

proposes to add OES as an additional licensee. Ohio Edison would make payments to OES in an amount sufficient for OES to pay its expenses and would retain full responsibility for the costs of operating, maintaining, and decommissioning the interest in PNPP Unit 1 transferred to OES. OES will be an "electric utility" as defined in 10 CFR 50.2, and thus is exempt from further financial qualifications review as specified in 10 CFR 50.33(f). Ohio Edison will continue to be an "electric utility" as defined in 10 CFR 50.2, and thus is also exempt from any further financial qualifications review. Given the financial arrangement between Ohio Edison and OES, and that both will be licensees, the transfer will result in no adverse impact with respect to financial qualifications.

Since CEI and CSC are the only authorized operators and the transfer would not affect their staff, plant operations would not be affected by the transfer. OES will be bound by the existing antitrust license conditions now obligating Ohio Edison, and Ohio Edison will remain obligated to these same antitrust license conditions after the proposed transfer. Ohio Edison has also asserted that it and OES are not owned, controlled, or dominated by an alien, a foreign corporation, or a foreign government.

On the basis of a review of the information in the letters of November 17 and 22, 1995, and other information before the Commission, the NRC staff finds that adding OES as an additional licensee will not adversely affect protection of public health and safety or the common defense and security. Therefore, the NRC staff concludes that OES is qualified to hold the license to the extent and for the purposes that Ohio Edison is now authorized to hold the license with respect to its 17.42-percent ownership interest and that the transfer, subject to the conditions set forth herein, is otherwise consistent with applicable provisions of law, regulations, and orders issued by the Commission.

III

By January 29, 1996, any person adversely affected by this order may file a request for a hearing with respect to issuance of the order. Any person requesting a hearing shall set forth with particularity how such person's interest is adversely affected by this order and shall address the criteria set forth in 10 CFR 2.714(d).

If a hearing is to be held, the Commission will issue an order designating the time and place of such hearing.

If a hearing is held concerning this order, the issue to be considered at any such hearing will be whether this order should be sustained.

Any request for a hearing must be filed with the Secretary of the Commission, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, Attention: Docketing and Services Branch, or may be delivered to the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, by the above date. Copies should also be sent to the Office of the General Counsel and to the Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555, and to Gerald Charnoff, Shaw, Pittman, Potts and Trowbridge, 2300 N Street NW., Washington, DC 20037.

IV

Accordingly, pursuant to Sections 161b, 161i, and 184 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §§ 2201(b), 2201(i), and 2234, and 10 CFR 50.80, it is hereby ordered that the Commission consents to the proposed transfer of the license described herein between Ohio Edison and OES subject to the following: (1) an approved amendment consistent with the contents of and reflecting this order must be issued after the transfer adding OES as an owner of PNPP Unit 1 for Facility Operating License No. NPF-58, which when issued by the NRC would become effective as of the date of issuance; (2) should the transfer not be completed by January 31, 1996, this order will become null and void, unless upon application and for good cause shown this date is extended.

This order is effective upon issuance. For further details with respect to this action, see the application for transfer dated November 17, 1995, and the application for amendment dated November 22, 1995, which are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and at the local public document room located at the Perry Public Library, 3753 Main Street, Perry, Ohio.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 20th day of December 1995.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission,
William T. Russell,
Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Options Price Reporting Authority; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Amendment to OPRA Fee Schedule Establishing a Fee Payable by Subscribers to Last Sale and Quotation Information Pertaining to Foreign Currency Options

December 20, 1995.

Pursuant to Rule 11Aa3-2 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act"), notice is hereby given that on December 11, 1995, the Options Price Reporting Authority ("OPRA")¹ submitted to the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission") an amendment to the Plan for Reporting of Consolidated Options Last Sale Reports and Quotation Information ("Plan"). The amendment establishes a fee payable by subscribers to last sale and quotation information pertaining to foreign currency options ("FCOs").² OPRA has designated this proposal as establishing or changing a fee or other charge collected on behalf of the OPRA participants in connection with access to or use of OPRA facilities, permitting the proposal to become effective upon filing pursuant to Rule 11Aa3-2(c)(3)(i) under the Exchange Act. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments from interested persons on the amendment.

I. Description and Purpose of the Amendment

The purpose of the amendment is to establish a subscriber fee payable to

¹ OPRA is a National Market System Plan approved by the Commission pursuant to Section 11A of the Exchange Act and Rule 11Aa3-2 thereunder. Securities Exchange Act Release No. 17638 (Mar. 18, 1981).

The Plan provides for the collection and dissemination of last sale and quotation information on options that are traded on the five member exchanges. The five exchanges which agreed to the OPRA Plan are the American Stock Exchange ("AMEX"); the Chicago Board Options Exchange ("CBOE"); the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"); the Pacific Stock Exchange ("PSE"); and the Philadelphia Stock Exchange ("PHLX").

² OPRA filed a substantially similar amendment to the OPRA plan (SR-OPRA-95-2) on September 15, 1995. OPRA subsequently withdrew the proposed amendment on November 22, 1995. See Letter from Janet Angstadt, Schiff Hardin & Waite, Attorney for OPRA, to David Oestreicher, Attorney, Division of Market Regulation, SEC (November 22, 1995). In addition to withdrawing SR-OPRA-95-2, OPRA withdrew SR-OPRA-95-1, the proposed amendment to revise the fees payable to OPRA by professional subscribers for access to options market data (except foreign currency options data) and related information. See *id.* To date, OPRA has not refiled an amendment regarding this latter fee revision.

OPRA for access to last sale and quotation information and related information pertaining to FCOs. OPRA's existing subscriber fee currently covers access to all securities options market information emanating from OPRA's participant exchanges, including information pertaining to FCOs. In accordance with the OPRA Plan as amended,³ OPRA is authorized to impose separate fees for access to or for the use of information pertaining solely to FCOs, if the participants exchanges that provide a market in FCOs determine to impose separate FCO fees.

A subscriber to OPRA's FCO service will be subject to a monthly fee based upon the number of electronic display or interrogation devices maintained by the subscriber that are capable of displaying or reporting FCO information. The proposed FCO subscriber fee offers volume discounts to larger subscribers by reducing the fee per device as the total number of devices maintained by a subscriber increases. There are four pricing tiers covering the range from one device to 750 or more devices per subscriber.⁴

The proposed FCO subscriber fee is scheduled to take effect on January 1, 1996. Prior to that time, existing OPRA subscribers will be given notice of the new FCO fee, and an opportunity to indicate whether they wish to continue to receive FCO information and thereby subject themselves to the FCO fee.

The PHLX, as the only exchange currently providing a market in FCOs, has duly authorized the proposed subscriber fee in accordance with the OPRA Plan. In addition, the PHLX has notified all other OPRA participant exchanges of the proposed fee change.

II. Solicitation of Comments

Pursuant to Rule 11Aa3-2(c)(3), the amendment is effective upon filing with the Commission. The Commission may summarily abrogate the amendment within 60 days of its filing and require refiling and approval of the amendment by Commission order pursuant to Rule 11Aa3-2(c)(2), if it appears to the Commission that such action is necessary or appropriate in the public interest; for the protection of investors and the maintenance of fair and orderly

³ See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 35487, International Series Release No. 792 (March 14, 1995), 60 FR 14984 (March 21, 1995) (Order approving unbundling services for FCOs and Index options).

⁴ The tiers are as follows:

- (1) For 1 device, the fee per device is \$3.00;
- (2) For 2-9 devices, the fee per device is \$2.50;
- (3) For 10-749 devices, the fee per device is \$2.00; and
- (4) For 750 or more devices, the fee per device is \$1.50.

markets; to remove impediments to, and perfect the mechanisms of, a National Market System; or otherwise in furtherance of the purposes of the Exchange Act.

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments concerning the foregoing. Persons making written submissions should file six copies thereof with the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549. Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, and all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room. Copies of the filing also will be available at the principal offices of OPRA. All submissions should refer to file number SR-OPRA-95-5 and should be submitted by January 22, 1995.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.⁵

Margaret H. McFarland,
Deputy Secretary.

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Self-Regulatory Organizations; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change by the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board Relating to an Extension of the Continuing Disclosure Information ("CDI") System From December 31, 1995 Through September 30, 1996

December 20, 1995.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act"), 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1), and Rule 19b-4 thereunder, notice is hereby given that on November 28, 1995, the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("Board" or "MSRB") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission" or "SEC") a proposed rule change (File No. SR-MSRB-95-19). The proposed rule change is described in Items I, II, and III below, which Items have been prepared by the Board. The MSRB has designated this proposal as

⁵ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(29).

concerned solely with the administration of the Board under Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act, which renders the rule effective upon the Commission's receipt of this filing. The Commission is publishing this notice to solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

I. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change

The MSRB is filing a proposed rule change to request an extension, from December 31, 1995, through September 30, 1996, of its interim Continuing Disclosure Information ("CDI") system of the Municipal Securities Information Library[®] (MSIL[™]) system. The Board requests that the Commission set the effective date for 30 days after filing.

II. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

In its filing with the Commission, the Board included statements concerning the purpose of and basis for the proposed rule change and discussed any comments it received on the proposed rule change. The texts of these statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. The Board has prepared summaries, set forth in Section A., B., and C. below, of the most significant aspects of such statements.

A. Self-Regulatory Organization's Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change

On April 6, 1992, the Commission approved the CDI system for an 18-month period.¹ The CDI system began operating on January 23, 1993, and functions as part of the Board's MSIL[™] system. The CDI system accepts and disseminates voluntary submissions of official disclosure notices relating to outstanding issues of municipal securities, *i.e.*, continuing disclosure information. During its first phase of operation, the system accepted disclosure notices only from trustees. On May 17, 1993, the system also began accepting disclosure notices from issuers.²

On November 10, 1994, the Commission approved an amendment to its Rule 15c2-12 which prohibits dealers from underwriting issues of

¹ Securities Exchange Act Release No. 30556 (April 6, 1992), 57 FR 12534.

² On May 17, 1993, the Board reported to the Commission on the initial phase of operation of the CDI system regarding technical, policy and cost issues and proposed enhancements to the system.