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Before Commissioners: Pat Wood, III, Chairman;

Nora Mead Brownell, Joseph T. Kelliher,

and Suedeen G. Kelly.

Revised Public Utility Filing Requirements Electric Quarterly Reports Docket Nos. RM01-8-005 ER02-2001-000

ORDER PROVIDING FOR FUTURE CHANGES TO ELECTRIC QUARTERLY REPORT FILING REQUIREMENTS

(Issued March 25, 2004)

- 1. On December 23, 2003, the Commission issued Order No. 2001-E, which, among other things, ordered that standard formats be used for certain fields in the Electric Quarterly Report (EQR) filings.
- 2. The values to be allowed for both contracts and transactions in the Point of Delivery Control Area (PODCA) and Point of Delivery Specific Location (PODSL) fields, and for contracts only in the Point of Receipt Control Area (PORCA) and Point of Receipt Specific Location (PORSL) fields were detailed in attachments to Order No. 2001-E. However, as North American Electric Reliability Council recognizes new control areas, the list of allowable control area names will be modified to reflect the changes. Additionally, after further discussion with the EQR Users Group members at a workshop held on March 11 and 12, 2004, it has become clear that some of the names listed in Order No. 2001-E as trading hubs should not be included on the list and others should be added.
- 3. In sum, these control area and trading hub names have changed from time to time and will continue to change in the future. Accordingly, we direct the staff of the Office of Market Oversight and Investigations to e-mail to all EQR filers any future changes to the list of allowable entries for restricted fields in the EQR, and post these changes on the EQR page of the Commission's web site. (Changes to the list will normally be discussed with the EQR Users Group prior to a modification being issued.)

By the Commission.

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Linda Mitry, Acting Secretary.