to filings initiating a new proceeding, interventions or protests submitted on or before the comment deadline need not be served on persons other than the Applicant.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at http://www.ferc.gov. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St., NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above proceedings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an eSubscription link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or call (866) 208–3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502–8659.

#### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

#### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL09-10-000]

Ameren Services Company, Complainant, v. Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc., Respondent; Notice of Complaint

November 17, 2008.

Take notice that on November 10, 2008, Ameren Services Company (Complainant), on behalf of certain of its affiliates filed, pursuant to sections 206 of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 824(e) and Rule 206 of the Commission's Regulations, 18 CFR 385.206, a formal complaint, motion for consolidation, or alternatively, motion for extension of refund period against Midwest Independent Transmission

System Operator, Inc. (Respondent) alleging that the Revenue Sufficiency Guarantee charge allocation provisions of the Respondent's tariff are unjust, unreasonable, and unduly discriminatory, and should be revised. Complainant also requests that the Commission establish a refund-effective date of November 10, 2008 with respect to the requested tariff revisions.

The Complainant certifies that copies of the complaint were served on the contacts for the Respondent as listed on the Commission's list of Corporate Officials.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385,211, 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 notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. The Respondent's answer and all interventions or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. The Respondent's answer, motions to intervene, and protests must be served on the Complainants.

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Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on December 1, 2008.

#### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP09-10-000]

Dominion Transmission, Inc.; Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Rural Valley Project, Request for Comments on Environmental Issues

November 17, 2008.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) will prepare an environmental assessment (EA) that will discuss the environmental impacts of the Rural Valley Project involving construction and operation of facilities by Dominion Transmission, Inc. (DTI) in Armstrong, Westmoreland, Elk and McKean Counties, PA.<sup>1</sup> These facilities would consist of about 1.40 miles of various diameter pipeline, 57,500 horsepower (hp) of compression and four new Metering and Regulation (M&R) stations. This EA will be used by the Commission in its decision-making process to determine whether the project is in the public convenience and necessity.

If you are a landowner receiving this notice, you may be contacted by a DTI company representative about survey permission and/or the acquisition of an easement to construct, operate, and maintain the proposed facilities. The company would seek to negotiate a mutually acceptable agreement. However, if the project is approved by the Commission, that approval conveys with it the right of eminent domain. Therefore, if easement negotiations fail to produce an agreement, the natural gas company could initiate condemnation proceedings in accordance with state law.

A fact sheet prepared by the FERC entitled "An Interstate Natural Gas Facility On My Land? What Do I Need To Know?" was attached to the project notice DTI provided to landowners. This fact sheet addresses a number of typically asked questions, including the use of eminent domain and how to participate in the Commission's proceedings. It is available for viewing on the FERC Internet Web site (http://www.ferc.gov).

## **Summary of the Proposed Project**

DTI proposes to create a firm transportation outlet for natural gas

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>On October 15, 2008, DTI filed its application with the Commission under section 7 of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations. The Commission issued its Notice of Application on October 27, 2008.