

“GRAIN INSPECTION, PACKERS AND STOCKYARDS ADMINISTRATION” in its place.

e. By removing the heading “FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE” and adding the heading “FOOD AND CONSUMER SERVICES” in its place.

f. By removing, under the subheading *Community Development Division*, the words “Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) General Case Files, USDA/OGC-12.” and adding the words “Farm Service Agency (FSA) General Case Files, USDA/OGC-12a. Rural Housing Service (RHS) General Case Files, USDA/OGC-12b. Rural Business-Cooperative Development Service (RBS) General Case Files, USDA/OGC-12c. Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC) Cases, USDA/OGC-16.” in their place.

g. By removing the subheading *Foreign Agriculture and Commodity Stabilization Division* and adding the subheading *International Affairs and Commodity Programs Division* in its place.

h. By removing under the newly designated subheading *International Affairs and Commodity Programs Division* the words “Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC) Cases, USDA/OGC-16.”

i. By removing the subheading “*Packers and Stockyards Division* and adding the subheading *Trade Practices Division* in its place.

Appendix A of Subpart G—INTERNAL DIRECTIVES [Amended]

28. Appendix A of subpart G would be amended as follows:

a. In § 1, paragraph (c) introductory text would be amended by adding the words “, of” immediately before the colon.

b. In § 1, paragraph (c)(4) would be amended by removing the word “him” and adding the words “the individual” in its place.

c. In § 1, paragraph (d)(7) would be amended by adding the words “or her” immediately after the word “his”; and by removing the word “him” and adding the words “the individual” in its place.

d. In § 1, paragraph (d)(8) would be amended by adding the words “or her” immediately after the word “his”; by removing the word “he” and adding the words “the individual” in its place both times it appears; and by adding the words “or her” immediately after the word “him”.

e. In § 2, paragraph (a) would be amended by removing the words “insure that 30” and adding the words “ensure that at least 30” in their place.

f. In § 3, paragraph (c) would be amended by removing the word “above” and adding the words “required under paragraph (a) of this section” in its place; and by adding the words “or her” immediately after the word “his”.

g. In § 4, by removing the words “, if such contract is agreed to on or after September 27, 1975,”; and by removing the words “that section” and adding the reference “5 U.S.C. 552a(i)” in their place.

h. In § 6, paragraph (a) would be amended by adding the words “on her” immediately after the word “his”.

i. In § 6, paragraph (b) introductory text would be amended by removing the words “The provisions of paragraph (a) of this Section” and by adding the words “Paragraph (a) of this section” in their place.

j. In § 6, paragraph (c) would be amended by adding the words “or her” immediately after the words “his”.

k. Section 7 introductory paragraph would be amended by removing the words “(beginning March 30, 1976)”.

l. Section 8 would be amended by removing the words “the provisions of”.

Done in Washington, DC., this 16th day of July 1996.

Dan Glickman,

Secretary of Agriculture.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

18 CFR Part 35

[Docket No. RM96-11-000]

Capacity Reservation Open Access Transmission Tariffs

July 18, 1996.

AGENCY: Federal Agency Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking; extension of time and convening a public conference.

SUMMARY: Various participants have requested additional time to comment on the Commission's notice of proposed rulemaking in this proceeding. The proposed rule specifies filing requirements to be followed by public utilities in making transmission tariff filings based on capacity reservations for all transmission users. An extension of time is being granted and a one-day technical conference will be convened.

DATES: An extension of time for filing comments on the proposed rule is

granted to and including October 21, 1996. A technical conference will be held on September 20, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St., NE., Washington, DC 20426.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David D. Withnell, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Office of the General Counsel, 888 First St., NE., Washington, DC 20426, telephone: (202) 208-2063.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On June 27, 1996, July 3, 1996, and July 17, 1996, Various Utilities,¹ Joint Petitioners,² and Allegheny Power Service Corporation (Allegheny Power),³ respectively, filed motions for an extension of time within which to file comments in response to the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking issued April 24, 1996 in the above-captioned proceeding.⁴ Various Utilities, Joint Petitioners, and Allegheny Power express concern that the August 1, 1996 date set by the Commission for filing written comments should hamper the ability of electric industry participants, who must also meet the various requirements of Order Nos. 888 and 889,⁵ to address the issues in a meaningful manner.⁶ Various Utilities and Allegheny Power request a 61-day extension of time, until October 1, 1996. Joint Petitioners request a greater number of technical conferences or an

¹ Central Illinois Public Service Company, Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, Commonwealth Edison Company, Central Power and Light Company, Ohio Edison Company, Pennsylvania Power Company, Public Service Company of Oklahoma, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company, Toledo Edison Company, Southwestern Electric Power Company, West Texas Utilities Company, and Union Electric Company.

² Edison Electric Institute, National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, American Public Power Association, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association, and North American Electric Reliability Council.

³ Submitted on behalf of Monongahela Power Company, The Potomac Edison Company, and West Penn Power Company.

⁴ Capacity Reservation Open Access Transmission Tariffs, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 61 FR 21847 (May 10, 1996) (CRT NOPR).

⁵ Promoting Wholesale Competition Through Open Access Non-discriminatory Transmission Services by Public Utilities and Recovery of Stranded Costs by Public Utilities and Transmitting Utilities, 61 FR 21540 (May 10, 1996), FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,036 (1996) (Order No. 888); Open Access Same-Time Information System (formerly Real-Time Information Networks) and Standards of Conduct, 61 FR 21737 (May 10, 1996), FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,037 (1996) (Order No. 889); Order Clarifying Order Nos. 888 and 889 Compliance Matters, 76 FERC ¶ 61,009 (July 2, 1996).

⁶ Answers in support have been filed by Virginia Electric and Power Company, M-S-R Public Power Agency, Transmission Agency of Northern California, Colorado Association of Municipal Utilities, South Carolina Public Service Authority, and Transmission Access Policy Study Group.

expanded schedule for the Commission's proposed technical conference, and request that the Commission issue, following such conferences, a Supplemental NOPR or Notice of Clarification upon which the parties would then be allowed to submit comments.

Upon consideration, notice is hereby given that the August 1, 1996 deadline for filing written comments is extended to October 21, 1996 and that the Commission will convene a technical conference on September 20, 1996. Because participants will now have the opportunity to submit comments following the technical conference, the Commission has decided to hold a one-day technical conference rather than the two-day conference mentioned in the CRT NOPR. The agenda and the times for the technical conference will be announced at a later date. In addition, the Commission may schedule further procedures and offer further guidance based on the outcome of the technical conference.

Lois D. Cashell,
Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52

[AS-AZ-CA-HW-NV-000-0001; FRL-5541-8]

Correction of Implementation Plans; American Samoa, Arizona, California, Hawaii, and Nevada State Implementation Plans

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of proposed rulemaking.

SUMMARY: EPA is proposing to promulgate corrections to the American Samoa State Implementation Plan (SIP), the Arizona SIP, the California SIP, the Hawaii SIP, and the Nevada SIP. These corrections concern the deletion from the SIPs of the rules summarized in Table 1. These rules include a variety of administrative provisions concerning variances, hearing board procedures, and fees. EPA has determined that the rules to be deleted from the above-referenced SIPs were erroneously incorporated into the SIPs by the EPA, and in addition, the variance provisions currently in the SIPs were rendered without legal effect by amendments to the Clean Air Act enacted by Congress in 1977. In addition, the continued

presence of these provisions in the SIPs is potentially confusing, and thus, harmful to the regulated community, the states, and EPA. The intended effect of proposing these corrections to the SIPs is to delete the above referenced rules and make the SIPs consistent with the requirements of the Clean Air Act, as amended in 1990 (CAA or "the Act"), regarding EPA action on SIP submittals and SIPs for national primary and secondary ambient air quality standards. **DATES:** Comments must be received on or before August 26, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be mailed to: Daniel A. Meer, Rulemaking Section (A-5-3), Air and Toxics Division, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105-3901.

Copies of the rules being proposed for deletion are available for public inspection at EPA's Region IX office during normal business hours. Copies of the rules are also available for inspection at the locations listed in **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** under "Public inspection".

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julie A. Rose, Rulemaking Section (A-5-3), Air and Toxics Division, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105 Telephone: (415) 744-1184.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Public Inspection

Arizona Department of Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 600, Phoenix, CA 85001-0600.

Coconino County Air Pollution Control District, 1515 East Cedar Avenue, Flagstaff, AZ 86004.

Maricopa County, Environmental Services Department, 2406 S. 24th Street, Suite E-214, Phoenix, AZ 85034.

Pima County Department of Environmental Quality, 130 West Congress Street, 3rd Floor, Tucson, AZ 85701-1317.

Pinal County Air Quality Control District, P.O. Box 987, Florence, AZ 85232.

California Air Resources Board, Stationary Source Division, Rule, Evaluation Section, 2020 "L" Street, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Amador County Air Pollution Control District, 500 Argonaut Lane, Jackson, CA 95642.

Bay Area Air Quality Management District, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA 94109.

Butte County Air Quality Management District, 2525 Dominic Drive, Chico, CA 95928.

Calaveras County Air Pollution Control District, 891 Mountain Ranch Road, San Andreas, CA 95249-9709.

Colusa County Air Pollution Control District, 100 Sunrise Blvd. Suite F, Colusa, CA 95932.

Glenn County Air Pollution Control District, P.O. Box 351, Willows, CA 95988.

Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District, 157 Short Street, Suite 6, Bishop, CA 93514.

Imperial County Air Pollution Control District, 150 South Ninth Street, El Centro, CA 92243-2801.

Kern County (Southeast Desert) Air Pollution Control District, 2700 M. Street, Suite 290, Bakersfield, CA 93301.

Lake County Air Quality Management District, 883 Lakeport Blvd., Lakeport, CA 95453.

Lassen County Air Pollution Control District, 175 Russell Avenue, Susanville, CA 96130.

Mariposa County Air Pollution Control District, P.O. Box 2039, Mariposa, CA 95338.

Mendocino County Air Quality Management District, 306 E. Gobbi Street, Ukiah, CA 95482.

Modoc County Air Pollution Control District, 202 W. Fourth Street, Alturas, CA 96101.

Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District, 15428 Civic Drive, Suite 200, Victorville, CA 92392.

Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District, 24580 Silver Cloud Ct., Monterey, CA 93940.

Northern Sierra Air Quality Management District, P.O. Box 2509, Grass Valley, CA 95945.

North Coast Unified Air Quality Management District, 2389 Myrtle Avenue, Eureka, CA 95501.

Northern Sonoma County Air Pollution Control District, 109 North Street, Healdsburg, CA 95448.

Placer County Air Pollution Control District, 11464 B Avenue, Auburn, CA 95603.

Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District, 8411 Jackson Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

San Diego County Air Pollution Control District, 9150 Chesapeake Drive, San Diego, CA 92123-1096.

San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District, (Formerly: Fresno County APCD, Kern County APCD, Kings County, APCD, Madera County APCD, Merced County APCD, San Joaquin County, APCD, Stanislaus County APCD, and Tulare County APCD), 1999 Tuolumne Street, Suite 200, Fresno, CA 93721.

San Luis Obispo Air Pollution Control District, 2156 Sierra Way, Suite B, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401.