notice requirement to allow the updated Attachment E to become effective as of February 6, 1998.

Comment date: February 27, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. Northern States Power Company (Minnesota)

[Docket No. ER98-1793-000]

Take notice that on February 9, 1998, Northern States Power Company-Minnesota (NSP), tendered for filing an Amendment executed by NSP and the City of Sioux Falls, South Dakota as a supplement to the December 17, 1997 filing. This supplement has been served on all recipients of the December 17th filing.

Comment date: February 27, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. MidAmerican Energy Company

[Docket No. OA96-42-001]

Take notice that on August 15, 1997, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican), 666 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50309, filed with the Commission revisions to its Open Access Transmission Tariff consisting of tariff sheets to update the Index of Point-to-Point Transmission Customers and the Index of Network Integration Transmission Service Customers. MidAmerican states that the filing is made pursuant to the Commission's Order on Compliance Tariff Rates and Generic Clarification of Implementation Procedures in Allegheny Power Systems, Inc., et al., 80 FERC ¶ 61,143 (1997), and requests an effective date of August 15, 1997.

Comment date: February 27, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Black Hills Power and Light Company

[Docket No. OA96-75-001]

Take notice that on August 15, 1997, Black Hills Power and Light Company, tendered for filing revised tariff sheets to its open access transmission tariff filed in Docket No. OA96–75–000 and an index of customers as required by the Commission's order, 80 FERC ¶ 61,143 (1997).

Comment date: February 27, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

16. Bangor Hydro-Electric Company

[Docket Nos. OA96–191–002, ER97–1170–000, OA97–645–000 (not consolidated)]

Take notice that on August 15, 1997, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company (Bangor), tendered for filing pursuant to the Commission's July 31, 1997, Order on Compliance Tariff Rates and Generic Clarification of Implementation Procedures, Allegheny Power System, Inc., et al., 80 FERC ¶ 61,143, Bangor's Open Access Transmission Tariff compliance filing. This filing contains the changes required by the Commission's July 31st Order.

Comment date: February 27, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

17. Ohio Edison Company and Pennsylvania Power Company

[Docket Nos. OA96-197-004]

Take notice that on January 23, 1998, FirstEnergy Corp., parent of Ohio Edison Company and Pennsylvania Power Company, tendered for filing a compliance refund report pursuant to the Commission's October 17, 1997, Letter Order.

FirstEnergy Corp. states that a copy of the filing has been served on the parties in the above-referenced proceedings.

Comment date: February 27, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

18. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. OA96-208-001]

Take notice that on August 15, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E), tendered for filing an index of customers served since July 9, 1996, under its compliance tariffs or revised compliance tariffs. This filing is pursuant to the Order on Compliance Tariff Rates and Generic Clarification of Implementation Procedures, issued July 31, 1997.

Comment date: February 27, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

19. North West Rural Electric Cooperative

[Docket No. OA98-8-000]

Take notice that on January 8, 1998, North West Rural Electric Cooperative (North West), filed a request for waiver of the requirements of Order No. 888 and Order No. 889 pursuant to 18 CFR 35.28(d) of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Regulations. North West's filing is available for public inspection at its offices in Orange City, Iowa.

Comment date: February 27, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

20. Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc.

[Docket No. OA98-9-000]

Take notice that on January 22, 1998, Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc.,

(Minnkota), tendered for filing an Application of Minnkota for Waiver of the Requirements of Order No. 889 reciprocity requirements to separate the operation of its transmission system function from the wholesale marketing function, and to submit standards of conduct.

Comment date: February 27, 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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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER98-1702-000, et al.]

Puget Sound Energy, Inc., et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

February 11, 1998.

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

1. Puget Sound Energy, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1702-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Puget Sound Energy, Inc., as Transmission Provided, 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 Coral Power L.L.C. (Coral), as Transmission Customer.

A copy of the filing was served upon Coral.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. American Electric Power Service Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-1703-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, the American Electric Power Service Corporation (AEPSC), tendered for filing an executed service agreement under the AEP Companies' Power Sales Tariff. The Power Sales Tariff was accepted for filing effective October 1, 1995, and has been designated AEP Companies' FERC Electric Tariff First Revised Volume No. 2, AEPSC respectfully request the Commission to permit this service agreement to become effective for service billed on and after January 4, 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: February 24, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Commonwealth Edison Company

[Docket No. ER98-1704-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998 Commonwealth Edison Company (ComEd), submitted for filing a Service Agreement establishing Griffin Energy Marketing, L.L.C., (Griffin), as a nonfirm transmission customer under the terms of ComEd's Open Access Transmission Tariff (OATT).

ComEd requests an effective date of January 14, 1998, for the service agreements, and accordingly seeks waiver of the Commission's requirements. Copies of this filing were served upon Griffin, and the Illinois Commerce Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-1705-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG), tendered for filing its summary of quarterly activity for the calendar year quarter ending December 31, 1997.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. PacifiCorp

[Docket No. ER98-1706-000]

Take notice that PacifiCorp, on February 2, 1998, tendered for filing in

accordance with 18 CFR Part 35 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations, a revised Exhibit 2 of the Amendment of Agreements between PacifiCorp and Moon Lake Electric Association (Moon Lake).

Copies of this filing were supplied to Moon Lake Electric Association, the Public Utility Commission of Oregon and the Utah Public Service Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. Carolina Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-1707-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Carolina Power & Light Company (CP&L), tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service executed between CP&L and the following Eligible Transmission Customer, Columbia Power Marketing. Service to the Eligible Customer will be in accordance with the terms and conditions of Carolina Power & Light Company's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

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

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-1708-000]

Take notice that on January 29, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing a Power Sales Tariff, Service Agreement under which SCANA Energy Marketing will take service under Illinois Power Company's Power Sales Tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of January 23, 1998.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

8. Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1709-000]

Take notice that Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (O&R), on January 29, 1998, tendered for filing pursuant to Part 35 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR Part 35, a service agreement under which O&R will provide capacity and/or energy to Strategic Energy Limited (Strategic).

O&R requests waiver of the notice requirement so that the service

agreement with Strategic becomes effective as of January 30, 1998.

O&R has served copies of the filing on The New York State Public Service Commission and Strategic.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

9. Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company

[Docket No. ER98-1710-000]

Take notice that on January 30, 1998, Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, tendered for filing its quarterly report of transactions for the period October 1, 1997 through December 31, 1997.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

10. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1711-000]

Take notice that on January 30, 1998, Cinergy Services, Inc., (Cinergy), tendered for filing an amended service agreement under Cinergy's Power Sales Standard Tariff entered into between Cinergy and Edgar Electric Cooperative Association.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

11. Houston Lighting & Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-1712-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Houston Lighting & Power Company (HL&P), tendered for filing an executed transmission service agreement (TSA), with Equitable Power Services Company for Non-Firm Transmission Service under HL&P's FERC Electric Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, for Transmission Service To, From and Over Certain HVDC Interconnections. HL&P has requested an effective date of February 2, 1998.

Copies of the filing were served on Equitable and the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

12. Kansas City Power & Light Co.

[Docket No. ER98-1713-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), tendered for filing a Service Agreement dated January 19, 1998, between KCPL and Columbia Power Marketing, Inc. KCPL proposes an effective date of January 20, 1998, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement. This Agreement provides for the rates and charges for Non-Firm Transmission Service.

In its filing, KCPL states that the rates included in the above-mentioned Service Agreement are KCPL's rates and charges in the compliance filing to FERC Order No. 888–A in Docket No. OA97–636.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. Houston Lighting & Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-1714-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Houston Lighting & Power Company (HL&P), tendered for filing an executed transmission service agreement (TSA), with Western Power Services, Inc. (Western), for Non-Firm Transmission Service under HL&P's FERC Electric Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, for Transmission Service To, From and Over Certain HVDC Interconnections. HL&P has requested an effective date of February 2, 1998.

Copies of the filing were served on Western and the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. Kansas City Power & Light Co.

[Docket No. ER98-1715-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), tendered for filing a Service Agreement dated January 19, 1998, between KCPL and Columbia Power Marketing, Inc. KCPL proposes an effective date of January 20, 1998, and requests a waiver of the Commission's notice requirement to allow the requested effective date. This Agreement provides for the rates and charges for Short-term Firm Transmission Service.

In its filing, KCPL states that the rates included in the above-mentioned Service Agreement are KCPL's rates and charges in the compliance filing to FERC Order No. 888–A in Docket No. OA97–636–000.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1716-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Cinergy Services, Inc., on behalf of its Operating Company affiliates, The Cincinnati Gas & Electric Company and PSI Energy, Inc. (collectively referred to as Cinergy), tendered for filing a Service Agreement between Cinergy and CNG Energy Services Corporation (CNG), as a Service Agreement for a long-term market-based sale in fulfillment of

requirements imposed on Cinergy by Order dated November 15, 1996 in Docket No. ER96–2506–000 or, in the alternative, as an original rate schedule.

Copies of the filing have been served on CNG.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

16. Ocean State Power

[Docket No. ER98-1717-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Ocean State Power (Ocean State), tendered for filing the following supplements (the Supplements), to its rate schedules with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission:

Supplements No. 22 to Rate Schedule FERC No. 1

Supplements No. 19 to Rate Schedule FERC No. 2

Supplements No. 18 to Rate Schedule FERC No. 3

Supplements No. 20 to Rate Schedule FERC No. 4

The Supplements to the rate schedules request approval of Ocean State's proposed rate of return on equity for the period beginning on February 1, 1998, the requested effective date of the Supplements, and ending on the effective date of Ocean State's updated rate of return on equity to be filed in February of 1999.

Copies of the Supplements have been served upon, among others, Ocean State's power purchasers, the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities, and the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

17. Ocean State Power II

[Docket No. ER98-1718-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, Ocean State Power II (Ocean State II), tendered for filing the following supplements (the Supplements) to its rate schedules with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission:

Supplements No. 21 to Rate Schedule FERC No. 5

Supplements No. 21 to Rate Schedule FERC No. 6

Supplements No. 20 to Rate Schedule FERC

Supplements No. 21 to Rate Schedule FERC No. 8

The Supplements to the rate schedules request approval of Ocean State II's proposed rate of return on equity for the period beginning on February 1, 1998, the requested effective date of the Supplements, and ending on the effective date of Ocean State II's

updated rate of return on equity to be filed in February of 1999.

Copies of the Supplements have been served upon, among others, Ocean State II's power purchasers, the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities, and the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

18. Baltimore Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER98-1719-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, Baltimore Gas and Electric Company (BGE), filed Service Agreements with DTE Energy, Inc., dated January 19, 1998, and GPU Energy, dated January 19, 1998, under BGE's FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 3 (Tariff). Under the tendered Service Agreements, BGE agrees to provide services to the parties to the Service Agreements under the provisions of the Tariff. BGE requests an effective date of February 1, 1998, for the Service Agreements. BGE states that a copy of the filing was served upon the Public Service Commission of Maryland and parties to the Service Agreements.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

19. San Diego Gas & Electric Company

[Docket No. ER98-1720-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E), tendered for filing a notice of cancellation of Service Agreement with Enron Power Marketing, Inc., for Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service under SDG&E's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

Notice of the proposed cancellation has been served upon Enron Power Marketing, Inc. SDG&E requests that this cancellation become effective March 31, 1998.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

20. Atlantic City Electric Company

[Docket No. ER98-1721-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, Atlantic City Electric Company (Atlantic Electric), tendered for filing service agreements under which Atlantic Electric will sell capacity and energy to Southern Company Energy Marketing, Inc. (Southern Energy), and El Paso Energy Marketing Company (El Paso), under Atlantic Electric's market-based rate sales tariff. Atlantic Electric requests the agreement with Southern

Energy be accepted to become effective on June 23, 1997, and the agreement with El Paso be accepted to become effective on June 19, 1997.

Atlantic Electric states that a copy of the filing has been served on Southern Energy and El Paso.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

21. Great Western Power Cooperatives Company

[Docket No. ER98-1722-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, Great Western Power Cooperatives Company (GWPCC), tendered for filing a Petition for Acceptance of Initial Rate Schedule, Waivers and Blanket Authority. The Petition requests acceptance of GWPCC Rate Schedule FERC No. 1, under which GWPCC will engage in wholesale electric power and energy transactions as a marketer, the granting of certain blanket approvals, including the authority to sell electricity at market-based rates, and the waiver of certain Commission Regulations.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

22. FirstEnergy System

[Docket No. ER98-1723-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, FirstEnergy System filed Service Agreements to provide Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service for Duquesne Light Company and Tenaska Power Services Company, the Transmission Customers. Services are being provided under the FirstEnergy System Open Access Transmission Tariff submitted for filing by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission in Docket No. ER97–412–000. The proposed effective dates under the Service Agreements is January 8, 1998.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

23. Baltimore Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER98-1724-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, Baltimore Gas and Electric Company (BGE), submitted in accordance with § 205 of the Federal Power Act and Part 35 of the Rules and Regulations of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 18 CFR Part 35, a Service Agreement between BGE and Constellation Power Source, Inc. (CPS), under which BGE may engage in sales of capacity and energy to its power marketing affiliate, CPS.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

24. Western Resources, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1725-000]

Take notice that on February 4, 1998, Western Resources, Inc., tendered for filing a short-term firm transmission agreement between Western Resources and Western Resources Generation Services. Western Resources states that the purpose of the agreement is to permit non-discriminatory access to the transmission facilities owned or controlled by Western Resources in accordance with Western Resources' open access transmission tariff on file with the Commission. The agreement is proposed to become effective January 14, 1998.

Copies of the filing were served upon Western Resources Generation Services and the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

25. Duquesne Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-1726-000]

Take notice that February 4, 1998, Duquesne Light Company (DLC), filed a Service Agreement dated February 1, 1998, with New Energy Ventures, L.L.C., under DLC's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds New Energy Ventures, L.L.C., as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of February 1, 1998, for the Service Agreement.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

26. Interstate Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-1727-000]

Take notice that on February 4, 1998, Interstate Power Company (IPW), tendered for filing a Network Transmission Service and Operating Agreement between IPW and Southern Minnesota Municipal Power Agency (SMMPA). Under the Service Agreement, IPW will provide Network Integration Transmission Service to SMMPA for their Fairmont, Spring Valley, and Wells substations.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

27. The Toledo Edison Company

[Docket No. ER98-1728-000]

Take notice that on January 30, 1998, The Toledo Edison Company, tendered for filing its quarterly report of transactions for the period October 1, 1997 through December 31, 1997.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

28. UtiliCorp United Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1730-000]

Take notice that on February 4, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), filed a service agreement with Wyoming Municipal Power Agency for service under its Non-Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating division, WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

29. UtiliCorp United Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1731-000]

Take notice that on February 4, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), filed a service agreement with Black Hills Power and Light Company for service under its Non-Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating division, WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

30. Northern States Power Company (Minnesota Company)

[Docket No. ER98-1732-000]

Take notice that on February 4, 1998, Northern States Power Company (Minnesota) (NSP), tendered for filing a Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service Agreement and a Short-Term Firm Transmission Service Agreement between NSP and Engage Energy US, L.P.

NSP requests that the Commission accept both the agreements effective January 7, 1998, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements in order for the agreements to be accepted for filing on the date requested.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

31. The Washington Water Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-1733-000]

Take notice that on February 4, 1998, The Washington Water Power Company (WWP), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission executed Service Agreements for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service under WWP's Open Access Transmission Tariff—FERC Electric Tariff, Volume No. 8, with Power Fuels, Inc., and Tenaska Power Services Co. WWP requests the Service Agreements be given effective dates of February 1, 1998.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

32. Commonwealth Edison Company

[Docket No. ER98-1734-000]

Take notice that on February 4, 1998, Commonwealth Edison Company (ComEd), filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission its FERC Electric Rate Schedule, an application for blanket authorizations and for certain waivers of the Commission's Regulations. ComEd intends to engage in transactions in which ComEd sells electricity at rates and on terms and conditions that are negotiated with the purchasing party.

ComEd has requested expedited action on its filing so that the Commission may accept ComEd's rate schedule for filing to become effective as soon as possible. ComEd has also served a copy of the application on the state utility commissions that regulate its public utility affiliates, the Illinois Commerce Commission and the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

33. PP&L, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1735-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, PP&L, Inc., formerly known as Pennsylvania Power & Light Company (PP&L), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission one Corrected Borderline Service Agreement (Corrected Agreement) between PP&L and Pennsylvania Electric Company, d/b/a GPU Energy, dated January 19, 1998. The Corrected Agreement corrects a supplement to a borderline service umbrella tariff approved by the Commission in Docket No. ER93–847–000 by establishing the precise point of delivery, metering arrangements, and transmission losses associated with a new point of delivery under the umbrella tariff.

PP&L requests the Commission to make the Corrected Agreement effective as of September 11, 1997, the date of the Borderline Service Agreement that is now corrected by the Corrected Agreement, and which the Commission has already approved. In accordance with 18 CFR 35.11, PP&L has requested waiver of the sixty-day notice period in 18 CFR 35.2(e). PP&L has also requested waiver of certain filing requirements for information previously filed with the Commission in Docket No. ER93–847–008.

PP&L states that a copy of its filing was provided to Pennsylvania Electric

Company d/b/a GPU Energy, and to Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

34. Midwest Energy, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1736-000]

Take Notice that on February 3, 1998, Midwest Energy, Inc. (Midwest), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission the Service Agreement for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service entered into between Midwest and Amoco Energy Trading Corporation.

Midwest states that it is serving copies of the instant filing to its customers, State Commissions and other interested parties.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

35. UtiliCorp United Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1737-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc., tendered for filing on behalf of its operating division, WestPlains Energy-Colorado, a Service Agreement under its Power Sales Tariff, FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 11, with Williams Energy Services Company. The Service Agreement provides for the sale of capacity and energy by WestPlains Energy-Colorado to Williams Energy Services Company pursuant to the tariff.

UtiliCorp also has tendered for filing a Certificate of Concurrence by Williams Energy Services Company.

UtiliCorp requests waiver of the Commission's Regulations to permit the Service Agreement to become effective in accordance with its terms.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

36. UtiliCorp United Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1738-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc., tendered for filing on behalf of its operating division, WestPlains Energy-Kansas, a Service Agreement under its Power Sales Tariff, FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 12, with Williams Energy Services Company. The Service Agreement provides for the sale of capacity and energy by WestPlains Energy-Kansas to Williams Energy Services Company pursuant to the tariff.

UtiliCorp also has tendered for filing a Certificate of Concurrence by Williams Energy Services Company.

UtiliCorp requests waiver of the Commission's Regulations to permit the

Service Agreement to become effective in accordance with its terms.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

37. UtiliCorp United Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1739-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc., tendered for filing on behalf of its operating division, Missouri Public Service, a Service Agreement under its Power Sales Tariff, FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 10, with Williams Energy Services Company. The Service Agreement provides for the sale of capacity and energy by Missouri Public Service to Williams Energy Services Company pursuant to the tariff.

UtiliCorp also has tendered for filing a Certificate of Concurrence by Williams Energy Services Company.

UtiliCorp requests waiver of the Commission's Regulations to permit the Service Agreement to become effective in accordance with its terms.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

38. Central Louisiana Electric Co., Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1740-000]

Take notice that on February 3, 1998, Central Louisiana Electric Company, Inc., (CLECO), tendered for filing a service agreement under which CLECO will provide non-firm point-to-point transmission service to OGE Energy Resources, Inc., under its point-to-point transmission tariff.

CLECO states that a copy of the filing has been served on OGE Energy Resources, Inc.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

39. Bangor Hydro-Electric Company

[Docket No. ER98-1741-000]

Take notice that on February 4, 1998, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company filed an executed service agreement for non-firm point-to-point transmission service with the Cinergy Capital & Trading, Inc.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

40. MidAmerican Energy Company

[Docket No. ER98-1742-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 1998, MidAmerican Energy Company tendered for filing a proposed change in its Rate Schedule for Power Sales, FERC Electric Rate Schedule, Original Volume No. 5. The proposed change consists of certain reused tariff sheets consistent with the quarterly filing requirement.

MidAmerican states that it is submitting these tariff sheets for the purpose of complying with the requirements set forth in Southern Company Services, Inc., 75 FERC ¶ 61,130 (1996), relating to quarterly filings by public utilities of summaries of short-term market-based power transactions. The tariff sheets contain summaries of such transactions under the Rate Schedule for Power Sales for the applicable quarter with confidential price and quantity information removed.

MidAmerican proposes an effective date of the first day of the applicable quarter for the rate schedule change. Accordingly, MidAmerican requests a waiver of the 60-day notice requirement for this filing. MidAmerican states that this date is consistent with the requirements of the Southern Company Services, Inc., order and the effective date authorized in Docket No. ER96–2459–000.

Copies of the filing were served upon MidAmerican's customers under the Rate Schedule for Power Sales and the Iowa Utilities Board, the Illinois Commerce Commission and the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

41. Western Resources, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1743-000]

Take notice that on February 5, 1998, Western Resources, Inc., tendered for filing a short-term firm transmission agreement between Western Resources and Duke/Louis Dreyfus L.L.C. Western Resources states that the purpose of the agreement is to permit non-discriminatory access to the transmission facilities owned or controlled by Western Resources in accordance with Western Resources' open access transmission tariff on file with the Commission. The agreement is proposed to become effective January 1, 1998.

Copies of the filing were served upon Duke/Louis Dreyfus L.L.C. and the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

42. South Carolina Electric & Gas Company

[Docket No. ER98-1744-000]

Take notice that on February 5, 1998, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (SCE&G), submitted service agreements establishing American Electric Power Service Corporation (AEPSC), Avista Energy, Inc. (AVISTA), and Western Resources (WR) as customers under the terms of SCE&G's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

SCE&G requests an effective date of one day subsequent to the filing of the service agreements. Accordingly, SCE&G requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements. Copies of this filing were served upon AEPSC, AVISTA, WR, and the South Carolina Public Service Commission.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

43. Central Louisiana Electric Co., Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1745-000]

Take notice that on February 5, 1998 Central Louisiana Electric Company, Inc., (CLECO), tendered for filing two service agreements under which CLECO will provide non-firm and short term firm point-to-point transmission services to Amoco Energy Trading Corporation under its point-to-point transmission tariff.

CLECO states that a copy of the filing has been served on Amoco Energy Trading Corporation.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

44. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-1747-000]

Take notice that on February 5, 1998, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG), tendered for filing pursuant to Part 35 of the Federal **Energy Regulatory Commission's Rules** of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR Part 35, service agreements under which NYSEG may provide capacity and/or energy to Engage Energy US, L.P. (Engage), Eastern Power Distribution, Inc. (Eastern Power), Energetix, Inc. (Energetix), New England Power Company (NEP), and Wheeled Electric Power Corp. (WEPCo), (collectively, the Purchasers) in accordance with NYSEG's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 1.

NYSEG has requested waiver of the notice requirements so that the service agreements with Eastern Power, Energetix, NEP, and WEPCo become effective as of February 6, 1998, and the service agreement with Engage becomes effective as of February 2, 1998.

The Service Agreements are subject to the Commission Order Authorizing Disposition of Jurisdictional Facilities and Corporate Reorganization issued on December 16, 1997 in Docket No. EC97– 52–000.

NYSEG served copies of the filing upon the New York State Public Service

Commission, Engage, Eastern Power, Energetix, NEP, and WEPCo.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

45. Northern Indiana Public Service Company

[Docket No. ER98-1750-000]

Take notice that on February 5, 1998, Northern Indiana Public Service Company tendered for filing an executed Sales Service Agreement and an executed Standard Transmission Service Agreement for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service between Northern Indiana Public Service Company and Continental Energy Services, L.L.C. (Continental).

Under the Transmission Service Agreement, Northern Indiana Public Service Company will provide Point-to-Point Transmission Service to Continental pursuant to the Open-Access Transmission Tariff filed by Northern Indiana Public Service Company in Docket No. OA96-47-000 and allowed to become effective by the Commission. Under the Sales Service Agreement, Northern Indiana Public Service Company will provide general purpose energy and negotiated capacity to Continental pursuant to the Wholesale Sales Tariff field by Northern Indiana Public Service Company in Docket No. ER95-1222-000 as amended by the Commission's order in Docket No. ER97-458-000 and allowed to become effective by the Commission. Northern Indiana Public Service Company has requested that the Service Agreements be allowed to become effective as of February 15, 1998.

Copies of this filing have been sent to the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission and the Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

46. Black Hills Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-1751-000]

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 Public Service Company of Colorado.

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.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

47. Black Hills Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-1753-000]

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 Wyoming Municipal Power Agency.

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 December 12, 1997.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

48. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1754-000]

Take notice that on February 5, 1998, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy), tendered for filing a service agreement under Cinergy's Power Sales Standard Tariff entered into between Cinergy and Northern States Power Company (NSP).

Cinergy and NSP are requesting an effective date of February 4, 1998.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

49. UtiliCorp United Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1755-000]

Take notice that on February 6, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), filed service agreements with OGE Energy Resources, Inc. for service under its Non-Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating divisions, Missouri Public Service, WestPlains Energy-Kansas and WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

50. UtiliCorp United Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-1756-000]

Take notice that on February 6, 1998, UtiliCorp United Inc. (UtiliCorp), filed service agreements with OGE Energy Resources, Inc., for service under its Short-Term Firm Point-to-Point open access service tariff for its operating divisions, Missouri Public Service, WestPlains Energy-Kansas and WestPlains Energy-Colorado.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

51. Public Service Company of New Mexico

[Docket No. ER98-1757-000]

Take notice that on February 6, 1998, Public Service Company of New Mexico (PNM), submitted for filing a service agreement executed January 12, 1998, for firm point-to-point transmission service between PNM (Transmission Provider), and Southwestern Public Service Company (Transmission Customer), under the terms of PNMs Open Access Transmission Service Tariff. Under this service agreement Transmission Provider will provide to Transmission Customer 20 MW of firm point-to-point reserved capacity from the Four Corners 345kV Switchyard to the Roosevelt 230KV Bus, subject to certain conditions and scheduling provisions, for the four (4) month period beginning May 1, 1998, and ending August 31, 1998. PNMs filing is available for public inspection at its offices in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Comment date: February 25, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

52. California Power Exchange Corporation

[Docket Nos. ER98–210–000 and ER98–1729–000]

Take notice that on January 30, 1998, the California Power Exchange Corporation (PX), made an amended rate filing to be effective on March 31, 1998, pursuant to Section 205 of the Federal Power Act. According to the PX, as a result of the delay in the start of the operations of the PX, it is necessary for the PX to amend the rate filing that it made on October 17, 1997 in Docket No. ER98–210–000. Copies of the filing were served upon all persons included on the service list compiled in Docket No. ER98–210–000.

Comment date: February 25, 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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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 11181-002]

Energy Storage Partners; Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement and To Conduct Scoping Meetings

February 17, 1998.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (staff) has determined that issuance of a license for the construction and operation of the proposed Lorella Pumped Storage Project, FERC No. 11181-002, in Klamath County, Oregon, would constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment. Therefore, the staff intends to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) on the proposed project in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act. The staff's EIS will consider both site-specific and cumulative environmental impacts and reasonable alternatives to the proposed action.

The scoping process will provide a public forum to determine the scope and the significant issues that should be analyzed in depth in the EIS. The times and locations of the scoping meetings and public hearings will be announced in a subsequent public notice.

For further information, please contact the FERC Project Coordinator, Héctor M. Pérez at (202) 219–2843.

David P. Boergers,

Acting Secretary.
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