Development-West, granted the requests for blanket approval under part 34 (Director's Order). The Director's Order also stated that the Commission would publish a separate notice in the Federal **Register** establishing a period of time for the filing of protests. Accordingly, any person desiring to be heard concerning the blanket approvals of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Central Power, should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. 18 CFR 385.211, 385.214 (2004).

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests is January 18, 2008.

Absent a request to be heard in opposition to such blanket approvals by the deadline above, Central Power is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Central Power, compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approvals of Central Power's issuance of securities or assumptions of liability.

Copies of the full text of the Director's Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Room, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Commission's Web site at http:// www.ferc.gov, using the eLibrary link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number filed to access the document. Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a) (1) (iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. ER08-201-000; ER08-201-001; ER08-202-000; ER08-202-001]

Cogentrix Virginia Leasing Corporation, James River Cogeneration Company, LLC; Notice of Issuance of Order

January 10, 2008.

Cogentrix Virginia Leasing Corporation and James River Cogeneration, LLC (collectively, the Applicants) filed applications for market-based rate authority, with accompanying rate schedules. The proposed market-based rate schedules provide for the sale of energy, capacity and ancillary services at market-based rates. The Applicants also requested waivers of various Commission regulations. In particular, the Applicants requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by the Applicants.

On January 10, 2008, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Tariffs and Market Development-West, granted the requests for blanket approval under part 34 (Director's Order). The Director's Order also stated that the Commission would publish a separate notice in the Federal **Register** establishing a period of time for the filing of protests. Accordingly, any person desiring to be heard concerning the blanket approvals of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by the Applicants, should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. 18 CFR 385.211, 385.214 (2004).

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests is January 22, 2008.

Absent a request to be heard in opposition to such blanket approvals by the deadline above, the Applicants are authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of the Applicants, compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

¹The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither

public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approvals of the Applicants' issuance of securities or assumptions of liability.

Copies of the full text of the Director's Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Room, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Commission's Web site at http:// www.ferc.gov, using the eLibrary link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number filed to access the document. Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a) (1) (iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings#1

January 11, 2008.

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

Docket Numbers: RP96–320–076. Applicants: Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP.

Description: Gulf South Pipeline Co, LP submits an interim negotiated rate letter agreements executed with East Texas to Mississippi Expansion Project.

Filed Date: 01/02/2008.

- Accession Number: 20080103–0191.
- Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on

Wednesday, January 16, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP96–320–077. Applicants: Gulf South Pipeline Company,

LP

Description: Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP submits replacement negotiated rate letter agreement executed with Kaiser Trading, LLC.

Filed Date: 01/08/2008.

Accession Number: 20080110-0116.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on

Tuesday, January 22, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP96–320–078. Applicants: Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP

Description: Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP submits correction to the interim negotiated rate letter agreement regarding the

East Texas to Mississippi Expansion Project. *Filed Date:* 01/08/2008.

Accession Number: 20080110-0117.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, January 22, 2008