAL] ANCHER NELSEN,
Administrator.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4549; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:54 a. m.]

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

[Docket No. E-6561]

GULF STATES UTILITIES CO.

NOTICE OF ORDER AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF SECURITIES

JUNE 8, 1954.

Notice is hereby given that on June 4, 1954, the Federal Power Commission issued its order adopted June 3, 1954, authorizing issuance of securities in the above-entitled matter.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4499; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:46 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. G-1142, G-1508, G-2019, G-2074,
G-2210, G-2220, G-2378]

UNITED GAS PIPE LINE CO.

NOTICE OF CONTINUANCE OF HEARING

JUNE 8, 1954.

Upon consideration of the telegraphic request, filed June 7, 1954, of United Gas Pipe Line Company for postponement of the hearing now scheduled for June 15, 1954, in the above-designated matter;

Notice is hereby given that the hearing now scheduled to commence on June 15, 1954, is hereby postponed to be held at 10:00 a. m., e. d. s. t., June 29, 1954, in the Commission's Hearing Room, 441 G Street NW., Washington, D. C.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4503; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. G-2290, G-2304, G-2325]

TENNESSEE GAS TRANSMISSION CO. ET AL.

NOTICE OF FINDINGS AND ORDER

JUNE 8, 1954.

In the matters of Tennessee Gas Transmission Company, Docket No. G-2290; The Manufacturers Light and Heat Company, Docket No. G-2304; The Ohio Fuel Gas Company, Docket No. G-2325.

Notice is hereby given that on June 7, 1954, the Federal Power Commission is-

sued its order adopted June 3, 1954, issuing certificates of public convenience and necessity in the above-entitled matters.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4500; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:46 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. G-2306, G-2311, G-2327, G-2328]

AMERICAN LOUISIANA PIPE LINE CO. ET AL.

ORDER RECONVENING HEARING

In the matters of American Louisiana Pipe Line Company, Docket No. G-2306; Texas Gas Transmission Corporation, Docket No. G-2311; Michigan-Wisconsin Pipe Line Company, Docket No. G-2327; Michigan Consolidated Gas Company, Docket No. G-2328.

These proceedings concern the several applications for certificates of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act which were filed with the Commission by American Louisiana Pipe Line Company (American Louisiana) and Texas Gas Transmission Corporation (Texas Gas) on November 10, 1953, and by Michigan-Wisconsin Pipe Line Company (Michigan-Wisconsin) and Michigan Consolidated Gas Company (Michigan Consolidated) on December 9, 1953.

The four applications involve the proposed construction and operation of approximately 1,625 miles of pipeline and 66,900 horsepower of compressor capacity at a total estimated cost of approximately \$159,000,000.

The primary application is that of American Louisiana, which involves the construction and operation of a new pipeline system which would extend from North Tepehate, Louisiana, to points of connection with the facilities of Michigan-Wisconsin and Michigan Consolidated at Bridgman and Detroit, Michigan. American Louisiana's proposed pipeline would have a capacity of approximately 300,000 Mcf per day. Its natural gas supply would be obtained, in part, from natural gas reserves in the Gulf Coast area of Louisiana (approximately 256,000 Mcf per day), and in part from Texas Gas (approximately 51,000 Mcf per day).

Texas Gas' application proposes to sell to American Louisiana approximately 18,250,000 Mcf annually on an interruptible basis with varying daily volumes scheduled for delivery during particular months of the year. The proposed delivery of gas would be made to American Louisiana at Slaughters, Kentucky, where the pipeline systems of the two companies would intersect.

Due notice of the filing of the applications has been given including the publication of notice thereof in the FEDERAL REGISTER on December 29, 1953 (18 F. R. 8812-8813).

The Commission by order issued February 8, 1954, consolidated for purposes of hearing the proceedings on the four applications and limited the initial phase of the hearing to the presentation of evidence concerning the question of the gas supply relied upon to support the projects. The hearing on this aspect of

the proceedings commenced on March 8, 1954, and concluded on May 4, 1954. Briefs have been filed by the interested parties, and oral argument was heard by the Commission on May 24, 1954.

Upon consideration of the record, the briefs filed and the oral argument presented by the interested parties, we deem it inappropriate, at this time, to make a final determination concerning the adequacy of gas supplies available to American Louisiana and Texas Gas from reserves and pipeline sources relied upon by them to support the four applications. We are of the opinion that there is sufficient evidence in the record to warrant further hearing with respect to the matters and issues presented by the applications.

The Commission orders:

(A) The hearing in these proceedings be reconvened on June 21, 1954, at 10:00 a. m., e. d. s. t., in the Hearing Room of the Federal Power Commission, 441 G Street NW., Washington, D. C., for the purpose of taking further testimony pertaining to the matters and issues presented by the applications.

Adopted: June 7, 1954.

Issued: June 8, 1954.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4504; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:47 a. m.]

[Docket No. G-2341]

TEXAS EASTERN PENN-JERSEY
TRANSMISSION CORP.

NOTICE OF ORDER ACCEPTING PLAN

JUNE 8, 1954.

Notice is hereby given that on June 4, 1954, the Federal Power Commission issued its order adopted June 3, 1954, accepting plan of financing in the above-entitled matter.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4501; Filed, June 14, 1954;
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[Docket No. G-2428]

ARKANSAS LOUISIANA GAS CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

JUNE 9, 1954.

Take notice that on May 11, 1954, Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company (Applicant), a Delaware corporation, with its principal place of business in Shreveport, Louisiana, filed an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing the construction and operation of certain natural-gas facilities, namely, a tap on Applicant's existing Line AM-55, within the City of Nashville, Arkansas, together with meter, regulator, and odorizer.

The proposed facilities will be utilized to serve natural gas to the City of Murfreesboro, Arkansas.

The City of Murfreesboro will construct approximately 13.45 miles of 4½-inch O. D. gas pipeline from the proposed tap on Line AM-55 and extending north-easterly to a point of connection with a distribution system also proposed to be constructed in the City of Murfreesboro.

The estimated total cost of the pipeline and a distribution system with respect to the Murfreesboro project is estimated to be approximately \$264,588, which will be financed from the sale of an issue of revenue bonds.

Applicant proposes to lease and operate the Murfreesboro project above described for a period of 20 years, during which time Applicant will have at its option the exclusive right to purchase the facilities from Murfreesboro.

The Applicant requests that its application be heard under the shortened procedure pursuant to § 1.32 (b) of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure.

Protests or petitions to intervene may be filed with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., in accordance with the rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10) on or before the 30th day of June 1954. The application is on file with the Commission for public inspection.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. G-2430]

NORTHERN NATURAL GAS CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

JUNE 9, 1954.

Take notice that on May 12, 1954, Northern Natural Gas Company (Applicant), a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business at Omaha, Nebraska, filed an application pursuant to the provisions of section 7 of the Natural Gas Act for a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing it to construct and operate a side gate connection, measuring station and related facilities to enable Applicant to take an additional 17 Mmcf of natural gas per day into its existing 20-inch Grayco-Skellytown pipeline from the outlet of Kerr-McGee's Portland natural gasoline plant located in Gray County, Texas.

Applicant proposes that this additional volume of natural gas will further strengthen and supplement its present gas reserves. No increase in system salable capacity is proposed.

Applicant requests that the intermediate decision procedure be omitted and that its application be disposed of pursuant to the provisions of § 1.32 (b) of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure.

Protests or petitions to intervene may be filed with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., in accordance

with the Commission's rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10) on or before the 30th day of June 1954. The application is on file with the Commission and available for public inspection.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

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8:46 a. m.]

[Docket No. G-2435]

OHIO FUEL GAS CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

JUNE 8, 1954.

Take notice that on May 19, 1954, The Ohio Fuel Gas Company (Applicant), an Ohio corporation, address, Columbus, Ohio, filed an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, authorizing the construction and operation of approximately 12.5 miles of 8½-inch natural-gas transmission pipeline extending from a point of connection with Applicant's existing Line O-880 in Wills Township, Guernsey County, Ohio, to Barnesville, Warren Township, Belmont County, Ohio.

Applicant proposes the construction and operation of the above-described facilities to provide a direct route for delivery of natural gas to become available to Applicant from the facilities of Tennessee Gas Transmission Company and Applicant's Guernsey Storage project now in process of activation and development. The proposed facilities will be utilized to provide service in Applicant's eastern Ohio market areas of St. Clairsville, Bethesda, Barnesville, and Quaker City, Ohio, which are served at present by natural gas from local production augmented by delivery of up to 1,000 Mcf per day at St. Clairsville under an exchange agreement with Natural Gas Company of West Virginia, an affiliate of Applicant. The facilities serving this area at present, according to Applicant, will not be adequate to maintain service during periods of peak demand in the winter of 1954-1955.

Applicant proposes, in connection with the construction and operation of the proposed facilities, to retire portions of its 4-inch Line O-16 extending from a point near Buffalo to Barnesville, Ohio, and such retirement will result in abandonment of service to approximately 8 to 12 rural customers scattered along the 13.8 miles of proposed retirement. Applicant requests an order pursuant to section 7 (b) of the Natural Gas Act authorizing and approving such abandonment of facilities and service.

The estimated cost of construction of the proposed facilities is \$265,000, and the proposed retirement involves an estimated credit to fixed capital of \$43,360, cost of retiring of \$24,300, and salvage of \$21,000. The funds for financing the proposed construction will be provided through sale of Applicant's securities to its parent, The Columbia Gas System, Inc.

Protests or petitions to intervene may be filed with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., in accordance with the rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10) on or before the 28th day of June 1954. The application is on file with the Commission for public inspection.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4496; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:45 a. m.]

[Docket No. G-2442]

MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

JUNE 8, 1954.

Take notice that on May 27, 1954, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Applicant), a Delaware corporation of Minneapolis, Minnesota, filed an application for authority to suspend further service in the transportation of natural gas for the account of Industrial Gas Co., Inc., of Billings, Montana.

Applicant has entered into service agreements dated May 6, 1949, September 15, 1950, and December 11, 1950, with Mondakota Gas Company relating to the transportation and delivery of natural gas. On or about August 1, 1953, Industrial Gas Co., Inc., assumed the obligations under the terms and conditions set forth in said service agreements with respect to shipment of natural gas, to the Eastern Clay Products Company and the American Colloid Company at Belle Fourche, South Dakota, and the State Cement Plant at Rapid City, South Dakota, for the account of Industrial Gas Co., Inc., and since has been and now is the shipper of natural gas under said service agreements and under Applicant's FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, together with the First Revision thereof.

Applicant now requests authorization to suspend further service in the transportation and delivery of natural gas for the account of Industrial Gas Co., Inc., to Eastern Clay Products Company, Belle Fourche, American Colloid Company, Belle Fourche, and State Cement Plant, Rapid City, all in South Dakota, until payment is made for services heretofore rendered and not paid for by Industrial Gas Co., Inc., in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in said FPC Gas Tariff and service agreements.

Answers to said application on behalf of Industrial Gas Co., Inc., or any other interested person, protests, or petitions to intervene may be filed with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., in accordance with the rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10) on or before the 28th day of June 1954. The application is on file with the Commission for public inspection.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

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[Project No. 2151]

PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT No. 1 OF
CHELAN COUNTY, WASHINGTON

NOTICE OF ORDER ISSUING PRELIMINARY PERMIT

JUNE 8, 1954.

Notice is hereby given that on June 3, 1954, the Federal Power Commission issued its order adopted June 3, 1954, issuing preliminary permit in the above-entitled matter.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4502; Filed, June 14, 1954;
8:47 a. m.]

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

[Amdt. 1]

NICKEL-GRAPHITE COMMITTEE

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY REGARDING EXECUTION OF LETTERS OF INTENT RELATING TO NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RESERVE PLANTS

Whereas, on August 25, 1953 (18 F. R. 5285), by delegation of authority executed by me, I, the undersigned, appointed a Nickel-Graphite Committee to carry out the objectives and purposes stated in said delegation; and

Whereas, in order to clarify the authority so delegated said Committee, it is desirable to make certain amendments to said delegation;

Now, therefore, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949, as amended, and the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended, the paragraphs numbered 1 and 2 of said Delegation of August 25, 1953 are hereby amended to read as follows:

1. There is hereby delegated to J. P. Pinkley, as Chairman of the Nickel-Graphite Committee, full authority to negotiate, with the advice of the Committee Staff counsel, for my or the Committee's execution, Letters of Intent to implement Directives of the Secretary of Defense and/or the Office of Defense Mobilization relating to National Industrial Reserve Plants, and in so doing to issue such internal orders within the General Services Administration and to make such findings as in his judgment may be necessary to accelerate such negotiations and to formalize and implement such Letters of Intent as may be signed by me or the Committee in the furtherance of the Directives issued by the Secretary of Defense and/or the Office of Defense Mobilization; and to take such action, and execute such contracts with persons or entities outside General Services Administration as may be necessary to effectuate such Directives.

2. In the absence from Washington, D. C., or disability of the Chairman of the Committee, the authority herein delegated to him may be exercised by the other two members acting jointly; and in the absence from Washington, D. C., or disability of the Chairman and one member of the Committee, the authority

herein delegated to the Chairman may be exercised by the remaining member acting individually, but in such latter case, no contracting action will be taken individually by the remaining member unless he has assured himself that his action will be concurred in by another member of the Committee.

Dated: June 9, 1954.

EDMUND F. MANSURE,
Administrator.

[P. R. Doc. 54-4565; Filed, June 11, 1954;
2:18 p. m.]

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[File Nos. 54-196, 59-97, 70-2681, 70-3156]

MISSION OIL CO. ET AL.

NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATIONS FOR FURTHER EXTENSIONS OF TIME FOR DISPOSITION BY SINCLAIR OIL CORP. OF CERTAIN COMMON STOCKS OF SUBSIDIARIES

JUNE 9, 1954.

In the matter of The Mission Oil Company, Southwestern Development Company, and Subsidiaries, and Sinclair Oil Corporation, File Nos. 54-196, 59-97; Albert R. Jones, et al., File No. 70-2681; Southwestern Development Company, Amarillo Gas Company, Amarillo Oil Company, Clayton Gas Company, Dalhart Gas Company, Red River Gas Company, West Texas Gas Company, File No. 70-3156.

Notice is hereby given that Sinclair Oil Corporation ("Sinclair"), a registered holding company, which is exempt from the provisions of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 ("act"), other than sections 9 (a) (2) and 11 (b), (c) and (e) thereof, has filed with this Commission, pursuant to said act, applications requesting that the Commission extend for a further period of six months from June 21, 1954, the time within which to effect a disposition of its holdings of the common stock of Westpan Hydrocarbon Company ("Westpan"), and that the Commission extend for a further period of six months from June 24, 1954, the time within which to effect a disposition of its holdings of the common stock of Pioneer Natural Gas Company ("Pioneer"), which dispositions were provided for in a plan approved by the Commission, pursuant to section 11 (e) of the act, by order dated December 21, 1951, as modified and supplemented by the Commission's order of December 24, 1953.

The plan provided, among other things, for the disposition by Sinclair, within one year from December 21, 1951 "or such longer time as the Commission may by further order grant", of the reclassified common stock of Southwestern Development Company ("Southwestern"), a registered holding company, and the common stocks of Colorado Interstate Gas Company ("Colorado") and Westpan, non-utility subsidiaries of Southwestern, received by Sinclair under the provisions of the plan. Sinclair disposed of the common

stock of Colorado and the Commission, by orders dated December 24, 1952 and July 1, 1953, extended to December 21, 1953 the time within which Sinclair should effect a disposition of the common stocks of Southwestern and Westpan, and by order dated January 7, 1954, extended the time within which Sinclair might dispose of Westpan until June 21, 1954.

On December 24, 1953, the Commission issued its order granting and permitting to become effective an application-declaration regarding, inter alia, the merger of all of Southwestern's public-utility subsidiaries into a single surviving company, Amarillo Gas Company, whose name was to be changed to Pioneer Natural Gas Company, which was to acquire the capital stock of Amarillo Oil Company, a non-utility subsidiary of Southwestern; the liquidation and dissolution of Southwestern; the acquisition by Sinclair of the shares of capital stock of Pioneer which it was to receive in lieu of the stock of Southwestern; and the sale by Sinclair (within six months from the date of the Commission's order or within such longer time as the Commission may by further order direct) of the stock of Pioneer which it was to receive. Said transactions had been consummated and Sinclair now holds the Pioneer stock.

In support of its applications for further extensions of time, Sinclair states that it has been unable in the exercise of due diligence to dispose of the common stocks of Westpan and Pioneer. It is further stated, in the case of Pioneer, that Sinclair proposes, on or about July 1, 1954, to invite bids for the Pioneer stock held by it from a limited number of prospective purchasers.

Notice is further given that any interested person may, not later than June 21, 1954, at 5:30 p. m., e. d. s. t., request the Commission in writing that a hearing be held on such matter, stating the reasons for such request, the nature of his interest and the issues of fact or law raised by said filing which he desires to controvert, or may request that he be notified if the Commission should order a hearing thereon. Any such request should be addressed: Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 425 Second Street NW., Washington 25, D. C. At any time after June 21, 1954, such applications may be granted.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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8:48 a. m.]

[File No. 70-2490]

GULF POWER CO.

ORDER RELEASING JURISDICTION OVER
CERTAIN ACCOUNTING ENTRIES

JUNE 8, 1954.

Gulf Power Company ("Gulf"), a public utility subsidiary of The Southern

Company, a registered holding company, having filed a declaration and amendments thereto, pursuant to sections 6 (a), 7 and 12 (c) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 ("act") and Rules U-42 and U-50 promulgated thereunder, with respect to the following transactions:

(a) The issuance of 51,026 shares of 4.64 Percent Cumulative Preferred Stock, of the par value of \$100 per share;

(b) An offering to the holders of Gulf's then outstanding 11,026 shares of \$6 Preferred Stock, without par value, of the right to exchange their shares of \$6 Preferred Stock for shares of 4.64 Percent Preferred Stock, on a share for share basis, with a cash adjustment for the difference between (i) the initial public offering price of \$103 per share, of the 4.64 Percent Preferred Stock, plus accrued dividends, and (ii) the redemption price of \$105 per share, plus accrued dividends to the redemption date, of the \$6 Preferred Stock; and

(c) The sale to underwriters, pursuant to the competitive bidding requirements of Rule U-50, of all of the unexchanged shares of 4.64 Percent Preferred Stock, together with an additional 40,000 shares of 4.64 Percent Preferred Stock.

The Commission, in its orders dated November 1, 1950, and November 15, 1950, permitting the declaration, as amended, to become effective, having reserved jurisdiction over, among other things, the proposed accounting entries to be made by Gulf to reflect the exchanges of 4.64 Percent Preferred Stock for \$6 Preferred Stock;

The Commission having considered the accounting entries proposed by Gulf to reflect the aforesaid exchanges of stock and observing no basis for adverse findings with respect thereto and deeming it appropriate that the jurisdiction heretofore reserved herein over the accounting entries should be released:

It is ordered, That the jurisdiction heretofore reserved herein over the accounting entries to be made by Gulf with respect to the exchanges of the 4.64 percent Preferred Stock for the \$6 Preferred Stock be, and hereby is, released.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 54-4507; Filed, June 14, 1954;
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INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

[Rev. S. O. 562, Taylor's I. C. C. Order 39]

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD CO.

REROUTING OR DIVERSION OF TRAFFIC

In the opinion of Charles W. Taylor, Agent, the Gulf, Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company, because of damage, by fire, to Southern Railway Company bridge over Lake Pontchartrain (Louisiana), is unable to transport traffic routed over its line between Slidell and

New Orleans, Louisiana: *It is ordered*, That:

(a) Rerouting traffic: The Gulf, Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company, being unable to transport traffic routed over its line between Slidell and New Orleans, Louisiana, because of damage, by fire, to Southern Railway Company bridge over Lake Pontchartrain, is hereby authorized to reroute or divert such traffic over any available route to expedite the movement. The billing covering all such cars rerouted shall carry a reference to this order as authority for the rerouting.

(b) Concurrence of receiving roads to be obtained: The railroad desiring to divert or reroute traffic under this order shall confer with the proper transportation officer of the railroad or railroads to which such traffic is to be diverted or rerouted, and shall receive the concurrence of such other railroads before the rerouting or diversion is ordered.

(c) Notification to shippers: The carrier rerouting cars in accordance with this order shall notify each shipper at the time each car is rerouted or diverted and shall furnish to such shipper the new routing provided under this order.

(d) Inasmuch as the diversion or rerouting of traffic by said Agent is deemed to be due to carrier's disability, the rates applicable to traffic diverted or rerouted by said Agent shall be the rates which were applicable at the time of shipment on the shipments as originally routed.

(e) In executing the directions of the Commission and of such Agent provided for in this order, the common carriers involved shall proceed even though no contracts, agreements, or arrangements now exist between them with reference to the divisions of the rates of transportation applicable to said traffic; divisions shall be, during the time this order remains in force, those voluntarily agreed upon by and between said carriers; or upon failure of the carriers to so agree, said divisions shall be those hereafter fixed by the Commission in accordance with pertinent authority conferred upon it by the Interstate Commerce Act.

(f) Effective date: this order shall become effective at 8:00 a. m., June 8, 1954.

(g) Expiration date: This order shall expire at 8:00 a. m., June 22, 1954, unless otherwise modified, changed, suspended or annulled.

It is further ordered, That this order shall be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of all railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., June 8, 1954.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE
COMMISSION,
CHARLES W. TAYLOR,
Agent.

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