

within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP98-19-000]

Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Section 4 Filing

October 29, 1997.

Take notice that on October 22, 1997, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin) tendered for filing pursuant to Section 4 of the Natural Gas Act, a notice of termination of gathering services which are currently being provided through facilities authorized to be abandoned by sale to Constitution Gas Transport Company, Inc.¹ Williston Basin requests that the proposed termination of service be effective December 1, 1997. Williston Basin maintains that the proposed termination of service will not adversely affect its ability to render certificated transportation service to its customers or its ability to meet fully its currently contractual obligations.

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, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. Under section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulation, all such motions or protests should be filed on or before November 3, 1997. 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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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER96-2709-000, et al.]

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

October 29, 1997.

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

1. Entergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER96-2709-000]

Take notice that on October 22, 1997, Entergy Services, Inc., as agent for Entergy Arkansas, Inc. (Entergy Arkansas), Entergy Gulf States Utilities Company (Entergy Gulf States), Entergy Louisiana, Inc. (Entergy Louisiana), Entergy Mississippi, Inc. (Entergy Mississippi), and Entergy New Orleans, Inc. (Entergy New Orleans) (collectively, the Entergy Operating Companies) filed additional information in the above referenced docket.

Comment date: November 12, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. NESI Power Marketing, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-841-003]

Take notice that on October 24, 1997, NESI Power Marketing, Inc., tendered for filing their Transaction Reports for short-term transactions for the second quarter of 1997, pursuant to the Commission's order in *Northern Indiana Public Service Company and NIPSCO Energy Services, Inc.*, 75 FERC ¶ 61,213 (1996) and the Commission's March 13, 1997, letter order in *NESI Power Marketing, Inc.*, Docket No. ER97-841-000.

Comment date: November 12, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. American Electric Power Corporation

[Docket No. ER97-2769-000]

Take notice that on October 24, 1997, the American Power Service Corporation (AEPSC), on behalf of Indiana Michigan Company, amended its filing in the referenced docket, providing new exhibits showing the extent of rate reductions proposed under two agreements and revising an exhibit filed previously regarding unbundled cost components requested by the Commission's Staff. AEPSC renewed its requests for waiver of notice regarding effective dates.

A copy of the filing was served upon the Parties and the State Utility Regulatory Commission of Indiana and Michigan.

Comment date: November 12, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Minnesota Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-131-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Minnesota Power & Light Company (MP), tendered for filing signed Service Agreements with Central Minnesota Municipal Power Agency and Union Electric Company under MP's cost-based Wholesale Coordination Sales Tariff WCS-1 to satisfy its filing requirements under this tariff.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. South Carolina Electric & Gas Company

[Docket No. ER98-132-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company, tendered for filing proposed cancellation of Rate Schedule T1.S8(FPC), between South Carolina Electric & Gas Company and South Carolina Public Service Authority.

Under the proposed cancellation the contract which expired effective December 31, 1995, will be canceled.

Copies of this filing were served upon South Carolina Public Service Authority.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. Ohio Valley Electric Corporation Indiana-Kentucky Electric Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-133-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Ohio Valley Electric Corporation (including its wholly-owned subsidiary, Indiana-Kentucky Electric Corporation) (OVEC) tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Non-Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service, dated September 30, 1997, (the Service Agreement) between Pennsylvania Power & Light Company (PP&L) and OVEC. OVEC proposes an effective date of September 30, 1997, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement to allow the requested effective date. The Service Agreement provides for non-firm transmission service by OVEC to PP&L.

In its filing, OVEC states that the rates and charges included in the Service Agreement are the rates and charges set forth in OVEC's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

Copies of this filing were served upon Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission and PP&L.

¹ See Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Co., 81 FERC ¶62,006 (1997).

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. Montaup Electric Company

[Docket No. ER98-134-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Montaup Electric Company (Montaup) filed a Consent and Agreement by Montaup in favor of Toronto Dominion (Texas), Inc., under which Montaup consents to the assignment by Dighton Power Associates Limited Partnership (Dighton) of certain of Dighton's rights under the Interconnection Agreement between Montaup and Dighton dated as of April 10, 1997, and accepted for filing by letter order of August 4, 1997 in Docket No. ER97-2703-000.

Montaup requests that the Commission issue its order by the expiration of the 60-day notice period on December 10, 1997.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

8. Commonwealth Electric Company, Cambridge Electric Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-135-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Commonwealth Electric Company (Commonwealth) and Cambridge Electric Light Company (Cambridge), collectively referred to as the Companies, tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission their quarterly reports under Commonwealth's Market-Based Power Sales Tariff (FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 7) and Cambridge's Market-Based Power Sales Tariff (FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 9) for the period of July 1, 1997 to September 30, 1997.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

9. New England Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-136-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, New England Power Company (NEP) filed a Service Agreement with New York State Electric & Gas Corporation for non-firm, point-to-point transmission service under NEP's open access transmission tariff, FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 9.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

10. PP&L, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-137-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, PP&L, Inc., formerly known as Pennsylvania Power & Light Company

(PP&L), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission one Borderline Service Agreement (Agreement) between PP&L and Pennsylvania Electric Company, d/b/a GPU Energy, dated September 11, 1997. The Agreement supplements a borderline service umbrella tariff approved by the Commission in Docket No. ER93-847-000 by establishing the precise point of delivery, metering arrangements, and transmission losses associated with a new point of delivery under the umbrella tariff.

In accordance with the policy announced in *Prior Notice and Filing Requirements Under Part II of the Federal Power Act*, 64 FERC ¶ 61,139, clarified and reh'g granted in part and denied in part, 65 FERC ¶ 61,081 (1993), PP&L requests the Commission to make the Agreement effective as of September 11, 1997 because service will be provided under an umbrella tariff and the service agreement is filed within 30 days after the commencement of service. In accordance with 18 CFR 35.11, PP&L has requested waiver of the sixty-day notice period in 18 CFR 35.2(e). PP&L has also requested waiver of certain filing requirements for information previously filed with the Commission in Docket No. ER93-847-008.

PP&L states that a copy of its filing was provided to Pennsylvania Electric Company, d/b/a GPU Energy, and to Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

11. Wisconsin Electric Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-138-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric), tendered for filing a Short Term Firm Transmission Service Agreement between itself and NIPSCO Energy Services, Inc. (NESI). The Transmission Service Agreement allows NESI to receive transmission service under Wisconsin Electric's FERC Electric Tariff, Volume No. 7, which is pending Commission 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 NESI, the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin and the Michigan Public Service Commission.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

12. Western Resources, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-139-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Western Resources, Inc., tendered for filing a firm transmission agreement between Western Resources and Western Resources Generation Services. Western Resources states that the purpose of the agreement is to permit non-discriminatory access to the transmission facilities owned or controlled by Western Resources in accordance with Western Resources' open access transmission tariff on file with the Commission. The agreement is proposed to become effective October 9, 1997.

Copies of the filing were served upon Western Resources Generation Services and the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. Northern States Power Company (Minnesota Company)

[Docket No. ER98-140-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Northern States Power Company (Minnesota)(NSP), tendered for filing the Short-Term Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service Agreement between NSP and Madison Gas & Electric Company.

NSP requests that the Commission accept the agreement effective September 18, 1997, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements in order for the agreement to be accepted for filing on the date requested.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. Washington Water Power

[Docket No. ER98-141-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Washington Water Power tendered for filing in accordance with 18 CFR Part 35 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations a Notice of Termination of the Restated Agreement For The Sale Of Firm Capacity And Firm Energy between The Washington Water Power Company (WWP) And Public Utility District No. 1 of Clark County Washington, previously filed with the Commission under Docket No. ER96-2607-000 (which has not yet been accepted for filing), has been terminated by mutual agreement, effective September 30, 1997. This termination is contingent upon effectiveness of a new long-term agreement under WWP's FERC Electric Tariff Volume No. 9.

Notice of the proposed cancellation has been served upon the following: Mr. Wayne Nelson, General Manager, Public Utility District No. 1 of Clark County, Washington, PO Box 8900, Vancouver, Washington 98668.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Washington Water Power

[Docket No. ER98-142-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Washington Water Power, tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission pursuant to 18 CFR Part 35 of the Commission Rules and Regulations, an executed Long Term Service Agreement under WWP's FERC Electric Tariff First Revised Volume No. 9 with Public Utility District No. 1 of Clark County, Washington. WWP requests waiver of

the prior notice requirement and requests an effective date of October 1, 1997.

Notice of the filing has been served upon the following: Mr. Wayne Nelson, General Manager, Public Utility District No. 1 of Clark County, Washington, PO Box 8900, Vancouver, Washington 98668.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

16. Kansas City Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-143-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), tendered for filing a Service Agreement dated September 29, 1997, between KCPL and Avista Energy, Inc., KCPL proposes an effective date of October 6, 1997, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement.

This Agreement provides for the rates and charges for Non-Firm Transmission Service.

In its filing, KCPL states that the rates included in the above-mentioned Service Agreement are KCPL's rates and charges in the compliance filing to FERC Order No. 888-A in Docket No. OA97-636.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

17. Duke Energy Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-144-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Duke Power, a division of Duke Energy Corporation (Duke), tendered for filing Transmission Service Agreements between Duke, on its own behalf and acting as agent for its wholly-owned subsidiary, Nantahala Power and Light Company, and the following customers:

Customer	Type of serv. agreement	Date of serv. agreement	Requested effective date
Dayton Power & Light Company	Non-Firm	September 23, 1997	September 23, 1997.
The Energy Authority, Inc	Non-Firm	September 18, 1997	September 18, 1997.
Progress Power Marketing, Inc	Non-Firm	October 2, 1997	October 2, 1997.

Duke requests that the TSAs be made effective as rate schedules as of the dates set forth above.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

18. Wisconsin Electric Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-145-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric), tendered for filing an electric service agreement under its Coordination Sales Tariff (FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 2). Wisconsin Electric respectfully requests an effective date November 1, 1997. Wisconsin Electric is authorized to state that Williams Energy Services Company joins in the requested effective date.

Copies of the filing have been served on Williams Energy Services Company, the Michigan Public Service Commission, and the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

19. Central Louisiana Electric Company, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-146-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Central Louisiana Electric Company, Inc., (CLECO), tendered for filing a service agreement under which CLECO,

Transmission Services (CLECO-TS) will provide Umbrella Short Term Firm point-to-point transmission service to CLECO, Wholesale Merchant Operations (CLECO-WMO) under its point-to-point transmission tariff.

CLECO states that a copy of the filing has been served on CLECO-WMO.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

20. Central Louisiana Electric Company, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-147-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Central Louisiana Electric Company, Inc., (CLECO), tendered for filing two service agreements under which CLECO will provide non-firm and short term firm point-to-point transmission services to Tenaska Power Services Company under its point-to-point transmission tariff.

CLECO states that a copy of the filing has been served on Tenaska Power Services Co.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

21. Central Louisiana Electric Company, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-148-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Central Louisiana Electric Company,

Inc., (CLECO), tendered for filing an umbrella service agreement under which CLECO will make market based power sales under its MR-1 tariff with Minnesota Power and Light Company.

CLECO states that a copy of the filing has been served on Minnesota Power & Light Company.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

22. Tapoco, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-149-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Tapoco, Inc. (Tapoco), filed with the Commission the Amending Agreement Between Tennessee Valley Authority and Tapoco, Inc., dated March 1, 1997, (Agreement). The Agreement is submitted as a supplement to Tapoco Rate Schedule No. 6 and supplements to Rate Schedule No. 6. Tapoco states that the effect of the Agreement is to extend the term of an earlier Amending Agreement, dated October 24, 1994, and to provide the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) with a right of first refusal to purchase Tapoco's transmission facilities should Tapoco decide to sell. Tapoco requests that the Agreement be made effective as of March 1, 1997.

Copies of this filing were served on TVA, the Tennessee Public Service Commission, and the North Carolina

Utilities Commission. A courtesy copy of the filing was also served on Nantahala Power & Light Company, an adjoining, interconnected public utility that is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Duke Power Company.

Comment date: November 13, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

23. Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-150-000]

Take notice that on October 14, 1997, Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation (RG&E) filed a Service Agreement between RG&E and the Entergy Power Marketing Corp., (Customer). This Service Agreement specifies that the Customer has agreed to the rates, terms and conditions of the RG&E open access transmission tariff filing on July 9, 1996, in Docket No. OA96-141-000.

RG&E requests waiver of the Commission's sixty (60) day notice requirements and an effective date of September 29, 1997, for the Entergy Power Marketing Corp., Service Agreement. RG&E has served copies of the filing on the New York State Public Service commission and on the Customer.

Comment date: November 13, 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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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER98-117-000, et al.]

Kansas City Power & Light Company, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

October 28, 1997.

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

1. Kansas City Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-117-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), tendered for filing a Service Agreement dated October 6, 1997, between KCPL and Federal Energy Sales Inc. KCPL proposes an effective date of October 6, 1997, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement. This Agreement provides for Non-Firm Power Sales Service.

In its filing, KCPL states that the rates included in the above-mentioned Service Agreement are pursuant to KCPL's compliance filing in Docket No. ER94-1045.

Comment date: November 12, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Louisville Gas and Electric Company, Kentucky Utilities Company

[Docket No. ER98-114-000]

Take notice that on October 9, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities Company (KU), tendered for filing, pursuant to 18 CFR 35.13, a proposed change to a rate schedule titled Open Access Transmission Tariff of Louisville Gas and Electric Company/Kentucky Utilities Co. (OATT) and a Joint Code of Conduct. The OATT will govern the provision of transmission service on the combined transmission systems of LG&E and KU as a single control area. The Joint Code of Conduct provides for the separation of transmission functions from wholesale energy merchant functions.

Copies of the filing were served upon LG&E's and KU's jurisdictional customers, the Kentucky Public Service Commission, the Virginia State Corporation Commission, and the Tennessee Regulatory Authority.

Comment date: November 12, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Northern States Power Company (Minnesota Company)

[Docket No. ER98-115-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Northern States Power Company (Minnesota)(NSP), tendered for filing a Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service Agreement and a Short-Term Firm Transmission Service Agreement between NSP and MidAmerican Energy Company.

NSP requests that the Commission accept both the agreements effective September 10, 1997, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements in order for the agreements to be accepted for filing on the date requested.

Comment date: November 12, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Northern States Power Company (Minnesota Company)

[Docket No. ER98-116-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Northern States Power Company (Minnesota)(NSP), tendered for filing a Reserved Transmission Service Agreement between NSP and Wisconsin Power and Light.

NSP requests that the Commission accept the agreement effective January 1, 1998, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements in order for the agreement to be accepted for filing on the date requested.

Comment date: November 12, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-118-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy), tendered for filing a service agreement under Cinergy's Open Access Transmission Service Tariff (the Tariff) entered into between Cinergy and QST Energy Trading (QST).

Cinergy and QST are requesting an effective date of October 1, 1997.

Comment date: November 12, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. Arizona Public Service Company

[Docket No. ER98-119-000]

Take notice that on October 10, 1997, Arizona Public Service Company (APS), tendered for filing Service Agreements under APS' FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 3 with Williams Energy Services Company and PG&E Energy Services.

A copy of this filing has been served on the Arizona Corporation