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Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., 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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. 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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Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 184-065]

El Dorado Irrigation District, California; Notice of Public Meetings

November 26, 2002.

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) is reviewing the application for a new license for the El Dorado Project (FERC No. 184), filed on February 22, 2000. The El Dorado Project, licensed to the El Dorado Irrigation District (EID), is located on the South Fork American River, in El Dorado, Alpine, and Amador counties, California. The project occupies lands of the Eldorado National Forest.

The EID, several state and Federal agencies, and several non-governmental agencies are working collaboratively with a facilitator to resolve certain issues relevant to this proceeding. These meetings are a part of that collaborative process. Meetings will be held as follows:

December 9: Joint Meeting of Aquatics/Hydrology, Recreation, and Terrestrial Workgroups—9:00am—4:00pm;

December 10: Aquatics/Hydrology Workgroup—9 am—4 pm; and

December 11: Recreation Workgroup—9 am—4 pm.

We invite the participation of all interested governmental agencies, non-governmental organizations, and the general public in these meetings.

All meetings will be held in the El Dorado Board of Directors Meeting Room, located at EID Headquarters, 2890 Mosquito Road, Placerville, California.

For further information, please contact Elizabeth Molloy at (202) 502-8771 or John Mudre at (202) 502-8902.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP03-90-000]

Enbridge Pipelines (KPC); Notice of Refund Report

November 26, 2002.

Take notice that on November 21, 2002, Enbridge Pipelines (KPC) tendered for filing an Excess Interruptible Revenue Refund Report.

KPC states that the report is made pursuant to section 24.5 of the General Terms and Conditions of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1. KPC has requested a waiver of the crediting provisions of section 24.5 in order to credit the amount otherwise refundable against the current balance of receivables from Kansas Gas Service, the only customer being charged KPC's maximum rate.

KPC states that copies of its transmittal letter and appendices have been mailed to all affected 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 December 3, 2002. 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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. 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. RP03-103-000]

Florida Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

November 27, 2002.

Take notice that on November 25, 2002, Florida Gas Transmission Company (FGT) tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, Fourth Revised Sheet No. 454; Original Sheet No. 534A; and Fifth Revised Sheet No. 535; to become effective January 1, 2003.

FGT states that the purpose of this filing, which is made in accordance with section 154.201 of the Commission's Regulations, is to make limited revisions to the forms of Service Agreements for Rate Schedules FTS-1 and Rate Schedule FTS-2 to conform to the provisions of agreements FGT has executed in connection with its recent pipeline expansions.

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 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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. 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. RP03-94-000]

Florida Gas Transmission Co.; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

November 26, 2002.

Take notice that on November 22, 2002, Florida Gas Transmission Company (FGT) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with an effective date of January 1, 2003: Fifty-Sixth Revised Sheet No. 8A, Forty-Eighth Revised Sheet No. 8A.01, Forty-Eighth Revised Sheet No. 8A.02, Sixth Revised Sheet No. 8A.04, Fifty-First Revised Sheet No. 8B, Forty-Fourth Revised Sheet No. 8B.01.

FGT states that it is filing the above referenced tariff sheets pursuant to the Gas Research Institute's (GRI) Year 2003 Research, Development and Demonstration Program and 2003-2007 Five-Year Plan as approved by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Order issued September 19, 2002 in Docket No. RP02-354. For the year of 2003, the funding mechanism includes

the approved GRI demand charges of 5.0 cents per MMBtu per month (.16¢ per MMBtu stated on a daily basis underlying FGT's reservation charges) to be applicable to firm shippers with load factors exceeding 50%, 3.10 cents per MMBtu per month (.10¢ per MMBtu stated on a daily basis underlying FGT's reservation charges) to be applicable to firm shippers with load factors of 50% or less and a volumetric charge of 0.40 cents per MMBtu to be applicable to all non-discounted interruptible rates and to the usage portion of two-part rates. In addition, the 2003 funding mechanism includes a volumetric charge of 0.60 cents per MMBtu to be applicable to all one-part small customer rates. This funding mechanism provides for a decrease in GRI charges as compared to the currently effective 2002 GRI charges.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 6032]

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation and Fourth Branch Associates (Mechanicville); Notice of Technical Conference

November 26, 2002.

On August 12, 2002, the Commission issued an order accepting surrender of the license for the Mechanicville Project No. 6032.¹ The order required Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation to submit plans and schedules for, among other things, complying with the Commission's regulations concerning dam safety (18 CFR part 12) and for recording historic resources associated with the project prior to the effective date of surrender.

On Monday, December 16, 2002, at 9 a.m., in a room to be designated at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC, 20426, Commission staff will hold a conference to discuss technical issues related to compliance with the dam safety regulations and to consult with respect to protection of historic resources in the context of the powerhouse stabilization measures. Parties to the proceeding and all interested persons will be permitted to attend.

Any meeting attendee wishing to propose or support an alternative to the Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation's powerhouse stabilization proposal should be prepared to: (1) Present its alternative at the meeting, including technical details such as a detailed description, an implementation schedule to accomplish the powerhouse stabilization by August 2003, and an engineering cost estimate; and (2) answer implementation and feasibility questions regarding its proposal.

Any party or interested person who is planning to attend the conference should notify Commission staff before 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, December 11, 2002. Please notify Ellen Armbruster, Office of Energy Projects, Rm 6H-07, in writing, or by calling at 202-502-8330. If any local, state or federal authorized agency representative is unable to attend but wishes to participate by teleconferencing, please so indicate.

¹ 99 FERC ¶ 61,227 (2002), reh'g denied, 100 FERC ¶ 61,185 (2002), request for reconsideration pending.