

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20426

OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

In Reply Refer To:
Southwest Power Pool, Inc.
Docket No. ER13-1939-003

April 12, 2016

Matthew Harward, Attorney
Southwest Power Pool, Inc.
201 Worthen Drive
Little Rock, AR 72223

Reference: Order No. 1000 Interregional Compliance Filing

Dear Mr. Harward:

On March 3, 2016, Southwest Power Pool, Inc. (SPP) submitted revisions to section IV.6 of Attachment O of the SPP Open Access Transmission Tariff, in compliance with the Commission's order issued on February 2, 2016, as it relates to the SPP and Southeastern Regional Transmission Planning Group pair of neighboring transmission planning regions.¹ The February 2, 2016 order addressed the parties' compliance with the interregional transmission coordination and cost allocation requirements of Order No. 1000.² Pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation – Central, under 18 C.F.R. § 375.307, the submittals in the above referenced docket is accepted for filing, effective January 1, 2015³ and February 1, 2015,⁴ as requested.

¹ *Sw. Power Pool, Inc.*, 154 FERC ¶ 61,076 (2016).

² *Transmission Planning and Cost Allocation by Transmission Owning and Operating Public Utilities*, Order No. 1000, FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,323 (2011), *order on reh'g*, Order No. 1000-A, 139 FERC ¶ 61,132, *order on reh'g and clarification*, Order No. 1000-B, 141 FERC ¶ 61,044 (2012), *aff'd sub nom. S.C. Pub. Serv. Auth. v. FERC*, 762 F.3d 41 (D.C. Cir. 2014).

³ Southwest Power Pool, Inc., FERC FPA Electric Tariff, Open Access Transmission Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No. 1, [Attachment O Section IV, Attachment O Section IV, 2.1.0](#).

Notice of the filing was published in the *Federal Register* with interventions and protests due on or before April 11, 2016. Under 18 C.F.R. § 385.210, interventions are timely if made within the time prescribed by the Secretary. Under 18 C.F.R. § 385.214, the filing of a timely motion to intervene makes the movant party to the proceeding, if no answer in opposition is filed within fifteen days. The filing of a timely notice of intervention makes a State Commission a party to the proceeding. None was filed.

This acceptance for filing shall not be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or of any rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such rate or service contained in your filing; nor shall such acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against any of the applicant(s).

This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Sincerely,

Penny S. Murrell, Director
Division of Electric Power
Regulation – Central

⁴ Southwest Power Pool, Inc., FERC FPA Electric Tariff, Open Access Transmission Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No. 1, [Attachment O Section IV, Attachment O Section IV, 3.1.0](#).