

## APPENDIX—IMPORT/EXPORT BLANKET AUTHORIZATIONS GRANTED AND TRANSFERRED—Continued

Order No.	Date issued	Importer/exporter FE docket No.	Two-year maximum		Comments
			Import volume	Export volume	
1349 .....	01/08/98	WGR Canada, Inc. 97-113-NG .....	73 Bcf .....	73 Bcf .....	Import and export from and to Canada beginning on the date of first delivery of either.
145-A .....	01/08/98	Pan-Alberta Gas (U.S.) Inc. (Formerly NATGAS (U.S.), Inc. 86-29-NG.	.....	.....	Name change.
1350 .....	01/09/98	El Paso Energy Marketing Company 98-01-NG.	200 Bcf .....	.....	Import from Canada beginning on the date of first delivery.
1351 .....	01/12/98	The Montana Power Trading & Marketing Company 97-115-NG.	40 Bcf .....	.....	Import from Canada beginning on the date of first delivery after January 27, 1998.
1353 .....	01/16/98	Cook Inlet Energy Supply, Limited Partnership 98-02-NG.	.....	200 Bcf .....	Export to Mexico beginning on the date of first delivery.
1070-A .....	01/22/98	Sempre Energy Trading Corp. (Formerly AIG Trading Corporation) 95-38-NG.	.....	.....	Name change.
1276-A .....	01/22/98	Sempre Energy Trading Corp. (Formerly AIG Trading Corporation) 97-42-NG.	.....	.....	Name change.
1355 .....	01/30/98	SEMCO Energy Services, Inc. 98-07-NG.	800 Bcf .....	.....	Import from Canada beginning February 1, 1998, through January 31, 2000.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

[FE Docket No. 98-08-NG]

**Office of Fossil Energy, Vermont Gas Systems, Inc.; Order Granting Long-Term Authorization To Import Natural Gas From Canada**

**AGENCY:** Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.  
**ACTION:** Notice of Order.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of Fossil Energy of the Department of Energy gives notice that it has issued an order granting Vermont Gas Systems, Inc. (Vermont Gas) authorization to import 8,000 Mcf of natural gas per day from Canada (or alternatively 12,355 Mcf per day should Vermont Gas exercise an option under its supply contract) for a ten-year term beginning on November 1, 1998, under the terms and conditions of its supply contract with Renaissance Energy Ltd. The natural gas will be imported at the international border between Canada and the United States near Philipsburg, Québec, and Highgate Springs, Vermont.

This order is available for inspection and copying in the Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import and Export Activities Docket Room, 3E-033, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, (202) 586-9478. The docket room is open between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued in Washington, D.C., February 11, 1998.

**John W. Glynn,**

*Manager, Natural Gas Regulation, Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import and Export Activities, Office of Fossil Energy.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ER98-1752-000]

**Black Hills Corporation; Notice of Filing**

February 17, 1998.

Take notice that on February 5, 1998, Black Hills Corporation, which operates its electric utility business under the assumed name of Black Hills Power and Light Company (Black Hills), tendered for filing an executed Form Service Agreement with Platte River Power Authority.

Copies of the filing were provided to the regulatory commission of each of the states of Montana, South Dakota, and Wyoming.

Black Hills has requested that further notice requirement be waived and the tariff and executed service agreements be allowed to become effective January 12, 1998.

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 or 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 February 27, 1998. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make any 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.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ER98-1579-000]

**Cinergy Services, Inc.; Notice of Filing**

February 17, 1998.

Take notice that on January 26, 1998, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy), tendered for filing a service agreement under Cinergy's Sales Standard Tariff (the Tariff), entered into between Cinergy and Entergy Services, Inc. (Entergy).

Cinergy and Entergy are requesting an effective date of one day after the filing of the Power Sales Service Agreement.

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 February 26, 1998. 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.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER98-488-001]

#### Cinergy Services, Inc.; Notice of Filing

February 17, 1998.

Take notice that on January 23, 1998, Cinergy Services, Inc., tendered for filing its amended power service agreement in the above-referenced docket.

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 February 27, 1998. 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.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER98-488-000]

#### Cinergy Services, Inc.; Notice of Filing

February 12, 1998.

Take notice that on January 23, 1998, Cinergy Services, Inc., filed an amendment in the above-captioned proceeding.

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, DC 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 must be filed on or before February 26, 1998. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make the 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.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. ER98-1292-000 and EL98-20-000]

#### Dayton Power and Light Company; Notice of Initiation of Proceeding and Refund Effective Date

February 17, 1998.

Take notice that on February 13, 1998, the Commission issued an order in the above-indicated dockets initiating a proceeding in Docket No. EL98-20-000 under section 206 of the Federal Power Act.

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL98-20-000 will be 60 days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-287-013]

#### El Paso Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

February 17, 1998.

Take notice that on February 11, 1998, El Paso Natural Gas Company (El Paso) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1-A, the following tariff sheet to become effective January 1, 1998:

Substitute Sixth Revised Sheet No. 31

El Paso states that the above tariff sheet is being filed to revise a footnote reference regarding the charges related to a minimum take provision that was included in El Paso's Statement of Negotiated Rates filing made effective on January 1, 1998 by Commission order.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests should 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 proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP98-123-002]

#### Equitrans, L.P.; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

February 17, 1998.

Take notice that on February 10, 1998, Equitrans, L.P. (Equitrans) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets to become effective March 1, 1998:

Fifth Revised Sheet No. 66

Equitrans states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Federal