

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****[Docket No. ER98-1837-000]****New Century Services, Inc.; Notice of Filing**

February 23, 1998.

Take notice that on February 12, 1998, New Century Services, Inc., on behalf of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company, Public Service Company of Colorado, and Southwestern Public Service Company (collectively Companies), tendered for filing a Service Agreement under their Joint Open Access Transmission Service Tariff for Non-Firm Point-to-Point Transmission Service between the Companies and OGE Energy Resources, Inc.

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 Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before March 6, 1998. 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.

**David P. Boergers,**  
*Acting Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****[Docket No. CP98-229-000]****Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Application**

February 23, 1998.

Take notice that on February 13, 1998, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), 1111 South 103rd Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68124, filed in Docket No. CP98-229-000 an application pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural

Gas Act for permission and approval to abandon by sale to K N Gas Gathering, Inc. (KN), certain pipeline and receipt and delivery point facilities, with appurtenances, located in Texas County, Oklahoma and Seward County, Kansas and certain services rendered thereby, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Northern states that it would convey to KN, facilities consisting of approximately 33 miles of pipeline with diameters ranging between 10 and 24 inches, all receipt and delivery points located along the length of the pipelines, and all other appurtenant facilities.

Northern states further that the facilities would be conveyed to KN for an estimated purchase price of \$1,632,216 at the time of closing.

Any person desiring to be heard or any person desiring to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before March 16, 1998, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 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 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. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to the jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by Sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a hearing will be held without further notice before the Commission or its designee on this application if no motion to intervene is filed within the time required herein, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that permission and approval for the proposed abandonment are required by the public convenience and necessity. If a motion for leave to intervene is timely filed, or if the Commission on its own motion believes that a formal hearing is required, further

notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Northern to appear or be represented at the hearing.

**David P. Boergers,**  
*Acting Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****[Docket No. ER98-1824-000]****Pacific Energy & Development Corporation; Notice of Filing**

February 23, 1998.

Take notice that on February 11, 1998, Pacific Energy & Development Corporation (Pacific), petitioned the Commission for acceptance of Pacific Rate Schedule FERC No. 1; the granting of certain blanket approvals, including the authority to sell electricity at market-based rates; and waiver of certain Commission Regulations.

Pacific intends to engage in wholesale electric power and energy purchases and sales as a marketer. Pacific is not engaged in the business of generating or transmitting electric power. Pacific has no affiliates. All of the outstanding stock of Pacific is owned by William R. Connors, an individual residing in the state of Washington.

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 Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before March 6, 1998. 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.

**David P. Boergers,**  
*Acting Secretary.*

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