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**David P. Boergers,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-305-004]

#### Mississippi River Transmission Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

October 16, 2001.

Take notice that on September 28, 2001, Mississippi River Transmission Corporation (MRT) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet to be effective October 1, 2001:

Original Sheet No. 10A

MRT states that the purpose of the filing is to reflect the implementation of a new negotiated rate.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with 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. 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. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP01-613-001]

#### Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

October 16, 2001.

Take notice that on October 10, 2001, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, to be effective October 26, 2001:

Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 278-C  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 278-D

Northwest states that the purpose of this filing is to clarify that under the proposal submitted by Northwest in this proceeding on September 27, 2001, a shipper that wishes to exercise a right of first refusal will not be required to match a negotiated rate bid that exceeds Northwest's maximum base tariff rate or a five-year term in order to retain its capacity.

Northwest states that it has served a copy of this filing upon all parties on the service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed in accordance with 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. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

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*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER01-2799-000]

#### Poquonock River Funding, L.L.C.; Notice of Issuance of Order

October 16, 2001.

Poquonock River Funding, L.L.C. (PRF) submitted for filing a rate schedule under which PRF will engage in wholesale electric power and energy transactions at market-based rates. PRF also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, PRF requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by PRF.

On September 13, 2001, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, OMTR/Tariffs and Rates-East, granted requests for blanket approval under part 34, subject to the following:

Within thirty days of the date of the order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by PRF 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 385.214).

Absent a request to be heard in opposition within this period, PRF is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of the applicant, and compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably

necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of PRF's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is October 30, 2001.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Internet at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm>.

**David P. Boergers,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-20-000]

#### Portland Natural Gas Transmission System; Notice of Tariff Filing of Annual Charge Adjustment

October 16, 2001.

Take notice that on October 11, 2001, Portland Natural Gas Transmission System (PNGTS) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, 1st Rev Original Sheet No. 100. The proposed effective date of this revised tariff sheet is October 1, 2001.

PNGTS states that, pursuant to Section 154.402 of the Commission's regulations and Section 17 of the General Terms and Conditions of its tariff, it is filing the referenced tariff sheet to reflect implementation of the Annual Charge Adjustment surcharge of \$0.0022 per Dth. PNGTS states further that it is filing this tariff sheet within 10 days of receipt of its bill for the Annual Charge Adjustment.

PNGTS states that copies of its filing were served on all jurisdictional customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed on or before October 23, 2001. 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 this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

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*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EL00-95-000, et al.]

#### Notice of Filing of Offer of Settlement and Motion To Intervene Out-of-Time

October 15, 2001.

San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Complainant v. Sellers of Energy and Ancillary Service Into Markets Operated by the California Independent System Operator Corporation and the California Power Exchange Corporation, Respondents.

Investigation of Practices of the California Independent System Operator and the California Power Exchange; Coral Power, L.L.C., Enron PowerMarketing, Inc., Arizona Public Service Company, Cargill Alliant, LLC, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Avista Energy, Inc., Sempra Energy Trading Corp., PacifiCorp, and Constellation Power Source v. California Power Exchange Corporation; Salt River Project Agricultural Improvement and Power District and Sacramento Municipal Utility District v. California Power Exchange Corporation, Public Service Company of New Mexico v. California Power Exchange Corporation.

On October 5, 2001, the Official Committee of Participant Creditors (the Committee) of the California Power Exchange Corporation (CalPX) filed, under the provisions of Rule 602(d)(2) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, an Offer of Settlement of

Issues Affecting the California Power Exchange Corporation. The Offer of Settlement, among other things, proposes a methodology to account for the nonpayments by Pacific Gas & Electric Company and Southern California Edison Company and their impact on CalPX, the California Independent System Operator Corporation (CalISO), and participants in CalPX and CalISO markets. The Committee's filing also includes a motion to intervene out-of-time in Docket Nos. EL0-95-000 and EL00-98-000 and all related subdockets. The Committee also moves to intervene out-of-time in three proceedings relating to accounting issues under CalPX's tariff: EL01-36-000, EL01-37-000, and EL01-43-000.

The Committee also requests expedited consideration and approval of the Offer of Settlement, but has not requested a shortened comment period. Therefore, pursuant to Rule 602(f)(2) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, comments on the Offer of Settlement are to be filed on or before October 25, 2001. Reply comments shall be filed on or before November 5, 2001. Pursuant to Rule 213(d)(1) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, any answers to the Committee's motion to intervene out-of-time shall be filed on or before October 20, 2001.

**David P. Boergers,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP01-521-001]

#### Trailblazer Pipeline Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

October 16, 2001.

Take notice that on October 11, 2001, Trailblazer Pipeline Company (Trailblazer) tendered for filing to be a part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, Second Revised Sheet No. 114, to be effective December 1, 2001.

Trailblazer states that this tariff sheet was filed in compliance with the Commission's Letter Order issued in the referenced docket on September 26, 2001.

Trailblazer states that copies of the filing have been mailed to all parties set out on the Commission's official service list in Docket No. RP01-521.