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Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP97-543-000]

Williams Natural Gas Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

June 12, 1997.

Take notice that on May 22, 1997, as amended June 10, 1997, Williams Natural Gas Company (WNG), P.O. Box 3288, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101, filed in Docket No. CP97-543-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.212 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 157.205, 157.212) under the Natural Gas Act (NGA) for authorization to operate existing delivery point facilities constructed under the authorization of Section 311 of the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 (NGPA) in Noble County, Oklahoma, for Part 284 transportation services by WNG for Transok, Inc. (Transok), under WNG's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-479-000, pursuant to Section 7 of the NGA, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

WNG proposes to operate the existing facilities, which were installed for WNG to receive gas from Transok, an intrastate pipeline, for deliveries to Transok as well as receipt from Transok. It is stated that the facilities were installed in 1988 as a receipt point under WNG's blanket certificate authority and modified in 1997 under NGPA Section 311 authority to be bidirectional. It is estimated that deliveries will be 65,000 dt equivalent of gas on a peak day and 20,000,000 dt

equivalent on an annual basis. It is asserted that the deliveries will have no impact on WNG's peak day or annual deliveries. It is further asserted that the volume of gas delivered to Transok will not exceed the volume authorized prior to the request. It is explained that the cost of constructing the facilities was approximately \$63,864, and that WNG was fully reimbursed for the cost by Transok. It is stated that the proposal is not prohibited by WNG's existing tariff and that WNG has sufficient capacity to accomplish the proposed deliveries without detriment or disadvantage to its other customers.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER97-2069-000, et al.]

Minnesota Power & Light Company, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

June 11, 1997.

Take notice that the following filings have been made with the Commission:

1. Minnesota Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-2069-000]

Take notice that on June 5, 1997, Minnesota Power & Light Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

Comment date: June 24, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Atlantic City Electric Company; Baltimore Gas and Electric Company; Delmarva Power & Light Company; Jersey Central Power & Light Co.; Metropolitan Edison Company; Pennsylvania Electric Company; Pennsylvania Power & Light Company; Potomac Electric Power Company; Public Service Electric and Gas Company

[Docket No. EC97-38-000]

Take notice that on June 2, 1997, Atlantic City Electric Company, Baltimore Gas and Electric Company, Delmarva Power & Light Company, Jersey Central Power & Light Company, Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company, Pennsylvania Power & Light Company, Potomac Electric Company, and Public Service Electric and Gas Company filed an application pursuant to Section 203 of the Federal Power Act to permit PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. to be recognized as an independent System Operator. The same companies also submitted a related filings concurrently in Docket No. ER97-3189-000.

Copies have been served on the regulatory commissions of Delaware, the District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey and Virginia, on the parties to Docket Nos. OA97-261-000 and ER97-1082-000, on those who have executed Service Agreements under the PJM Tariff, and on the Members of PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Comment date: July 3, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Minnesota Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-2562-000]

Take notice that on June 5, 1997, Minnesota Power & Light Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

Comment date: June 24, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and The Toledo Edison Company

[Docket No. ER97-2790-000]

Take notice that the Centerior Service Company as Agent for The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and The Toledo Edison Company tendered for filing on May 1, 1997, Service Agreements to provide Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service for Pennsylvania Power & Light, the Transmission Customer. Services are being provided under the Centerior Open Access Transmission Tariff submitted for filing by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in