the Commission and open to public inspection. This filing may be viewed on the web at http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (call 202–208–2222 for assistance).

Specifically, Texas Gas proposes to abandon the exchange service with Memphis that was provided under Texas Gas's Rate Schedule X–35. Texas Gas states that this exchange service is no longer required and has been terminated by mutual agreement of the parties by letter dated August 9, 1999.

The name, address and telephone number of the person to whom correspondence and communications concerning this application should be addressed is: David N. Roberts, Manager of Certificates and Tariffs, Texas Gas Transmission Corporation, P.O. Box 20008. Owensboro, KY 42304.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before September 28, 1999, 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 or 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

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 for such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Texas Gas 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. CP99-612-000]

## Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

September 7, 1999.

Take notice that on September 3, 1999, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco), filed a request with the Commission in Docket No. CP-99-612-000, pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.216(b) of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (NGA) for authorization to abandon by sale an existing delivery meter station in Rockingham County, North Carolina, referred to as the "Cardinal Meter Station", authorized in blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-426-000, all as more fully set forth in the request on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. This filing may be viewed on the web at http://www.ferc.fed.us/ online/rims.htm (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

Transco proposes to abandon the Cardinal Meter Station (meter station) by sale to Cardinal Pipeline Company, LLC (Cardinal Pipeline). Cardinal, a Hinshaw pipeline whose rates and service are subject to regulation by the North Carolina Utilities Commission, would own and operate the meter station as part of its pipeline system and would continue to use the meter station to measure gas delivered by Transco. Transco reports that the meter station is used for deliveries of gas to Cardinal Pipeline for the account of Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. and Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. Transco states that both Cardinal Pipeline and Piedmont have consented to the proposed abandonment. Transco states that the proposed abandonment would have no impact on Transco's peak day deliveries and little or no impact on Transco's annual deliveries.

Âny 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 Section 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 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 NGA.

#### David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP96-129-005 (Phase I Remand)]

## Trunkline Gas Company; Notice of Informal Settlement Conference

September 7, 1999.

Take notice that an informal settlement conference will be convened in these proceedings on September 14, 1999 at 10:00 a.m. at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, for the purpose of exploring the possible settlement of the issues and drafting possible settlement documents in this proceeding.

Any party, as defined by 18 CFR 385.102(c), or any participant as defined by 18 CFR 385.102(b), is invited to attend. Persons wishing to become a party must move to intervene and receive intervenor status pursuant to the Commission's regulations (18 CFR 385.214).

For additional information, contact Marc G. Denkinger (202) 208–2215 or Lorna J. Hadlock (202) 208–0737.

#### David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

# Notice of Transfer of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

September 7, 1999.

Take notice that the following application has been filed with the

Commission and is available for public inspection:

- a. *Application Type:* Transfer of License.
  - b. Project No: 2512-046.
  - c. Date Filed: August 17, 1999.
- d. Applicants: Elkem Metals Company L.P. and Elkem Metals Company— Alloy, LP.
- e. Name and Location of Project: The Hawks Nest—Glen Ferris Project is on the New and Kanawha Rivers in Fayette County, West Virginia. The project does not occupy federal or tribal lands.

f. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a)–825(r).

g. Applicant Contacts: Ms. Amy S. Koch, Cameron McKenna LLP, 1275 K Street, NW, 5th Floor, Washington, DC 20037, (202) 466–0060 and Mr. Henry Shaffer, Elkem Metals Company L.P., Airport Office Park, Bldg. 2, 400 Rouser Road, Moon Township, PA 15108–2749, (412) 229–7217.

h. FERC Contact: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to James Hunter at (202) 219–2839, or e-mail address: james.hunter@ferc.fed.us.

i. Deadline for filing comments and or motions: October 14, 1999.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

Please include the project number (P-2512-046) on any comments or motions filed

j. Description of Proposal: Applicants propose a transfer of the license for Project No. 2512 from Elkem Metals Company L.P. to Elkem Metals Company—Alloy, LP. Transfer is being sought as part of a larger corporate restructuring of the United States operations of the parent company, Elkem Holding, Inc.

The current licensee, Elkem Metals Company, no longer exists. When the new license for the project was issued in 1987, the licensee was a general partnership. However, in January 1994, the partners converted the company to a limited partnership known as Elkem Metals Company L.P. The applicants request after-the-fact Commission approval of the transfer of the project license from Elkem Metals Company to Elkem Metals Company L.P., as well as approval of the prospective transfer from Elkem Metals Company L.P. to Elkem Metals Company—Alloy, LP.

k. Locations of the application: A copy of the application is for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE, Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208–1371. The application may be viewed on the

web at www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (Call (202) 208–2222 for assistance). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the addresses in item g above.

1. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments. protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS",

"RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTEST", OR "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies provided by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

Agency Comments—Federal, state, and local agenices are invited to file comments on the described application. A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant. If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

### David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Motions To Intervene, Protests, and Comments

September 7, 1999.

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

- a. *Type of Application:* Preliminary Permit.
  - b. Project No.: 11805-000.
  - c. Date filed: August 23, 1999.
- d. *Applicant:* Universal Electric Power Corporation.
- e. *Name of Project:* Pomme De Terre Dam Hydroelectric Project.
- f. *Location:* On the Pomme De Terre River in Hickory County, Missouri.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 USC §§ 791(a)–825(r).
- h. *Applicant Contact:* Gregory S. Feltenberger, Universal Electric Power Corporation, 1145 Highbrook Street, Akron, OH 44301, (330) 535–7115.
- i. FERC Contact: Hector M. Pérez, hector.perez@ferc.fed.us, (202)–219–2843, or Robert Bell,

robert.bell@ferc.fed.us, (202) 219-2806.

j. *Deadline for filing motions to intervene, protest and comments:* 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all interveners filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person in the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervener files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

k. The project would utilize the Corps of Engineers' Pomme De Terre Dam and consist of: (1) two 80-foot-long and 96-inch-diameter steel penstocks at the outlet works; (2) a powerhouse with two turbine generator units with a total installed capacity of 4.6 megawatts; (3) a tailrace consisting of an exhaust apron; (4) a 14.7-kV, 300-foot-long transmission line; and (5) other appurtenances.

i. A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's