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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-410-001]

Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

August 5, 1999.

Take notice that on July 30, 1999, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets to become effective August 1, 1999:

Sub. third Revised Sheet No. 175

Third Revised Sheet No. 175A

Sub. Fourth Revised Sheet No. 176

Sub. Second Revised Sheet No. 176A

Williston Basin states that the tariff sheets reflect modifications to Williston Basin's FERC Gas Tariff in compliance with the Commission's Letter Order issued July 22, 1999 regarding Commission Order No. 587-K issued April 2, 1999, in Docket No. RM96-1-011. The tariff sheets reflect the Gas Industry Standards Board (GISB) Version 1.3 standards adopted by the Commission in such Order.

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 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. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

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[Docket No. EC96-19-000, et al.]

California Power Exchange Corporation, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

August 4, 1999.

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

1. California Power Exchange Corporation

[Docket Nos. EC96-19-000 and ER96-1663-000]

Take notice that on July 30, 1999, the California Power Exchange Corporation (CalPX), tendered for filing its annual report on the state of competition in the California markets in accordance with the Commission's October 30, 1997 order in this proceeding.

Comment date: August 27, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Northern States Power Company (Minnesota) on behalf of itself and its Public Utility Subsidiaries and New Century Energies, Inc. on behalf of its Public Utility Subsidiaries

[Docket No. EC99-101-000]

Take notice that on July 30, 1999, Northern States Power Company (Minnesota) (NSP-M) on behalf of itself and its public utility subsidiaries and New Century Energies, Inc. (NCE) on behalf of its public utility subsidiaries (referred to collectively as the Applicants), tendered for filing pursuant to section 203 of the Federal Power Act (the FPA), 16 U.S.C. § 824b, Part 33 of the Commission's Regulations, 18 CFR 33, and 18 CFR 2.26, a Joint Application for an order approving the proposed merger and reorganization of NSP-M and NCE.

Applicants request all authorizations necessary to undertake a merger and reorganization pursuant to which NCE will merge with and into NSP-M, which will be renamed Xcel Energy Inc. (Xcel Energy), transfer all of the jurisdictional assets presently owned directly by NSP-M to a new subsidiary, provisionally named "New NSP Utility," and with respect to the concomitant transfer of control resulting from the Merger Transaction over the Applicants and all their respective FERC-jurisdictional facilities, including FERC-jurisdictional contracts. Subject to Commission approval, at the time of the merger NSP-M and NCE will enter into a Joint Operating Agreement and a Joint Open Access Transmission Tariff, which

agreements have been filed in separate dockets.

The Applicants state that (subject to certain requests for waiver) they have submitted the information required by part 33 of the Commission's Regulations, and by the Commission's Merger Policy Statement (Inquiry Concerning the Commission's Merger Policy Under the Federal Power Act; Policy Statement), Order No. 592, 61 FR 68,595 (1996) (codified at 18 CFR 2.26), in support of the Application. The Applicants also represent that copies of the Application and related testimony and exhibits have been served on each of the wholesale requirements and firm transmission customers of NSP-M and NCE, and on the Arizona Corporation Commission, Colorado Public Utilities Commission, Kansas Corporation Commission, Michigan Public Service Commission, Minnesota Public Utilities Commission, New Mexico Public Regulation Commission, North Dakota Public Service Commission, Oklahoma Corporation Commission, South Dakota Public Utilities Commission, Public Utility Commission of Texas, Public Service Commission of Wisconsin, and Wyoming Public Service Commission.

Comment date: September 28, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Westbrook Power LLC

[Docket No. EG99-208-000]

Take notice that on July 30, 1999, Westbrook Power LLC, tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or the Commission) an application for determination of exempt wholesale generator status pursuant to Part 365 of the Commission's Regulations.

Westbrook Power is a Maine limited liability company that will be engaged directly and exclusively in the business of owning and operating all or part of one or more eligible facilities to be located in Maine. The eligible facilities will consist of an approximately 540 MW gas and/or oil fired electric generation project and related interconnection facilities. The output of the eligible facilities will be sold at wholesale.

Comment date: August 19, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice. The Commission will limit its consideration of comments to those that concern the adequacy or accuracy of the application.

4. Reliant Energy Osceola, LLC

[Docket No. EG99-209-000]

Take notice that on July 30, 1999, Reliant Energy Osceola, LLC (Reliant