

seek abandonment authority are as follows:

Docket No.	Company name	Rate schedule
CP76-132	Transco	X-97
CP79-199	Columbia	X-89
CP79-199	Transco	X-214
CP79-393	Columbia	X-94
CP79-393	Columbia Gulf	X-72
CP79-393	Transco	X-223

The contact person for Columbia is Victoria J. Hamilton, 1700 MacCorkle Avenue, S.E., P.O. Box 1273, Charleston, West Virginia 25325-1273 at (304) 357-2927. The contact person for Transco is Julie P. Baumgarten, Esquire, P.O. Box 1396, Houston, Texas 77251-1396 at (713) 215-2344. The contact person for Columbia Gulf is Jacquelyne M. Rocan, Esquire, 2603 Augusta, Suite 125, Houston, Texas 77057-5637 at (713) 267-4743.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make protest with reference to said application should on or before October 26, 2000, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.10). All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing must file therein a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by Section 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a hearing will be held without further notice before the Commission or its designee on this application if no motion to intervene is filed within the time required herein, if the Commission on its own review of the matter that permission and approval for the proposed abandonments are required by the public convenience or necessity. If a motion for leave to intervene is timely filed, or if the Commission on its own motion believes that a formal hearing is required, further notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Applicants to appear or to be represented at the hearing.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EC00-137-000, et al.];

The Connecticut Light and Power Company, et al. Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

October 4, 2000.

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

1. The Connecticut Light and Power Company, et al.; Western Massachusetts Electric Company,

[Docket Nos. EC00-137-000 and ER00-3639-000]

Take notice that on September 26, 2000, The Connecticut Light and Power Company, Western Massachusetts Electric Company, The United Illuminating Company, Central Maine Power Company, Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company, New England Power Company, Public Service Company of New Hampshire, Dominion Resources, Inc. and Dominion Nuclear Connecticut, Inc. filed certain work papers in connection with their application under Sections 203 and 205 of the Federal Power Act for approvals relating to the sale of the Millstone Nuclear Power Station.

Comment date: October 16, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Adirondack Hydro Fourth Branch, LLC

[Docket No. EG00-259-000]

Take notice that on September 29, 2000, Adirondack Hydro Fourth Branch, LLC (Adirondack), filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission an application for determination of exempt wholesale generator status pursuant to Part 365 of the Commission's regulations.

Adirondack owns and operates a 3.3 MW hydroelectric facility located on the Mohawk River in the Town of Waterford, in Saratoga County, New York. Adirondack's business offices are located at 39 Hudson Falls Road in South Glens Falls, New York.

Comment date: October 25, 2000, 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.

3. CinCap VI, LLC

[Docket No. ER00-3792-000]

Take notice that on September 29, 2000, Sunbury Holdings, LLC, on behalf of CinCap VI, LLC (CinCap), tendered for filing under Section 205 of the Federal Power Act, a Notice of Succession in Ownership regarding the transfer of interest in an interconnection agreement between Cinergy Capital & Trading, Inc. (CCT) and PPL Electric Utilities Corporation from CCT to CinCap.

Comment date: October 20, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. American Transmission Systems, Inc.

[Docket No. ER00-3594-000]

Take notice that on September 25, 2000, American Transmission Systems, Inc. (ATSI), tendered for filing notice of withdrawal of its September 5, 2000 filing made with the Commission in the above-referenced docket.

Comment date: October 16, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. Praxair, Inc.

[Docket No. ER00-3767-000]

Take notice that on September 28, 2000, Praxair, Inc. (Praxair), tendered for filing pursuant to Rules 205 and 207 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.205 and 385.207, and Section 35.12 of the Commission's Regulations, 18 CFR 35.12, an application for blanket authorizations and certain waivers under various regulations of the Commission, and for an order accepting its FERC Electric Rate Schedule No.1 to be effective the earlier of 60 days from the date of filing or the date of a Commission order granting approval of this Rate Schedule.

Praxair intends to engage in electric power and energy transactions as a marketer. In transactions where Praxair purchases power, including capacity and related services from electric utilities, qualifying facilities and independent power producers, and resells such power to other purchasers, Praxair will be functioning as a marketer. In Praxair's marketing transactions, Praxair proposes to charge rates mutually agreed upon by the

parties. Praxair is not in the business of producing nor does it contemplate acquiring title to any electric power transmission facilities.

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

6. Baltimore Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ES00-54-000]

Take notice that on September 26, 2000, Baltimore Gas and Electric Company submitted an application pursuant to section 204 of the Federal Power Act seeking authorization to issue not more than \$700 million of short-term unsecured promissory notes, commercial paper notes, medium-term notes, and guarantees of assumptions of liabilities or obligations with a final maturity date no later than December 31, 2003.

Comment date: October 24, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. Basin Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.

[Docket No. NJ00-7-000]

Take notice that on September 29, 2000, Basin Electric Power Cooperative (Basin Electric), tendered for filing a petition for a declaratory order finding that its open access transmission tariff providing for service on its facilities in the Western Interconnection is an acceptable reciprocity tariff under Order Nos. 888 and 888-A. Basin Electric also requests a waiver of the fee otherwise applicable to the filing of a request for declaratory order.

Comment date: November 3, 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, 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 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://](http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm)

www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Declaration of Intention and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

October 5, 2000.

Take notice that the following application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

a. *Application Type:* Declaration of Intention.

b. *Docket No:* DI00-9-000.

c. *Date Filed:* August 28, 2000.

d. *Applicant:* Wenckus Energy, Incorporated.

e. *Name of Project:* Wiscoy Hydroelectric Plant.

f. *Location:* On Wiscoy Creek, in Allegany County, Hume, New York. The project does not utilize federal or tribal lands.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a)-825(r).

h. *Applicant Contact:* Mark Wenckus, Wenckus Energy, Incorporated, 4881 Macks Road, Stewartstown, PA 17363. (717) 993-5726 Fax: (717) 993-5877 e-mail: mwenenergy@blazent.net.

i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Etta Foster at (202) 219-2679, or e-mail address: etta.foster@ferc.fed.us.

j. *Deadline for filing comments and or motions:* November 13, 2000.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

Please include the docket number (DI00-9-000) on any comments or motions filed.

k. *Description of Project:* The existing run-of-river project will consists of a 32.3-foot-high, 225-foot-long concrete dam; or reservoir with a normal surface area of 10.5 acres; a 60-inch, 1470-foot-long penstock; a power house containing two generating units with a total generator rating of 1080 kW, and appurtenant facilities.

When a Declaration of Intention is filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the Federal Power Act requires the Commission to investigate and determine if the interests of

interstate or foreign commerce would be affected by the project. The Commission also determines whether or not the project: (1) Would be located on a navigable waterway; (2) would occupy or affect public lands or reservations of the United States; (3) would utilize surplus water or water power from a government dam; or (4) if applicable, has involved or would involve any construction subsequent to 1935 that may have increased or would increase the project's head or generating capacity, or have otherwise significantly modified the project's pre-1935 design or operation.

l. *Locations of the Application:* A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, N.E., Room 2A, Washington, D.C. 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371. This filing may be viewed on <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call (202) 208-2222 for assistance). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTESTS", "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies provided by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the applicant specified in the particular application.