tendered for filing an application under Section 305(b) of the Federal Power Act to hold the following positions:

Officer—Potomac Electric Power Company

Director—Environmental Elements Company

Comment date: October 14, 1997, 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.

#### Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER97-4541-000, et al.]

Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company, et al. Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

September 30, 1997.

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

## 1. Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4541-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company (SIGECO), tendered for filing four (4) service agreements for non-firm transmission service under Part II of its Transmission Services Tariff with the following entities:

- 1. Western Resources
- 2. Public Service Electric and Gas Company
- 3. Virginia Electric and Power Company
- 4. Pennsylvania Power & Light Company

Copies of the filing were served upon each of the parties to the service agreements.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 2. MidAmerican Energy Company

[Docket No. ER97-4542-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican), 666 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50309, submitted for filing a Non-Firm Transmission Service Agreement with Constellation Power Source, Inc. (Constellation), entered into pursuant to MidAmerican's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

MidAmerican requests an effective date of August 28, 1997, for the Agreement, and accordingly, seeks a waiver of the Commission's notice requirement. MidAmerican has served a copy of the filing on Constellation, the Iowa Utilities Board, the Illinois Commerce Commission and the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 3. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4543-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company tendered for filing copies of service agreements between Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Electric Clearinghouse, Inc., under Rate GSS.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 4. Union Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4544-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, Union Electric Company (UE), tendered for filing Service Agreements for Market Based Rate Power Sales between UE and The Energy Authority, Entergy Services, Inc., and Southern Company Services, Inc. UE asserts that the purpose of the Agreements is to permit UE to make sales of capacity and energy at market based rates to the parties pursuant to UE's Market Based Rate Power Sales Tariff filed in Docket No. ER97–3664–000.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 5. New Century Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-4545-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, New Century Services, Inc., on behalf of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company, Public Service Company of Colorado, and Southwestern Public Service Company (collectively Companies) tendered for filing a Service Agreement under their Joint Open Access Transmission Service Tariff for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service between the Companies and Southern Energy Trading & Marketing, Inc.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 6. New Century Services, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-4546-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, New Century Services, Inc., on behalf of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company, Public Service Company of Colorado, and Southwestern Public Service Company (collectively Companies) tendered for filing a Service Agreement under their Joint Open Access Transmission Service Tariff for Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service between the Companies and Southern Energy Trading & Marketing, Inc.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 7. Central Illinois Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-4548-000]

Take notice that on September 9, 1997, Central Illinois Light Company (CILCO), 300 Liberty Street, Peoria, Illinois 61202, tendered for filing with the Commission a substitute Index of Customers under its Coordination Sales Tariff and service agreement for one new customer.

CILCO requested an effective date of September 2, 1997.

Copies of the filing were served on the affected customer and the Illinois Commerce Commission.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 8. Western Resources, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-4549-000]

Take notice that on September 9, 1997, Western Resources, Inc., tendered for filing two firm transmission agreements between Western Resources and Western Resources Generation Services. Western Resources states that the purpose of the agreements is to permit non-discriminatory access to the transmission facilities owned or controlled by Western Resources in accordance with Western Resources' open access transmission tariff on file with the Commission. The agreements proposed to become effective September 20, 1997 and October 1, 1997.

Copies of the filing were served upon Western Resources Generation Services and the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 9. PacifiCorp

[Docket No. ER97-4550-000]

Take notice that on September 8, 1997, PacifiCorp, tendered for filing in accordance with 18 CFR Part 35 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations, a Service Agreement with the City of Hurricane, Utah under PacifiCorp's FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 12.

Copies of this filing were supplied to the City of Hurricane, the Public Utility Commission of Oregon and the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission.

A copy of this filing may be obtained from PacifiCorp's Regulatory Administration Department's Bulletin Board System through a personal computer by calling (503) 464–6122 (9600 baud, 8 bits, no parity, 1 stop bit).

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 10. PacifiCorp

[Docket No. ER97-4551-000]

Take notice that on September 4, 1997, PacifiCorp, tendered for filing in accordance with 18 CFR Part 35 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations, an amendment to its filing of an amended Service Agreement with Blanding City under PacifiCorp's FERC Electric Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 6.

Copies of this filing were supplied to the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission and the Public Utility Commission of Oregon.

A copy of this filing may be obtained from PacifiCorp's Regulatory Administration Department's Bulletin Board System through a personal computer by calling (503) 464–6122 (9600 baud, 8 bits, no parity, 1 stop bit). Comment date: October 15, 1997, in

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

# 11. Louisville Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4553-000]

Take notice that on September 9, 1997, Louisville Gas and Electric Company tendered for filing copies of service agreements between Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Southern Company Services under Rate GSS.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

# 12. Additional Signatories to PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. Operating Agreement

[Docket No. ER97-4554-000]

Take notice that on September 9, 1997, the PJM Interconnection, L.L.C., membership application of New York State Electric & Gas Corporation and Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation. PJM requests an effective date of September 9, 1997.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 13. Western Resources, Inc.

[Docket No. ER97-4556-000]

Take notice that on September 9, 1997, Western Resources, Inc., tendered for filing a non-firm transmission agreement between Western Resources and Williams Energy Services Company. Western Resources states that the purpose of the agreement is to permit non-discriminatory access to the transmission facilities owned or controlled by Western Resources in accordance with Western Resources' open access transmission tariff on file with the Commission. The agreement is proposed to become effective August 29, 1997.

Copies of the filing were served upon Williams Energy Services Company and the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 14. The United Illuminating Company

[Docket No. ER97-4557-000]

Take notice that on September 9, 1997, The United Illuminating Company (UI) tendered for filing a Notice of Cancellation of the System Energy Exchange Agreement (Agreement) among UI, The Connecticut Light & Power Company (CL&P), and Western Massachusetts Electric Company (WMECO). The Agreement is designated as CL&P Rate Schedule FERC No. 300 and Supplement No. 1, WMECO Rate Schedule FERC No. 238, and UI Rate Schedule FERC No. 40. UI has also filed a certificate of concurrence demonstrating that CL&P and WMECO assent to the cancellation of the Agreement.

UI requests an effective date for the cancellation of September 26, 1997. UI has served a copy of the filing upon Northeast Utilities Service Company, as authorized agent for CL&P and WMECO, and upon the Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 15. New England Power Pool

[Docket No. ER97-4558-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, the New England Power Pool Executive Committee filed a signature page to the NEPOOL Agreement dated September 1, 1971, as amended, signed by AllEnergy Marketing Company, L.L.C. (AllEnergy). 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 AllEnergy to join the over 110 Participants that already participate in the Pool. NEPOOL further states that the filed signature page does not change the NEPOOL Agreement in any manner, other than to make AllEnergy a Participant in the Pool. NEPOOL requests an effective date on or before October 1, 1997, or as soon as possible thereafter for commencement of participation in the Pool by AllEnergy.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

### 16. Southern California Edison Company

[Docket No. ER97-4559-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Southern California Edison Company (Edison), tendered for filing executed umbrella Service Agreements (Service Agreements) with Southern California Edison Company—Energy Supply & Marketing, and Federal Energy Sales, Inc., for Point-To-Point Transmission Service under Edison's Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff).

Edison filed the executed Service Agreements with the Commission in compliance with applicable Commission Regulations. Edison also submitted revised Sheet Nos. 165 and 166 (Attachment E) to the Tariff, which is an updated list of all current subscribers. Edison requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement to permit an effective date of September 11, 1997, for Attachment E, and to allow the Service Agreements to become effective according to their terms.

Copies of this filing were served upon the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California and all interested parties.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 17. Duquesne Light Company

[Docket No. ER97-4560-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Duquesne Light Company (DLC) filed a Service Agreement dated August 29, 1997, with Pennsylvania Power & Light Company under DLC's FERC Coordination Sales Tariff (Tariff). The Service Agreement adds Pennsylvania Power & Light Company as a customer under the Tariff. DLC requests an effective date of January 1, 1997 for the Service Agreement.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 18. Houston Lighting & Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-4561-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Houston Lighting & Power Company (HL&P), tendered for filing an executed transmission service agreement (TSA) with Tenaska Power Services Company (Tenaska) for Non-Firm Transmission Service under HL&P's FERC Electric Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, for Transmission Service To, From and Over Certain HVDC Interconnections. HL&P has requested an effective date of September 10, 1997.

Copies of the filing were served on Tenaska and the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

## 19. Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4563-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company (OG&E), tendered for filing service agreements for parties to take service under its open access tariff. OG&E requests an effective date of September 1, 1997 for Constellation Power Source, Inc., Oklahoma Municipal Power Authority, Tenaska Power Services Company, Western Farmers Electric Cooperative and Williams Energy Services Company and a July 9, 1996, effective date for OG&E.

Copies of this filing have been served on the affected parties, the Oklahoma Corporation Commission and the Arkansas Public Service Commission.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

# 20. Baltimore Gas and Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4564-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Baltimore Gas and Electric Company (BGE) filed a Service Agreement with Potomac Electric Power Company, September 1, 1997, and under BGE's FERC Electric Tariff Original Volume No. 3 (Tariff). Under the tendered Service Agreement, BGE agrees to provide services to Potomac Electric Power Company under the provisions of the Tariff. BGE requests an effective date of September 1, 1997 for the Service Agreement. BGE states that a copy of the filing was served upon the Public Service Commission of Maryland.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 21. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-4565-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing a Power Sales Tariff, Service Agreement under which Prime, Inc. will take service under Illinois Power Company's Power Sales Tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of September 1, 1997.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 22. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-4566-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing a Power Sales Tariff, Service Agreement under which Amoco Energy Trading Corporation will take service under Illinois Power Company's Power Sales Tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of September 1, 1997.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 23. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER97-4567-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing a Power Sales Tariff, Service Agreement under which Avista Energy Company will take service under Illinois Power Company's Power Sales Tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of September 1, 1997.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 24. Tampa Electric Company

[Docket No. ER97-4569-000]

Take notice that on September 10, 1997, Tampa Electric Company (Tampa Electric), tendered for filing service agreements with Southern Energy Trading and Marketing, Inc., and Reedy Creek Improvement District for non-firm point-to-point transmission service under Tampa Electric's open access transmission tariff.

Tampa Electric proposes an effective date of August 21, 1997, for the service agreements, and therefore requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirement.

Copies of the filing have been served on the other parties to the service agreements and the Florida Public Service Commission.

Comment date: October 15, 1997, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

#### 25. Panther Creek Partners

[Docket No. QF87-59-010]

On September 19, 1997, Panther Creek Partners (Applicant) of 1001 Industrial Road, Nesquehoning, Pennsylvania 18240 submitted for filing an application for recertification of a facility as a qualifying small power production facility pursuant to Section 292.207(b) of the Commission's Regulations. No determination has been made that the submittal constitutes a complete filing.

According to the applicant, the facility is an 86 MW, anthracite wastefired small power production facility located in Nesquehoning, Pennsylvania. The Commission most recently recertified the facility as a small power production facility in Panther Creek Partners, 64 FERC ¶ 62,206 (1993). The instant application for recertification is requested to assure that the facility will remain a qualifying facility following a change in upstream ownership and to certify additional sources of anthracite waste coal.

Comment date: 15 days after the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, 1997, 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.

#### Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[PF-766; FRL 5746-9]

#### **Notice of Filing of Pesticide Petitions**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the initial filing of pesticide petitions proposing the establishment of regulations for residues of certain pesticide chemicals in or on various food commodities.

DATES: Comments, identified by the docket control number PF-766, must be received on or before November 7, 1997. ADDRESSES: By mail submit written comments to: Public Information and Records Integrity Branch, Information Resources and Services Division (7506C), Office of Pesticides Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. In person bring comments to: Rm. 1132, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

Comments and data may also be submitted electronically to: oppdocket@epamail.epa.gov. Follow the instructions under "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION" of this document. No Confidential Business Information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail.

Information submitted as a comment concerning this document may be claimed confidential by marking any part or all of that information as CBI. Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2. A copy of the comment that does not contain CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public record. Information not marked confidential may be disclosed publicly by EPA without prior notice. All written comments will be available for public inspection in Rm. 1132 at the address given above, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The product manager listed in the table below:

| Product Manager                | Office location/telephone number  | Address                                 |
|--------------------------------|---|---|
| Cynthia Giles-Parker, (PM 22). | Rm. 247, CM #2, 703–305–7740; e-mail: giles-parker cynthia@epamail.epa.gov. | 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy, Arlington, VA |
| Joanne Miller (PM 23)          | Rm. 237, CM #2, 703–305–6224; e-mail: miller joanne@epamail.epa.gov.        | Do.                                     |

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has received pesticide petitions as follows proposing the establishment and/or amendment of regulations for residues of certain pesticide chemicals in or on various food commodities under section 408 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Comestic Act (FFDCA), 21 U.S.C. 346a. EPA has determined that these petitions contain data or information regarding the elements set forth in section 408(d)(2); however, EPA has not fully evaluated the sufficiency of the submitted data at this time or whether the data supports granting of the petition. Additional data may be needed before EPA rules on the petition.

The official record for this notice of filing, as well as the public version, has been established for this notice of filing under docket control number [PF-766] (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this record, including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as CBI, is available for inspection from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The official record is located at the address in "ADDRESSES" at the beginning of this document.

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at: opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Comment and data will also be accepted on disks in Wordperfect 5.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket number (PF-766) and appropriate petition number. Electronic comments on notice may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

#### **List of Subjects**

Environmental protection, Agricultural commodities, Food additives, Feed additives, Pesticides and pests, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Dated: September 29, 1997.

#### James Jones,

Acting Director, Registration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

#### **Summaries of Petitions**

Petitioner summaries of the pesticide petitions are printed below as required by section 408(d)(3) of the FFDCA. The summaries of the petitions were prepared by the petitioners and represent the views of the petitioners. EPA is publishing the petition summaries verbatim without editing them in any way. The petition summary

announces the availability of a description of the analytical methods available to EPA for the detection and measurement of the pesticide chemical residues or an explanation of why no such method is needed.

#### 1. AgrEvo USA Company (AgrEvo)

PP 7F4910 and 7E4911

EPA has received pesticide petitions (PP 7F4910 and 7E4911) from AgrEvo USA Company (AgrEvo), Wilmington, DE 19808 proposing pursuant to section 408(d) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, 21 U.S.C. 346a(d), to amend 40 CFR 180.473(c) and part 186 by establishing tolerances for residues of glufosinate-ammonium in or on raw agricultural commodities derived from transgenic sugar beets and canola that are tolerant to the herbicide, glufosinateammonium: sugar beet roots at 0.7 ppm, sugar beet tops (leaves) at 1.3 ppm, canola seed at 0.4 ppm and the processed feeds: canola meal at 2.0 ppm and sugar beet molasses at 5.0 ppm. AgrEvo has also proposed to amend 40 CFR 180.473(a)(1) and part 185 by establishing a tolerance for residues of the herbicide, glufosinate-ammonium: butanoic acid, 2-amino-4-(hydroxymethylphosphinyl)-, monoammonium salt and its metabolite, 3-methylphosphinico-propionic acid expressed as glufosinate free acid