

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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[Docket No. EC96-14-000, et al.]

**Metropolitan Edison Company, et al.
Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation
Filings**

March 21, 1996.

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

1. Metropolitan Edison Company

[Docket No. EC96-14-000]

Take notice that on March 11, 1996, Metropolitan Edison Company (MetEd) submitted for filing an application under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act seeking authorization from the Commission for the sale and lease of certain MetEd transmission facilities to Pennsylvania Power & Light Company (PP&L). MetEd has served copies of the filing on the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission and PP&L.

Comment date: April 10, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. PanEnergy Lake Charles Generation, Inc.

[Docket No. EG96-50-000]

On March 18, 1996, PanEnergy Lake Charles Generation, Inc. ("Applicant"), 5400 Westheimer Court, Houston, Texas 77056, 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.

Applicant, is an indirect, wholly-owned subsidiary of Panhandle Eastern Corporation, doing business as PanEnergy Corp. Applicant intends to purchase a portion of a generating facility (the "Facility") with a nominal capacity of 32 megawatts located in the vicinity of Lake Charles, Louisiana. Applicant's portion of the Facility is an eligible facility as defined under Section 32(a)(2) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935.

Comment date: April 11, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice. The Commission will limit its consideration of comments to those that concern the adequacy or accuracy of the application.

3. Louisville Gas and Electric Company
[Docket No. ER94-1380-007]

Take notice that on February 28, 1996, Louisville Gas and Electric Company tendered for filing revisions to its rate schedules to comply with the Commission's order issued on July 25, 1995 in Docket No. ER94-1380-000.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Ruffin Energy Services, Inc., Premier Enterprises, Inc.

[Docket Nos. ER95-1047-002 and ER95-1123-001 (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 March 11, 1996 Ruffin Energy Services, Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's July 7, 1995, order in Docket No. ER95-1047-000.

On February 26, 1996 Premier Enterprises, Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's August 7, 1995, order in Docket No. ER95-1123-000.

5. Great Bay Power Corporation

[Docket No. ER96-726-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, Great Bay Power Corporation (Great Bay) tendered for filing further revisions to its Tariff for Short-Term Sales, under which it sells capacity and/or energy from its ownership interest in Seabrook Unit No. 1 and/or purchased power. The currently effective Tariff was accepted for filing by the Commission on November 11, 1993, in Docket No. ER93-924-000. Great Bay requests an effective date for the revisions of February 28, 1996.

Great Bay states copies of the filing were served on existing customers and on the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. South Carolina Electric & Gas Company

[Docket No. ER96-870-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (SCE&G), tendered for filing an amendment to a transmission service agreement dated January 1, 1996 between SCE&G and the South Carolina Public Service Authority under which SCE&G will provide specified transmission service to the Woodland

Hills Substation effective January 1, 1996. SCE&G requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements to implement the agreement as amended.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. Duke/Louis Dreyfus Energy Services (New England) L.L.C.

[Docket No. ER96-1121-000]

Take notice that on March 18, 1996, Duke/Louis Dreyfus Energy Services (New England) L.L.C. (the Applicant) filed (1) additional exhibits to the prepared direct testimony of Mr. Boisvert enclosed with the original filing and (2) a revision to the Code of Conduct as originally filed. These enclosures are tendered as a supplement to the filing in response to a request by Staff.

The additional exhibits to Mr. Boisvert's testimony present the data already contained in his exhibits in the format which Staff has requested. The exhibits continue to show that Montaup Electric Company has only a small share of relevant generation markets.

The Applicant requests waiver of the 60-day notice requirement in order to allow the filing, as supplemented, to become effective on April 21, 1996, when the original filing was requested to become effective.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

8. New England Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-1162-000]

Take notice that on March 4, 1996, New England Power Company tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

9. Nevada Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-1214-000]

Take notice that on March 1, 1996, Nevada Power Company tendered for filing supplemental information to its February 29, 1996, filing in the above-referenced docket.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

10. UtiliCorp United Inc.

[Docket No. ER96-1227-000]

Take notice that Missouri Public Service, a Division of UtiliCorp United Inc. (MPS) on March 1, 1996, tendered for filing an Amendment dated February 20, 1996 to the Transmission and Interconnection Agreement between

MPS and Associated Electric Cooperative, Inc. (AEC) dated August 24, 1988 (the Agreement).

The filing states that the Amendment was entered into in order to add a new delivery point to the Agreement. No change in rates will occur as a result of the Amendment.

Copies of the filing were served upon AEC and the Missouri Public Service Commission.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

11. Midwest Power Systems, Inc.

[Docket No. ER96-1252-000]

Take notice that on March 5, 1996, Midwest Power Systems, Inc. tendered for filing a Notice of Cancellation of FERC Rate Schedule No. 52.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

12. NEES Transmission Services, Inc., New England Power Company, Massachusetts Electric Company, The Narragansett Electric Company, and Granite State Electric Company

[Docket No. ER96-1309-000]

Take notice that on March 13, 1996, NEES Transmission Services, Inc. (NEES Trans) filed open access transmission tariffs and service agreements for point-to-point and network service. Concurrent with this filing the New England Electric System is seeking Securities and Exchange Commission approval to establish a transmission-only company and an affiliate of the New England Electric System. According to NEES Trans, it will assume control of the transmission facilities and transmission entitlements held by New England Power Company (NEP) and the distribution facilities of Massachusetts Electric Company (Mass Electric), The Narragansett Electric Company (Narragansett) and Granite State Electric Company (Granite State) for wholesale purposes. NEES Trans will henceforth be the sole provider of wholesale transmission and wholesale distribution services across the integrated network of the NEES Companies.

As part of the filing, NEP also filed relevant amendments to its FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, which provides all-requirements service, to begin the unbundling of that tariff.

NEES Trans and NEP also tendered for filing a series of contracts which support the unbundling of generation and transmission services. NEP, Mass Electric, Narragansett and Granite State

tendered a Transmission and Distribution Support Agreement which authorizes this arrangement and provides for the rates to be charged to NEES Trans.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. TransAlta Enterprises Corporation

[Docket No. ER96-1316-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, TransAlta Enterprises Corporation (TEN), tendered for filing pursuant to Rule 205, 18 CFR 385.205, a petition for waivers and blanket approvals under various regulations of the Commission and for an order accepting its FERC Electric Rate Schedule No. 1 to be effective at the earliest possible date but no later than 60 days from the date of its filing.

TEN intends to engage in electric power and energy transactions as a marketer and a broker. In transactions where TEN sells electric energy, it proposes to make such sales on rates, terms, and conditions to be mutually agreed to with the purchasing party. As outlined in the petition, TEN is an affiliate of TransAlta Utilities Corporation, an integrated electric utility serving customers in Alberta, Canada.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. The Dayton Power and Light Co.

[Docket No. ER96-1317-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, The Dayton Power and Light Company (Dayton), tendered for filing on an executed Master Electric Interchange Agreement between Dayton and Noram Energy Services (NES).

Pursuant to the rate schedules attached as Exhibit B to the Agreement Dayton will provide to NES power and/or energy for resale.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER96-1318-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, Louisville Gas and Electric Company, tendered for filing copies of service agreements between Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Enron Power Marketing, Inc. under Rate GSS.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

16. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER96-1319-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, Louisville Gas and Electric Company, tendered for filing copies of service agreements between Louisville Gas and Electric Company and NorAm Energy Services under Rate GSS.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

17. Public Service Electric and Gas Company

[Docket No. ER96-1320-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G), tendered for filing, two transmission tariffs: a Point-to-Point Transmission Service Tariff and a Network Integration Service Transmission Tariff. PSE&G states that the tariffs are substantively identical to the Pro-Forma tariffs attached to the Commission's NOPR in Docket No. RM95-8-000. Copies of this filing have been served to the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

18. Tampa Electric Company

[Docket No. ER96-1321-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, Tampa Electric Company (Tampa Electric), tendered for filing umbrella service agreements with InterCoast Power Marketing Company, Sonat Power Marketing, Inc., and the Utilities Commission, City of New Smyrna Beach under Tampa Electric's point-to-point transmission service tariff.

Tampa Electric proposes an effective date of March 12, 1996, for the service agreements, and therefore requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements.

Copies of the filing have been served on each customer under the service agreements and the Florida Public Service Commission.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

19. Wisconsin Electric Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-1322-000]

Take notice that on March 15, 1996, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric), tendered for filing an Electric Service Agreement between itself and Utilicorp United. The Electric Service Agreement provides for service under Wisconsin Electric's Coordination Sales Tariff.

Wisconsin Electric requests an effective date of sixty days from the date of this filing. Copies of the filing have been served on Utilicorp United, the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin and the Michigan Public Service Commission.

Comment date: April 4, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

20. Interstate Power Company

[Docket No. ES96-20-000]

Take notice that on March 18, 1996, Interstate Power Company filed an application under § 204 of the Federal Power Act seeking authorization to issue up to \$75 million of short-term debt on or before December 31, 1997, with final maturities not later than December 31, 1998.

Comment date: April 17, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

21. AES Puerto Rico, L.P.

[Docket No. QF96-28-000]

On March 19, 1996, AES Puerto, L.P. tendered for filing an amendment to its filing in this docket.

The amendment pertains to information relating to the ownership and technical aspects of the facility. No determination has been made that this submittal constitutes a complete filing.

Comment date: April 12, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

22. Trigen St. Louis, Inc.

[Docket No. TX96-8-000]

On March 19, 1996, Trigen St. Louis, Inc. (Trigen), One Ashley Place, St. Louis, Missouri, filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission an application requesting that the Commission order Union Electric (UE) to provide transmission services pursuant to Section 211 of the Federal Power Act.

Trigen requests the Commission to issue a proposed order directing that UE provide Trigen with firm point-to-point service to move 57 MW from the facility site to UE's interconnection with CIPSCO, with nonfirm service to other interconnections. Moreover, the service should be provided under rates, terms and conditions comparable and equivalent to those being provided to other users of UE's transmission system, including UE. Service should begin fifteen (15) months after a transmission agreement is reached and continue for a fifteen (15) year period.

Comment date: April 19, 1996, 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

[OPP-181005; FRL 5358-1]

Carbofuran; Receipt of Application for Emergency Exemption, Solicitation of Public Comment

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA has received a specific exemption request from the Arkansas State Plant Board (hereafter referred to as the "Applicant") to use the pesticide flowable Carbofuran (Furadan 4F Insecticide/Nematicide) (EPA Reg. No. 279-2876) to treat up to 1 million acres of cotton to control cotton aphids. The Applicant proposes the use of a chemical which has been the subject of a Special Review within EPA's Office of Pesticide Programs, and the proposed use could pose a risk similar the risk assessed by EPA under the Special Review of granular carbofuran. Therefore, in accordance with 40 CFR 166.24, EPA is soliciting public comment before making the decision whether or not to grant the exemption. **DATES:** Comments must be received on or before April 11, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Three copies of written comments, bearing the identification notation "OPP-181005," should be submitted by mail to: Public Response and Program Resource Branch, Field Operations Division (7506C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental

Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. In person, bring comments to: Rm. 1132, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

Comments and data may also be submitted electronically by sending electronic mail (e-mail) to: opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov. Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Comments and data will also be accepted on disks in WordPerfect in 5.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket number [OPP-181005]. No Confidential Business Information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail. Electronic comments on this notice may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries. Additional information on electronic submissions can be found below in this document.

Information submitted in any comment concerning this notice may be claimed confidential by marking any part or all of that information as (CBI). Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2. A copy of the comment that does not contain CBI must be provided by the submitter for inclusion in the public record. Information not marked confidential may be disclosed publicly by EPA without prior notice. All written comments filed pursuant to this notice will be available for public inspection in Rm. 1132, Crystal Mall No. 2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: David Deegan, Registration Division (7505W), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location and telephone number: Floor 6, Crystal Station #1, 2800 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA, (703)308-8327; e-mail: deegan.dave@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to Section 18 of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) (7 U.S.C. 136p), the Administrator may, at her discretion, exempt a state agency from any registration provision of FIFRA if she determines that emergency conditions exist which require such exemption. The Applicant has requested the Administrator to issue a specific exemption for the use of carbofuran on cotton to control aphids. Information in accordance with 40 CFR part 166 was submitted as part of this request.