

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory  
Commission Notice of Annual Report**

[Docket No. RP01-618-000]

**Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline  
Company**

October 2, 2001.

Take notice that on September 28, 2001, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin), tendered for filing, First Revised Sheet No. 358I to its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, pursuant to Section 39 of that Tariff. The proposed effective date of the tariff sheet is September 28, 2001.

Williston Basin states that as of July 31, 2001 it had a zero balance in FERC Account No. 191. As a result, Williston Basin will neither refund nor bill its former sales customers for any amounts under the conditions of Section No. 39.3.1 of its Tariff.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with 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. 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. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (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 under the "e-Filing" link.

**David P. Boergers,***Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory  
Commission**

[Docket No. ER01-1895-002, et al.]

**Tampa Electric Company, et al.;**  
**Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation  
Filings**

October 1, 2001.

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

**1. Tampa Electric Company**

[Docket Nos. ER01-1895-002 and ER01-2485-001]

Take notice that on September 27, 2001, Tampa Electric Company (Tampa Electric) refiled with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission), 17 interchange contracts and related documents in the format required by the Commission's Order No. 614. The filing was made in compliance with the Commission's letter orders dated May 30 and July 31, 2001 in Docket Nos. ER01-1895-000 and ER01-2485-000, respectively.

A copy of the compliance filing has been served on each person designated on the official service lists in these dockets, each party to a contract affected by the filing, and the Florida Public Service Commission.

*Comment date:* October 18, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**2. Central Vermont Public Service  
Corporation**

[Docket No. ER98-2329-002]

Take notice that Central Vermont Public Service Corporation (Central Vermont), on September 25, 2001, tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) its three-year updated market power analysis in compliance with Paragraph (D) of the Commission's order granting Central Vermont's market-based rate authority. Central Vermont Public Service Corporation, 83 FERC 61,166 (1998).

Copies of the filing were served upon the public utility's jurisdictional customers, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission and the Vermont Public Service Board.

*Comment date:* October 16, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**3. Virginia Electric and Power  
Company**

[Docket No. ER01-2362-001]

Take notice that on September 25, 2001, Virginia Electric and Power

Company, doing business as Dominion Virginia Power, tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission), two executed Generator Interconnection and Operating Agreements (Interconnection Agreements) with Old Dominion Electric Cooperative (Old Dominion). Each Interconnection Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions governing the interconnection between combustion turbine plants that Old Dominion has not yet constructed and Dominion Virginia Power's transmission system. The executed Interconnection Agreements replace the unexecuted Interconnection Agreements that were filed in the above referenced docket on June 20, 2001. Dominion Virginia Power respectfully requests an effective date of November 26, 2001 for the executed Interconnection Agreements.

Copies of the filing were served upon Old Dominion Electric Cooperative and the Virginia State Corporation Commission.

*Comment date:* October 16, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**4. Tri-State Power, LLC**

[Docket No. ER01-2444-001]

Take notice that on September 26, 2001, Tri-State Power, LLC tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) a Revised Sheet No. 1 which provides the additional information requested by the Commission in its September 12, 2001, Order.

*Comment date:* October 17, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**5. ARE Generation Company, L.L.C.**

[Docket No. ER01-2586-001]

Take notice that on September 25, 2001, ARE Generation Company, L.L.C. (AGC) filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) an amendment to its application dated July 13, 2001 for grant of certain blanket authorizations, waiver of certain of the Commission's Regulations and issuance of an order accepting AGC's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, and filed an umbrella service agreement for short-term sales of energy and capacity from AGC's facility to BP Energy Company.

AGC amended its application to provide a detailed explanation of the extraordinary circumstances which justify its request for waiver of the Commission's 60-day notice requirement.

*Comment date:* October 16, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**6. Astoria Energy LLC**

[Docket No. ER01-3103-000]

Take notice that on September 24, 2001, Astoria Energy, LLC (Astoria Energy) petitioned the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) for acceptance of Astoria Schedule FERC No.1, the granting of certain blanket approvals including the authority to sell electric energy and capacity and ancillary services at market-based rates; and the waiver of certain Commission regulations.

Astoria Energy is a subsidiary of SCS Energy, LLC. The members of SCS Energy LLC do not have any ownership interest in a franchised electric utility. Neither Astoria Energy, nor SCS Energy, LLC own or control any transmission facilities (other than limited interconnection facilities). Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

*Comment date:* October 15, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**7. Edison Sault Electric Company**

[Docket No. OA01-7-000]

Take notice that on September 19, 2001, Edison Sault Electric Company (Edison Sault) submitted a filing providing notice that its standards of conduct filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) in the above-captioned docket are no longer applicable to Edison Sault or its employees. On January 1, 2001, Edison Sault transferred its transmission facilities to American Transmission Company, LLC (ATCLLC), a for-profit transmission company formed pursuant to Wisconsin state law. Edison Sault now operates as a generation and distribution utility. Edison Sault is required to abide by the standards of conduct filed by ATCLLC in Docket No. ER01-702-000, to the extent required by that filing.

*Comment date:* October 22, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**8. Wisconsin Electric Power Company**

[Docket No. OA01-8-000]

Take notice that on September 19, 2001, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric) submitted a filing providing notice that its standards of conduct filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) in the above-captioned docket are no longer applicable to Wisconsin Electric or its employees. Wisconsin Electric's filing states that because Wisconsin Electric no longer provides transmission service pursuant to an open access transmission tariff, the

standards of conduct filed by Wisconsin Electric have become moot. Certain employees will be bound by the American Transmission Company, LLC standards of conduct accepted by the Commission in Docket No. ER01-702-000.

*Comment date:* October 22, 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 this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (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 under the "e-Filing" link.

**David P. Boergers,***Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP01-415-000]

**East Tennessee Natural Gas Company Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Patriot Project, Request for Comments on Environmental Issues, and Notice of Public Scoping Meetings and Site Visit**

October 2, 2001.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) will prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) that will discuss the environmental

impacts of the East Tennessee Natural Gas Company's (East Tennessee) Patriot Project in Tennessee, Virginia, and North Carolina.<sup>1</sup> The proposed facilities consist of an expansion of the existing mainline that would include replacement, looping, and uprating of about 187 miles of pipeline and the addition of 71,710 horsepower (hp) of compression at 5 new and 10 existing compressor stations, and an extension of the mainline that would include 99.63 miles of new pipeline. This EIS will be used by the Commission in its decision-making process to determine whether the project is in the public convenience and necessity.

If you are a landowner receiving this notice, you may be contacted by a pipeline company representative about the acquisition of an easement to construct, operate, and maintain the proposed facilities. The pipeline company would seek to negotiate a mutually acceptable agreement. However, if the project is approved by the Commission, that approval conveys with it the right of eminent domain. Therefore, if easement negotiations fail to produce an agreement, the pipeline company could initiate condemnation proceedings in accordance with applicable state laws.

A fact sheet prepared by the FERC entitled "An Interstate Natural Gas Facility on My Land? What Do I Need To Know?" should have been attached to the project notice East Tennessee provided to landowners. This fact sheet addresses a number of typically asked questions, including the use of eminent domain and how to participate in the Commission's proceedings. The fact sheet is available for viewing on the FERC Internet website (<http://www.ferc.gov>).

This notice is being sent to affected landowners along East Tennessee's route; Federal, state, and local government agencies; elected officials; environmental and public interest groups; Native American tribes that might attach religious and cultural significance to historic properties in the area of potential effect; local libraries and newspapers; and the Commission's list of parties to the proceeding. We<sup>2</sup> encourage government representatives to notify their constituents of this proposed action and encourage them to comment on their areas of concern. Additionally, with this notice, we are

<sup>1</sup> East Tennessee's application in Docket No. CP01-415-000 was filed with the Commission under section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations.

<sup>2</sup> "We", "us", and "our" refer to the environmental staff of the Office of Energy Projects (OEP).