FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20426

January 3, 2006

In Reply Refer To:
Midwest Independent Transmission
System Operator, Inc
Docket No. ER06-160-000

Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc Attn: Sally L. Clore, Contracts Administrator 701 City Center Drive Carmel, Indiana 46032

Dear Ms. Clore:

- 1. On November 4, 2005, you submitted for filing a Large Generator Interconnection Agreement (LGIA) among High Prairie Wind Farm II, LLC (High Prairie), the Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc (Midwest ISO), and Interstate Power and Light Company. You state that the LGIA generally conforms to the Midwest ISO *pro forma* LGIA (Attachment X) currently in effect and to Commission-accepted modifications that have not yet been incorporated in Attachment X; it also includes modifications proposed by the Midwest ISO to its Attachment X in Docket No. ER05-1475-000 which are currently pending. Midwest ISO requests an effective date of November 5, 2005.
- 2. Notice of the filing was published in the *Federal Register*, 70 Fed. Reg. 70,607 (2005), with interventions and protests due on or before November 25, 2005. A timely motion to intervene was filed by High Prairie. No protests were filed.
- 3. Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.214 (2005), High Prairie's timely, unopposed motion to intervene serves to make it a party in this proceeding.
- 4. The proposed LGIA generally conforms to the Midwest ISO's Attachment X currently in effect and to Commission-accepted modifications that have not yet been incorporated into Attachment X.

- 5. On September 12, 2005, in Docket No. ER05-1475-000, the Midwest ISO proposed revisions to its Attachment X. That filing is pending. The proposed LGIA at issue in this proceeding includes proposed revisions at issue in Docket No. ER05-1475-000.
- 6. Insofar as the proposed revisions to the LGIA track the revisions pending in Docket No. ER05-1475-000, the Commission accepts and suspends for a nominal period the proposed revisions to the LGIA contained in this filing and makes them effective subject to refund and subject to the outcome of Docket No. ER05-1475-000. Furthermore, consistent with *Central Hudson*, the Midwest ISO is granted an effective date of November 5, 2005, as requested.

By direction of the Commission.

Magalie R. Salas, Secretary.

¹ Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation, 60 FERC ¶ 61,106, (allowing waiver of prior notice for non-rate terms and conditions), order on reh'g, 61 FERC ¶ 61,089 (1992).