

Comment date: November 6, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

10. Florida Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-166-000]

Take notice that on October 17, 1996, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL), tendered for filing a proposed notice of cancellation of an umbrella service agreement with Coastal Electric Services Company for Firm Short-Term transmission service under FPL's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

FPL requests that the proposed cancellation be permitted to become effective on July 9, 1996.

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

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11. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-167-000]

Take notice that on October 17, 1996, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy), tendered for filing a service agreement under Cinergy's Open Access Transmission Service Tariff (the Tariff) entered into between Cinergy and Phibro Inc.

Cinergy and Phibro Inc. are requesting an effective date of October 15, 1996.

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12. Kansas Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-168-000]

Take notice that on October 17, 1996, Western Resources, Inc. (Western Resources), on behalf of its wholly-owned subsidiary Kansas Gas and Electric Company (KGE), tendered for filing a Fourth Revised Exhibit B to the Electric Power, Transmission and Service Contract between KGE and Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. (KEPCo). KGE states that the filing is to update Exhibit B to reflect the installation of the Koch point of delivery. This filing is proposed to become effective October 3, 1996.

A copy of this filing was served upon KEPCo and the Kansas Corporation Commission.

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13. Tampa Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-169-000]

Take notice that on October 17, 1996, Tampa Electric Company (Tampa Electric), tendered for filing a letter of commitment providing for the sale of

capacity and energy to the Florida Municipal Power Agency (FMPA) under Service Schedule D of the Agreement for Interchange Service between Tampa Electric and FMPA. Tampa Electric requests that the letter of commitment be made effective on December 16, 1996.

Tampa Electric also submitted a notice of termination of a preexisting letter of commitment with FMPA, effective December 31, 1996.

Copies of the filing have been served on FMPA and the Florida Public Service Commission.

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14. Black Creek Hydro, Inc.

[Docket No. OA97-19-000]

Take notice that on October 18, 1996, Black Creek Hydro, Inc. tendered for filing a request for waiver of Order No. 889.

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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, 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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[Project No. 2616-004-NY]

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation; Notice of Availability of Draft Environmental Assessment

October 25, 1996.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission's) regulations, 18 CFR Part 380 (Order No. 486, 52 FR 47897), the office of

Hydropower Licensing has reviewed the application for a new license for the Hoosic River Project located in Rensselaer and Washington counties, New York, and has prepared a Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA) for the project. In the DEA, the Commission's staff has analyzed the potential environmental impacts of the existing project and has concluded that approval of the project, with appropriate environmental protection or enhancement measures, would not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

Copies of the DEA are available for review in the Public Reference Branch, Room 2A of the Commission's offices at 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

Any comments should be filed within 45 days from the date of this notice and should be addressed to Lois D. Cashell, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. Please affix "Hoosic River Project No. 2616-004" to all comments. For further information, please contact Edward R. Meyer at (202) 208-7998.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Docket No. CP96-164-000 and CP96-254-000]

Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, Distrigas of Massachusetts Corporation; Notice of Availability of the Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Tennessee Domac Projects

October 25, 1996.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) has prepared an environmental assessment (EA) on the natural gas pipeline facilities proposed by Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company (Tennessee) and the vaporization facilities proposed by Distrigas of Massachusetts Corporation (DOMAC) in the above-referenced dockets.

The EA was prepared to satisfy the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act. The staff concludes that approval of the proposed project, with appropriate mitigating measures, would not constitute a major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

The EA assesses the potential environmental effects of the construction and operation of the proposed facilities including: