

Section 612—State Eligibility.

Topic Addressed: Confidentiality of Education Records

- Letter dated February 14, 2003 to Bergen County, New Jersey Freeholder Louis A. Tedesco, clarifying that rights under the confidentiality provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and the IDEA vest with the parent or eligible student and that FERPA does not provide for these rights to be vested in a third party that has not suffered an alleged violation.

Topic Addressed: Procedural Safeguards

- Letter dated February 26, 2003 to Vermont Director of Special Education Dennis Kane, regarding issues the State needs to review and resolve pursuant to State complaint procedures and the complaint requirements in the part B regulations at 34 CFR 300.660–300.662.

- Letter dated March 6, 2003 to individual, (personally identifiable information redacted), regarding the change in the Part B regulations that removed the Secretarial review process under the State complaint procedures effective May 11, 1999.

Topic Addressed: State Education Agency General Supervisory Authority

- Letter dated March 24, 2003 to Connecticut Commissioner of Education Theodore S. Sergi, regarding the State's due process hearing procedures and compliance with the Special Conditions on its Federal fiscal year 2002 grant award under Part B.

Section 614—Evaluations, Eligibility Determinations, Individualized Education Programs, and Educational Placements

Topic Addressed: Evaluations and Reevaluations

- Letter dated March 20, 2003 to Vermont Department of Education Legal Counsel Geoffrey A. Yudien, clarifying (1) that a school district may not override parental consent for the initial provision of special education and related services, (2) that a school district is not required to obtain separate parental consent for additional services that the individualized education programs team deems necessary or for a continuation of services after the parent has previously consented to the initial provision of services, and (3) that the protections under the IDEA, including the discipline procedures at 34 CFR 300.520–300.529, would not apply to children whose parents have refused consent for the initial provision of special education and related services.
- Letter dated February 11, 2003 to New Jersey Director of Special

Education Barbara Gantwerk, clarifying (1) the ways in which school districts can document efforts to obtain parental consent for the initial provision of special education and related services and reevaluations, and (2) that school districts are not required to provide the Part B discipline protections to children who are not receiving special education because their parents have refused to consent.

Topic Addressed: Individualized Education Programs

- Letter dated February 4, 2003 to West Virginia Advocate Susan Given, regarding factors that States may use in determining when extended school year services are appropriate under Part B.

Section 615—Procedural Safeguards

Topic Addressed: Independent Educational Evaluations

- Letter dated March 20, 2003 to Arkansas Volunteer Educational Advocate David Young, clarifying that a school district's practice of maintaining and requiring a parent to use a list of qualified independent educational evaluation (IEE) examiners is not inconsistent with the parent's right to an IEE.

Topic Addressed: Surrogate Parents

- Letter dated March 11, 2003 to Vermont Department of Education Legal Counsel Geoffrey A. Yudien, regarding the authority of the State and the role of the surrogate parent in making educational decisions for children with disabilities placed in State custody.

Part C*Infants and Toddlers With Disabilities**Section 636—Individualized Family Service Plan*

Topic Addressed: Early Intervention Services

- Letter dated March 25, 2003 to Connecticut Birth to Three System Director Linda Goodman, regarding whether assistive technology can be provided under Part C.
- Letter dated March 13, 2003 to South Carolina Part C Coordinator David K. Steele, clarifying that although the provision of respite or other care arrangements may be necessary for some families to participate in appropriate early intervention activities, the term "respite" is not intended to serve as child-care or "baby-sitting" assistance in ordinary circumstances.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ER03–769–000]

American PowerNet Management, LP; Notice of Issuance of Order

June 16, 2003.

American PowerNet Management, LP (APN) filed an application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying tariff. The proposed tariff provides for the sale of capacity and energy at market-based rates. APN is a limited partnership located in Pennsylvania that intends to engage in the wholesale trading of electricity. APN also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, APN requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by APN.

On June 6, 2003, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Tariffs and Market Development—South, granted the request 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 APN 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).

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is July 7, 2003.

Absent a request to be heard in opposition by the deadline above, APN 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 APN, 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 APN's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

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 Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov>, using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field 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.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL03-123-000]

Richard Blumenthal, Attorney General of the State of Connecticut, The Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control v. NRG Power Marketing, Inc.; Notice of Clarification of Complaint

May 29, 2003.

Take notice that on May 22, 2003, Richard Blumenthal, Attorney General for the State of Connecticut (CTAG), and the Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control (CDPUC) (collectively,

the Connecticut Representatives) tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) pursuant to Rule 206 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.206, a clarification of complaint. The Connecticut Representatives state that this filing supplements and incorporates by reference the complaint and motion for an emergency stay of NRG Power Marketing Inc.'s (NRG-PMI) threatened termination of its competitively bid wholesale power sale contract with the Connecticut Light and Power Company (CL&P) filed by the Connecticut Representatives on May 16, 2003.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file 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). 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 motion to intervene. The answer to the clarification of complaint and all comments, interventions or protests must be filed on or before the comment date below. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866)208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202)502-8659. The answer to the clarification of complaint, 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.

Comment Date: June 6, 2003.

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[Docket No. EL03-123-000]

Richard Blumenthal, Attorney General of the State of Connecticut and the Connecticut Department of Public Utility Control v. NRG Power Marketing Inc.; Notice Shortening Answer Period

May 29, 2003.

On May 27, 2003, NRG Power Marketing Inc. (NRG) filed a Motion for Summary Disposition by May 29, 2003 Vacating the May 16 Order, Dismissing the Amended Complaint, and Terminating the Proceeding, in the above-docketed proceeding. By this notice, the date for filing answers to NRG's motion is shortened to and including June 6, 2003.

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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL03-129-000]

The Connecticut Light and Power Company; Notice of Filing

May 29, 2003.

Take notice that on May 27, 2003, The Connecticut Light and Power Company (CL&P) tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) a Petition for Declaratory Order and Request for Expedited Treatment, pursuant to Rule 207 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.207(a)(2).

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing should file 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). 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 motion to intervene. All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date, and, to the extent applicable, must be served on the