

design methodology and an incremental cost of service. Transco states that it specifically reserves the right to file for approval of rolled-in rates for the Pocono Expansion Project in a future Section 4 rate proceeding and to demonstrate in such proceeding the significant system benefits resulting from this project.

Transco states that the proposed facilities will cost an estimated \$9.8 million, as detailed in Exhibit K of the application. Transco states that the construction and operation of the proposed loop will not have a significant impact on the quality of the human health or on the environment. In order to meet the firm 1997 market requirements of the two Pocono Expansion Project shippers, Transco requests that the Commission grant all necessary final authorizations by July 1, 1997. It is stated that this schedule will enable Transco to meet the in-service date of November 1, 1997, requested by the shippers.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before April 30, 1997, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CAR 157.10). All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by Sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a hearing will be held with further notice before the Commission or its designee on this application if no motion to intervene is filed within the time required herein, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that a grant of the certificate is required by the public convenience and necessity. If a motion for leave to intervene is timely filed, or if the Commission on its own motion believes that a formal hearing is required, further notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be

unnecessary for Transco to appear or be represented at the hearing.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project Nos. 1984-056 and 11162-002]

#### Wisconsin River Power Co. and Wisconsin Power & Light Co.; Notice Granting Extension of Time

April 9, 1997.

On December 31, 1996, the Notices of Application Ready for Environmental Analysis (NREA) for the Petenwell/Castle Rock and the Prairie du Sac Projects (Nos. 1984-056 and 11162-002) were issued in the **Federal Register** (62 FR 990 and 992, January 7, 1997). The NREA solicited all comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions concerning these two projects be filed with the Commission by February 28, 1997. All reply comments were to be filed with the Commission by April 14, 1997.

In a letter to the Commission dated February 14, 1997, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) requested an extension of time to comment on the NREA for the Prairie du Sac Project. By letter dated February 27, 1997, the request was granted, and the comment period for the two license applications was extended to March 31, 1997.

The date to file reply comments with the Commission is extended until May 15, 1997.

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact Frank Karwoski at (202) 219-2782.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER97-2239-000, et al.]

#### Kentucky Utilities Company, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

April 9, 1997.

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

#### 1. Kentucky Utilities Company

[Docket No. ER97-2239-000]

Take notice that on March 24, 1997, Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) tendered for filing executed service agreements under KU's Transmission Services Tariff with ENRON Power Marketing and with Noram Energy Services.

*Comment date:* April 22, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 2. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket Nos. ER97-1675-000, ER97-1974-000, ER97-2020-000, ER97-2031-000, and ER97-2065-000]

Take notice that on March 18, 1997, Cinergy Services, Inc. tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced dockets.

*Comment date:* April 22, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 3. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-2264-000]

Take notice that on March 31, 1997, Illinois Power Company (IP), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing a summary of its activity for the fourth quarter of 1996, under its Market Based Power Sales Tariff, FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 7.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 4. The Dayton Power and Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-2265-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, The Dayton Power and Light Company (Dayton), submitted a service agreement and supplement to the service agreement establishing AIG Trading Corporation as a customer under the terms of Dayton's Market-Based Sales Tariff.

Dayton requests an effective date of one day subsequent to this filing for the service agreement. Accordingly, Dayton requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements. Copies of the filing were served upon AIG and the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 5. Florida Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-2266-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) tendered for filing three proposed Exhibit As to the Aggregate Billing Partial Requirements Service Agreement

Between Florida Power & Light Company and Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc. (ABPRSA).

FPL requests that of the three Exhibit As being filed, one of the proposed Exhibit As be permitted to become effective on March 26, 1997, another on March 27, 1997 and the last on September 9, 1996.

FPL states that this filing is in accordance with Part 35 of the Commission's Regulations.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **6. Public Service Company of Colorado**

[Docket No. ER97-2267-000 of Colorado]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Public Service Company of Colorado (Public Service), tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Non-Firm Transmission Service between Public Service and MP Energy, Inc. Public Service states that the purpose of this filing is to provide Non-Firm Transmission Service in accordance with its Open Access Transmission Service Tariff. Public Service requests this Service Agreement be made effective on March 17, 1997.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **7. Public Service Company of Colorado**

[Docket No. ER97-2268-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Public Service Company of Colorado (Public Service), tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Non-Firm Transmission Service between Public Service and Electric Clearinghouse, Inc. Public Service states that the purpose of this filing is to provide Non-Firm Transmission Service in accordance with its Open Access Transmission Service Tariff. Public Service requests this Service Agreement be made effective on February 28, 1997.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **8. PECO Energy Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2269-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, PECO Energy Company (PECO), filed an executed Service Agreement dated February 26, 1997, with Utilities Commission, City of New Smyrna Beach (NEW SMYRNA) under PECO's FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 1 (Tariff). The Service Agreement replaces an unexecuted Service Agreement accepted for filing in Docket No. ER97-316-000.

PECO requests an effective date of January 1, 1997, for the Service Agreement.

PECO states that copies of this filing have been supplied to NEW SMYRNA and to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **9. Blackstone Valley Electric Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2270-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Blackstone Valley Electric Company (Blackstone) tendered for filing (1) an agreement dated October 16, 1996 between Blackstone and Narragansett Electric Company (Narragansett) and (2) a notice of cancellation of Blackstone's Rate Schedule FERC No. 25 for support of Blackstone's Riverside Substation and 822 Line. The October 16, 1996, agreement modifies Rate Schedule FERC No. 25 as well as provides Blackstone's notice of termination effective November 1, 1998.

Blackstone requests waiver of the prior notice requirement to permit the October 16, 1996 agreement to become effective on October 16, 1996. The agreement does not affect rates.

Blackstone also requests waiver of the notice requirement to permit the cancellation to become effective November 1, 1998.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **10. Southwestern Public Service Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2271-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Southwestern Public Service Company (Southwestern) submitted an executed service agreement under its open access transmission tariff with Union Electric Company, Inc. The service agreement is for umbrella non-firm point-to-point transmission service.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **11. Duquesne Light Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2272-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Duquesne Light Company (DLC) filed a Service Agreement dated March 21, 1997 with Koch Energy Trading, Inc. under DLC's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds Koch Energy Trading, Inc. as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of March 21, 1997 for the Service Agreement.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **12. Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation**

[Docket No. ER97-2273-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission an executed Transmission Service Agreement between NMPC and USGen Power Services, L.P. This Transmission Service Agreement specifies that USGen Power Services, L.P. has signed on to and has agreed to the terms and conditions of NMPC's Open Access Transmission Tariff as filed in Docket No. OA96-194-000. This Tariff, filed with FERC on July 9, 1996, will allow NMPC and USGen Power Services, L.P. to enter into separately scheduled transactions under which NMPC will provide transmission service for USGen Power Services, L.P. as the parties may mutually agree.

NMPC requests an effective date of March 19, 1997. NMPC has requested waiver of the notice requirements for good cause shown.

NMPC has served copies of the filing upon the New York State Public Service Commission and USGen Power Services, L.P.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### **13. Carolina Power & Light Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2274-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Carolina Power & Light Company (CP&L), tendered for filing separate Service Agreements for Non-Firm Point to Point Transmission Service executed between CP&L and the following Eligible Transmission Customers: CMS Marketing, Services and Trading Company; and WPS Energy Services, Inc. and a Service Agreement for Short-Term Firm Point to Point Transmission Service with CMS Marketing, Services and Trading Company. Service to each 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:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**14. Virginia Electric and Power Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2275-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Virginia Electric and Power Company (Virginia Power), tendered for filing an unexecuted Service Agreement between USGen Power Services, L.P. and Virginia Power, dated January 22, 1997, under the Power Sales Tariff to Eligible Purchasers dated May 27, 1994, as revised on December 31, 1996. Under the tendered Service Agreement Virginia Power agrees to provide services to USGen Power Services, L.P. under the rates, terms and conditions of the Power Sales Tariff as agreed by the parties pursuant to the terms of the applicable Service Schedules included in the Power Sales Tariff. In that filing, Virginia Power also submitted a refund report for revenues associated with transactions occurring before the effective date.

Copies of the filing were served upon USGen Power Services, L.P., the Virginia State Corporation Commission and the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**15. Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2276-000]

Take notice that on March 26, 1997, Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company (OG&E), tendered for filing a proposed Third Amendment to the Amended Power Sales Agreement (PSA); a proposed Third Amendment Appendix B Service Schedule LR Load Regulation to Second Amended Dispatch and Load Regulation Agreement and a proposed Fourth Amendment to Transmission Service Agreement between Oklahoma Municipal Power Authority (OMPA) and OG&E.

Copies of this filing have been sent to the OMPA, the Oklahoma Corporation Commission and the Arkansas Public Service Commission.

*Comment date:* April 23, 1997, 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, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before

the comment date. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

**Lois D. Cashell,***Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ER97-2230-000, et al.]

**Pennsylvania Power & Light Company, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings**

April 8, 1997.

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

**1. Pennsylvania Power & Light Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2230-000]

Take notice that on March 24, 1997, Pennsylvania Power & Light Company tendered for filing a Notice of Cancellation of Rate Schedule FERC No. 137 with Enron Power Marketing, Inc.

*Comment date:* April 22, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**2. Illinois Power Company**

[Docket No. ER97-2233-000]

Take notice that on March 24, 1997, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing non-firm transmission agreements under which American Energy Solutions, Inc. will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of March 15, 1997.

*Comment date:* April 22, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**3. Ohio Valley Electric Corp. Indiana-Kentucky Electric Corp.**

[Docket No. ER97-2235-000]

Take notice that on March 25, 1997, Ohio Valley Electric Corporation (including its wholly-owned subsidiary, Indiana-Kentucky Electric

Corporation)(OVEC) tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Non-Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service, dated as of March 7, 1997 (the Service Agreement) between Vitol Gas and Electric LLC (Vitol) and OVEC. OVEC proposes an effective date of January 13, 1997, or in the alternative March 24, 1997, and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement to allow the requested effective date. The Service Agreement provides for non-firm transmission service by OVEC to Vitol.

In its filing, OVEC states that the rates and charges included in the Service Agreement are the rates and charges set forth in OVEC's Order No. 888 compliance filing (Docket No. OA96-190-000).

A copy of this filing was served upon Vitol.

*Comment date:* April 22, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**4. Ohio Valley Electric Corp., Indiana-Kentucky Electric Corp.**

[Docket No. ER97-2236-000]

Take notice that on March 25, 1997, Ohio Valley Electric Corporation (including its wholly-owned subsidiary, Indiana-Kentucky Electric Corporation)(OVEC) tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Non-Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service, dated March 11, 1997 (the Service Agreement) between WPS Energy Services, Inc. (WPS Energy) and OVEC. OVEC proposes an effective date of March 11, 1997 and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement to allow the requested effective date. The Service Agreement provides for non-firm transmission service by OVEC to WPS Energy.

In its filing, OVEC states that the rates and charges included in the Service Agreement are the rates and charges set forth in OVEC's Order No. 888 compliance filing (Docket No. OA96-190-000).

Copies of this filing were served upon the Michigan Public Service Commission, the Wisconsin Public Service Commission and WPS Energy.

*Comment date:* April 22, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**5. Ohio Valley Electric Corp., Indiana-Kentucky Electric Corp.**

[Docket No. ER97-2237-000]

Take notice that on March 25, 1997, Ohio Valley Electric Corporation (including its wholly-owned subsidiary, Indiana-Kentucky Electric Corporation)(OVEC) tendered for filing a Service