Comment date: April 19, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 11. Southwest Power Pool

[Docket No. ER99-2291-000]

Take notice that on March 29, 1999, Southwest Power Pool (SPP) tendered for filing executed service agreements for short-term firm point-to-point and non-firm point-to-point transmission service under the SPP Tariff with Energy Transfer Group (Energy Transfer), L.L.C. and LG&E Energy Marketing, Inc. (LG&E Energy).

Copies of this filing were served upon all signatories.

SPP requests an effective date of March 5, 1999 for the agreements with Energy Transfer, and an effective date of February 25, 1999 for the agreements with LG&E Energy.

Comment date: April 19, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 12. PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

[Docket No. ER99-2292-000]

Take notice that on March 29, 1999, PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM) submitted for filing a supplement to the Emergency Reliability Service Agreement between PJM and the New England Power Pool (NEPOOL) to implement the Commission-approved locational marginal price pricing methodology set forth in the PJM Open Access Transmission Tariff.

Copies of this filing were served upon all PJM members and all state regulatory commissions in the PJM and NEPOOL control areas.

Comment date: April 19, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

# 13. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

[Docket No. ER99-2293-000]

Take notice that on March 29, 1999, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG) filed executed Network Service and Network Operating Agreements between NYSEG and Energy Cooperative of Western New York, Inc. These Agreements specify that the Transmission Customer has agreed to the rates, terms and conditions of NYSEG's currently effective open access transmission tariff and other revisions to the OATT applicable to all customers who take service under its retail access program.

NYSEG has served copies of the filing on the New York State Public Service Commission and the Transmission Customer. Comment date: April 19, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

## 14. Wisconsin Electric Power Company

[Docket No. ER99-2294-000]

Take notice that on March 29, 1999, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric), tendered for filing a short-term Firm Transmission Service Agreement between itself and Minnesota Power, Inc. (MPEX). The Transmission Service Agreement allows MPEX to receive firm transmission service under Wisconsin Energy Corporation Operating Companies FERC Electric tariff, Volume No. 1.

Also included in Wisconsin Electric's submittal is an assignment of Service Agreement Nos. 57 and 57.1 from National Gas & Electric L.P. to PanCanadian Energy Services L.P. (PCES L.P.).

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 MPEX, PCES L.P., the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin and the Michigan Public Service Commission.

Comment date: April 19, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

# 15. Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER99-2295-000]

Take notice that on March 29, 1999, Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company (SIGECO) tendered for filing the Wholesale Energy Service Agreement dated February 26, 1999 by and between Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company and Delmarva Power and Light Company concerning the provision of electric service to Delmarva Power and Light Company, as an umbrella service agreement under its market-based Wholesale Power Sales Tariff.

SIGECO requests that the agreement become effective March 1, 1999.

Comment date: April 19, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

## **Standard Paragraphs**

E. Any person desiring to be heard or to protest such 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 (18 CFR part 385.211 and 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 these filings are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the Internet at http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (call 202–208–2222 for assistance).

#### David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

### Notice of Recreation Plan Amendment and Soliciting Comments, Motions to Intervene, and Protests

April 5, 1999.

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

- a. Application Type: Amendment of Recreation Plan.
  - b. Project No.: 2113-106.
  - c. Date Filed: March 11,1999.
- d. Applicant: Wisconsin Valley Improvement Company.
- e. Name of Project: Wisconsin Valley Project.
- f. Location: This amendment will affect project lands on the shore of Rice Lake, in Oneida and Lincoln Counties, Wisconsin. The project utilizes U.S. Forest Service lands within the Nicolet and Ottawa National Forests, and lands of the Lac Vieux Desert Band of Chippewa Indians.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a)–825(r).
- h. Applicant Contact: Mr. Robert W. Gall, Wisconsin Valley Improvement Company, 2301 N. Third Street, Wausau, WI 54403, (715) 848–2976.
- i. FERC Contact: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Patti Pakkala, by e-mail at patti.pakkala@ferc.fed.us, or telephone at (202) 219–0025.
- j. Deadline for filing comments and or motions: May 13, 1999.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Mail Code: DLC HL-11.1, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Please include the project number (2113–106) on any comments or motions filed.

k. Description of Amendment: The amendment will involve recreation site numbers 1, 2, and 7, as previously approved by the Commission on January 8, 1999. Specifically, the application requests Commission approval of the following changes: (1) delete new Site 7 from the recreation plan; (2) accelerate the development of Site 2 as an alternative to constructing new Site 7; and (3) close Site 1 when Site 2 is completed.

l. Locations of the Application: A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208–1371. The filing may be viewed on http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (call (202) 208–2222 for assistance). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

n. This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: B, C1 and D2.

B. Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, 385.211, 285.214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

C1. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS",

"RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTEST", OR "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies provided by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative

of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

D2. Agency Comments—Federal, state, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described application. A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant. If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

#### David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPPTS-140279; FRL-6071-5]

# Access to Confidential Business Information by Battelle Memorial Institute

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA has authorized its contractor Battelle Memorial Institute (BMI), of Columbus, Ohio, access to information which has been submitted to EPA under sections 4, 5, 6, 8(a), 11, and 21 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA). Some of the information may be claimed or determined to be confidential business information (CBI).

DATES: Access to the confidential data by BMI occurred as a result of an approved waiver dated March 4, 1999, which requested granting BMI immediate access to TSCA CBI. This waiver was necessary to allow BMI to provide statistical, mathematical, field data collection and technical analysis support and planning for the Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (OPPT) programs.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Christine M. Augustyniak, Associate Director, Environmental Assistance Division (7408), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. E–545, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460, (202) 554–1404, TDD: (202) 554–0551; e-mail: TSCA-Hotline@epamail.epa.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under contract number 68–W9–9033, contractor BMI of 505 King Avenue, Columbus, OH, will assist OPPT by providing statistical, mathematical, field data collection and technical analysis

support and planning for OPPT programs.

In accordance with 40 CFR 2.306(j), EPA has determined that under EPA contract number 68–W9–9033, BMI will require access to CBI submitted to EPA under sections 4, 5, 6, 8(a), 11 and 21 of TSCA to perform successfully the duties specified under the contract. BMI personnel will be given access to information submitted to EPA under sections 4, 5, 6, 8(a), 11, and 21 of TSCA. Some of the information may be claimed or determined to be CBI.

EPA is issuing this notice to inform all submitters of information under sections 4, 5, 6, 8(a), 11, and 21 of TSCA that EPA may provide BMI access to these CBI materials on a need-to-know basis only. All access to TSCA CBI under this contract will take place at EPA Headquarters and BMI's Columbus, OH facility.

BMI will be authorized access to TSCA CBI at their facility under the EPA TSCA Confidential Business Information Security Manual. Before access to TSCA CBI is authorized at BMI's site, EPA will perform the required inspection of its facility and ensure that the facility is in compliance with the manual. Upon completing review of the CBI materials, BMI will return all transferred materials to EPA.

Clearance for access to TSCA CBI under this contract may continue until March 2, 2004.

BMI personnel will be required to sign nondisclosure agreements and will be briefed on appropriate security procedures before they are permitted access to TSCA CBI.

### List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Access to confidential business information.

Dated: April 2, 1999.

#### Allan S. Abramson,

Director, Information Management Division, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics.

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## **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

[ER-FRL-6241-6]

# Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared March 15, 1999 Through March 19, 1999 pursuant to the Environmental Review Process (ERP), under Section 309 of the Clean Air Act