

Wholesale Power Choice Tariff. This filing is made to comply with the Commission's March 30, 2000 order in which it directed WTU to revise the indemnification provisions of these Interconnection Agreements.

Copies of the filing have been served on the affected customers and the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

Comment date: May 19, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

25. Allied Companies, LLC (AC)

[Docket No. ER00-2363-000]

Take notice that on April 28, 2000, Allied Companies, LLC (AC), petitioned the Commission for acceptance of AC Rate Schedule FERC No. 1; the granting of certain blanket approvals, including the authority to sell electricity at market-based rates; and the waiver of certain Commission regulations.

AC intends to engage in wholesale electric power and energy purchases and sales as a marketer. AC is not in the business of generating or transmitting electric power.

Comment date: May 19, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

26. Pacific Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER00-2360-000]

Take notice that on April 28, 2000, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) tendered for filing a new Reliability Services Tariff (RS Tariff) and corresponding amendments to PG&E's Transmission Owner Tariff on file with the Commission. This filing establishes wholesale and retail rates for the recovery of reliability charges that the California Independent System Operator Corporation (ISO) imposes on PG&E. PG&E requests an effective date of June 28, 2000. However, PG&E states that it hereby provides notice that it may be necessary to recover such costs for an earlier period depending on subsequent rulings of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California.

Copies of this filing have been served upon the California Public Utilities Commission, all affected customers and parties designated on the Restricted Service List compiled by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in FERC Docket Nos. ER99-4323-000 and ER00-2075-000 and the CAISO.

Comment date: May 19, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

27. New England Power Pool

[Docket No. ER00-2337-000]

Take notice that on April 28, 2000, the New England Power Pool (NEPOOL)

Participants Committee tendered for filing for acceptance a signature page to the New England Power Pool Agreement dated September 1, 1971, as amended, signed by MHI Inc. (MHI). The NEPOOL Agreement has been designated NEPOOL FPC No. 2.

The Participants Committee states that the Commission's acceptance of MHI's signature page would permit NEPOOL to expand its membership to include MHI. The Participants Committee further states that the filed signature page does not change the NEPOOL Agreement in any manner, other than to make MHI a member in NEPOOL. The Participants Committee requests an effective date of May 1, 2000, for commencement of participation in NEPOOL by MHI.

Comment date: May 19, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

Standard Paragraphs

E. Any person desiring to be heard or to protest such 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 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 these filings are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the Internet at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Intent to File an Application for a New License

May 8, 2000.

Type of Filing: Notice of intent to File An Application for a New License.

b. *Project:* 2586.

c. *Date Filed:* April 24, 2000.

d. *Submitted By:* Alabama Electric Cooperative, Inc.—current licensee.

e. *Name of Project:* Conecuh River Hydroelectric Project.

f. *Location:* On the Conecuh River near the towns of Gantt and River Falls, in Covington County, Alabama.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Section 15 of the Federal Power Act.

h. *Licensee Contact:* Mike Noel, Alabama Electric Cooperative, Inc., 2027 East Three Notch Street, Andalusia, AL 36420 (334) 427-3248.

i. *FERC Contact:* Ron McKittrick, ronald.mckittrick@ferc.fed.us, (770) 452-3778.

j. *Effective date of current license:* May 1, 1965.

k. *Expiration date of current license:* April 30, 2005.

l. *Description of the Project:* The project consists of the following two developments:

The Point "A" Development consists of the following existing facilities: (1) A 2,800-foot-long earthen dam comprised of a gated concrete spillway section; (2) a 700-acre reservoir at a normal water surface elevation of 170 feet msl; (3) a powerhouse, integral with the dam, containing three generating units with a total installed capacity of 5,200 kW, (4) a 0.39-mile-long, 46-kV transmission line; and (5) other appurtenances.

The Gantt Development consists of the following existing facilities: (1) A 1,562-foot-long earthen dam comprised of a gated concrete spillway section; (2) a 2,767-acre reservoir at a normal water surface elevation of 198 feet msl; (3) a powerhouse, integral with the dam, containing two generating units with a total installed capacity of 3,050 kW, and (4) other appurtenances.

m. Each application for a new license and any competing license applications must be filed with the Commission at least 24 months prior to the expiration of the existing license. All applications for license for this project must be filed by April 30, 2003.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Settlement, Transfer, and Amendment of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions to Intervene, and Protests

May 9, 2000.

Take notice that the following application has been filed with the