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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-171-001]

#### Columbia Gulf Transmission Company; Notice of Change in Gas Tariff

February 9, 2000.

Take notice that on February 4, 2000, Columbia Gulf Transmission Company (Columbia Gulf) submitted its administrative tariff filing in Docket No. RP00-171-000. As explained in the transmittal letter, the purpose of this tariff filing was to reflect various administrative revisions to its currently effective FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1.

Subsequent to the January 28, 2000 tariff filing, Columbia Gulf learned that one of the tariff sheets that was submitted as part of the filing was included in error. Columbia Gulf respectfully requests permission from the Commission to withdraw Tariff Sheet No. 216 from Columbia Gulf's January 28, 2000 administrative tariff filing. Columbia Gulf further requests that the Commission accept the remaining tariff sheets as filed and place these tariff sheets into effect as of March 1, 2000, as requested in the January 28, 2000 filing.

Columbia Gulf states further that copies of this filing have been mailed to all of its customers and affected state regulatory commissions.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such 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 proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/>

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. MG99-27-001, MG99-28-001, MG99-29-001 and MG99-30-001]

#### Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Company, Southwest Gas Storage Company, Trunkline Gas Company and Trunkline LNG Company; Notice of Filing

February 9, 2000.

Take notice that on January 21, 2000, Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Company, Trunkline Gas Company, Trunkline LNG Company and Southwest Gas Storage Company each filed revised standards of conduct in response to the Commission's December 22, 1999 order.<sup>1</sup>

Each company states that it has served copies of its filing to each of its affected customers and state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filings should file a motion to intervene or a protest in each proceeding with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 or 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 or 385.214). All such motions to intervene or protest should be filed on or before February 24, 2000. 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 proceedings. 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. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call (202) 208-2222 for assistance).

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<sup>1</sup>89 FERC ¶ 61,315 (1999).

## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. EC00-49-000, et al.]

#### Consolidated Edison, Inc. and Northeast Utilities, et al. Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

February 8, 2000.

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

##### 1. Consolidated Edison, Inc. and Northeast Utilities

[Docket No. EC00-49-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 2000, Consolidated Edison, Inc. and Northeast Utilities filed an amendment to their Joint Application of the Jurisdictional Subsidiaries for Approval of Mergers filed on January 14, 2000.

*Comment date:* March 14, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 2. Black River Limited Partnership

[Docket No. EC00-53-000]

Take notice that on January 31, 2000, pursuant to section 203 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), 16 U.S.C. 824b (1998) and Part 33 of the Regulations of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission), 18 CFR 33 et seq., Black River Limited Partnership (Applicant) filed an application for Commission approval of the sale and lease transactions with respect to the transmission facilities and books, records, and accounts associated with the sale and leasing of the Ft. Drum Project, located at the Ft. Drum Army Base near Watertown, New York. Applicant requests that the Commission grant any other authorizations necessary to effectuate the proposed transactions.

Applicant also has requested that the Commission find that it will no longer be deemed to be a "public utility" as such term is defined under section 201 of the FPA upon consummation of the sale and lease transactions. Applicant has requested a shortened notice period and expedited consideration of the application.

*Comment date:* March 1, 2000, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

##### 3. Duquesne Light Company, and Orion Power MidWest, LLC

[Docket Nos. EC00-54-000 and ER00-1490-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 2000, Duquesne Light Company and Orion Power MidWest, LLC (Orion Power MidWest) (collectively, Applicants)