

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is March 31, 1997. Copies of the full text of the order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP97-266-000]**

**National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Tariff Filing**

March 5, 1997.

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (National) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, Twenty-First Revised Sheet No. 5, with a proposed effective date of April 1, 1997.

National states that this filing reflects the quarterly adjustment to the reservation component of the EFT rate pursuant to the Transportation and Storage Cost Adjustment (TSCA) provision set forth in Section 23 of the General Terms and Conditions of National's FERC Gas Tariff.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing 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 or 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR Sections 385.211 or 385.214). 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 proceeding. 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.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP97-268-000]**

**Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

March 5, 1997.

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing changes

in its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1.

Northern states that the filing revises the current Stranded Account No. 858 and Stranded Account No. 858—Reverse Auction surcharges, which are designed to recover costs incurred by Northern related to its contracts with third-party pipelines. Therefore, Northern has filed Thirty-Third Revised Sheet Nos. 50, 51 and 53 to be effective April 1, 1997.

Northern states that copies of this filing were served upon the Company's customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 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 in this proceeding, but will not serve to make protestant a party 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 inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP97-17-003]**

**Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Compliance Filing**

March 5, 1997.

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, the following tariff sheets proposed to become effective on April 1, 1997:

Fifth Revised Volume No. 1

First Revised Sheet No. 202

Second Revised Sheet No. 203

First Revised Sheet No. 204

First Revised Sheet No. 205

First Revised Sheet No. 212

First Revised Sheet No. 215

First Revised Sheet No. 216

1 Revised First Revised Sheet No. 257

Second Revised Sheet No. 258

1 Revised First Revised Sheet No. 259

1 Revised First Revised Sheet No. 260

Original Sheet No. 260A

Third Revised Sheet No. 265

First Revised Sheet No. 268

First Revised Sheet No. 270  
Third Revised Sheet No. 286  
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 287  
Original Sheet No. 287A  
Second Revised Sheet No. 288  
Second Revised Sheet No. 289

Northern states that the instant filing is to (i) make effective changes to the General Terms and Conditions of Northern's tariff which are necessary to implement Gas Industry Standards Board (GISB) standards which have been previously approved by the Commission on a pro forma basis in Northern's compliance proceeding in Docket Nos. RP97-17-000 et al., filed on October 1, 1996 and December 16, 1996, (ii) incorporate the requirements of Order No. 587-B, issued January 30, 1997 in Docket No. RM96-1-003, and (iii) include references to the GISB definitions, datasets and standards not previously incorporated by Northern, all as required by the February 18 Order.

Northern states that copies of the filing were served upon Northern's customers and interested State Commissions.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken in this proceeding, but will not serve to make Protestant a party to the proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP-96-367-003]**

**Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

March 5, 1997.

Take notice than on February 28, 1997, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff the following tariff sheets, to become effective March 1, 1997:

Third Revised volume No. 1

Substitute Ninth Revised Sheet No. 5

Substitute Seventh Revised Sheet No. 5-A

Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 6

Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 7

Substitute Eighth Revised Sheet No. 8

Substitute Third Revised Sheet No. 8.1  
Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 200  
Second Revised Sheet No. 273-A

Original volume No. 2

Substitute Twenty-Second Revised Sheet No. 2

Substitute Eighteenth Revised Sheet No. 2.1  
Substitute Twenty-First Revised Sheet No. 2-A

Northwest states that the purpose of this filing is to move into effect on March 1, 1997, Northwest's Docket No. RP96-367-000 rates that were originally filed with the Commission on August 30, 1996, as a part of a general rate increase. With the exception of adjustments related to Northwest's non-deductible business expenses and ad-valorem tax expenses that were required by the Commission, these rates are the same as those filed on August 30, 1996.

Northwest states that a copy of this filing has been served upon Northwest's customers, upon all intervenors in Docket No. RP96-367 and upon interested state regulatory commissions.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such 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 proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference room.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP96-367-004]**

**Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

March 5, 1997.

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff the following tariff sheets, to become effective March 1, 1997:

Third Revised Volume No. 1

2nd Sub Ninth Revised Sheet No. 5

2nd Sub Seventh Revised Sheet No. 5-A

2nd Sub Fourth Revised Sheet No. 6

2nd Sub Fourth Revised Sheet No. 7

2nd Sub Eighth Revised Sheet No. 8

2nd Sub Third Revised Sheet No. 8.1

Original Volume No. 2

2nd Sub Twenty-Second Revised Sheet No. 2

2nd Sub Eighteenth Revised Sheet No. 2.1

2nd Sub Twenty-First Revised Sheet No. 2-A

Northwest states that the purpose of this filing is to place into effect an interim rate reduction of \$18,528,273 during the pendency of settlement discussions of the general rate proceeding in this docket. The rate reduction is being made in conjunction with the filing of Northwest's Motion Rates in this docket. As a part of the Settlement, Northwest is classifying \$410,273 annually to the commodity charge component of its transportation rates for the interim period.

Northwest states that it is also eliminating SFV mitigation for a terminated transportation contract with LFC Gas Company. The effect of the interim rate reduction and cost classification and billing determinant adjustment is a slight increase to the commodity charges and substantial decrease in the reservation charges for Northwest's transportation rates. The instant filing reflects the changes that result from the interim reduction in the overall cost of service underlying Northwest's transportation rates as set forth above. In the event settlement discussions break down, Northwest requests the right to terminate the interim rate reduction on thirty days notice and place into effect its Motion Rates. Northwest requests permission to withdraw this filing should approval of the automatic reinstatement of the Motion Rates not be approved. Northwest requests that the Motion Rates shall remain the filed rates in the hearing in this proceeding.

Northwest states that a copy of this filing has been served upon all intervenors in Docket No. RP96-367 as well as all interested customers and state commissions.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All such 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 proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public

inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP94-206-002]**

**Pacific Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Report of Linepack Sales**

March 5, 1997.

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Pacific Gas Transmission Company (PGT), filed its Annual Report of Linepack Sales, pursuant to Office of Pipeline Regulation Letter Order of March 31, 1995 and Section 284.288 of the Commission's Regulations.

PGT states the purpose of this filing is to report on linepack sales made during calendar year 1996, in compliance with the above-referenced order and FERC regulations. PGT further states that a copy of this report has been served upon all jurisdictional customers, interested state regulatory agencies, and all parties on the service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All such protests must be filed on or before March 12, 1997. 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. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. ER97-1397-000]**

**South Jersey Energy Company; Notice of Issuance of Order**

March 6, 1997.

South Jersey Energy Company (South Jersey) submitted for filing a rate schedule under which South Jersey will engage in wholesale electric power and energy transactions as a marketer. South Jersey also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, South Jersey requested that the