

a proposed voluntary transfer of physical facilities, in accordance with the regulations at 10 CFR 205.323, the existing holder of a permit and the transferee are required to file joint application for transfer with the Department of Energy (DOE) that includes a statement of reasons for the transfer.

On June 21, 1979, DOE issued Presidential Permit PP-66 to Citizens Utilities Company (now Citizens Communications Company) for one 120,000-volt (120-kV) electric transmission line that crosses the United States border with Canada near Derby Line, Vermont, and interconnects with similar transmission facilities in Canada owned by Hydro Quebec.

On August 21, 2003, Citizens and VELCO (collectively, the "Applicants") jointly filed an application with DOE to transfer Presidential Permit PP-66 from Citizens to VELCO. VELCO is a Vermont corporation comprised of several electric utilities operating in Vermont (as further described in the application). VELCO currently owns and operates most of the bulk transmission facilities in Vermont, other than those currently owned by Citizens. VELCO proposes to purchase from Citizens transmission facilities in northern Vermont, including the international transmission facilities that are the subject of PP-66.

In this application, the Applicants state that there will be no physical changes to the existing permitted facilities.

Procedural Matters: Any person desiring to become a party to this proceeding or to be heard by filing comments or protests to this application should file a petition to intervene, comment or protest at the address provided above in accordance with section 385.211 or 385.214 of the FERC's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Fifteen copies of each petition and protest should be filed with the DOE on or before the date listed above.

Comments on the joint application to transfer Presidential Permit PP-66 from Citizens to VELCO should be clearly marked with Docket PP-66-1. Additional copies are to be filed directly with L. Russell Mitten, Esq., VP, General Counsel, Citizens Communications Company, 3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905; Mr. Gary Parker, V.P., Director of Planning, Engineering, Construction and Transmission, Vermont Electric Power Company, Inc., 366 Pinnacle Ridge Road, Rutland, VT 05701; and Kenneth G. Hurwitz, Esq., Haynes and Boone, LLP, 550 11th Street, NW, Suite 650, Washington, DC 20004-1314; and John H. Marshall, Esq.,

Downs Rachlin Martin PLLC, 90 Prospect Street, P.O. Box 99, St. Johnsbury, VT 05819-0099.

Before a Presidential permit may be issued or amended, the DOE must determine that the proposed action will not adversely impact on the reliability of the U.S. electric power supply system. In addition, DOE must consider the environmental impacts of the proposed action (*i.e.*, granting the Presidential permit with any conditions and limitations, or denying it) pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. DOE also must obtain the concurrence of the Secretary of State and the Secretary of Defense before taking final action on a Presidential permit application.

Copies of these applications will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above or by accessing the Fossil Energy Home Page at <http://www.fe.doe.gov>. Upon reaching the Fossil Energy Home page, select "Electricity Regulation," and then "Pending Proceedings" from the options menus.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP03-347-002]

Chandeleur Pipe Line Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

August 25, 2003.

Take notice that on August 18, 2003, Chandeleur Pipe Line Company (Chandeleur) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, 2nd Substitute Third Revised Sheet No. 69B, to become effective July 1, 2003.

Chandeleur asserts that the purpose of this filing is to correct a typographical error on this sheet.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with ¶ 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed in accordance with ¶ 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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link.

Protest Date: September 2, 2003.

Linda Mitry,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. CP01-76-007 and CP01-77-007]

Dominion Cove Point LNG, LP.; Notice of Tariff Filing

August 25, 2003.

Take notice that on August 19, 2003, Dominion Cove Point LNG, LP (Cove Point) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with an effective date of August 18, 2003:

Third Revised Sheet No. 5.
Third Revised Sheet No. 6.
Third Revised Sheet No. 7.
Third Revised Sheet No. 10.
Third Revised Sheet No. 11.

On May 20, 2003, Cove Point filed revised tariff sheets (Second Revised Sheet Nos. 5, 6, 7, 10, and 11) to reflect the correct rates to be effective until the Commission authorized commencement of commercial operations at Cove Point's LNG import terminal. The tariff sheets superseded at that time, which had been approved in a letter order issued February 28, 2003, in Docket No. CP01-76-003, *et al.*, implemented the rates and fuel retention to become applicable upon reactivation. In a letter order issued on June 18, 2003 in Docket Nos. CP01-76-005 and CP01-77-005, the Commission approved the correct rates to be effective June 1, 2003.

In its May 20 filing, Cove Point indicated that, as soon as the Commission approved a date for placing the import facilities in service, it would immediately file to reinstate the postreactivation rate and fuel sheets to be effective on that date. The Commission authorized the commencement of commercial operations of the import facilities in a letter order issued on August 18, 2003. To coincide with the reactivation, Cove Point respectfully requests that the Commission approve the filed tariff sheets with an August 18, 2003 effective date.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with

§ 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed in accordance with

§ 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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the eLibrary (FERRIS) link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the eLibrary (e-Filing) link.

Protest Date: September 2, 2003.

Linda Mitry,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL03-222-000]

Maine Public Utilities Commission, et al., Complainants, v. New England Power Pool and ISO New England, Inc., Respondents; Notice of Complaint

August 25, 2003.

Take notice that on August 21, 2003, the Maine Public Utilities Commission, the Maine Public Advocate, the Rhode

Island Public Utilities Commission, the Rhode Island Division of Public Utilities and Carriers, the Rhode Island Attorney General, Pinpoint Power, NRG Energy, Inc. and Gen Power, LLC (collectively, Complainants) filed a Complaint Requesting Fast Track Processing against the New England Power Pool and ISO New England, Inc. (NEPOOL/ISO-NE) pursuant to Sections 206 and 306 of the Federal Power Act and Rule 206 of the Commission's Rules (18 CFR 385.206). Complainants request that the Commission reject the methodology currently proposed by NEPOOL/ISO-NE for allocating the costs of transmission upgrades in New England.

Complainants request the Commission to adopt instead the Complainants' proposal, which Complainants assert provides an appropriate method for allocating transmission upgrade costs to the load that benefits from the upgrade.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file 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). 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. The answer to the complaint and all comments, interventions or protests must be filed on or before comment date. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the eLibrary (FERRIS) link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at (866)208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202)502-8659. The answer to the complaint, 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. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings.

September 5, 2003.

Linda Mitry,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP03-573-000]

PG&E Gas Transmission, Northwest Corporation; Notice of Tariff Filing

August 25, 2003.

Take notice that on August 15, 2003, PG&E Transmission, Northwest Corporation, (GTN) as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with an effective date of September 15, 2003:

Fourth Revised Sheet No. 6.
Second Revised Sheet No. 211.
Second Revised Sheet No. 212.
Original Sheet No. 229.

GTN states that the filing is being made to establish a mechanism that will allow GTN's incremental fuel rate, established in conjunction with GTN's 2002 Pipeline Expansion Project, to roll down over time.

GTN states that copies of the filing have been served on GTN's jurisdictional customers and interested state regulatory agencies.

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 the comment date below. 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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" (FERRIS). Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link.

Comment Date: August 29, 2003.

Linda Mitry,

Acting Secretary.

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