DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER97-4108-000]

Turner Energy, L.L.C.; Notice of Issuance of Order

October 1, 1997.

Turner Energy, L.L.C (Turner Energy) submitted for filing a rate schedule under which Turner Energy will engage in wholesale electric power and energy transactions as a marketer. Turner Energy also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, Turner Energy requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR Part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Turner Energy.

On September 22, 1997, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Rate Applications, Office of Electric Power Regulation, granted requests for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the following:

Within thirty days of the date of the order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Turner Energy should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulation 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).

Absent a request for hearing within this period, Turner Energy is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of the applicant, and compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of Turner Energy's issuance of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is October 22, 1997. Copies of the full text of the order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch,

888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Docket No. ER97-4526-000, et al.]

New Century Services, Inc., et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

September 29, 1997.

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

1. New Century Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-4526-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, New Century Services, Inc. on behalf of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company, Public Service Company of Colorado, and Southwestern Public Service Company tendered for filing a Service Agreement under their Joint Open Access Transmission Service Tariff for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service between Public Service Company of Colorado and Western Resources.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Southwestern Public Service Company

[Docket No. ER97-4527-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, New Century Services, Inc., on behalf of Southwestern Public Service Company ("Southwestern") submitted an executed umbrella service agreement between Southwestern and e Prime, Inc. under Southwestern's Rate Schedule for the Sale, Assignment, or Transfer of Transmission Rights.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4528-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E), tendered for filing an executed Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service Agreement between LG&E and Florida Power Corporation under LG&E's Open Access Transmission Tariff. Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Union Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4529-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Union Electric Company (UE), tendered for filing Service Agreements for Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Services between UE and Southern Company Services, Inc., Southern Energy Trading and Marketing, Inc. and Tennessee Valley Authority. UE asserts that the purpose of the Agreements is to permit UE to provide transmission service to the parties pursuant to UE's Open Access Transmission Tariff filed in Docket No. OA96–50.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4530-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E), tendered for filing an executed Purchase and Sales Agreement between LG&E and The Energy Authority under LG&E's Rate Schedule GSS.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. New Century Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-4531-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, New Century Services, Inc. on behalf of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company, Public Service Company of Colorado, and Southwestern Public Service Company tendered for filing a Service Agreement under their Joint Open Access Transmission Service Tariff for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service between Public Service Company of Colorado and Citizens Power Sales.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. New Century Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-4532-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, New Century Services, Inc. on behalf of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company, Public Service Company of Colorado, and Southwestern Public Service Company (collectively "Companies") tendered for filing a Service Agreement under their Joint Open Access Transmission Service Tariff for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service between the

Companies and Constellation Power Source, Inc.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

8. Dayton Power and Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-4533-000]

Take notice that on September 4, 1997, Dayton Power and Light Company (DP&L), tendered for filing changes to DP&L's Market Based Sales Tariff.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

9. Minnesota Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-4534-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Minnesota Power & Light Company (MP), tendered for filing signed Service Agreements with Marquette (MI) Board of Light & Power and Willmar Municipal Utilities Commission under MP's cost-based Wholesale Coordination Sales Tariff WCS-1 to satisfy its filing requirements under this tariff.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

10. Minnesota Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-4535-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Minnesota Power & Light Company tendered for filing a signed Service Agreement with Commonwealth Edison Company, Marquette Board of Light & Power, and Willmar Municipal Utilities Commission, under its market-based Wholesale Coordination Sales Tariff (WCS-2) to satisfy its filing requirements under this tariff.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

11. Wisconsin Electric Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-4536-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Wisconsin Electric Power Company ("Wisconsin Electric"), tendered for filing a Short Term Firm Transmission Service Agreement and a Non-Firm Transmission Service Agreement between itself and ("Virginia Power"). The Transmission Service Agreement allows Virginia Power to receive transmission service under Wisconsin Electric's FERC Electric Tariff, Volume No. 7, which is pending consideration in Docket No. OA97–578.

Wisconsin Electric requests an effective date coincident with its filing and waiver of the Commission's notice requirements in order to allow for economic transactions as they appear.

Copies of the filing have been served on Virginia Power, the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin and the Michigan Public Service Commission.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

12. American Electric Power

[Docket No. ER97-4537-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, American Electric Power, tendered for filing a Notice of Cancellation of Rate Schedule FERC No. Supplement No. 1 to FPC No. 1 of Central Operating Company and Supplement No. 1 to FPC No. 19 of Appalachian Electric Power Company and Supplement No. 1 to FPC No. 19 of the Ohio Power Company as originally authorized by the Federal Power Commission in the Matters of Central Operating Company, Appalachian Electric Company and The Ohio Power Company, Order Allowing Supplemental Rate Schedules To Take Effect, dated October 31, 1950, and issued November 1, 1950, are to be canceled.

American Electric requests that this cancellation become effective January 1, 1998.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4538-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E), tendered for filing an executed Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service Agreement between LG&E and Public Service Electric and Gas Company under LG&E's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4539-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E), tendered for filing an executed Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service Agreement between LG&E and The Power Company of America under LG&E's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

Comment date: October 14, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Public Service Electric and Gas Company

[Docket No. ER97-4540-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Public Service Electric and Gas Company ("PSE&G") of Newark, New Jersey, tendered for filing an agreement for the sale of capacity and energy to Valero Power Services Company ("Valero") pursuant to the PSE&G Wholesale Power Market Based Sales Tariff, presently on file with the Commission.

PSE&G further requests waiver of the Commission's regulations such that the agreement can be made effective as of August 9, 1997.

Copies of the filing have been served upon Valero and the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities.

Comment date: October 14, 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.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5905-6]

Notice Of Public Meeting On Drinking Water Analytical Methods

Notice is hereby given that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is holding a three-day Protozoan Method Development Workshop on October 20–22, 1997, for the purpose of information exchange on research projects, currently underway, related to developing an improved analytical method for *Cryptosporidium* and *Giardia* to address detection,