

conditions found in Ordering Paragraphs (E), (F), and (H):

(E) Within 30 days of the date of this order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the Commission's blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities by CPS should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214.

(F) Absent a request to be heard within the period set forth in Ordering Paragraph (E) above, CPS is hereby authorized to issue securities and assume obligations and liabilities as guarantor, endorser, surety or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issue or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of CPS, compatible with the public interest, and reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

(H) The Commission reserves the right to modify this order to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued Commission approval of CPS' issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities * * *.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is June 16, 1997. Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER97-2176-000]

Energis Resources Incorporated; Notice of Issuance of Order

May 30, 1997.

Energis Resources Incorporated (Energis) filed an application for authorization to sell power at market-based rates, and for certain waivers and authorizations. In particular, Energis requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR Part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liabilities by Energis. On May 15, 1997, the Commission issued an Order Conditionally Accepting For Filing Proposed Market-Based Rates

(Order), in the above-docketed proceeding.

The Commission's May 15, 1997 Order granted the request for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the conditions found in Ordering Paragraphs (E), (F), and (H):

(E) Within 30 days of the date of this order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the Commission's blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities by Energis should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214.

(F) Absent a request to be heard within the period set forth in Ordering Paragraph (E) above, Energis is hereby authorized pursuant to section 204 of the FPA, to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as guarantor, endorser, surety or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issue or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Energis, compatible with the public interest, and reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

(H) The Commission reserves the right to modify this order to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued Commission approval of Energis' issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities * * *.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is June 16, 1997.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. PR96-12-000]

Montana Power Company; Notice of Informal Settlement Conference

May 30, 1997.

Take notice that an informal settlement conference in the above-captioned proceeding will be held on Tuesday, June 10, 1997, at 10:00 a.m. in a room to be designed at the offices of

the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Attendance will be limited to the parties and staff. For additional information, please contact Pamela Seeley at (202) 208-0528.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP97-546-000]

National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Application

May 30, 1997.

Take notice that on May 27, 1997, National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (National Fuel), 10 Lafayette Square, Buffalo, New York 14203, filed in Docket no. CP97-546-000 an application pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and Part 157 of the Commission's Regulations for permission and approval to abandon certain underground natural gas storage facilities, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

National Fuel proposes to abandon five wells, and five segments of 2-inch pipeline totaling 685 feet. The wells will be plugged, 102 feet of the pipeline will be removed, and the remaining pipeline will be abandoned in-place. The facilities to be abandoned are part of National Fuel's Belmouth Storage Field in Elk County, Pennsylvania. National Fuel states that it is abandoning the wells because their poor deliverability and injection performance does not justify the expense of reconditioning the wells, which is necessary due to deterioration of the well casings, to keep them in operation as storage wells. National Fuel also states that the pipeline segments to be abandoned are attached to the wells and will not serve any purpose after the wells are plugged. National Fuel further states that abandonment of the wells will not decrease field performance.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before June 20, 1997, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission at 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and