

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 If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of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. OA97-591-000]

#### Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company; Notice of Filing

August 8, 1997.

Take notice that on May 13, 1997, as supplemented on July 30, 1997, Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company tendered for filing its Open Access Transmission Tariff filing in compliance with Order No. 888-A.

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, 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 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before August 21, 1997. 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 the filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. OA97-684-000]

#### Otter Tail Power Company; Notice of Filing

August 8, 1997.

Take notice that on July 14, 1997, Otter Tail Power Company (OTP) tendered for filing on behalf of itself a compliance filing reflecting tariff changes set forth in FERC Order No. 888-A issued March 3, 1997. The changes agreed to in a settlement with the FERC in Docket No. OA96-192-000 (approved March 25, 1997) are included in the compliance filing.

OTP states that copies of this filing have been served on the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission, the North Dakota Public Service Commission, the South Dakota Public Service Commission and the Wisconsin Public Service Commission and all customers which are requirements customers.

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 August 19, 1997. 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.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. OA97-700-000]

#### Potomac Electric Power Company; Notice of Filing

August 8, 1997.

Take notice that on July 16, 1997, Potomac Electric Power Company submitted amended provisions to its standards of conduct in accordance with 18 CFR 37.4(c).

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 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before August 21, 1997. 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.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. OA97-694-000]

#### St. Joseph Power & Light Company; Notice of Filing

August 8, 1997.

Take notice that on July 9, 1997, St. Joseph Power & Light Company tendered for filing its Order No. 888-A compliance filing in the above-referenced docket.

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 August 20, 1997. 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.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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