

Commission's official service list in Docket No. RP97-240-000.

As stated in the February 27, 1997 Letter Order, "Parties in this proceeding may file comments on the data within 10 days after the date Texas Gas files the supplemental information in compliance with the order." Therefore, comments should be filed on or before March 24, 1997. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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[Docket No. CP97-193-000]

### **Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Site Visit**

March 19, 1997.

On April 2-3, 1997, beginning at 12:00 p.m., the Office of Pipeline Regulation (OPR) staff will conduct a site visit with Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation of the proposed Maiden Lateral Looping Project in Lincoln and Catawba Counties, North Carolina.

All parties may attend. Those planning to attend must provide their own transportation.

For further information, please contact Paul McKee at (202) 208-1088.

**Robert J. Cupina,**

*Deputy Director, Office of Pipeline Regulation.*

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[Docket No. EG97-42-000, et al.]

### **Cataula Generating Company, L.P. et al. Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings**

March 19, 1997

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

#### **1. Cataula Generating Company, L.P.**

[Docket No. EG97-42-000]

On March 11, 1997, Cataula Generating Company, L.P. (Applicant), a limited partnership duly established under the laws of Delaware, with its principal place of business at 7500 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, Maryland 20814-6161, 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.

In its application, Applicant states that it intends to engage directly, or indirectly through one or more affiliates, in the business of owning or operating, or both owning and operating, an eligible facility as defined under Section 32(a)(2) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 (PUHCA), as amended. The eligible facility will consist of a natural gas-fired electric generating facility to be constructed in Harris County, Georgia to effect a sale of electric energy at wholesale.

*Comment date:* April 9, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice. The Commission will limit its consideration to those that concern the adequacy or accuracy of the application.

#### **2. EPEM Marketing Company, IEP Power Marketing, LLC, Jpower, Inc., Nordic Electric, L.L.C., Power Fuels, Inc. Energy2, Inc.**

[Docket Nos. ER95-428-008, ER95-802-007, ER95-1421-007, ER96-127-003, ER96-1930-002 and ER96-3086-001 (not consolidated)]

Take notice that the following informational filings have been made with the Commission and are on file and available for inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room:

On January 30, 1997, EPEM Marketing Company filed certain information as required by the Commission's March 30, 1995, order in Docket No. ER95-428-000.

On March 10, 1997, IEP Power Marketing, LLC filed certain information as required by the Commission's May 11, 1995, order in Docket No. ER95-802-000.

On January 23, 1997, Jpower Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's August 25, 1995, order in Docket No. ER95-1421-000.

On January 22, 1997, Nordic Electric, L.L.C. filed certain information as required by the Commission's December 1, 1995, order in Docket No. ER96-121-000.

On January 27, 1997, Power Fuels, Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's July 5, 1996, order in Docket No. ER96-1930-000.

On January 31, 1997, Energy2, Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's October 22, 1996, order in Docket No. ER96-3086-000.

#### **3. Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company**

[Docket No. ER96-3133-000]

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **4. South Carolina Electric & Company**

[Docket No. ER97-140-000]

Take notice that on January 24, 1997, South Carolina Electric & Company tendered for filing a Notice of Withdrawal in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* March 28, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **5. Toledo Edison Company**

[Docket No. ER97-650-000]

Take notice that on February 26, 1997, Toledo Edison Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* March 31, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **6. Southwestern Public Service Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1061-000]

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Southwestern Public Service Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **7. Southwestern Public Service Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1287-000]

Take notice that on February 26, 1997, Southwestern Public Service Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* March 31, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **8. Southwestern Public Service Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1288-000]

Take notice that on February 26, 1997, Southwestern Public Service Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* March 31, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **9. Toledo Edison Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1517-000]

Take notice that on March 3, 1997, Toledo Edison Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**10. Brennan Power, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER97-1630-000]

Take notice that on March 11, 1997, Brennan Power, Inc. tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* April 1, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**11. Cinergy Services, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER97-1675-000]

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Cinergy Services, Inc. tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**12. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation**

[Docket No. ER97-1976-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG), tendered for filing a supplement to its Agreement with the Municipal Board of the Village of Bath (the Village), designated Rate Schedule FERC No. 72. The proposed amendment would decrease revenues by \$177.66 based on the twelve month period ending December 31, 1997.

This rate filing is made pursuant to Section 2(a) through 2(c) of Article IV of the December 1, 1977, Facilities Agreement Rate Schedule FERC No. 72. The annual charges for routine operation and maintenance and general expenses, as well as revenue and property taxes are revised based on data taken from NYSEG's Annual Report to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC Form 1) for the twelve months ended December 31, 1995. The revised facilities charge is levied on the cost of the tap facility constructed and owned by NYSEG to connect its 34.5 Kv electric transmission line located in the Village of Bath to the Village's Fairview Drive Substation.

NYSEG requests an effective date of January 1, 1997, and therefore, requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements.

Copies of the filing were served upon the Municipal Board of the Village of Bath and on the Public Service Commission of the State of New York.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**13. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation**

[Docket No. ER97-1977-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, New York State Electric & Gas

Corporation (NYSEG), filed a Service Agreement between NYSEG and Citizens Lehman Power Sales, (Customer). This Service Agreement specifies that the customer has agreed to the rates, terms and conditions of the NYSEG open access transmission tariff filed and effective on January 29, 1997 with revised sheets effective on February 7, 1997, in Docket No. OA96-195-000 and ER96-2438-000.

NYSEG requests waiver of the Commission's sixty-day notice requirements and an effective date of February 16, 1997, for the Citizens Lehman Power Sales Service Agreement. NYSEG has served copies of the filing on The New York State Public Service Commission and on the Customer.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**14. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation**

[Docket No. ER97-1978-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG), tendered for filing an amendment to the Rate Schedule No. 117 filed with FERC corresponding to an Agreement with the Delaware County Electric Cooperative, Inc. (the Cooperative). The proposed amendment would increase revenues by \$361.58 based on the twelve month period ending December 31, 1997.

This rate filing is made pursuant to Section 1(c) and Section 3(a) through 3(c) of Article IV of the June 1, 1977, Facilities Agreement between NYSEG and the Cooperative, filed with FERC. The annual charges for routine operation and maintenance and general expenses, as well as revenue and property taxes are revised based on data taken from NYSEG's Annual Report to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC Form 1) for the twelve months ended December 31, 1995. The revised facilities charge is levied on the cost of the 34.5 Kv tie line from Taylor Road to the Jefferson Substation, constructed by NYSEG for the sole use of the Cooperative.

NYSEG requests an effective date of January 1, 1997, and therefore, requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements.

Copies of the filing were served upon the Delaware County Electric Cooperative, Inc. and on the Public Service Commission of the State of New York.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**15. Wisconsin Electric Power Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1979-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric), tendered for filing a Non-Firm Transmission Service Agreement between itself and Minnesota Power & Light Company. The Transmission Service Agreement allows Minnesota Power & Light Company to receive non-firm transmission service under Wisconsin Electric's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 7.

Wisconsin Electric requests an effective date of sixty days from date of filing. Copies of the filing have been served on Minnesota Power & Light Company, the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin and the Michigan Public Service Commission.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**16. Montaup Electric Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1980-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Montaup Electric Company (Montaup), filed a revision of its March 6, 1997, filing of a credit under its Purchased Capacity Adjustment Clause (PCAC). The total of \$7,221,349 shown on the second page of the transmittal letter was corrected to \$11,221,349.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**17. Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER97-1981-000]

Take Notice that on March 6, 1997, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (Con Edison), tendered for filing a service agreement to provide non-firm transmission service pursuant to its Open Access Transmission Tariff to Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc. (O&R).

Con Edison states that a copy of this filing has been served by mail upon O&R.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**18. Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER97-1982-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (Con Edison), tendered for filing a service agreement to provide non-firm transmission service pursuant to its Open Access Transmission Tariff to Sonat Power Marketing, L.P. (Sonat).

Con Edison states that a copy of this filing has been served by mail upon Sonat.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 19. Maine Public Service Company

[Docket No. ER97-1983-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, Maine Public Service Company (Maine Public), filed an executed Service Agreement with Cinergy Services, Inc.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 20. Maine Public Service Company

[Docket No. ER97-1984-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, Maine Public Service Company (Maine Public), filed an executed Service Agreement with The Power Company of America, L.P.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 21. Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-1985-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (Con Edison), tendered for filing a service agreement to provide non-firm transmission service pursuant to its Open Access Transmission Tariff to Central Maine Power Co. (Central Maine).

Con Edison states that a copy of this filing has been served by mail upon Central Maine.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 22. Virginia Electric and Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-1986-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Virginia Electric and Power Company (Virginia Power), tendered for filing a Service Agreement between Virginia Electric and Power Company and Western Power Services, Inc. under the Power Sales Tariff to Eligible Purchasers dated May 27, 1994, as revised on December 31, 1996. Under the tendered Service Agreement Virginia Power agrees to provide services to Western Power Services, Inc. under the rates, terms and conditions of the Power Sales Tariff as agreed by the parties pursuant to the terms of the applicable Service Schedules included in the Power Sales Tariff.

Copies of the filing were served upon the Virginia State Corporation

Commission, and the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 23. Northeast Utilities Service Company

[Docket No. ER97-1987-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Northeast Utilities Service Company (NUSCO) on behalf of The Connecticut Light and Power Company (CL&P), Western Massachusetts Electric Company (WMECO), Holyoke Water Power Company (HWP), and Holyoke Power and Electric Company (HP&E) (each a subsidiary of Northeast Utilities and hereafter called the NU System Companies), tendered for filing a Fourth Amendment to Transmission Service Agreement between the NU System Companies and the Connecticut Municipal Electric Energy Cooperative (CMEEC). The Fourth Amendment amends the rate-related provisions of the comprehensive transmission service agreement (CTSA) between NU System Companies and CMEEC. The CTSA is designated CL&P FERC Rate Schedule No. 492, WMECO FERC Rate Schedule No. 381, HWP FERC Rate Schedule No. 47, and HP&E FERC Rate Schedule No. 24.

NUSCO states that a copy of this filing has been mailed to CMEEC.

NUSCO requests that the Fourth Amendment become effective on March 1, 1997, in order to coincide with the effective date of service under the New England Power Pool Open Access Transmission Tariff, filed on December 31, 1996, FERC Docket Nos. OA97-237-000, ER97-1079-000.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 24. Idaho Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-1988-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Idaho Power Company (IPC), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission a Service Agreement under Idaho Power Company FERC Electric Tariff, Second Revised, Volume No. 1 between MP Energy, Inc. and Idaho Power Company, and Howard Energy Co., Inc., and Idaho Power Company.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 25. Idaho Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-1989-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Idaho Power Company (IPC), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy

Regulatory Commission Service Agreements under Idaho Power Company FERC Electric Tariff No. 5, Open Access Transmission Tariff, between PacifiCorp and Idaho Power Company.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 26. MidAmerican Energy Company

[Docket No. ER97-1990-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican), 106 East Second Street, Davenport, Iowa 52801, filed with the Commission a Non-Firm Transmission Service Agreement with Southern Energy Trading and Marketing, Inc. (Southern Energy) dated February 20, 1997, entered into pursuant to MidAmerican's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

MidAmerican requests an effective date of February 20, 1997, for the Agreement with Southern Energy, and accordingly seeks a waiver of the Commission's notice requirement. MidAmerican has served a copy of the filing on Southern Energy, the Iowa Utilities Board, the Illinois Commerce Commission and the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 27. MidAmerican Energy Company

[Docket No. ER97-1991-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican), 106 East Second Street, Davenport, Iowa 52801 filed with the Commission a Service Agreement with Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric) dated February 17, 1997, entered into pursuant to MidAmerican's Rate Schedule for Power Sales, FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 5.

MidAmerican requests an effective date of February 17, 1997, for the Agreement with Wisconsin Electric, and accordingly seeks a waiver of the Commission's notice requirement. MidAmerican has served a copy of the filing on Wisconsin Electric, the Iowa Utilities Board, the Illinois Commerce Commission and the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 28. South Carolina Electric & Gas Company

[Docket No. ER97-1992-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company

(SCE&G), submitted service agreements establishing Jacksonville Electric Authority (JEA) as a customer under the terms of SCE&G's Negotiated Market Sales Tariff.

SCE&G requests an effective date of one day subsequent to the filing of the service agreement. Accordingly, SCE&G requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements. Copies of this filing were served upon JEA and the South Carolina Public Service Commission.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### **29. Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation**

[Docket No. ER97-1993-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission an executed Transmission Service Agreement between NMPC and American Energy Solutions, Inc. This Transmission Service Agreement specifies that American Energy Solutions, Inc. has signed on to and has agreed to the terms and conditions of NMPC's Open Access Transmission Tariff as filed in Docket No. OA96-194-000. This Tariff, filed with FERC on July 9, 1996, will allow NMPC and American Energy Solutions, Inc. to enter into separately scheduled transactions under which NMPC will provide transmission service for American Energy Solutions, Inc. as the parties may mutually agree.

NMPC requests an effective date of February 27, 1997. NMPC has requested waiver of the notice requirements for good cause shown.

NMPC has served copies of the filing upon the New York State Public Service Commission and American Energy Solutions, Inc..

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### **30. Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation**

[Docket No. ER97-1994-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission an executed Transmission Service Agreement between NMPC and The Power Company of America, L.P. This Transmission Service Agreement specifies that The Power Company of America, L.P. has signed on to and has agreed to the terms and conditions of NMPC's Open Access Transmission Tariff as filed in Docket No. OA96-194-

000. This Tariff, filed with FERC on July 9, 1996, will allow NMPC and The Power Company of America, L.P. to enter into separately scheduled transactions under which NMPC will provide transmission service for The Power Company of America, L.P. as the parties may mutually agree.

NMPC requests an effective date of February 27, 1997. NMPC has requested waiver of the notice requirements for good cause shown.

NMPC has served copies of the filing upon the New York State Public Service Commission and The Power Company of America, L.P.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### **31. Ohio Edison Company, Pennsylvania Power Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1995-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Ohio Edison Company tendered for filing on behalf of itself and Pennsylvania Power Company, Service Agreements with Rainbow Energy Marketing Corporation and The Power Company of America under Ohio Edison's Power Sales Tariff. This filing is made pursuant to Section 205 of the Federal Power Act.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### **32. Wisconsin Electric Power Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1996-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric), tendered for filing a Transmission Service Agreement between itself and Dayton Power and Light Company (DP&L). The Transmission Service Agreement allows DP&L to receive transmission service under Wisconsin Electric's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 7, accepted for filing in Docket No. OA96-196-000.

Wisconsin Electric requests an effective date coincident with filing and waiver of the Commission's notice requirements to allow for economic transactions. Copies of the filing have been served on DP&L, the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin and the Michigan Public Service Commission.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### **33. PECO Energy Company**

[Docket No. ER97-1997-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, PECO Energy Company (PECO), filed a Service Agreement dated February 27,

1997 with ConAgra Energy Services, Inc. (CES) under PECO's FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 1 (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds CES as a customer under the Tariff.

PECO requests an effective date of February 27, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

PECO states that copies of this filing have been supplied to CES and to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### **34. Louisville Gas and Electric Co.**

[Docket No. ER97-1998-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company, tendered for filing copies of a service agreement between Louisville Gas and Electric Company and PanEnergy Power Services under Rate GSS.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### **35. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation**

[Docket No. ER97-1999-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG), tendered for filing pursuant to Section 35.12 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 35.12, as an initial rate schedule, an agreement with New England Power Company (NEEP). The agreement provides a mechanism pursuant to which the parties can enter into separately scheduled transactions under which NYSEG will sell to NEEP and NEEP will purchase from NYSEG either capacity and associated energy or energy only as the parties may mutually agree.

NYSEG requests that the agreement become effective on March 8, 1997, so that the parties may, if mutually agreeable, enter into separately scheduled transactions under the agreement. NYSEG has requested waiver of the notice requirements for good cause shown.

NYSEG served copies of the filing upon the New York State Public Service Commission and NEEP.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### **36. New England Power Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2000-000]

Take notice that on March 7, 1997, New England Power Company, submitted for filing a revised Service

Agreement under its FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 9, for network service to Norwood (Mass.) Municipal Light Department. The revision corrected an error in the termination date on Exhibit I to the Service Agreement.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 37. Northwestern Public Service Company

[Docket No. ES97-25-000]

Take notice that on March 6, 1997, Northwestern Public Service Company filed an application, under § 204 of the Federal Power Act, seeking authorization to issue additional shares of Common Stock in connection with a proposed two-for-one split of the Company's Common Stock. The number of shares to be issued will equal the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding on the record date for the two-for-one split.

*Comment date:* April 2, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 38. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. OA97-152-000]

Take notice that on March 14, 1997, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy) tendered for filing revised Service Schedules to the Interchange Agreement between The Cincinnati Gas & Electric Company and American Municipal Power-Ohio, Inc. filed on December 19, 1996 in Docket No. OA97-152-000.

*Comment date:* April 3, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 39. Carolina Power & Light Company

[Docket No. OA97-315-000]

Take notice that on March 14, 1997, Carolina Power & Light Company supplemented the original filing made in this docket.

Copies of the filing were served upon the North Carolina Utilities Commission, the South Carolina Public Service Commission and American Electric Power Company.

*Comment date:* April 3, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### Standard Paragraph

E. Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said 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 18 CFR 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.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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[Docket No. CP96-671-000, et al.]

### National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Prefiling Meeting

March 19, 1997.

Take notice that a meeting has been scheduled in the above-captioned proceeding for March 24, 1997 at 1:00 p.m., in Room No. 72-76 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation's (National Fuel) proposed amendment to its pending 1997 Niagara Expansion Project. Among the topics National Fuel proposes to discuss are the proposed phasing of the project design, its impact on the environmental review process, and proposed rates. For additional information, interested parties may call Michael J. McGehee at (202) 208-2257.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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[Docket No. CP96-153-000]

### Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Public Meetings and Environmental Field Inspection for the Proposed North Alabama Pipeline Project

March 19, 1997.

On April 2 and 3, 1997, the staff of the Office of Pipeline Regulation will conduct public meetings to receive comments on the North Alabama Pipeline Project Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for natural gas facilities proposed by Southern Natural Gas Company in the above-referenced docket.

The public meetings will be held from 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. at the following locations:

Date	Location
April 2, 1997	Cordova High School, 1 Blue Devil Way, Cordova, AL 35550.
April 3, 1997	Hartselle Civic Center, 406 Nanceford Road, Hartselle, AL 35640.

My staff will also be conducting limited site visits of areas along the proposed pipelines and alternative routes on April 2, 3, and 4, 1997. Anyone interested in participating in the site visits may contact Mr. Paul McKee in the Commission's Office of External Affairs at (202) 208-1088 for more details and must provide their own transportation.

**Robert J. Cupina,**

*Deputy Director, Office of Pipeline Regulation.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5801-6]

### Proposed Consent Decree, Clean Air Act Citizen Suit

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed consent decree; request for public comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 113(g) of the Clean Air Act as amended ("Act"), 42 U.S.C. 7413(g), notice is hereby given of a proposed consent decree in the following case: *Sierra Club, National Wildlife Federation, Chesapeake Bay Foundation, Inc. v. Carol M. Browner, Administrator, United States Environmental Protection Agency*, No. 96-1680 (D.C. Cir.). This action was filed under section 304(a)(2) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. 7604(a)(2), contesting EPA's alleged failure to meet mandatory deadlines under sections 112(m)(5) and (m)(6) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. 7412(m)(5) and (m)(6), which concern the atmospheric deposition of hazardous air pollutants to the Great Lakes, the Chesapeake Bay, Lake Champlain and the coastal waters of the United States. The proposed consent decree provides that EPA shall take certain actions under those provisions in accordance with specified schedules.

For a period of thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this notice, the Agency will receive written comments relating to the proposed consent decree from persons who were not named as parties to the litigation in question. EPA or the Department of