27. Jean Giles Wittner

[Docket No. ID-2968-000]

Take notice that on June 6, 1996, Jean Giles Wittner (Applicant) tendered for filing an application under Section 305(b) to hold the following positions:

Director, Florida Power Corporation Director, Raymond James Bank

Comment date: June 28, 1996, 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. ER96-2026-000, et al.]

PECO Energy Company, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

June 14, 1996.

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

1. PECO Energy Company

[Docket No. ER96-2026-000]

Take notice that on June 3, 1996, PECO Energy Company (PECO), filed a Service Agreement dated May 17, 1996 with Rainbow Energy Marketing Corporation (Rainbow) under PECO's FERC Electric Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 4 (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds Rainbow as a customer under the Tariff.

PECO requests an effective date of May 17, 1996, for the Service Agreement.

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

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Midwest Energy, Inc.

[Docket No. ER96-2027-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Midwest Energy, Inc., submitted for filing an application for authorization to engage in wholesale sales of electric power at rates to be negotiated with the purchaser.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation

[Docket No. ER96-2028-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC), tendered for filing the Federal **Energy Regulatory Commission an** executed Service Agreement between NMPC and Virginia Power (VP). This Service Agreement specifies that VP has signed on to and has agreed to the terms and conditions of NMPC's Power Sales Tariff designated as NMPC's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 2. This Tariff, approved by FERC on April 15, 1994, and which has an effective date of March 13, 1993, will allow NMPC and VP to enter into separately scheduled transactions under which NMPC will sell to VP capacity and/or energy as the parties may mutually

In its filing letter, NMPC also included a Certificate of Concurrence executed by the Purchaser.

waiver of the notice requirements for

NMPC requests an effective date of May 1, 1996. NMPC has requested

good cause shown.

NMPC has served copies of the filing upon the New York State Public Service Commission and VP.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Florida Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER96-2029-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL), tendered for filing proposed service agreements with MidCon Power Services, Inc. for transmission service under FPL's Transmission Tariff No. 2.

FPL requests that the proposed service agreements be permitted to become effective on June 1, 1996, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. Louisville Gas and Electric Company [Docket No. ER96–2030–000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Louisville Gas and Electric Company, tendered for filing copies of a service agreement between Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Vitol Gas & Electric, L.L.C. under Rate GSS.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. Florida Power Corporation

Docket No. ER96-2031-000

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Florida Power Corporation, tendered for filing a service agreement providing for service to Georgia Power Company, pursuant to Florida Power's power sales tariff. Florida Power requests that the Commission waive its notice of filing requirements and allow the Service Agreement to become effective on June 4, 1996.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. Southwestern Public Service Company

[Docket No. ER96-2032-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Southwestern Public Service Company (Southwestern), tendered for filing rate schedules to be included in its wholesale electric rate tariff. The rate schedules are a contribution in aid of construction agreement and a related joint use agreement between Southwestern and Lea County Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Lea County). The agreements provide for Lea County to pay Southwestern \$973.00 for the installation of a structure necessary to allow Lea County's lines to cross existing lines of Southwestern and for continued use of the structure by Lea County.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

8. Entergy Power, Inc.

Docket No. ER96-2033-000

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Entergy Power, Inc. (EPI), tendered for filing an Interchange Agreement with Oglethorpe Power Corporation.

EPI requests an effective date for the Interchange Agreement that is one (1) day after the date of filing, and respectfully requests waiver of the notice requirements specified in Section 35.11 of the Commission's Regulations.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

9. Massachusetts Electric Company

[Docket No. ER96-2034-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Massachusetts Electric Company (MECo), filed two service agreements between MECo and the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA). Under the agreements MECo agrees to provide service to MBTA's Revere Beach and Beachmont stations.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

10. Kansas City Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER96-2035-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL), tendered for filing a Service Agreement dated May 28, 1996 by KCPL. KCPL proposes an effective date of June 1, 1996 and requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement to allow the requested effective date. This Agreement provides for the rates and charges for Firm Transmission Service by KCPL for a wholesale transaction.

In its filing, KCPL states that the rates included in the above-mentioned Service Agreement are KCPL's rates and charges which were conditionally accepted for filing by the Commission in Docket No. ER96–1045–000.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

11. Pennsylvania Power & Light Co.

[Docket No. ER96-2036-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Pennsylvania Power & Light Company (PP&L), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission a Service Agreement (the Agreement) between PP&L and Delhi Energy Services, Inc., dated May 30, 1996.

The Agreement supplements a Short Term Capacity and Energy Sales umbrella tariff approved by the Commission in Docket No. ER95–782– 000 on June 21, 1995.

In accordance with the policy announced in Prior Notice and Filing Requirements Under Part II of the Federal Power Act, 64 FERC ¶ 61,139, clarified and reh'g granted in part and denied in part, 65 FERC ¶ 61,081 (1993), PP&L requests the Commission to make the Agreement effective as of June 4, 1996, because service will be provided under an umbrella tariff and each service agreement is filed within 30 days after the commencement of service. 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. ER95–782–000.

PP&L states that a copy of its filing was provided to the customer involved and to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

12. Public Service Electric and Gas Company

[Docket No. ER96-2039-000]

Take notice that on June 3, 1996, Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G) of Newark, New Jersey, tendered for filing an agreement for the sale of capacity and energy to Southern Energy Marketing, Inc. (Southern), pursuant to PSE&G Bulk Power Service Tariff, presently on file with the Commission.

PSE&G further requests waiver of the Commission's regulations such that the agreement can be made effective as of July 1, 1996.

Copies of the filing have been served upon Southern and the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. New England Power Company [Docket No. ER96–2040–000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, New England Power Company tendered for filing two letter agreements providing for improvements to its G33 line, as requested by Central Vermont Public Service Corporation and Green Mountain Power Corporation.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. Entergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER96-2042-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Entergy Services, Inc. (Entergy Services), acting as agent for Entergy Arkansas, Inc. (formerly Arkansas Power & Light Company), submitted for filing a Second Amendment (Amendment) to the Power Coordination, Interchange and Transmission Agreement between the City of Thayer (City) and Entergy Arkansas, Inc. Entergy Services requests waiver of the Commission's filing requirements to permit the Second Amendment to become effective May 1, 1996.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Kentucky Utilities Company

[Docket No. ER96-2043-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, Kentucky Utilities Company (KU), tendered for filing an amendment to its Market-Based Power Sales Tariff to eliminate language restricting sales to power from KU-owned generating resources.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

16. PECO Energy Company

[Docket No. ER96-2044-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, PECO Energy Company (PECO), filed a Service Agreement dated May 3, 1996, with South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (SCE&G) under PECO's FERC Electric Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 4 (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds SCE&G as a customer under the Tariff.

PECO requests an effective date of May 5, 1996, for the Service Agreement.

PECO states that copies of this filing have been supplied to SCE&G and to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

17. PECO Energy Company

[Docket No. ER96-2045-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1996, PECO Energy Company (PECO), filed a Service Agreement dated May 5, 1996 with South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (SCE&G) under PECO's FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 1 (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds SCE&G as a customer under the Tariff.

PECO requests an effective date of May 5, 1996, for the Service Agreement.

PECO states that copies of this filing have been supplied to SCE&G and to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

18. MidAmerican Energy Company

[Docket No. ER96-2046-000]

Take notice that on June 5, 1996, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican), 106 East Second Street, Davenport, Iowa 52801, filed with the Commission a Firm Transmission Service Agreement with Citizens Lehman Power Sales (Citizens Lehman) dated May 31, 1996, and Non-Firm Transmission Service Agreement with Citizens Lehman dated May 31, 1996, entered into pursuant to MidAmerican's Point-to-Point Transmission Service Tariff, FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 4.

MidAmerican requests an effective date of May 31, 1996, for the Agreements with Citizens Lehman, and accordingly seeks a waiver of the Commission's notice requirement. MidAmerican has served a copy of the filing on Citizens Lehman, the Iowa Utilities Board, the Illinois Commerce Commission and the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

19. Cinergy Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER96-2047-000]

Take notice that on June 5, 1996, Cinergy Services, Inc. (Cinergy), tendered for filing a service agreement under Cinergy's Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service Tariff (the Tariff) entered into between Cinergy and Federal Energy Sales, Inc.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

20. Duke Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-2048-000]

Take notice that on June 5, 1996, Duke Power Company (Duke), tendered for filing the following: (1) Service Agreement for Market Rate (Schedule MR) Sales between Duke and Virginia Electric and Power Company; (2) Service Agreement for Market Rate (Schedule MR) Sales between Duke and Tennessee Valley Authority; (3) Service Agreement for Market Rate (Schedule MR) Sales between Duke and City of Tallahassee, Florida; (4) Service Agreement for Market Rate (Schedule MR) Sales between Duke and South Carolina Public Service Authority; and (5) Service Agreement for Market Rate (Schedule MR) Sales between Duke and Jacksonville Electric Authority.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

21. Duke Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-2049-000]

Take notice that on June 5, 1996, Duke Power Company (Duke), tendered for filing Schedule MR Transaction Sheets supplementing the Service Agreement for Market Rate (Schedule MR) Sales between Duke and Eastex Power Marketing, Inc. and Schedule MR Transaction Sheet thereunder.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

22. Duke Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-2050-000]

Take notice that on June 5, 1996, Duke Power Company (Duke), tendered for filing a Service Agreement for Market Rate (Schedule MR) Sales between Duke and Monongahela Power Company, Potomac Edison Company, and West Penn Power Company (collectively, Allegheny Power) and Schedule MR Transaction Sheet thereunder.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

23. Commonwealth Electric Company Cambridge Electric Light Company

[Docket No. ER96-2052-000]

Take notice that on June 6, 1996, Commonwealth Electric Company (Commonwealth) on behalf of itself and Cambridge Electric Light Company (Cambridge), collectively referred to as the "Companies", tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission executed Service Agreements between the Companies and the following Customers:

Federal Energy Sales Inc. Heartland Energy Services

These Service Agreements specify that the Customers have signed on to and have agreed to the terms and conditions of the Companies' Power Sales and Exchanges Tariffs designated as Commonwealth's Power Sales and **Exchanges Tariff (FERC Electric Tariff** Original Volume No. 3) and Cambridge's Power Sales and Exchanges Tariff (FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 5). These Tariffs, approved by FERC on April 13, 1995, and which have an effective date of March 20, 1995, will allow the Companies and the Customers to enter into separately scheduled transactions under which the Companies will sell to the Customers capacity and/or energy as the parties may mutually agree.

The Companies request an effective date as specified on each Service Agreement.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

24. New England Power Company

[Docket No. ER96-2053-000]

Take notice that on June 6, 1996, New England Power Company, tendered for filing a supplemental Service Agreement between New England Power Company and Montaup Electric Company for transmission service under NEP's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 3. Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

25. New England Power Company [Docket No. ER96–2054–000]

Take notice that on June 6, 1996, New England Power Company (NEP), filed a Service Agreement with Global Petroleum Corp. under NEP's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 5.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

26. New England Power Company [Docket No. ER96–2055–000]

Take notice that on June 6, 1996, New England Power Company (NEP), filed a Service Agreement with Unitil Resources, Inc. under NEP's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 5.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

27. New England Power Pool [Docket No. ER96–2056–000]

Take notice that on June 6, 1996, the New England Power Pool Executive Committee, filed a signature page to the NEPOOL Agreement dated September 1, 1971, as amended, signed by TransCanada Power Corp. (TransCanada). The New England Power Pool Agreement, as amended, has been designated NEPOOL FPC No. 2.

The Executive Committee states that acceptance of the signature page would permit TransCanada to join the over 90 Participants already in the Pool. NEPOOL further states that the filed signature page does not change the NEPOOL Agreement in any manner, other than to make TransCanada a Participant in the Pool. NEPOOL requests an effective date of August 1, 1996 for commencement of participation in the Pool by TransCanada.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

28. The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company

[Docket No. ER96-2057-000]

Take notice that on June 6, 1996, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company (CEI) filed pursuant to 205 of the Federal Power Act and Part 35 of the Commission Regulations thereunder electric power service agreements between CEI and AIG Trading Corporation and Northern Indiana Public Service Company.

Comment date: June 28, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

29. Portland General Electric Company [Docket No. ES96–30–000]

Take notice that on June 12, 1996, Portland General Electric Company filed an application, under § 204 of the Federal Power Act, seeking authorization to issue short-term debt, from time to time, in an aggregate principal amount of not more than \$250 million outstanding at any one time, during the period August 1, 1996 through July 31, 1998, with a final maturity date no later than July 31, 1999.

Comment date: July 11, 1996, 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 this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr., *Acting Secretary.*

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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 7481-068]

New York State Dam Limited Partnership; Notice of Availability of Draft Environmental Assessment

June 14, 1996.

A draft environmental assessment (DEA) is available for public review. The DEA was prepared for New York State Dam Limited Partnership (licensee) to provide passage for adult blueback herring at the New York State Dam Hydroelectric Project. In a letter dated April 9, 1993, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) recommended that the licensee operate its existing fish

bypass to provide downstream fish passage for migrating adult blueback herring in the Mohawk River.

Article 15 of the project license requires the licensee, for the conservation and development of fish resources, operate project facilities as may be ordered by the Commission upon its own motion or upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Interior, after notice and opportunity for hearing.

In summary, the DEA examines the environmental impacts of four alternatives for providing downstream fish passage for adult blueback herring at the project: (1) continuous flow; (2) summer operation; (3) spill; and (4) no-action. These alternatives are described in detail on pages five and six of the DEA.

The DEA recommends that the licensee operate its fish bypass in accordance with the summer operation alternative. The DEA concludes that implementation of this alternative would not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

This DEA was written by staff in the Office of Hydropower Licensing (OHL). As such, the DEA is OHL staff's preliminary analysis of FWS's recommendation for downstream passage of adult blueback herring. No final conclusions have been made by the Commission regarding this matter. Any action, pursuant to article 15, will be initiated by the Commission only after notice and opportunity for hearing.

Should you wish to provide comments on the DEA, they should be filed within 60 days from the date of this notice. Comments should be addressed to: Ms. Lois D. Cashell, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. Please include the project number (7481–068) on any comments filed.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Assessment

June 14, 1996.

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

a. Application Type: Proposed Measures and Schedule for Improving the Seismic Stability of Butt Valley and Canyon Dams.

b. Project No: 2105-037.

- c. Date Filed: June 13, 1996.
- d. Licensee: Pacific Gas and Electric Company.
- e. Name of Project: Upper North Fork Feather River Project.
- f. Location: Butt Creek, Lake Alamanor, and Butt Valley Reservoir, in Plumas County, California.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. § 791(a)–825(r).
- h. License Contact: Mr. Jeffrey D. Butler, Manager—Hydro Generation, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, P.O. Box 770000, Mail Code N11C, San Francisco, CA 94177, (415) 973–4603.
- i. FERC Contact: Dr. John M. Mudre, (202) 219–1208.
- j. Comment Date: July 5, 1996. k. Project Description: Pacific Gas and Electric Company, licensee for the Upper North Fork Feather River Project (FERC No. 2105), has filed plans for remedial work to be conducted to improve the seismic stability of the project's Canyon and Butt Valley Dams. The filing includes a description of, and proposed measures to mitigate, the environmental impacts of the proposed work. These impacts may result from the temporary drawdown of Butt Valley Reservoir, temporary restrictions on public access to the area, and construction activities. Staff intends to prepare an environmental assessment (EA) on the licensee's plans for remedial work and environmental mitigation. Comments are invited on the licensee's plans and the appropriate scope of the
- l. This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: B, C1, and D2.
- B. Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.
- C1. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS",
- "RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTESTS", or "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named