

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP98-325-000]

K N Interstate Gas Transmission Co.; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

April 14, 1998.

Take notice that on April 2, 1998, K N Interstate Gas Transmission Co. (KNI), P.O. Box 281304, Lakewood, Colorado 80228, filed in Docket No. CP98-325-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.208 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act for authorization to acquire and operate certain compressor, pipeline, receipt and delivery point facilities, with appurtenances, located in the States of Texas and Oklahoma, under blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP83-140-000, *et al.*,¹ all as more fully set forth in the request for authorization on file with the Commission and open for public inspection.

The facilities are to be acquired from Transwestern Pipeline Company (Transwestern) pursuant to the terms and conditions of an Asset Purchase Agreement dated December 30, 1997 between KNI and Transwestern. KNI states that the acquisition of these facilities will allow KNI to receive and deliver on a firm basis up to 65,000 Mcf of natural gas from producers and shippers in the Anadarko area. In addition, the facilities will allow KNI the opportunities for operational flexibility in acquiring volumes of gas that may become available in the future from other production sources in the area. KNI will integrate the subject facilities into its Buffalo Wallow interstate pipeline system and will provide open access transportation service to shippers requesting service on these facilities pursuant to the terms and conditions of its FERC Gas Tariff.

KNI further states that the authorization requested is dependent upon Transwestern receiving authorization at Docket No. CP98-233-000 to abandon, by sale, the subject facilities to KNI.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a

protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of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. RP98-158-002]

NorAm Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

April 14, 1998.

Take notice that on April 7, 1998, NorAm Gas Transmission Company ("NGT") tendered for filing copies of the following revised tariff sheets to be effective May 8, 1998:

Fourth Revised Volume No. 1

Fifth Revised Sheet No. 169

Fourth Revised Sheet No. 169A

Original Sheet No. 169B

In compliance with the March 31, 1998 order issued by the Commission in Docket No. RP98-158-001, these tariff sheets add a description, in Section 1.1 of the Tariff's General Terms and Conditions, of the ten Pools that were established within NGT's existing Pooling Areas on April 1, 1998.

NGT states that a copy of this filing has been mailed to each of NGT's customers and to each interested state commission.

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 Section 385.214 and Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed as provided in 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. 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 in the Public Reference Room.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,*Acting Secretary.*

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**[Docket No. EC98-16-001, *et al.*]**Boston Edison Company, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings**

April 13, 1998.

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

1. Boston Edison Company

[Docket No. EC98-16-001]

Take notice that on April 10, 1998, Boston Edison Company (Boston Edison) and Sithe Energies, Inc. (Sithe), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission a request for expedited approvals or, in the alternative, a motion for clarification in the referenced docket. Boston Edison and Sithe state that the filing describes certain additional real property that will be transferred to Sithe in connection with Boston Edison's divestiture of its fossil generating units. The filing also identifies the subsidiaries of Sithe that will own the facilities being acquired from Boston Edison.

Comment date: May 8, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Ohio Edison Company and Pennsylvania Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-426-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998, Ohio Edison Company tendered for filing on behalf of itself and Pennsylvania Power Company, a response to the Staff's deficiency letter of March 9, 1998. This filing is made pursuant to Section 205 of the Federal Power Act.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Xenergy, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-2430-000]

Take notice that on April 3, 1998, Xenergy, Inc., tendered for filing the Summary of Quarterly Activity for the calendar year quarter ending September 30, 1997, pursuant to Section 205 of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. § 824d (1985), and Part 35 of the Commission's

¹ See, 22 FERC ¶ 62,330 (1983).

Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 35, and in accordance with Ordering Paragraph J of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's June 9, 1997, order (the Order) in Docket No. ER97-2517-000.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Xenergy, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-2431-000]

Take notice that on April 3, 1998, Xenergy, Inc. tendered for filing the Summary of Quarterly Activity for the calendar year quarter ending March 31, 1998, pursuant to Section 205 of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. § 824d (1985), and Part 35 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 35, and in accordance with Ordering Paragraph J of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's June 9, 1997, order (the Order) in Docket No. ER97-2517-000.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. American Hunter Energy Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-2458-000]

Take notice that American Hunter Energy Inc., on April 1, 1998, tendered for filing cancellation of the Rate Schedule FERC No. 1 effective June 1, 1998. The rate schedule had been effective November 13, 1996.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. Tenaska Washington Partners II, L.P.

[Docket No. ER98-2486-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998, Tenaska Washington Partners II, L.P., tendered for filing a notice of cancellation of Tenaska Washington Partners II, L.P.'s FERC Electric Rate Schedule No. 1.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. Central Illinois Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-2487-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998, Central Illinois Light Company (CILCO), 300 Liberty Street, Peoria, Illinois 61602, tendered for filing with the Commission a substitute Index of Point-To-Point Transmission Service Customers under its Open Access Transmission Tariff and service agreements for two new customers, Merchant Energy Group of the Americas, Inc., and Columbia Power Marketing Corporation.

CILCO requested an effective date of March 30, 1998.

Copies of the filing were served on the affected customers and the Illinois Commerce Commission.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

8. Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-2488-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998 Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (Orange and Rockland), filed a Service Agreement between Orange and Rockland and VTEC Energy, Inc., (Customer). This Service Agreement specifies that Customer has agreed to the rates, terms and conditions of Orange and Rockland Open Access Transmission Tariff filed on July 9, 1996 in Docket No. OA96-210-000.

Orange and Rockland requests waiver of the Commission's sixty-day notice requirements and an effective date of March 24, 1998, for the Service Agreement. Orange and Rockland has served copies of the filing on The New York State Public Service Commission and on the Customer.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

9. Wisconsin Electric Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2489-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric), tendered for filing an electric service agreement under its Market Rate Sales Tariff (FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 8) with Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA). Wisconsin Electric respectfully requests an effective date April 9, 1998.

Copies of the filing have been served on TVA, the Michigan Public Service Commission, and the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

10. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-2490-000]

Take notice that April 8, 1998, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG), filed Service Agreements between NYSEG and Columbia Power Marketing Corporation, PP&L, Inc., and Merchant Energy Group of the Americas, Inc., (Customers). These Service Agreements specify that the Customers have agreed to the rates, terms and conditions of the NYSEG open access transmission tariff filed and effective on June 11, 1997, in Docket No. OA97-571-000.

NYSEG requests waiver of the Commission's sixty-day notice

requirements and an effective date of March 25, 1998, for the Service Agreements. NYSEG has served copies of the filing on The New York State Public Service Commission and on the Customers.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

11. Consolidated Edison Energy, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-2491-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998, Consolidated Edison Energy, Inc. (ConEdisonEnergy), tendered for filing a tariff authorizing ConEdisonEnergy to make sales of electric energy and capacity at market-based rates and for blanket approval of certain issuances of securities and assumptions of liability and the waiver of certain of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Regulations under the Federal Power Act.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

12. Ohio Edison Company and Pennsylvania Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2492-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998, Ohio Edison Company tendered for filing on behalf of itself and Pennsylvania Power Company, a Service Agreement with Amoco Energy Trading Corporation under Ohio Edison's Power Sales Tariff. This filing is made pursuant to Section 205 of the Federal Power Act.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. Idaho Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2493-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998, Idaho Power Company (IPC), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission a Service Agreement under Idaho Power Company FERC Electric Tariff No. 6, Market Rate Power Sales Tariff, between Idaho Power Company and ConAgra Energy Services, Inc.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. ESI Vansycle Partners, L.P.

[Docket No. ER98-2494-000]

Take notice that on April 8, 1998, ESI Vansycle Partners, L.P. (ESI Vansycle), petitioned the Commission for acceptance for filing of the power purchase agreement between ESI Vansycle and Portland General Electric Company and to accept the rates

thereunder as just and reasonable under Section 205(a) of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. § 824d(a); for the granting of certain blanket approvals, including the authority to sell electricity at market-based rates; and for the waiver of certain Commission regulations. ESI Vansycle is a limited partnership that proposes to engage in the wholesale sale of electric power in the state of Oregon and is headquartered in Florida.

Comment date: April 28, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Nevada Power Company

[Docket No. OA97-2-001]

Take notice that Nevada Power Company submitted revised standards of conduct¹ under Order Nos. 889 *et seq.*² The revised standards were submitted in response to the Commission's January 15, 1998 order on standards of conduct.³

Comment date: April 28, 1998, 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 these filings are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

David P. Boergers,

Acting Secretary.

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¹ The revised standards were submitted on March 30, 1998.

² Open Access Same-Time Information System (Formerly Real-Time Information Network) and Standards of Conduct, 61 FR 21737 (May 10, 1996), FERC Stats. & Regs., Regulation Preambles January 1991-June 1996 ¶ 31,035 (April 24, 1996); Order No. 889-A, *order on rehearing*, 62 FR 12484 (March 14, 1997), III FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,049 (March 4, 1997); Order No. 889-B, *rehearing denied*, 62 FR 64715 (December 9, 1997), 81 FERC ¶ 61,253 (November 25, 1997).

³ Atlantic City Electric Company, *et al.*, 82 FERC ¶ 61,028 (1998). The Commission granted Nevada Power an extension of time to file its revised standards by notice dated February 26, 1998.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. DR98-55-000, *et al.*]

Entergy Gulf States, Inc., *et al.*; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

April 14, 1998.

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

1. Entergy Gulf States, Inc.

[Docket No. DR98-55-000]

Take notice that on April 10, 1998, Entergy Services, Inc. (ESI), filed on behalf of its affiliate, Entergy Gulf States, Inc. (Company) an Application for approval of certain changes in Company's depreciation rates pursuant to Section 302 of the Federal Power Act and Rule 204 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. The proposed changes of the Company's depreciation rates are required in order to implement an Order of the Louisiana Public Service Commission, issued on March 19, 1998, directing a change in the Company's depreciation rates effective February 19, 1998.

Comment date: May 13, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2246-000]

Take notice that on April 9, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), filed to withdraw its March 19, 1998, filing to revise its Index of Customers for service agreements under Illinois Power's Open Access Transmission Tariff No. 8. Illinois Power will refile its revised Index of Customers using the redesignations issued in the Delegated Letter Order of September 5, 1997 for ER98-3678-000, *et al.*

The undersigned certifies that a copy of this filing is being mailed to each individual listed on the official service list in this proceeding.

Comment date: April 29, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. ERI Enterprises, L.L.C.

[Docket No. ER98-2367-000]

Take notice that on April 9, 1998, ERI Enterprises, L.L.C., filed Rate Schedule No. 1, which was inadvertently omitted from the Application for authorization filed on March 31, 1998, in the above referenced proceeding.

Comment date: April 29, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Cobisa-Person Limited Partnership

[Docket No. ER98-2498-000]

Take notice that on April 9, 1998, Cobisa-Person Limited Partnership (Cobisa-Person), tendered for filing pursuant to Rule 205, 18 CFR 385.205, an application for an order accepting its rates of filing, determining rates to be just and reasonable, and granting certain waivers and pre-approvals.

Cobisa-Person has entered into a Power Purchase Agreement and an Interconnection Agreement with Public Service Company of New Mexico (PNM), to engage in wholesale capacity and energy sales to PNM from Cobisa-Person's approximately 140-megawatt generation facility to be constructed in Bernalillo County, New Mexico.

Comment date: April 29, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. American Electric Power Service Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-2495-000]

Take notice that on April 9, 1998, the American Electric Power Service Corporation (AEPSC), tendered for filing executed service agreements under the Wholesale Market Tariff of the AEP Operating Companies (Power Sales Tariff). The Power Sales Tariff was accepted for filing effective October 10, 1997 and has been designated AEP Operating Companies' FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 5. AEPSC respectfully requests waiver of notice to permit the service agreements to be made effective for service billed on and after March 16, 1998.

A copy of the filing was served upon the Parties and the State Utility Regulatory Commissions of Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia.

Comment date: April 29, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. Puget Sound Energy, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-2496-000]

Take notice that on April 9, 1998, Puget Sound Energy, Inc. (PSE), tendered for filing, changes in PSE's Supplement to Rate Schedule FERC No. 1, and a letter agreement, dated April 1, 1998, (the Agreement), between PSE and Duke Energy Marketing and Trading, L.L.C. (DETM).

PSE states that the Agreement relates to the purchase and sale of economy energy service and firm system capacity/energy sale or exchange service by PSE to DETM under the Western Systems Power Pool Agreement (WSPP Agreement). PSE has requested the Commission to find that the Agreement