

Detroit Edison also requests an exemption from the Commission's competitive bidding requirements.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

35. Northern States Power Company (Minnesota), Northern States Power Company (Wisconsin)

[Docket No. OA97-25-000]

Take notice that on October 11, 1996, Northern States Power Company (Minnesota) (NSP-MN) and Northern States Power Company (Wisconsin) (NSP-WI) (jointly hereinafter NSP) submitted for filing its Open Access Transmission Tariff. NSP states that the terms and conditions of service included in NSP's Transmission Tariff conform to the terms and conditions of service contained in the pro forma tariff included in Order No. 888. NSP has already established all rates and charges for such service pursuant to a settlement agreement which was approved by the Commission on February 14, 1996, in Docket No. ER94-1090-000 and ER94-1113-000.

NSP respectfully requests an effective date of October 11, 1996.

*Comment date:* November 29, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

Standard Paragraph:

E. Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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[Project No. 11374-001 Iowa]

**Butler County Conservation Board;  
Notice of Availability of Final  
Environmental Assessment**

November 18, 1996.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission's) Regulations, 18 CFR Part 380 (Order No. 486, 52 FR 47897), the Office of Hydropower Licensing has reviewed the application for exemption from licensing for the proposed Greene Milldam Hydroelectric Project, located on the Shell Rock River, Butler County, Iowa, and has prepared a Final Environmental Assessment (FEA) for the project. In the FEA, the Commission's staff has analyzed the potential environmental impacts of the existing project and has concluded that approval of the project, with appropriate mitigation measures, would not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

Copies of the FEA are available for review in the Public Reference Branch, Room 2-A, of the Commission's offices at 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**Sunshine Act Meeting**

November 19, 1996.

THE FOLLOWING NOTICE OF MEETING IS PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 3(A) OF THE GOVERNMENT IN THE SUNSHINE ACT (PUB. L. NO. 94-409), 5 U.S.C. 552B:

*AGENCY HOLDING MEETING:* FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION.

*DATE AND TIME:* NOVEMBER 26, 1996, 10:00 A.M.

*PLACE:* ROOM 2C, 888 FIRST STREET, N.E., WASHINGTON, D.C. 20426.

*STATUS:* OPEN.

*MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:* AGENDA.

\* NOTE—ITEMS LISTED ON THE AGENDA MAY BE DELETED WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE.

*CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:* LOIS D. CASHELL, SECRETARY, TELEPHONE (202) 208-0400. FOR A RECORDING LISTING ITEMS STRICKEN FROM OR ADDED TO THE MEETING, CALL (202) 208-1627.

THIS IS A LIST OF MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED BY THE COMMISSION. IT DOES NOT INCLUDE A LISTING OF

ALL PAPERS RELEVANT TO THE ITEMS ON THE AGENDA; HOWEVER, ALL PUBLIC DOCUMENTS MAY BE EXAMINED IN THE REFERENCE AND INFORMATION CENTER.

CONSENT AGENDA—HYDRO 663RD MEETING—NOVEMBER 26, 1996, REGULAR MEETING (10:00 A.M.)

CAH-1.

DOCKET# HB08-94A-75, 001, VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY  
OTHER#S HB08-94A-76, 001, VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY  
HB08-95A-75, 001, VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY  
HB08-95A-76, 001, VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

CAH-2.

DOCKET# P-2105, 039, PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

CAH-3.

OMITTED

CAH-4.

DOCKET# P-1494, 123, GRAND RIVER DAM AUTHORITY

CONSENT AGENDA—ELECTRIC

CAE-1.

DOCKET# ER96-2789, 000, PUGET SOUND POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

CAE-2.

DOCKET# ER96-2964, 000, ENSERCO ENERGY, INC.

CAE-3.

DOCKET# ER96-3157, 000, NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION

CAE-4.

DOCKET# ER97-7, 000, THE WASHINGTON WATER POWER COMPANY

CAE-5.

DOCKET# ER96-3146, 000, WEST PENN POWER COMPANY

CAE-6.

OMITTED

CAE-7.

OMITTED

CAE-8.

DOCKET# OA96-5, 000, MIDWEST ENERGY, INC.  
OTHER#S OA96-24, 000, BANGOR HYDRO-ELECTRIC COMPANY  
OA96-35, 000, MAINE PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY  
OA96-60, 000, BLACK HILLS POWER & LIGHT COMPANY  
OA96-72, 000, ST. JOSEPH LIGHT & POWER COMPANY  
OA96-157, 000, UNITED ILLUMINATING COMPANY  
OA96-215, 000, CENTRAL ILLINOIS PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY  
OA96-222, 000, NORTHWEST PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY  
OA96-224, 000, CITIZENS UTILITIES COMPANY

CAE-9.

DOCKET# EC96-13, 000, IES UTILITIES, INC., INTERSTATE POWER COMPANY AND WISCONSIN POWER & LIGHT COMPANY, ET AL.  
OTHER#S ER96-1236, 000, IES UTILITIES, INC., INTERSTATE POWER COMPANY AND WISCONSIN POWER & LIGHT COMPANY, ET AL.