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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EG99-56-000, et al.]

#### Entergy Nuclear Generation Company, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

January 5, 1999.

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

##### 1. Entergy Nuclear Generation Company

[Docket No. EG99-56-000]

Take notice that on December 24, 1998, Entergy Nuclear Generation Company (Applicant), 1340 Echelon Parkway, Jackson, Mississippi 39213, filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission an application for redetermination of exempt wholesale generator status pursuant to Part 365 of the Commission's Regulations.

The Applicant is a corporation that will engage directly or indirectly and exclusively in the business of owning and/or operating eligible facilities in the United States (consisting primarily, if not exclusively, of nuclear powered generating stations) and selling electric energy at wholesale. The Applicant has previously been determined to be an exempt wholesale generator 85 FERC ¶ 62,147. The Applicant now proposes to acquire the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station (the Facility), a 670 MW nuclear power electric generating facility, from Boston Edison Company and, therefore, seeks a redetermination of its exempt wholesale generator status. Electric energy generated by the Facility will be sold exclusively at wholesale.

*Comment date:* January 26, 1999, 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.

##### 2. The United Illuminating Company, Wisvest-Connecticut, LLC, and Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company

[Docket Nos. EC99-17-000 and ER99-977-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, the United Illuminating Company

(United Illuminating), Wisvest-Connecticut, LLC (Wisvest-Connecticut) and Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company (FG&E) (the Applicants) supplemented their previous filings in these dockets, made pursuant to Sections 203 and 205 of the Federal Power Act, and Parts 33 and 35 of the Commission's Regulations, of applications and rate schedules in connection with the divestiture by United Illuminating of substantially all of its fossil electric generation assets, as well as wholesale power sales agreements, by sale to Wisvest-Connecticut, all pursuant to a series of agreements dated October 2, 1998. The previous filings also seek approval of the transfer by FG&E to United Illuminating, for sale to Wisvest-Connecticut, of FG&E's 4.5% interest in the New Haven Harbor Station, one of the electric generation assets that United Illuminating is divesting.

In the supplemental filing, the Applicants provide the Commission with (1) a letter agreement dated December 18, 1998, clarifying certain terms in the October 2, 1998 Purchase and Sale Agreement between United Illuminating and Wisvest-Connecticut, clarifying the effective date of the Power Supply Agreement and Purchased Power Agreement attached to the Purchase and Sale Agreement, and setting forth a formula referenced in the Purchased Power Agreement; (2) an amendment, dated December 18, 1998, clarifying the timing of payment and the delivery of instruments of transfer pursuant to the October 30, 1998 Purchase and Sale Agreement between United Illuminating and FG&E; (3) FG&E's December 28, 1998 filing with the Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control for approval of FG&E's transfer to United Illuminating of FG&E's 4.5% ownership interest in the New Haven Harbor Station; and (4) FG&E's December 24, 1998 filing with the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy for the findings required for a determination of exempt wholesale generator (EWG) status.

Copies of the supplemental filing have been served on the regulatory agencies in the State of Connecticut, Commonwealth of Massachusetts and State of New Hampshire.

*Comment date:* January 28, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 3. PSEG PPN Operations Private Limited

[Docket No. EG99-53-000]

On December 30, 1998, PSEG PPN Operations Private Limited (PPN

Operations), with its principal office at Prakash Presidium, II Floor, 110 Mahatma Gandhi Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai-600 034, India 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.

PPN Operations is a company organized under the laws of the Republic of India. PPN Operations will be engaged directly or indirectly, through a Section 2(a)(11)(B) affiliate, and exclusively in operating a gas and/or naphtha-fired combined cycle generating facility; selling electric energy at wholesale and engaging in project development activities with respect thereto. The Facility will consist of one electric generating unit with a name plate rating of 347 megawatts and incidental facilities in Tamil Nadu, India.

*Comment date:* January 26, 1999, 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.

##### 4. Seminole Electric Cooperative, v. Florida Power & Light Company

[Docket No. EL99-19-000]

Take notice that on December 21, 1998, Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Seminole) tendered for filing a complaint against Florida Power & Light Company (FPL). The complaint alleged that Seminole was entitled to transmission and reactive power credits as part of the network rates to be charged to Seminole by FPL commencing January 1, 1999.

*Comment date:* February 4, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 5. LG&E-Westmoreland Southampton

[Docket No. ER97-656-002]

Take notice that on December 22, 1998, LG&E-Westmoreland Southampton (Southampton), tendered for filing its compliance report in the above-referenced docket. The report indicates the election made by Southampton with respect to its refund obligation under Article 2 of its October 1, 1998, Stipulation and Agreement with Virginia Electric and Power Company, which was approved in the Commission's December 11, 1998, letter order in Docket Nos. EL94-45-003, EL94-45-004, QF88-84-008, QF88-84-009, ER97-656-000 and ER97-656-001.

*Comment date:* January 11, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**6. Southwestern Electric Power Company**

[Docket No. ER99-1067-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, Southwestern Electric Power Company (SWEPCO), tendered for filing a letter agreement, dated November 30, 1998, between SWEPCO and Northeast Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc. (NTEC) and East Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc., (ETEC). The letter agreement is a supplement to the Amended and Restated Power Supply Agreement, dated June 30, 1997, between SWEPCO and NTEC, and the Scheduling Agreement, dated April 22, 1992, between SWEPCO and NTEC. The letter agreement accommodates changes ETEC and NTEC have made in certain of NTEC's power resources.

SWEPCO seeks an effective date of December 1, 1998 and, accordingly, seeks waiver of the Commission's notice requirements.

Copies of the filing were served on NTEC, ETEC and the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**7. Central Power and Light Company, West Texas Utilities Company, Public Service Company of Oklahoma, and Southwestern Electric Power Company**

[Docket No. ER99-1068-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, Central Power and Light Company, Public Service Company of Oklahoma, Southwestern Electric Power Company and West Texas Utilities Company (collectively, the CSW Operating Companies), tendered for filing a service agreement establishing Electric Clearinghouse, Inc. (ECI) as a customer under the CSW Operating Companies' market-based rate power sales tariff.

The CSW Operating Companies request an effective date of December 1, 1998, for the agreement with ECI and, accordingly, seek waiver of the Commission's notice requirements.

The CSW Operating Companies state that a copy of the filing was served on ECI.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**8. Carolina Power & Light Company**

[Docket No. ER99-1069-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, Carolina Power & Light Company (CP&L), tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service with Carolina Power & Light Company-Wholesale

Power Department. Service to this Eligible Customer will be in accordance with the terms and conditions of Carolina Power & Light Company's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

CP&L is requesting an effective date of January 1, 1999, for this Agreement.

Copies of the filing were served upon the North Carolina Utilities Commission and the South Carolina Public Service Commission.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**9. The Montana Power Company**

[Docket No. ER99-1070-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, The Montana Power Company (Montana), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission pursuant to 18 CFR 35.13 an unexecuted Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service Agreement with Ash Grove Cement West, Inc. (Ash Grove), under Montana's FERC Electric Tariff, Fourth Revised Volume No. 5 (Open Access Transmission Tariff).

A copy of the filing was served upon Ash Grove.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**10. Puget Sound Energy, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER99-1071-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, Puget Sound Energy, Inc., as Transmission Provider, tendered for filing an unexecuted Service Agreement for Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service (Firm Point-To-Point Service Agreement) and a Service Agreement for Non-Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service (Non-Firm Point-To-Point Service Agreement) with Public Service Company of New Mexico (PNM), as Transmission Customer.

A copy of the filing was served upon PNM.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**11. UtiliCorp United Inc.**

[Docket No. ER99-1072-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), tendered for filing a service agreement with TransAlta Energy Marketing (U.S.) Inc., for service under its Non-Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating division, WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**12. UtiliCorp United Inc.**

[Docket No. ER99-1073-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), tendered for filing a service agreement with TransAlta Energy Marketing (U.S.) Inc., for service under its Short-Term Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating division, WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**13. Southern Company Services, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER99-1074-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, Southern Company Services, Inc., acting on behalf of Alabama Power Company, Georgia Power Company, Gulf Power Company, Mississippi Power Company, and Savannah Electric and Power Company (collectively referred to as Southern Company), tendered for filing an Agreement between Southern Company and the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) that amended the parties' Interchange Agreement, dated July 1, 1965 (Rate Schedule No. 33) to establish a temporary interconnection point (Interconnection Point) between the parties' systems. The Interconnection Point is located near Alpha, Georgia and became available for service on December 4, 1998. The facilities will be removed on the earlier of TVA's completion of its Rock Spring—Center Point 230 kV transmission line or November 1, 2003.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**14. New England Power Company**

[Docket No. ER99-1075-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, New England Power Company (NEP), tendered for filing a supplement to an amendment to The Narragansett Electric Company's service agreement under NEP's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 1.

NEP requests an effective date for the Supplement of January 1, 1999.

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**15. Puget Sound Energy, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER99-1076-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, Puget Sound Energy, Inc., as Transmission Provider, tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service (Firm Point-To-Point Service Agreement) and a Service Agreement for

Non-Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service (Non-Firm Point-To-Point Service Agreement) with TransAlta Energy Marketing (U.S.) Inc. (TEM(US)), as Transmission Customer.

A copy of the filing was served upon TEM(US).

*Comment date:* January 15, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 16. Metropolitan Edison Company and Pennsylvania Electric Company

[Docket No. ER99-1077-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, Metropolitan Edison Company and Pennsylvania Electric Company (collectively and each doing business as GPU Energy) tendered for filing a Notice of Cancellation of the Retail Transmission Service Agency Agreements between GPU Energy and the parties participating in their retail access pilot programs in Pennsylvania.

Cancellation will be effective the February 26, 1999.

*Comment date:* January 15, 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 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 these filings are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Highway Administration

### Federal Transit Administration

[FRL-6218-8]

### Transportation/Air Quality Public Information Initiative: "It All Adds Up to Cleaner Air" FY 99 Demonstration Communities; Request for Proposals

**AGENCIES:** Office of Mobile Sources, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA); Federal Highway Administration and Federal Transit Administration, Department of Transportation (DOT).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** A few years ago, the EPA's Office of Mobile Sources (OMS) and DOT's Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and Federal Transit Administration (FTA) began a collaborative public education and partnership building program to be implemented at the community level. This effort, entitled "It All Adds Up to Cleaner Air," is designed to inform the public about the connections between their transportation choices, traffic congestion, air pollution and public health. The initiative emphasizes the ability of individuals to make a difference when they are informed about the environmental consequences of their daily travel choices. Through this document, OMS, FHWA, and FTA are soliciting proposals from organizations and communities around the country who would benefit from participation as Demonstration Communities in the "It All Adds Up to Cleaner Air" initiative.

**DATES:** Deadline for Proposals is March 5, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** This document can also be accessed at no cost by contacting: Federal Register Web Page:

"[http://www.access.gpo.gov/su\\_docs/aces/aces140.html](http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs/aces/aces140.html)"

DOT/Federal Highway Administration Web Page:

"[www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/pubout.htm](http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/pubout.htm)"

EPA's Office of Mobile Sources Web Page:

"[www.epa.gov/oms](http://www.epa.gov/oms)" click on "What's New"

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Susan Bullard, Director of Outreach and Communication; EPA Office of Mobile Sources; 401 M Street SW (Mail code 6401); Washington, DC 20460; (Phone) 202/260-2614; (Fax) 202/260-6011; "bullard.susan@epa.gov".

**TO REQUEST COPIES OF TV AND PRINT MATERIALS REFERENCED IN THIS NOTICE CONTACT:** Kathy Daniel, Project Manager; US DOT Federal Highway Administration; 400 7th Street SW (HEP-40); Washington, DC 20590; (Phone) 202/366-6276; (Fax) 202/366-3409; "kathleen.daniel@fhwa.dot.gov"

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Affected Entities:* Communities and/or organizations interested in participating as Demonstration Communities in a public education/partnership building project addressing transportation choices and their impact on traffic congestion, air quality, and public health.

*Title:* Transportation/Air Quality Public Information Initiative: "It All Adds Up to Cleaner Air"—FY 99 Demonstration Communities—Request For Proposals.

*Abstract:* At the request of state and local transportation and air quality management agencies charged with implementing the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century and the Clean Air Act, DOT's Federal Highway Administration and Federal Transit Administration, and EPA's Office of Mobile Sources have been collaborating on a public education and partnership building program to be implemented at the community level. This effort is designed to inform the public about the connection between transportation choices, traffic congestion, air pollution, and public health. It stresses an individual's ability to make a difference, once informed about the environmental consequences of daily travel choices. This goal is being accomplished by (1) providing national support for community-based public education efforts on the impact of transportation choices on air quality, traffic congestion, and public health, (2) encouraging and facilitating the expansion of partnerships and collaborations, both national and local, committed to raising awareness, understanding, acceptance, and action related to transportation/air quality issues, and (3) encouraging informed and responsible individual actions through public information. The theme of the initiative is "It All Adds Up to Cleaner Air."

The core messages of this initiative focus on actions that people can take which are convenient and can make a difference in air quality when they are practiced on a wide scale. The messages include: (1) Trip-chaining, or linking trips in the car to accomplish a number of trip purposes without letting the engine cool down completely, thus cutting down on "cold-starts" that produce much greater exhaust