of Markets, Tariffs and Rates-East, granted requests for blanket approval under part 34, subject to the following:

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Bayswater should file a motion to intervene or 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 and 385.214).

Absent a request to be heard in opposition within this period, Bayswater 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 Bayswater, 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 approval of Bayswater's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is March 29, 2002.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Internet at *http:/ /www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm* (call 202–208–2222 for assistance). 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 at *http:/ /www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm*.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. ER02-795-000]

Duke Energy Washington, LLC; Notice of Issuance of Order

March 13, 2002.

Duke Energy Washington, LLC (Duke Washington) submitted for filing a rate

schedule under which Duke Washington will engage in the wholesale sale of electric energy, capacity and certain ancillary services at market-based rates and for the sale, assignment or transfer of transmission capacity. Duke Washington also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, Duke Transmission requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Duke Washington.

On March 11, 2002, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Office of Markets, Tariffs and Rates-Central, granted requests for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the following:

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Duke Washington should file a motion to intervene or 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 and 385.214).

Absent a request to be heard in opposition within this period, Duke Washington 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 Duke Washington, 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 approval of Duke Washington's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is April 10, 2002.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Internet at *http:/ /www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm* (call 202–208–2222 for assistance). 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 at *http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm*.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary. [FR Doc. 02–6561 Filed 3–18–02; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6717–01–P

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP02-103-000]

Florida Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Abandonment Application

March 13, 2002.

On March 5, 2002, Florida Gas Transmission Company (Florida), 1400 Smith Street, Houston, Texas 77002, filed an application in Docket No. CP02–103–000 pursuant to section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) for permission and approval to abandon, by sale to Crosstex Energy Services, Ltd. (Crosstex), the South of MOPS Facilities, consisting of 70.25 miles of 20-inch diameter pipeline, Florida's Compressor Station No. 2 (consisting of two units for a total of 4,000 horsepower), and various measurement facilities with appurtenances, all located in San Patricio, Refugio, and Nueces Counties Texas. The application also requests that the Commission determine that, upon abandonment and sale of such facilities, the South of MOPS Facilities will be intrastate transportation facilities under section 2(16) of the NGPA, and exempt from jurisdiction of the Commission under the NGA, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may be viewed on the Web at http://www.ferc.gov using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket #" from follow the instructions (call (202)208-2222 for assistance).

Any questions regarding this application should be directed to Stephen T. Veatch, Director of Certificates & Regulatory Reporting, Florida Gas Transmission Company, P.O. Box 1188, Houston, Texas 77251, at (713) 853–6549 or Frazier King, Senior Counsel at (713) 853–7228.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this abandonment. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this abandonment should, on or before April 3, 2002, file with the Federal