Texas Eastern states that the authorization requested would have no effect on Texas Eastern's peak day or annual deliveries. Texas Eastern submits that service to Arkla is accomplished without determent or disadvantage to Texas Eastern's other customers.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after the Commission has issued this notice, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the allowed time, the proposed activity will be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request will be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP98-516-000]

Texas Gas Transmission Corporation; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

May 11, 1998.

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Texas Gas Transmission Corporation (Texas Gas), 3800 Frederica Street, Owensboro, Kentucky 42301, filed in Docket No. CP98-516-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205, 157.212, and 157.216 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.212, 157.216) for authorization replace and reconfigure facilities in Madison County, Tennessee under Texas Gas's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-407-000 pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Texas Gas states that it proposes to replace the existing dual 8-inch meter runs and 6-inch regulation runs with dual 6-inch meter runs and 4-inch regulation runs and associated headers and piping at its Jackson No. 1 delivery meter station located at its Jackson No. 1 delivery meter station located at the

termination of Texas Gas's 8-inch Ripley Jackson Line. In addition the station will also be reconfigured by reversing the current placement of the regulation and the meter runs so that the meter runs will be placed in front of the or upstream of the regulation runs.

Texas Gas states that the estimated cost of reconfiguring these facilities is estimated to be \$215,000 and that the proposal will have no significant effect on Texas Gas's peak day and annual deliveries

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefore, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

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Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER98-2884-000, et al.]

Illinois Power Company, et al. Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

May 7, 1998.

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

1. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2884-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing firm transmission agreements under which PPG Industries, Inc., will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of May 1, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. IES Utilities Inc., Interstate Power Company, Wisconsin Power & Light Company, South Beloit Water, Gas & Electric Company Heartland Energy Services and Industrial Energy Applications, Inc.

[Docket Nos. EC96-13-000, ER96-1236-000, and ER96-2560-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Alliant Services, Inc. (Alliant), on its own behalf and on behalf of IES Utilities Inc., Interstate Power Company, Wisconsin Power & Light Company, South Beloit Water, Gas & Electric Company, Heartland Energy Services and Industrial Energy Applications, Inc. (the IEC Operating Companies), submitted an amendment to its filing in these dockets.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-2886-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation (RG&E), filed a Service Agreement between RG&E and the SCANA Energy Marketing, Inc., (Customer). This Service Agreement specifies that the Customer has agreed to the rates, terms and conditions of the RG&E open access transmission tariff filed on July 9, 1996 in Docket No. OA96–141–000.

RG&E requests waiver of the Commission's sixty (60) day notice requirements and an effective date of April 28, 1998, for the SCANA Energy Marketing, Inc., Service Agreement. RG&E has served copies of the filing on the New York State Public Service Commission and on the Customer.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2887-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing a Power Sales Tariff, Service Agreement under which NGE Generation, 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 April 27, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2888-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing firm and non-firm transmission agreements under which Archer Daniels Midland Company will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of April 30, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. Idaho Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2889-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Idaho Power Company (IPC), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Service Agreements under Idaho Power Company FERC Electric Tariff No. 6, Market Rate Power Sales Tariff, between Idaho Power Company and Black Hills Power & Light Co.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-2890-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation (RG&E), filed a Market Based Service Agreement between RG&E and Cinergy Capital & Trading Marketing Inc., (Customer). This Service Agreement specifies that the Customer has agreed to the rates, term and conditions of RG&E's FERC Electric Rate Schedule, Original Volume No. 3 (Power Sales Tariff) accepted by the Commission in Docket No. ER97–3556–000 (80 FERC ¶ 61,284).

RG&E requests waiver of the Commission's sixty (60) day notice requirements and an effective date of April 20th, Strategic Energy Ltd's Service Agreement. RG&E has served copies of the filing on the New York State Public Service Commission and on the Customer.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

8. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2891-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing nonfirm transmission agreements under which VTEC Energy, Inc., will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of May 1, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

9. Wisconsin Electric Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2892-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Wisconsin Electric Power Company (Wisconsin Electric), tendered for filing a short term firm transmission service agreement between itself and Pennsylvania Power and Light Company, Inc. (PP&L), under Wisconsin Electric's FERC Electric Tariff, Volume No. 7, which is pending Commission consideration in Docket No. OA97–578. Wisconsin Electric respectfully requests an effective date coincident with its filing. Wisconsin Electric is authorized to state that PP&L joins in the requested effective date.

Copies of the filing have been served on PP&L, the Michigan Public Service Commission, and the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

10. South Carolina Electric & Gas Company

[Docket No. ER98-2893-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company (SCE&G), submitted service agreements establishing Equitable Power Services Company (EPSC) and Federal Energy Sales, Inc. (FES), as customers under the terms of SCE&G's Negotiated Market Sales Tariff.

SCE&G requests an effective date of one day subsequent to the filing of the service agreements. Accordingly, SCE&G requests waiver of the Commission's notice requirements. Copies of this filing were served upon EPSC, FES, and the South Carolina Public Service Commission.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

11. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2894-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing firm and non-firm transmission agreements under which Central Illinois Light Company will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of April 15, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

12. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2895-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing firm and non-firm transmission agreements under which Tenneco Packaging, Inc., will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of April 30, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2896-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing firm transmission agreements under which Illinois State University will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of May 1, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2897-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing firm transmission agreements under which Caterpillar, Inc., will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of April 23, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2898-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing firm transmission agreements under which Granite City Steel Corporation will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of April 22, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

16. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2902-000]

Take notice that on May 4, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing non-firm transmission agreements under which AYP Energy, Inc., will take transmission service pursuant to its open access transmission tariff. The agreements are based on the Form of Service Agreement in Illinois Power's tariff.

Illinois Power has requested an effective date of April 27, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

17. Illinois Power Company

[Docket No. ER98-2903-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Illinois Power Company (Illinois Power), 500 South 27th Street, Decatur, Illinois 62526, tendered for filing a Power Sales Tariff, Service Agreement under which Old Dominion Electric Cooperative 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 April 15, 1998.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

18. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-2904-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG), filed Service Agreements between NYSEG and AYP Energy, Inc., (Customer). These Service Agreements specify that the Customer has agreed to the rates, terms and conditions of the NYSEG open access transmission tariff filed and effective on June 11, 1997, in Docket No. OA97–571–000.

NYSEG requests waiver of the Commission's sixty-day notice requirements and an effective date of May 4, 1998, for the AYP Energy, Inc., Service Agreements. NYSEG has served copies of the filing on The New York State Public Service Commission and on the Customer.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

19. Wisconsin Public Service Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-2905-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Wisconsin Public Service Corporation (WPSC), tendered for filing an executed Short Term Firm Transmission Service Agreement between WPSC and Wisconsin Public Power Inc., providing for transmission service under the Open Access Transmission Service Tariff, FERC Original Volume No. 11.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

20. Wisconsin Public Service Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-2906-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Wisconsin Public Service Corporation (WPSC), tendered for filing an executed Transmission Service Agreement between WPSC and Wisconsin Public Power Inc., provides for transmission service under the Open Access Transmission Service Tariff, FERC Original Volume No. 11.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

21. Western Resources, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-2907-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Western Resources, Inc., (Western Resources), on its behalf and on behalf of Kansas Gas and Electric Company (KGE), tendered for filing revised exhibits and service schedules to the Electric Power, Transmission and Service contracts between Western Resources and Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. (KEPCo), and between KGE and KEPCo. Western Resources states that these revisions more closely align KEPCo's transmission and ancillary service schedules with Western Resources' open-access tariff for such services.

Copies of the filing were served upon Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., and the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

22. Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation

[Docket No. ER98-2909-000]

Take notice that on May 4, 1998, Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation (RG&E), filed a Market Based Service Agreement between RG&E and Federal Energy Sales, Inc., (Customer). This Service Agreement specifies that the Customer has agreed to the rates, terms and conditions of RG&E's FERC Electric Rate Schedule, Original Volume No. 3 (Power Sales Tariff) accepted by the Commission in Docket No. ER97–3553–000, et al. (80 FERC § 61,284).

RG&E requests waiver of the Commission's sixty (60) day notice requirements and an effective date of April 29th, Federal Energy Sales, Inc., Service Agreement. RG&E has served copies of the filing on the New York State Public Service Commission and on the Customer.

Comment date: May 22, 1998, 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 these filings are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

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Acting Secretary.

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