5. Duration and Effective Date

5.1 All actions pursuant to any authority delegated prior to this Order or pursuant to any authority delegated by this Order taken prior to and in effect on the date of this Order are ratified, and remain in force as if taken under this Order, unless or until rescinded, amended or superseded.

5.2 This Order is effective December 6, 2001.

Spencer Abraham,

Secretary of Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Bonneville Power Administration

Mint Farm Generation Project

AGENCY: Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Notice of availability of Record of Decision (ROD).

SUMMARY: This notice announces the availability of the ROD to offer contract terms for integrating power from the Mint Farm Generation Project, proposed by Mint Farm Generation LLC (MFG), a wholly owned subsidiary of Mirant Corporation, into the Federal Columbia River Transmission System.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the MFG ROD, Business Plan, and Business Plan EIS and ROD may be obtained by calling BPA's toll-free document request line: 1–800–622–4520.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Phil Smith, Bonneville Power Administration—KEC-4, P.O. Box 3621, Portland, Oregon, 97208–3621; telephone number 503–230–3294; fax number 503–230–5699; e-mail pwsmith@bpa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This decision is based on input from public processes and information in the BPA Business Plan Environmental Impact Statement (DOE/EIS-0183, June 1995) and the Business Plan ROD (August 15, 1995). The MFG project is a 319-megawatt gas-fired, combined-cycle, combustion-turbine power generation project, which is located within an industrial park south of the City of Longview, in Cowlitz County, Washington.

Issued in Portland, Oregon, on February 15, 2002.

Stephen J. Wright,

Administrator and Chief Executive Officer. [FR Doc. 02–4616 Filed 2–26–02; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6450–01–P

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2142]

FPL Energy Maine Hydro LLC; Notice of Authorization for Continued Project Operation

February 20, 2002.

On December 28, 1999, FPL Energy Maine Hydro LLC, licensee for the Indian Pond Project No. 2142, filed an application for a new or subsequent license pursuant to the Federal Power Act (FPA) and the Commission's regulations thereunder. Project No. 2142 is located on the Kennebec River in Somerset and Piscataquis Counties, Maine.

The license for Project No. 2142 was issued for a period ending December 31, 2001. Section 15(a)(1) of the FPA, 16 U.S.C. 808(a)(1), requires the Commission, at the expiration of a license term, to issue from year to year an annual license to the then licensee under the terms and conditions of the prior license until a new license is issued, or the project is otherwise disposed of as provided in Section 15 or any other applicable section of the FPA. If the project's prior license waived the applicability of Section 15 of the FPA, then, based on Section 9(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. 558(c), and as set forth at 18 CFR 16.21(a), if the licensee of such project has filed an application for a subsequent license, the licensee may continue to operate the project in accordance with the terms and conditions of the license after the minor or minor part license expires, until the Commission acts on its application. If the licensee of such a project has not filed an application for a subsequent license, then it may be required, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.21(b), to continue project operations until the Commission issues someone else a license for the project or otherwise orders disposition of the project.

If the project is subject to Section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that an annual license for Project No. 2142 is issued to FPL Energy Maine Hydro LLC for a period effective January 1, 2002, through December 31, 2002, or until the issuance of a new license for the project or other disposition under

the FPA, whichever comes first. If issuance of a new license (or other disposition) does not take place on or before January 1, 2003, notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.18(c), an annual license under Section 15(a)(1) of the FPA is renewed automatically without further order or notice by the Commission, unless the Commission orders otherwise.

If the project is not subject to Section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that FPL Energy Maine Hydro LLC is authorized to continue operation of the Indian Pond Project No. 2142 until such time as the Commission acts on its application for subsequent license.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP96-320-050]

Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP; Notice of Negotiated Rate Filing

February 21, 2002.

Take notice that on February 13, 2002, Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP (Gulf South) filed a contract between Gulf South and the following company for disclosure of a recently negotiated rate transaction. As shown on the contract, Gulf South requests an effective date of April 1, 2002.

Special Negotiated Rate Between Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP and Okaloosa Gas District

Gulf South states that it has served copies of this filing upon all parties on the official service list created by the Secretary in this proceeding Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's rules and regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with section 154.210 of the Commission's regulations. 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 proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at