

unnecessary for Applicants to appear or be represented at the hearing.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EG94-75-000, et al.]

#### Entergy Power Development Corporation, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

November 26, 1997.

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

##### 1. Entergy Power Development Corporation

[Docket No. EG94-75-000]

Take notice that on November 6, 1997, pursuant to Section 365.7 of the Commission's Regulations, 18 CFR 365.7, Entergy Power Development Corporation filed notification that it surrenders its status as an exempt wholesale generator under Section 32(a) (1) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as amended.

##### 2. United States Department of Energy—Western Area Power Administration

[Docket No. EF98-5041-000]

Take notice that on November 19, 1997, the Deputy Secretary of the Department of Energy submitted a request for final confirmation and approval of the Western Area Power Administration's Rate Schedules for Wholesale Firm Power Service (PD-F6), Firm Transmission Service (PD-FT6), Firm Transmission Service of Salt Lake City Area Integrated Projects Power (PD-FCT6), and Nonfirm Transmission Service (PD-NFT6) from the Parker-Davis Project for service to existing contractors. The Deputy Secretary requests confirmation and approval for a 59-month period beginning November 1, 1997, and ending September 30, 2002.

*Comment date:* December 18, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 3. EP EDEGEL, Inc.

[Docket No. EG94-78-000]

Take notice that on November 6, 1997, pursuant to Section 365.7 of the Commission's Regulations, 18 CFR 365.7, EP EDEGEL, Inc., filed notification that it surrenders its status as an exempt wholesale generator under

Section 32(a) (1) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as amended.

##### 4. Equitable Power Services Co., Petroleum Source & Systems Group Inc., Strategic Energy Ltd., et al.

[Docket No. ER94-1539-014, Docket No. ER95-266-011, and Docket No. ER96-3107-004 (not consolidated)]

Take notice that the following informational filings have been made with the Commission and are on file and available for public inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room:

On October 15, 1997, Equitable Power Services Co. filed certain information as required by the Commission's September 8, 1994, order in Docket No. ER94-1539-000.

On October 15, 1997, Petroleum Source & Systems Group, Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's January 18, 1995, order in Docket No. ER95-266-000.

On October 15, 1997, TransCanada Power filed certain information as required by the Commission's June 9, 1995, order in Docket No. ER95-692-000.

On October 14, 1997, Wilson Power & Gas Smart, Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's April 25, 1995, order in Docket No. ER95-751-000.

On October 15, 1997, Energy Resource Management Corporation filed certain information as required by the Commission's December 20, 1995, order in Docket No. ER96-358-000.

On October 14, 1997, NGTS Energy Services filed certain information as required by the Commission's November 1, 1996, order in Docket No. ER96-2892-000.

On October 16, 1997, Strategic Energy Ltd. filed certain information as required by the Commission's November 13, 1996, order in Docket No. ER96-3107-000.

##### 5. Northeast Utilities Service Co.

[Docket Nos. ER95-1686-004 and ER96-496-005]

Take notice that Northeast Utilities Service Company ("NUSCO"), on November 17, 1997, tendered for filing a schedule reflecting unbundled settlement rates for firm transmission and Scheduling, System Control and Dispatch services in compliance with an October 17, 1997 order in the captioned dockets.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 6. Nevada Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-447-001]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Nevada Power Company ("Nevada Power") tendered for filing, in Docket No. ER96-447-000, revised tariff sheets which specify the on-peak and off-peak hours of non-firm point-to-point transmission service in compliance with the Commission's order dated October 17, 1997. Nevada Power requests a waiver of the 60 day notice requirement and requests that the revised tariff sheets be effective as of the date of the filing.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 7. Public Service Company of Colorado

[Docket No. ER96-713-001]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Public Service Company of Colorado filed a correction to the Energy Charge contained in the Rate for Generation Service under Rate Schedule FERC No. 44 to the City of Burlington, Colorado.

Copies of the filing have been served on the affected customer and on the Public Utilities Commission of the State of Colorado.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 8. Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation

[Docket No. ER96-2585-002]

Take notice that on November 17, 1997, pursuant to the Commission's letter order dated October 17, 1997, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation submitted an amended Market-Based Power Sales Tariff in the above-captioned docket.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 9. Florida Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-3359-001]

On November 13, 1997, Florida Power & Light Company submitted its compliance filing as required under the Commission's October 29, 1997 order in this proceeding.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 10. Northeast Utilities Service Company

[Docket No. ER97-3447-000]

Take notice that Northeast Utilities Service Company, on behalf of Public Service Company of New Hampshire, tendered for filing, an amendment to its filing in this docket.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 11. American Electric Power Service Corporation

[Docket No. ER97-4143-001]

Take notice that on November 17, 1997, American Electric Power Service Corporation tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket, in compliance with the Commission's Order Conditionally Accepting for Filing Proposed Market Based Rates.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 12. Virginia Electric and Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-4498-001]

Take notice that on November 17, 1997, Virginia Electric and Power Company tendered for filing a revised form of network integration service agreement providing for its use of its transmission system in connection with requirements service to its wholesale power customers.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 13. Louisville Gas and Electric Co.

[Docket No. ER97-4553-001]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) tendered for filing a refund report for power sales transactions between LG&E and Southern Company Services under LG&E's Rate Schedule GSS.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 14. Washington Water Power

[Docket Nos. ER97-4630-001 and ER97-4707-001]

Take notice that on November 17, 1997, Washington Water Power, tendered for reporting with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission pursuant to 18 CFR Section 35.19a, Refund Calculations and Customer Transmittal letters for Tenaska Power Services Co. and Tillamook People's Utility District as ordered by the Commission, by letter dated November 6, 1997, pursuant to WWP's failure to file Service Agreements within 30 days after service commenced.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 15. Cinergy Services Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-3-000]

Take notice that on November 5, 1997, Cinergy Services Inc., tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 16. New England Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-365-000]

Take notice that on October 29, 1997, New England Power Company filed a Service Agreements and Certificates of Concurrence with PacifiCorp Power Marketing, Inc., under NEP's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volumes No. 5 and 6.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 17. New England Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-366-000]

Take notice that on October 29, 1997, New England Power Company filed a Service Agreement and Certificates of Concurrence with Wheeled Electric Power Company, under NEP's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 5.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 18. Arizona Public Service Company

[Docket No. ER98-525-000]

Take notice that on November 3, 1997, Arizona Public Service Company (the Company), tendered for filing an informational report on refunds of over billed amounts to wholesale customers through the Company's FERC Fuel Adjustment Clause.

Copies of this filing have been served upon the affected parties as follows:

#### *Customer Name and APS/FPC/FERC Rate Schedule*

Electrical District No. 3 (ED-3), 12  
Tohono O'odham Utility Authority<sup>1</sup>  
(TOUA), 52

Wellton-Mohawk Irrigation and  
Drainage District (Wellton-Mohawk),  
58

Arizona Power Authority (APA), 59  
Colorado River Indiana Irrigation  
Project<sup>2</sup> (CRIIP), 65

Electrical District No. 1 (ED-1), 68  
Town of Wickenburg (Wickenburg), 74  
Southern California Edison Company  
(SCE), 120

Electrical District No. 6 (ED-6), 126  
Electrical District No. 7 (ED-7), 128

<sup>1</sup> Formerly Papago Utility Tribal Authority.

<sup>2</sup> APA-FPC/FERC Rate Schedule in effect during the refund period.

Electrical District No. 8 (ED-8), 140  
Aquila Irrigation District (AID), 141  
McMullen Valley Water Conservation  
and Drainage District (MVD), 142  
Tonopah Irrigation District (TID), 143  
Citizens Utilities Company (Citizens)<sup>2</sup>,  
149

Harquahala Valley Power District  
(HVDP), 153

Buckeye Water Conservation and  
Drainage District (Buckeye), 155  
Roosevelt Irrigation District (RID), 158  
Maricopa County Municipal Water  
Conservation District (MCMWCD),  
168

City of Williams (Williams), 192  
San Carlos Indiana Irrigation Project  
(SCIP), 201

Maricopa County Municipal Water  
Conservation District at Lake Pleasant  
(MCMWCD-Lk.Pl.), 209

The California Public Utilities  
Commission and the Arizona  
Corporation Commission.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 19. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-579-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy), tendered for filing a service agreement under Cinergy's Open Access Transmission Service Tariff (the Tariff) entered into between Cinergy and Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E).

Cinergy and LG&E are requesting an effective date of October 15, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 20. The Cincinnati Gas & Electric Company and PSI Energy, Inc

[Docket No. ER98-580-000]

Take notice that on November 6, 1997, The Cincinnati Gas & Electric Company ("CG&E") and PSI Energy, Inc. ("PSI"), (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Cinergy Operating Companies"), tendered for filing pursuant to the Commission's November 15, 1996 Order issued in Docket Nos. ER96-2504-000 and ER96-2506-000 approving, among other things, Cinergy's market-based rate Power Sales Tariff, FERC Electric Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 4, Cinergy's revised quarterly transaction report for the calendar quarter ending September 30, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**21. Ohio Edison Company, Pennsylvania Power Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and The Toledo Edison Company**

[Docket No. ER98-581-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Ohio Edison Company, Pennsylvania Power Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company tendered for filing Notices of Cancellation of the Ohio Edison System Open Access Tariff and the Centerior Energy Open Access Tariff effective midnight January 6, 1998. These Open Access Tariffs will be superseded by the FirstEnergy Open Access Tariff, which became effective upon consummation of the merger of the four operating companies named above, at 12:01 A.M., November 8, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**22. Louisville Gas and Electric Company**

[Docket No. ER98-583-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E), tendered for filing an executed Non-Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service Agreement between LG&E and Avista Energy, Inc., under LG&E's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**23. Louisville Gas and Electric Company**

[Docket No. ER98-584-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E), tendered for filing an executed Short-Term Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service Agreement between LG&E and Williams Energy Services Company under LG&E's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**24. Central Vermont Public Service Corporation**

[Docket No. ER98-585-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Central Vermont Public Service Corporation (Central Vermont), tendered for filing a Service Agreement with Cinergy Services, Inc., as agent for and on behalf of the Cinergy Operating Companies under its FERC Electric Tariff No. 5. The tariff provides for the sale by Central Vermont of power,

energy, and/or resold transmission capacity at or below Central Vermont's fully allocated costs.

Central Vermont requests waiver of the Commission's Regulations to permit the service agreement to become effective on November 7, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**25. PECO Energy Company**

[Docket No. ER98-586-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, PECO Energy Company (PECO), filed a Service Agreement dated October 21, 1997, with NorAm Energy Management, Inc. (NEM), under PECO's FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 1 (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds NEM as a customer under the Tariff.

PECO requests an effective date of October 21, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

PECO states that copies of this filing have been supplied to NEM and to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**26. Duquesne Light Company**

[Docket No. ER98-587-000]

Take notice that November 7, 1997, Duquesne Light Company (DLC) filed a Service Agreement dated November 5, 1997, with Western Resources, Inc., under DLC's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds Western Resources, Inc., as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of November 5, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**27. Arizona Public Service Company**

[Docket No. ER98-588-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Arizona Public Service Company (APS), tendered for filing Service Agreements under APS' FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 3 with Central Louisiana Electric Company.

A copy of this filing has been served on the Arizona Corporation Commission and Central Louisiana Electric Company.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**28. Florida Power & Light Company**

[Docket No. ER98-590-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Florida Power & Light Company

(FPL), tendered for filing proposed service agreements with Williams Energy Services Company for Short-Term Firm and Non-Firm transmission service under FPL's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

FPL requests that the proposed service agreements be permitted to become effective on December 1, 1997.

FPL states that this filing is in accordance with Part 35 of the Commission's Regulations.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**29. Bangor Hydro-Electric Company**

[Docket No. ER98-591-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company filed an executed service agreement for non-firm point-to-point transmission service with the Indeck-Maine L.L.C.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**30. Illinois Power Company**

[Docket No. ER98-592-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing firm and non-firm transmission agreements under which City Water, Light & Power, Springfield, Illinois will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of November 1, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**31. Florida Power & Light Company**

[Docket No. ER98-593-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL), tendered for filing a proposed notice of cancellation of an umbrella service agreement with Heartland Energy Services for Firm Short-Term transmission service under FPL's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

FPL requests that the proposed cancellation be permitted to become effective on March 12, 1997.

FPL states that this filing is in accordance with Part 35 of the Commission's Regulations.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**32. UtiliCorp United Inc.**

[Docket No. ER98-594-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), filed service agreements with SPS Power Marketing for service under its Non-Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating divisions, Missouri Public Service, WestPlains Energy-Kansas and WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**33. UtiliCorp United Inc.**

[Docket No. ER98-595-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), filed service agreements with SPS Power Marketing for service under its Short-Term Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating divisions, Missouri Public Service, WestPlains Energy-Kansas and WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**34. UtiliCorp United Inc.**

[Docket No. ER98-596-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), filed service agreements with Williams Energy Services Company for service under its Short-Term Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating divisions, Missouri Public Service, WestPlains Energy-Kansas and WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**35. PP&L, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER98-597-000]

Take Notice that on November 7, 1997, PP&L, Inc. (formerly known as Pennsylvania Power & Light Company) ("PP&L"), filed a Service Agreement dated November 5, 1997, with Minnesota Power & Light Company (MP&L) under PP&L's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 5. The Service Agreement adds MP&L as an eligible customer under the Tariff.

PP&L requests an effective date of November 7, 1997 for the Service Agreement.

PP&L states that copies of this filing have been supplied to MP&L and to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**36. Florida Power Corporation**

[Docket No. ER98-598-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Florida Power Corporation (FPC), tendered for filing an amendment to Florida Power Corporation FERC Rate Schedule No. 92, an interchange contract for the provision of interchange service between itself and the City of Lakeland. As proposed, the amendment would add a service schedule to that interchange contract to provide for service under Schedule OS, Opportunity Sales. FPC requests Commission waiver of the 60-day notice requirement in order to allow the amendment to become effective on November 8, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**37. Florida Power Corporation**

[Docket No. ER98-599-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Florida Power Corporation (FPC), tendered for filing a contract for the provision of interchange service between itself and NP Energy Inc. The contract provides for service under Schedule J, Negotiated Interchange Service, Schedule OS, Opportunity Sales, and Schedule S, NP Energy Inc., FERC Electric Schedule No. 1. FPC requests Commission waiver of the 60-day notice requirement in order to allow the contract to become effective as a rate schedule on November 8, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**38. Kansas City Power & Light Co.**

[Docket No. ER98-600-000]

Take notice that on November 7, 1997, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), tendered for filing its quarterly report transactions under its Generation Sales Tariff which matches the information required in *Southern Company Services, Inc.*, 75 FERC ¶ 61,130 (1996).

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**39. Indiana Michigan Power Company**

[Docket No. ER98-601-000]

Take notice that on November 6, 1997, Indiana Michigan Power Company (I&M) submitted for filing a Facility Interconnection and Operation Agreement between I&M, on the one hand, and an alliance consisting of Southern Indiana Gas & Electric Company, Hoosier Energy Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. and Southern Indiana

Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. (the Alliance), on the other.

I&M requests an effective date of March 1, 1998.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**40. New England Power Pool**

[Docket No. ER98-602-000]

Take notice that on November 6, 1997, the New England Power Pool (NEPOOL), Executive Committee filed a Service Agreement for Through or Out Service or Other Point-to-Point Transmission Service pursuant to section 205 of the Federal Power Act and 18 CFR 35.12 of the Commission's Regulations.

Acceptance of this Service Agreement will permit NEPOOL to provide transmission service to Maine Public Service Company in accordance with the provisions of the NEPOOL Open Access Transmission Tariff filed with the Commission on December 31, 1996, as amended and supplemented, under the above-referenced dockets. NEPOOL requests a retroactive effective date of October 6, 1997, for commencement of transmission service. Copies of this filing were served upon all persons on the Commission's official service lists in the captioned proceedings, the NEPOOL members, the New England Public Utility Commissioners and all parties to the transactions.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**41. Duquesne Light Company**

[Docket No. ER98-604-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Duquesne Light Company (DLC) filed a Service Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service and a Network Operating Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service dated November 1, 1997, with Horizon Energy under DLC's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement and Network Operating Agreement adds Horizon Energy as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of November 1, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**42. Duquesne Light Company**

[Docket No. ER98-605-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Duquesne Light Company (DLC) filed a Service Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission

Service and a Network Operating Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service dated November 1, 1997, with QST Energy, Inc., under DLC's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement and Network Operating Agreement adds QST Energy, Inc., as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of November 1, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 43. Duquesne Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-606-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Duquesne Light Company (DLC), filed a Service Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service and a Network Operating Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service dated November 1, 1997, with Allegheny Energy Solutions, Inc., under DLC's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement and Network Operating Agreement adds Allegheny Energy Solutions, Inc., as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of November 1, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 44. Duquesne Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-607-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Duquesne Light Company (DLC) filed a Service Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service and a Network Operating Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service dated November 1, 1997, with CMS Marketing, Services and Trading Co., under DLC's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement and Network Operating Agreement adds CMS Marketing, Services and Trading Co., as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of November 1, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 45. Duquesne Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-608-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Duquesne Light Company (DLC), filed a Service Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service and a Network Operating Agreement for Retail Network Integration Transmission Service dated

November 1, 1997, with NEV East, L.L.C., under DLC's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement and Network Operating Agreement adds NEV East, L.L.C., as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of November 1, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 46. West Texas Utilities Company

[Docket No. ER98-609-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, West Texas Utilities Company (WTU) submitted for filing (1) a Wholesale Power Choice Tariff (WPC Tariff), (2) executed service agreements under the WPC Tariff with the following: Coleman County Electric Cooperative, Inc., Concho Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc., Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc., Kimble Electric Cooperative, Inc., Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Inc., Midwest Electric Cooperative, Inc., Rio Grande Electric Cooperative, Inc., Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc., Stamford Electric Cooperative, Inc., and Taylor Electric Cooperative, Inc., (the WPC Customers); and (3) executed Agreements Concerning Implementation of Wholesale Power Choice Tariff between WTU and each of the WPC Customers.

WTU requests an effective date of January 1, 1997, for the WPC Tariff and the related service agreements and Implementation Agreements and, accordingly, requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements. Copies of this filing have been served on each of the ten customers and the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 47. Kansas City Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-611-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), tendered for filing a Service Agreement dated October 9, 1997, between KCPL and Avista Energy, Inc., KCPL proposes an effective date of October 24, 1997, and requests a waiver of the Commission's notice requirement to allow the requested effective date. This Agreement provides for the rates and charges for Short-term Firm Transmission Service.

In its filing, KCPL states that the rates included in the above-mentioned Service Agreement are KCPL's rates and charges in the compliance filing to

FERC Order No. 888-A in Docket No. OA97-636-000.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 48. Kansas City Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-612-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), tendered for filing a Service Agreement dated October 16, 1997, between KCPL and Florida Power Corp. KCPL proposes an effective date of October 24, 1997, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement. This Agreement provides for the rates and charges for Non-Firm Transmission Service.

In its filing, KCPL states that the rates included in the above-mentioned Service Agreement are KCPL's rates and charges in the compliance filing to FERC Order No. 888-A in Docket No. OA97-636.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 49. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-613-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy), tendered for filing a service agreement under Cinergy's Open Access Transmission Service Tariff (the Tariff) entered into between Cinergy and DTE Energy Trading (DTE).

Cinergy and DTE are requesting an effective date of October 21, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 50. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-614-000]

Take notice that on November 10, 1997, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy), tendered for filing a service agreement under Cinergy's Open Access Transmission Service Tariff (the Tariff) entered into between Cinergy and DTE Energy Trading (DTE).

Cinergy and DTE are requesting an effective date of October 21, 1997.

*Comment date:* December 10, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 51. UtiliCorp United, Inc.

[Docket No. ES98-7-000]

Take notice that on November 12, 1997, UtiliCorp United, Inc., filed an Application under Section 204 of the Federal Power Act for authorization to enter into corporate guarantees in the amount of not more than \$150,000,000

in support of debt securities to be issued by UtiliCorp South Pacific.

*Comment date:* December 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 52. Chicago Housing Authority

[Docket No. TX98-1-000]

On November 14, 1997, the Chicago Housing Authority (CHA) filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) an application requesting that the Commission order Commonwealth Edison Company (ComEd) to provide transmission services pursuant to Section 211 of the Federal Power Act.

CHA requested firm network transmission service commencing on the later of 30 days after issuance of a Commission order or upon termination of CHA's purchase of electricity from ComEd pursuant to notice to be provided to ComEd by CHA. CHA requested that the Commission find that CHA is an eligible customer pursuant to ComEd's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

*Comment date:* December 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 53. Old Dominion Electric Cooperative

[Docket No. ES98-11-000]

Take notice that on November 20, 1997, Old Dominion Electric Cooperative tendered an Application under Section 204 of the Federal Power Act for authorization to issue up to \$5,675,000 of debt securities.

*Comment date:* December 19, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 54. Maine Electric Power Company

[Docket No. ES98-12-000]

Take notice that on November 20, 1997, Maine Electric Power Company tendered an Application under Section 204 of the Federal Power Act for authorization to issue up to \$9,500,000 of Short-term debt securities.

*Comment date:* December 19, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 55. ESEG, Inc.

[Docket No. ES98-13-000 and ES98-13-001]

Take notice that on November 20, and November 25, 1997, ESEG, Inc. tendered an Application and an amendment thereto under Section 204 of the Federal Power Act for authorization to issue up to \$4,000,000 of long-term debt securities.

*Comment date:* December 22, 1997, 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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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP97-92-001]

#### Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Availability of the Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Mobile Bay Extension and Expansion Project

November 28, 1997.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) has prepared an environmental assessment (EA) on the natural gas pipeline facilities proposed by Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) in the above-referenced docket.

The EA was prepared to satisfy the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act. The staff concludes that approval of the proposed project, with appropriate mitigating measures, would not constitute a major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

The EA assesses the potential environmental effects of the construction and operation of the proposed gas pipeline facilities including a total of 75.66 miles of pipeline and 30,000 horsepower (hp) of compression:

- 19.08 miles of 30-inch-diameter pipeline from existing compressor station 82 in Mobile County, Alabama to a new offshore connection platform in Mobile Block 822 (this segment involves

approximately 4.00 miles of onshore pipeline);

- 56.58 miles of 24-inch-diameter pipeline from the new offshore connection platform in Mobile Block 822 to a new platform in Main Pass Viosca Knoll Block 261;

- 15,000 hp of additional compression at compressor station 82; and

- 15,000 hp of compression at a new compressor station 83 in Mobile County, Alabama.

The purpose of the proposed facilities would be to provide about 350,000 thousand cubic feet per day (Mcf) of gas on the offshore facilities and 264,000 Mcfd on the onshore portion.

The EA has been placed in the public files of the FERC. A limited number of copies of the EA are available for distribution and public inspection at: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Public Reference and Files Maintenance Branch, 888 First Street, N.E., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, (202) 208-1371.

Copies of the EA have been mailed to Federal, state and local agencies, public interest groups, interested individuals, newspapers, and parties to this proceeding.

Any person wishing to comment on the EA may do so. To ensure consideration prior to a Commission decision on the proposal, it is important that we receive your comments before the date specified below. Please carefully follow these instructions to ensure that your comments are received in time and properly recorded:

- Send two copies of your comments to: Lois Cashell, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St., N.E., Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426;

- Label one copy of the comments for the attention of the Environmental Review and Compliance Branch, PR-11.2;

- Reference Docket No. CP97-92-001; and

- Mail your comments so that they will be received in Washington, DC on or before December 29, 1997.

Comments will be considered by the Commission but will not serve to make the commentator a party to the proceeding. Any person seeking to become a party to the proceeding must file a motion to intervene pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR 385.214).

The date for filing timely motions to intervene in this proceeding has passed. Therefore, parties now seeking to file late interventions must show good cause, as required by Section 385.214(b)(3), why this time limitation