

application and requesting an administrative report from the agency. Applications should be sent to: Defense Legal Services Agency, Defense Office of Hearings and Appeals, Claims Appeals Board, P.O. Box 3656, Arlington, VA 22203-1995.

Dated: January 29, 1997.

L.M. Bynum,

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## Department of the Army

### Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) on the Disposal & Reuse of the Savanna Army Depot Activity, Savanna, IL

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed action evaluated by this Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) is the disposal of the Savanna Army Depot Activity (SVAD), Savannah, Illinois, in accordance with the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990, Public Law 101-510, as amended. The DEIS addresses the environmental consequences of the disposal and subsequent reuse of the Depot's 13,062 acres. Alternatives examined in the DEIS include encumbered disposal of the property, unencumbered disposal of the property, and no action. Encumbered disposal refers to transfer or conveyance of property having restrictions on subsequent use as a result of any army-imposed or legal restraint. Under the no action alternative, the Army would not dispose of property but would maintain it in caretaker status for an indefinite period.

Disposal of the Depot property is the Army's primary action. Reuse of the property is a secondary action that will be taken by others. The EIS also analyzes the potential environmental effects of reuse by means of evaluating intensity-based probable reuse scenarios. Appropriate to the Depot are low, medium-low, and medium intensity reuse scenarios reflecting the range of activities that could occur after disposal of the property.

A scoping meeting was held at the SVAD on June 27, 1996. Public notices requesting input and comments from the public were issued in the regional area surrounding the SVAD.

**DATES:** Written public comments and suggestions received on or before March 24, 1997 will be addressed in the Final Environmental Impact Statement.

**ADDRESSES:** A copy of the Draft EIS may be obtained by writing to Mr. Glen Coffee at the Corps of Engineers, Mobile District (ATTN: CESAM-PD-E), 109 St. Joseph St, Mobile, AL 36628-001, or by facsimile at (334) 690-2424.

Dated: January 30, 1997.

Raymond J. Fatz,

*Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Environment, Safety and Occupational Health) OASA (I, L&E).*

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests

**AGENCY:** Department of Education

**ACTION:** Submission for OBM review; comment request.

**SUMMARY:** The Director, Information Resources Management Group, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before March 7, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments should be addressed to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Wendy Taylor, Desk Officer, Department of Education, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street, NW., Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503. Requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Patrick J. Sherrill (202) 708-8196.

Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or

Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Director of the Information Resources Management Group publishes this notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

Dated: January 30, 1997.

Gloria Parker,

*Director, Information Resources Management Group.*

Office of Vocational and Adult Education

*Type of Review:* Reinstatement.

*Title:* The Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act (P.L. 101-392)—State Plan.

*Frequency:* Biennially.

*Affected Public:* State, local or Tribal Gov't, SEAs or LEAs.

*Reporting and Recordkeeping Burden:* Responses: 54.

*Burden Hours:* 13,284.

*Abstract:* P.L. 101-392 requires State Boards for Vocational Education to submit a 3-year State plan the first year of the Act and a 2-year plan in succeeding years, with annual revisions as the Board deems necessary to receive federal funds. Program staff review the plans for compliance and quality.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP96-727-001]

### Kern River Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

January 30, 1997.

Take notice that on January 23, 1997, Kern River Gas Transmission Company (Kern River), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, to become effective February 17, 1997:

*First Revised Volume No. 1*

Third Revised Sheet No. 127

Original Sheet No. 127-A

Kern River states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's Order Authorizing Blanket Construction (Order) issued on December 23, 1996 in Docket No. CP96-727-000. In the instant filing, Kern River is modifying its tariff to define the circumstances under which Kern River will offer to make contributions in aid of construction available to shippers who construct facilities needed to take delivery of gas from, or to measure gas delivered by, Kern River.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said filing should on or before February 7, 1997, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 and 385.211) and the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.10). All protests with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules. 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. RP97-81-001]**

**K N Interstate Gas Transmission Co.; Notice of Tariff Filing**

January 30, 1997.

Take notice that on January 24, 1997 K N Interstate Gas Transmission Company Co. (KNI) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1-B, the following revised tariff sheets to be effective January 1, 1997:

First Revised Sheet No. 36

Substitute Original Sheet No. 89

KNI states that these tariff sheets are being submitted to comply with the Commission's December 31, 1996 Order in this proceeding.

KNI states that copies of the filing were served upon KNI's mainline jurisdictional customers, interested

public bodies, and all parties to the proceedings.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rule 211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211). All such protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. 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. RP97-236-000]**

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

January 30, 1997.

Take notice that on January 27, 1997, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed in Appendix A to the filing, to become effective February 27, 1997, except for Original Sheet No. 273-A which has a proposed effective date of October 1, 1995.

Northwest states that this filing is submitted to make several minor revisions to Northwest's tariff, including: (1) Canceling Rate Schedule T-1, (2) incorporating a revenue crediting mechanism related to revenue credits received from Questar Pipeline Company for storage at Clay Basin, (3) updating Northwest's list of marketing affiliates, (4) removing provisions requiring a prepayment fee if firm service is requested, (5) changing from monthly to annual distribution of penalty revenue credits applicable to unauthorized overrun or underrun penalties, (6) removing obsolete tariff provisions and (7) making other general "housekeeping" changes.

Northwest states that a copy of this filing has been served upon Northwest's customers and interested state regulatory commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or protest this 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 Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or 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, 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 in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. CP97-209-000]**

**Transwestern Pipeline Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization**

January 30, 1997.

Take notice that on January 27, 1997, Transwestern Pipeline Company (Transwestern), 1400 Smith Street, Post Office Box 1188, Houston, Texas 77251-1188 filed a request with the Commission in Docket No. CP97-209-000, pursuant to Sections 157.205, and 157.212 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (NGA) for authorization to install and operate a new delivery point which would accommodate interruptible natural gas deliveries to GPM Gas Corporation (GPM) authorized in blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-534-000, all as more fully set forth in the request on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Transwestern proposes to install and operate a new delivery point, located in Sherman County, Texas, at GPM's request which would provide compressor fuel and starting gas for use at its plant. The proposed volumes to be delivered would be 500 MMBtu on a peak day and 182,500 MMBtu on an annual basis. Transwestern estimates the cost of constructing the delivery point would be \$16,500.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after the Commission has issued this notice, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to 157.205 of the Regulations under the NGA (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the allowed time, the proposed activity shall be