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Columbia states that copies of its filing have been mailed to all firm customers, interruptible customers, and affected state commissions.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. 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 proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP98-256-001]

#### Columbia Gulf Transmission Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

July 27, 1998.

Take notice that on July 22, 1998, Columbia Gulf Transmission Company (Columbia Gulf), tendered for filing to its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised sheet, bearing a proposed effective date of August 1, 1998:

Third Revised Sheet No. 286

Columbia Gulf states that on June 24, 1998, it filed with the Commission revised tariff sheets to implement the Commission's April 16, 1998 final rule in Docket No. RM96-1-007; Order No. 587-G Standards for Business Practices of Interstate Natural Gas Pipelines. It has come to Columbia Gulf's attention that references to certain standards were not incorporated as required. Therefore, the instant filing revises Sheet No. 286 to incorporate by reference the omitted standards and to remove standard 4.3.4 which is no longer applicable.

Columbia Gulf states that copies of its filing have been mailed to affected customers and state commissions.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission,

888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. 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 proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EG98-92-000]

#### Medical Area Total Energy Plant, Inc.; Notice of Application for Commission Determination of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status

July 27, 1998.

Take notice that on July 2, 1998, Medical Area Total Energy Plant, Inc. (MATEP), filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) an application for determination of exempt wholesale generator status pursuant to Part 365 of the Commission's Regulations.

MATEP states that it is a Massachusetts corporation organized exclusively for the purpose of owning and operating an electric generating facility in the Longwood Section of Boston, Massachusetts. MATEP further states that the name and address of one of its attorneys is:

Patricia M. French, LeBoeuf, Lamb, Greene & MacRae L.L.P., 260 Franklin Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02110-3143

MATEP further states that MATEP's facility is combined 62 MW net capacity diesel generation. MATEP states that no rate or charge in connection with this facility was in effect under the laws of any state as of October 24, 1992 or any time thereafter. MATEP further states that copies of the application were served upon the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy.

Any person desiring to be heard concerning the application for exempt wholesale generator status should file a motion to intervene or comments 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). The Commission will limit its consideration of comments to those that concern the adequacy or accuracy of the application. All such motions and comments should be filed on or before August 14, 1998, and must be served on the applicant. 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.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulation Commission

[Docket No. ER98-3794-000]

#### Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation; Notice of Filing

July 27, 1998.

Take notice that on July 20, 1998, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission an executed Transmission Service Agreement between NMPC and Public Service Electric and Gas Company. This Transmission Service Agreement specifies that Public Service Electric and Gas Company has signed on to and has agreed to the terms and conditions of NMPC's Open Access Transmission Tariff as filed in Docket No. OA96-194-000. This Tariff, filed with FERC on July 9, 1996, will allow NMPC and Public Service Electric and Gas Company to enter into separately scheduled transactions under which NMPC will provide transmission service for Public Service Electric and Gas Company as the parties may mutually agree.

NMPC requests an effective date of July 15, 1998. NMPC has requested waiver of the notice requirements for good cause shown.

NMPC has served copies of the filing upon the New York State Public Service Commission and Public Service Electric and Gas Company.

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