DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP95-194-007]

Northern Border Pipeline Company; Notice of Amendment

September 18, 1998.

Take notice that on September 17, 1998, Northern Border Pipeline Company (Northern Border), 1111 South 103rd Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68124-1000, filed in Docket No. CP95-194-007 an amendment pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations, to amend its certificate issued at Docket No. CP95-194-000, et al. on August 1, 1997 in order to place certain compressor stations in-service prior to the in-service date of its Expansion/Extension Project, all as more fully set forth in the amendment which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Specifically, Northern Border seeks to place Compressor Stations 3 and 5 inservice at the earliest possible date in order that construction at Compressor Stations 2 and 4 can be completed without impact to existing firm shippers. Northern Border states that Compressor Stations 3 and 5 will be subject to the accounting treatment authorized in ordering paragraph (H) of the August 1 Order.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application, should on or before September 25, 1998, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20426, a petition to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (Rule 210, 211, or 214) and 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 proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party to the proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a petition 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, as amended, and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a hearing will be held without further notice before the Commission, or its delegate, on this application if no petition to intervene is filed within the time required herein, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that the certificate is required by the public convenience and necessity.

If a petition for leave to intervene is timely filed, or if the Commission on its own motion believes that an oral 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 Border to appear or be represented at the hearing. David P. Boergers,

Secretary

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. GT98-91-000]

Ozark Gas Transmission, L.L.C.; Notice of Tariff Filing

September 18, 1998.

Take notice that on September 4, 1998, Ozark Gas Transmission, L.L.C. (Ozark) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with an effective date of September 8, 1998:

Third Revised Sheet No. 5 Fourth Revised Sheet No. 46 Sheet No. 47

Ozark States that the tariff sheets are submitted pursuant to Section 154.1(d) of the Commission's Regulations to reflect a non-conforming agreement between Ozark and Sonat Exploration Company. Ozark proposes a September 8, 1998, effective date for these sheets, and has sought a waiver of the Commission's Regulations to permit this effective date.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests should have been filed in accordance with section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations but will be considered if filed on or before September 22, 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 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 public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Docket No. PR97-13-002]

Tejas Gas Pipeline Company; Notice of Revised Operating Statement

September 18, 1998.

Take notice that on June 15, 1998, Tejas Gas Pipeline, LLC (Tejas) filed a revised Operating Statement in compliance with a Commission order issued in Docket No. PR97-13-001 on June 1, 1998. 83 FERC ¶ 61,245 (1998). Tejas proposes the following changes to its Operating Statement: (1) A new section under Article I which states that the Commission's rules and regulations, as well as the Operating Statement, will control in the event of any inconsistency between a service agreement and the Commission's rules and regulations; (2) a revised section 3(b)(i) to allow interstate shippers to change service nominations on four hours prior notice; and (3) a revised Section 18(a) which removes Tejas' discretionary right to cancel any and all terms under the Operating Statement.

The Revised Operating Statement describes the firm and Interruptible storage services provided by Tejas under Section 311 of the Natural Gas Policy Act. The Section 311 services commenced on August 15, 1997 at Tejas' West Clear Lake Storage Facility near Houston in Harris County, Texas, pursuant to Section 284.123(b) of the Commission's regulations.

Any person desiring to participate in this proceeding must file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.211 and 385.214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedures. All motions or protests must be filed with the Secretary of the Commission on or before October 5, 1998. Copies of the

petition are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. **David P. Boergers.**

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP98-788-000]

Williams Gas Pipeline Central, Inc.; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

September 18, 1998.

Take notice that on September 16. 1998, Williams Gas Pipeline Central, Inc. (Williams), P.O. Box 3288, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101, filed in Docket No. CP98-788-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205, 157.212 and 157.216 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.212, 157.216) for authorization (1) to replace and relocate the Kansas Gas Service Company, a division of ONEOK, Inc. (Kansas Gas) Gardner Junior High School meter setting and appurtenant facilities to the tap site, and (2) to abandon in place by sale to Kansas Gas approximately 285 feet of 2-inch lateral pipeline downstream of the relocated meter, all in Johnson County, Kansas, under the authorization issued in Docket No. CP82-479-000,1 pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

The estimated construction cost is approximately \$57,217, which will be reimbursed by Kansas Gas through firm

transportation.

Williams states that this change is not prohibited by an existing tariff and that it has sufficient capacity to accomplish the deliveries specified without detriment or disadvantage to its other customers.

Any person or the Commission staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, 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 Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be

authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL96-74-002, et al.]

Enron Power Marketing, Inc. v. El Paso Electric Company, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

September 18, 1998.

Take notice that the following filings have been made with the Commission:

1. Enron Power Marketing, Inc. v. EL Paso Electric Company

[Docket Nos. EL96-74-002 and EL97-8-002]

Take notice that on June 12, 1998, El Paso Electric Company (EPE), tendered for filing revisions to the open access transmission tariff of its FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume No. 1.

Comment date: October 19, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. Tampa Electric Company

[Docket Nos. ER95-1775-003 and OA96-116-000]

Take notice that on September 15, 1998, Tampa Electric Company (Tampa Electric), tendered for filing a refund report in compliance with the Commission's letter order issued June 10, 1998, approving the settlement agreement in Docket Nos. ER95–1775–000, OA96–116–000, and OA96–116–001.

Copies of the refund report have been served on affected customers, the Florida Public Service Commission, and the Georgia Public Service Commission.

Comment date: October 5, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

3. Mid-Continent Area Power Pool

[Docket No. ER98-3454-000]

Take notice that on September 14, 1998, Mid-Continent Area Power Pool tendered for filing Notice of Withdrawal of its filing made on June 22, 1998 of "Schedule R: Redispatch Service," as amended on June 25, 1998.

Comment date: October 5, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

4. FPL Energy Power Marketing, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-3566-000]

Take notice that on September 15, 1998, FPL Energy Power Marketing, Inc. (FPL PM), amended its filing in this docket to seek an effective date of October 1, 1998.

FPL PM hereby requests that instead of the date requested in the September 4th filing, the tariff be made effective on October 1, 1998.

Comment date: October 5, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

5. International Energy Ventures, Inc.

[Docket No. ER98-4264-000]

Take notice that on September 11, 1998, International Energy Ventures, Inc. (IEV) filed an amended petition with the Commission for acceptance of IEV Rate Schedule FERC No. 1; the granting of certain blanket approvals, including the authority to sell electricity at market-based rates; and the waiver of certain Commission regulations, and name change of International Energy Group, Inc. from its previous filing.

IEV intends to engage in wholesale electric power and energy purchases and sales as a marketer. IEV is not in the business of generating or transmitting electric power.

Comment date: October 1, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

6. Florida Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER98-4534-000]

Take notice that on September 15, 1998, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL), tendered for filing proposed service agreements with Tampa Electric Company for Short-Term Firm transmission service under FPL's Open Access Transmission Tariff.

FPL requests that the proposed service agreement be permitted to become effective on August 1, 1998.

FPL states that this filing is in accordance with Part 35 of the Commission's Regulations.

Comment date: October 5, 1998, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

7. Northeast Utilities Service Company

[Docket No. ER98-4535-000]

Take notice that on September 15, 1998, Northeast Utilities Service Company (NUSCO), tendered for filing Service Agreements to provide Non-Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service and Firm Point-To-Point

¹ See, 20 FERC ¶ 62,592 (1982).