

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Entergy Services, Inc.	Docket No. ER04-699-000
Entergy Services, Inc.	Docket No. ER03-1272-002
Entergy Services, Inc.	Docket Nos. ER98-4410-000, ER98-4410-001, and ER98-4410-002
CLECO Power, LLC Dalton Utilities Entergy Services, Inc. Georgia Transmission Corporation JEA MEAG Power Sam Rayburn G&T Electric Cooperative, Inc. Southern Company Services, Inc. City of Tallahassee, Florida	Docket Nos. EL02-101-000, EL02-101-001, EL02-101-002

NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE COMMENTS AND  
TECHNICAL CONFERENCE

(May 12, 2004)

On April 9, 2004, the Arkansas Public Service Commission filed a motion to extend the protest and comment date in response to Entergy Services, Inc.'s (Entergy) proposal in Docket No. ER04-699-000, referenced above. The motion states that the current procedural schedule in this docket does not allow time for thorough, objective analysis of the options at the retail level or meaningful comments at the federal level.

Upon consideration, notice is hereby given that an extension of time for the filing of comments and protests to Entergy's proposed tariff changes in Docket No. ER04-699-000 is granted to and including June 30, 2004.

In addition, notice is hereby provided that the Commission will convene a technical conference, to be held on July 29 and 30, 2004, in New Orleans, Louisiana. The purpose of the conference is to discuss issues raised by Entergy's proposal in Docket No. ER04-699-000. The technical conference will also address the additional proceedings in the caption above (currently pending before the Commission) that raise issues of transmission access on the Entergy system. Docket No. ER03-1272-002 is

Docket No. ER04-699-000, et al.

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Entergy's filing in compliance with a Commission order approving the implementation of the Available Flowgate Capability (AFC) methodology to allocate transmission service.<sup>1</sup> Docket No. ER98-4410-000, et al., addresses the calculation of Capacity Benefit Margin (CBM) on the Entergy system.<sup>2</sup> Finally, the Commission would like to discuss issues of transmission access raised by the February 13, 2004, Indicated Stakeholders'<sup>3</sup> comments filed in the SeTrans RTO proceeding in Docket No. EL02-101-000, et al.<sup>4</sup>

The Commission will provide further information on the conference, including an agenda, in a subsequent notice. Parties will have the opportunity to file supplemental comments following the conclusion of the conference.

The conference will be transcribed. Transcripts will be available to view in the above-listed dockets seven days after the conference.

All interested persons may attend.

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<sup>1</sup> Entergy Services, Inc., 106 FERC ¶ 61,115 (2004).

<sup>2</sup> Entergy Services, Inc., 87 FERC ¶ 61,156 (1999).

<sup>3</sup> The Indicated Stakeholders are: Alabama Municipal Electric Authority; Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation; ChevronTexaco; ElectricCities of North Carolina, Inc.; Lafayette Utilities System; Louisiana Energy and Power Authority; NRG Energy; Shell Trading Gas and Power Company; Tractebel Energy Marketing, Inc.; and Williams Power Company, Inc.

<sup>4</sup> Cleco Power, et al., 101 FERC ¶ 61,008 (2002); order on reh'g 103 FERC ¶ 61,272 (2003).