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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL06-33-000]

City of Banning, California; Notice of Filing

February 16, 2006.

Take notice that on January 5, 2006, the City of Banning, California tendered for filing revisions to its third annual Transmission Revenue Balancing Account Adjustment filing on December 16, 2005.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). 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 notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as

appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant and all the parties in this proceeding.

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Before Commissioners: Joseph T. Kelliher, Chairman; Nora Mead Brownell, and Sudeen G. Kelly; Electric Quarterly Reports; Capital Power, Inc.; Energy Investments Management, Inc.; New Light Energy, LLC; Premier Energy Marketing, LLC; Sprague Energy Corp.; TME Energy Services; Order on Intent To Revoke Market-Based Rate Authority

Issued February 17, 2006.

1. Section 205 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), 16 U.S.C. 824d (2000), and 18 CFR part 35 (2005), require, among other things, that all rates, terms, and conditions of jurisdictional services be filed with the Commission. In Order No. 2001, the Commission revised its public utility filing requirements and established a requirement for public utilities, including power marketers, to

file Electric Quarterly Reports summarizing the contractual terms and conditions in their agreements for all jurisdictional services (including market-based power sales, cost-based power sales, and transmission service) and providing transaction information (including rates) for short-term and long-term power sales during the most recent calendar quarter.¹

2. Commission staff review of the Electric Quarterly Report submittals has revealed that a number of public utilities with authority to sell electric power at market-based rates have failed to file their Electric Quarterly Reports through the third quarter of 2005. Thus, this order notifies these public utilities that their market-based rate authorizations will be revoked unless they comply with the Commission’s requirements within 15 days of the date of issuance of this order.

3. In Order No. 2001, the Commission stated that, [i]f a public utility fails to file a[n] Electric Quarterly Report (without an appropriate request for extension), or fails to report an agreement in a report, that public utility may forfeit its market-based rate authority and may be required to file a new application for market-based rate authority if it wishes to resume making sales at market-based rates.^[2]

4. The Commission further stated that, [o]nce this rule becomes effective, the requirement to comply with this rule will supersede the conditions in public utilities’ market-based rate authorizations, and failure to comply with the requirements of this rule will subject public utilities to the same consequences they would face for not satisfying the conditions in their rate authorizations, including possible revocation of their authority to make wholesale power sales at market-based rates.^[3]

5. Pursuant to these requirements, the Commission has revoked or withdrawn the market-based rate tariffs of several market-based rate sellers that failed to submit their Electric Quarterly Reports.⁴ Further, the Commission has instituted proceedings under section 206 of the

¹ Revised Public Utility Filing Requirements, Order No. 2001, 67 Fed. Reg. 31043, FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,127 (April 25, 2002), reh’g denied, Order No. 2001-A, 100 FERC ¶ 61,074, reconsideration and clarification denied, Order No. 2001-B, 100 FERC ¶ 61,342, order directing filings, Order No. 2001-C, 101 FERC ¶ 61,314 (2002).

² Order No. 2001 at P 222.

³ Id. at P 223.

⁴ See Electric Quarterly Reports, 107 FERC ¶ 61,310 (2004); Electric Quarterly Reports, 69 FR 57,679 (September 27, 2004); Electric Quarterly Reports, 105 FERC ¶ 61,219 (2003); and Electric Quarterly Reports, 104 FERC ¶ 61,139 (2003).