

Edison) tendered for filing Service Agreements (Service Agreements) for Short-term Firm and Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service under the Joint Open Access Transmission Tariff of Consumers Energy Company and Detroit Edison, FERC Electric Tariff No. 1. These Service Agreements are between Detroit Edison and Wisconsin Electric Power Company dated as of February 13, 2001. The parties have not engaged in any transactions under the Service Agreements prior to thirty days to this filing.

Detroit Edison requests that the Service Agreements be made effective as rate schedules as of March 14, 2001.

Comment date: May 29, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

27. The Detroit Edison Company

[Docket No. ER01-2009-000]

Take notice that on May 7, 2001, The Detroit Edison Company (Detroit Edison) tendered for filing a Service Agreement (Service Agreement) for Short-term Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service under the Joint Open Access Transmission Tariff of Consumers Energy Company and Detroit Edison, FERC Electric Tariff No. 1. This Service Agreement is between Detroit Edison and Quest Energy, LLC, dated as of February 1, 2001. The parties have not engaged in any transactions under the Service Agreement prior to thirty days to this filing.

Detroit Edison requests that the Service Agreement be made effective as rate schedules as of March 2, 2001.

Comment date: May 29, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

Standard Paragraph

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).

Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm>.

David P. Boergers,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. CP00-129-000 and CP00-132-000]

Horizon Pipeline Company, L.L.C., Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America; Notice of Availability of the Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Horizon Project

May 11, 2001.

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 Horizon Pipeline Company L.L.C. (Horizon) and Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America (Natural) in the above-referenced dockets.

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 following proposed natural gas transmission facilities:

- Approximately 28.5 miles of new 36-inch-diameter pipeline and leased firm capacity on 42 miles of existing pipeline facilities;
- Approximately 0.13 mile of new 24-inch-diameter piping, auxiliary piping, and valves at Natural's existing Compressor Station 113;
- Approximately 12,590 horsepower (hp) of additional compression at Compressor Station 113;
- Approximately 0.05 mile of new 20-inch-diameter lateral;
- Approximately 0.01 mile of new 12-inch-diameter lateral;
- Four meter stations;
- Two mainline block valves;
- Three taps; and
- Modified station pipping at Natural's existing Streamwood Meter Station.

The purpose of the proposed facilities is to provide a firm capacity of 380 thousand dekatherms per day (MDth/d) of natural gas that would accommodate the continued growth in demand for additional competitively-priced gas supply in northern Illinois.

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, NE., 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 an original and two copies of your comments to: Secretary, Federal Energy, Regulatory Commission, 888 First St., NE., Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426;
- Label one copy of the comments for the attention of the Gas Group 1, PJ-11.1;
- Reference Docket Nos. CP00-129-000 and CP00-132-000; and
- Mail your comments so that they will be received in Washington, DC on or before June 6, 2001.

Comments, protests and interventions may also be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm> under the link to the User's Guide. Before you can file comments you will need to create an account which can be created by clicking on "Login to File" and then "New User Account."

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).¹ Only intervenors have the right to seek rehearing of the Commission's decision.

Affected landowners and parties with environmental concerns may be granted

¹ Interventions may also be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See the previous discussion on filing comments electronically.

intervenor status upon showing good cause by stating that they have a clear and direct interest in this proceeding which would not be adequately represented by any other parties. You do not need intervenor status to have your comments considered.

Additional information about the proposed project is available from the Commission's Office of External Affairs, at (202) 208-1088 or on the FERC Internet website (www.ferc.fed.us) using the "RIMS" link to information in this docket number. Click on the "RIMS" link, select "Docket #" from the RIMS Menu, and follow the instructions. For assistance with access to RIMS, the RIMS helpline can be reached at (202) 208-2222.

Similarly, the "CIPS" link on the FERC Internet website provides access to the texts of formal documents issued by the Commission, such as orders, notices, and rulemakings. From the FERC Internet website, click on the "CIPS" link, select "Docket #" from the CIPS menu, and follow the instructions. For assistance with access to CIPS, the CIPS helpline can be reached at (202) 208-2474.

David P. Boergers,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Intent To File Application for a New License

May 11, 2001.

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

- a. Type of filing: Notice of Intent to File an Application for New License.
- b. Project No: 2150.
- c. Date filed: April 16, 2001.
- d. Submitted By: Puget Sound Energy.
- e. Name of Project: Baker River Hydroelectric Project.
- f. Location: On the Baker River, a tributary of the Skagit River, in Whatcom and Skagit Counties, near Concrete, WA. The project is on Federal Lands in the Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Section 15 of the Federal Power Act, 18 CFR 16.6.
- h. Pursuant to Section 16.19 of the Commission's regulations, the license is required to make available the information described in Section 16.7 of the regulations. Such information is

available from the licensee at Puget Sound Energy, Inc., 411-108 Ave NE, OBC-14W, Bellevue, WA 98004. Contact Lloyd Pernela, 425-462-3507.

i. FERC Contact: Steve Hocking, (202) 219-2656, steve.hocking@ferc.fed.us.

j. Expiration Date of Current License: April 30, 2006.

k. Project Description: The project includes two dams, two reservoirs, and two powerhouses. The present installed capacity and propose relicensed capacity is 162.1 megawatts (MW).

l. the licensee states its unequivocal intent to submit an application for a new license for Project No. 1971. Pursuant to 18 CFR 16.9(b)(1) 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, 2004.

A copy of the notice of intent is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371. The notice 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.

David P. Boergers,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

DATE & TIME: Tuesday, May 22, 2001 at 10 a.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC.

STATUS: This meeting will be closed to the public.

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED:

Compliance matters pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 437g.

Audits conducted pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 437g, 438(b), and Title 26, U.S.C.

Matters concerning participation in civil actions or proceedings or arbitration.

Internal personnel rules and procedures or matters affecting a particular employee.

PERSON TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION:

Mr. Ron Harris, Press Officer,
Telephone: (202) 694-1220.

Mary W. Dove,

Secretary of the Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Program Announcement 01090]

Building Environmental Health Services Capacity in State and Local Departments of Public Health; Notice of Availability of Funds

A. Purpose

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the availability of fiscal year (FY) 2001 funds for a cooperative agreement program for "Building Environmental Health Services Capacity in State and Local Departments of Public Health." This program addresses the "Healthy People 2010" priority areas of environmental health, public health infrastructure, and education and community-based programs. The purpose of the program is for state and local public health departments to plan, implement, expand, and evaluate their environmental public health activities built on a framework that is based on the ten Essential Public Health Services (see: www.health.gov/phfunctions/public.htm), ten Essential Environmental Health Services, and Core Competencies for Effective Practice of Environmental Health (see Addendum).

B. Eligible Applicants

Applications may be submitted by state and local health departments or their bona fide agents, including the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, Guam, federally recognized Indian tribal governments, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau.

Note: Title 2 of the United States Code, Chapter 26, Section 1611 states that an organization described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engages in lobbying activities is not eligible to receive Federal funds constituting an award, grant, cooperative agreement, contract, loan or any other form.