

implementation of certain of its provisions.

**Troy H. Cribb,**

*Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.*

**Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements**

September 3, 1997.

Commissioner of Customs,  
*Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC 20229.*

Dear Commissioner: This directive amends, but does not cancel, the directive issued to you on September 11, 1996, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain wool textile products, produced or manufactured in the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and exported during the period which began on October 1, 1996 and extends through December 31, 1997.

Effective on September 9, 1997, you are directed to adjust the limits for the following categories, as provided for in the agreement between the Governments of the United States and the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia dated August 6, 1996:

Category	Adjusted fifteen-month limit <sup>1</sup>
433 .....	23,876 dozen.
434 .....	13,250 dozen.
435 .....	37,150 dozen.
443 .....	228,938 numbers.
448 .....	65,861 dozen.

<sup>1</sup>The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after September 30, 1996.

The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has determined that these actions fall within the foreign affairs exception to the rulemaking provisions of 5 U.S.C.553(a)(1).

Sincerely,

Troy H. Cribb,

*Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**National Committee of Foreign Medical Education and Accreditation**

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**DATE AND TIME:** Thursday, October 9, 1997, 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m., Friday, October 10, 1997, 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.

**PLACE:** The Embassy Suites Hotel, 1250 22nd Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037. The meeting site is accessible to individuals with disabilities. An individual with a disability who will need an accommodation to participate in the meeting (e.g., interpreting service,

assistive listening device, or materials in an alternate format) should notify the contact person listed in this notice at least two weeks before the scheduled meeting date. Although the Department will attempt to meet a request received after that date, the requested accommodations may not be available because of insufficient time to arrange it.

**STATUS:** Parts of this meeting will be open to the public. Part of this meeting will be closed to the public.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** The standards of accreditation applied to medical schools by a number of foreign countries and the comparability of those standards to the standards of accreditation applied to United States medical schools. Discussions of the standards of accreditation will be held in sessions open to the public. Discussions that focus on specific determinations of comparability are closed to the public in order that each country may be properly notified of the decision.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 481 of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended in 1992 (20 U.S.C. § 1088), the Secretary established within the Department of Education the National Committee on Foreign Medical Education and Accreditation. The Committee's responsibilities are to (1) evaluate the standards of accreditation applied to applicant foreign medical schools; and (2) determined the comparability of those standards for accreditation applied to United States medical schools.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Carol F. Sperry, Executive Director, National Committee on Foreign Medical Education and Accreditation, 7th and D Streets, S.W., Room 3082, ROB #3, Washington, D.C. 20202-7563. Telephone: (202) 260-3636. Beginning September 22, 1997, you may call to obtain the identity of the countries whose standards are to be evaluated during this meeting.

Dated: September 2, 1997.

**David A. Longanecker,**

*Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Office of Fossil Energy**

[FE Docket No. 97-40-NG]

**Coenergy Trading Company; Order Granting Long-Term Authorization to Import Natural Gas from Canada**

**AGENCY:** Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

**ACTION:** Notice of order.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of Fossil Energy of the Department of Energy gives notice that it has issued an order granting CoEnergy Trading Company (CoEnergy) long-term authorization to import up to 80,000 Mcf per day (29.9 Bcf annually) of natural gas from Canada. The term of the authorization is for a period of 10 years commencing November 1, 1998, or for 10 years after the commencement of deliveries if deliveries begin after November 1, 1998. This gas may be imported from Canada at the proposed interconnection of the Trans Quebec and Maritimes Pipeline and the Portland Natural Gas Transmission System near Pittsburg, New Hampshire, or the existing interconnection of TransCanada PipeLines Limited and Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership located near Noyes, Minnesota.

This order is available for inspection and copying in the Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import and Export Activities docket room, 3F-056, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, (202) 586-9478. The docket room is open between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued in Washington, D.C., August 12, 1997.

**Cliff Tomaszewski,**

*Director, Office of Natural Gas, Office of Fossil Energy.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

[Docket Nos. EA-155]

**Application to Export Electric Energy to Canada; ProMark Energy, Inc.**

**AGENCY:** Office of Fossil Energy, DOE

**ACTION:** Notice of Application.

**SUMMARY:** ProMark Energy, Inc. (ProMark), a power marketer, has submitted an application to export electric energy to Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act.

**DATES:** Comments, protests or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before October 9, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments, protests or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex (FE-27), Office of Fossil Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585-0350 (FAX 202-287-5736).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ellen Russell (Program Office) 202-586-9624 or Michael Skinker (Program Attorney) 202-586-6667.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country are regulated and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C. § 824a(e)).

On August 27, 1997, ProMark, a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc., applied to the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) for authorization to export electric energy, as a power marketer, to Canada, pursuant to section 202(e) of the FPA. Specifically, ProMark has proposed to transmit to Canada electric energy purchased from electric utilities and other suppliers within the U.S.

ProMark would arrange for the exported energy to be transmitted to Canada over the international facilities owned by Citizens Utilities, Detroit Edison Company, Eastern Maine Electric Cooperative, Joint Owners of the Highgate Project, Maine Electric Power Company, Maine Public Service Company, New York Power Authority, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation, and Vermont Electric Transmission Company. Each of the transmission facilities, as more fully described in these applications, has previously been authorized by a Presidential permit issued pursuant to Executive Order 10485, as amended.

#### **Procedural Matters**

Any persons desiring to become a party to this proceeding or to be heard by filing comments or protests to this application should file a petition to intervene, comment or protest at the address provided above in accordance with §§ 385.211 or 385.214 of the FERC's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Fifteen copies of such petitions and protests should be filed with the DOE on or before the date listed above. Additional copies are to be filed directly with Kenneth Bekman, ProMark Energy, Inc., 555 Theodore Fremd Avenue, Suite B-100, Rye, New York, 10580 AND Steven

J. Ross, Steptoe & Johnson LLP, 1330 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 200361-1795.

A final decision will be made on this application after the environmental impacts have been evaluated pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), and a determination is made by the DOE that the proposed action will not adversely impact on the reliability of the U.S. electric power supply system.

Copies of this application will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above.

Issued in Washington, DC on September 2, 1997.

**Anthony J. Como,**

*Manager, Electric Power Regulation, Office of Coal and Power Im/Ex, Office of Coal and Power Systems, Office of Fossil Energy.*

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## **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### **Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ER97-2701-000]

#### **Allegheny Power Service Corporation; Notice of Filing**

September 3, 1997.

Take notice that on August 7, 1997, Allegheny Power Service Corporation tendered for filing an amendment in the above-referenced docket.

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 Procedures (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before September 16, 1997. 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.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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## **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### **Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP97-494-000]

#### **ANR Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes In FERC Gas Tariff**

September 3, 1997.

Take notice that on August 29, 1997, ANR Pipeline Company (ANR) tendered for filing, as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, proposed to become effective September 1, 1997:

Twenty-fifth Revised Sheet No. 8  
Twenty-seventh Revised Sheet No. 9  
Twenty-sixth Revised Sheet No. 13  
Twenty-seventh Revised Sheet No. 16  
Thirty-second Revised Sheet No. 18

ANR states that the above-referenced tariff sheets are being filed to implement recovery of approximately \$2.5 million of above-market costs that are associated with its obligations to Dakota Gasification Company (Dakota). ANR proposes a reservation surcharge applicable to its Part 284 firm transportation customers to collect ninety percent (90%) of the Dakota costs, and an adjustment to the maximum base tariff rates of Rate Schedule ITS and overrun rates applicable to Rate Schedule FTS-2, so as to recover the remaining ten percent (10%). ANR also advises that the proposed changes would increase current quarterly Above-Market Dakota Cost recoveries from \$2.0 million to \$2.5 million based upon higher net costs incurred from May, 1997 through July, 1997.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this 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 Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or 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 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 in the Public Reference Room.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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