

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. CP94-109-004]**

**Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

October 4, 1996.

Take notice that on September 27, 1996 Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) tendered for filing First Revised Sheet No. 37C.01 and First Revised Sheet No. 40C.01 to its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, which tariff sheets are proposed to be effective November 1, 1996.

Transco states that the purpose of the instant filing is to set forth under Rate Schedule FT the reservation rate authorized by the Commission for Phase II of SE95/96 firm transportation service commencing November 1, 1996 pursuant to its February 5, 1996 order in Docket No. CP94-109-002 (February 5 Order). In compliance with the February 5 Order, Transco tendered for filing First Revised Sheet No. 40C.01 which sets forth the incremental reservation rate of \$9.2464 per dt for the SE95/96 firm transportation service commencing November 1, 1996.

Transco states that it has converted the authorized reservation rate of \$9.57 per Mcf to a dt basis using a factor of 1.035 consistent with the rates which were filed in Transco's August 30, 1996 filing in Docket No. RP96-365 in compliance with Commission Order No. 582. In addition, all applicable surcharges under Rate Schedule FT shall apply to SE95/96 firm transportation service.

In recognition that SE95/96 firm transportation capacity is eligible to be released in accordance with Section 42 of the General Terms and Conditions of Transco's FERC Gas Tariff, Transco is filing First Revised Sheet No. 37C.01 to set forth the rates and charges under Rate Schedule FT-R applicable to capacity released under Transco's SE95/96 incremental firm transportation service.

Transco states that copies of the instant filing are being mailed to

customers, State Commissions and other interested parties.

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 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 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. GT97-1-000]**

**Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

October 4, 1996.

Take notice that on October 1, 1996, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets to become effective October 1, 1996:

Second Revised Volume No. 1  
Tenth Revised Sheet No. 778  
Thirteenth Revised Sheet No. 779  
Twelfth Revised Sheet No. 780  
Tenth Revised Sheet No. 781  
Twelfth Revised Sheet Nos. 782-784  
Fourteenth Revised Sheet No. 785  
Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 786  
Sixteenth Revised Sheet Nos. 787-788  
Seventeenth Revised Sheet Nos. 789-790  
Sixteenth Revised Sheet No. 791  
Seventeenth Revised Sheet Nos. 792-794  
Eleventh Revised Sheet No. 827  
Twelfth Revised Sheet No. 831  
Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 832  
Sixteenth Revised Sheet No. 833

Williston Basin states that the revised tariff sheets are being filed simply to update its Master Receipt/Delivery Point List.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this 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 18 CFR 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. RP97-18-000]**

**Transwestern Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

October 4, 1996.

Take notice that on October 1, 1996 Transwestern Pipeline Company (Transwestern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, the following pro forma tariff sheets, with a proposed effective date of April 1, 1997:

Pro Forma Sheet No. 49  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 58  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 61  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 62  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 63  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 63A  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 64  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 71  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 80  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 80A  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 81A  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 81E  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95A  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95B  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95B.1  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95C  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95D  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95E  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95F  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95G  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95H  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95I  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95K  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95L  
Pro Forma Sheet No. 95M-95P

On July 17, 1996, the Commission issued Order No. 587, Standards for Business Practices of Interstate Natural Gas Pipelines, in Docket No. RM96-1-000 (Final Rule). The Final Rule adopts certain standardized business practices and electronic communication practices promulgated by the Gas Industry Standards Board (GISB) and required pipelines to comply with the requirements of the GISB consensus standards by incorporating the GISB standards by reference into the Commission's regulations.

Transwestern states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Final Rule.

Transwestern states that the filing reflects pro forma changes to the General Terms and Conditions of Transwestern's tariff to implement the business standards issued by GISB. These GISB standards are the 140 standards filed with the Commission on March 15, 1996, and relate to nominations, allocations, balancing, measurement, invoicing, electronic delivery mechanisms and capacity release.

Transwestern is proposing to, effective with the effectiveness of the tariff changes, adopt the data elements filed with the Commission on April 12, 1996.

Transwestern states that copies of the filing were served on its gas utility customers, interested state commissions, and all parties to this proceeding.

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. All such motions or protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations on or before October 22, 1996. 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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[Project No. 2523-007, Project No. 11496-000]

### **N.E.W. Hydro, Inc. City of Oconto Falls, Wisconsin; Notice of Availability of Draft Environmental Assessment**

October 4, 1996.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission's) Regulations, 18 CFR Part 380 (Order No. 486, 52 FR 47897), the Office of Hydropower Licensing has reviewed the applications for a new license for the Oconto Falls Hydroelectric Project,

located on the Oconto River, in the City of Oconto Falls, Oconto County, Wisconsin; and has prepared a Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA) for the project. In the DEA, the Commission's staff has analyzed the potential environmental impacts of the existing project and has concluded that approval of the project, with appropriate environmental protection measures, would not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

Copies of the DEA are available for review in the Public Reference Branch, Room 2-A, of the Commission's offices at 888 First Street N.E., Washington D.C. 20426.

Any comments should be filed within 45 days from the date of this notice and should be addressed to Lois D. Cashell, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Room 1-A, 888 First Street N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. Please affix Oconto Falls Hydroelectric Project Nos. 2523 and 11496 to all comments. For further information, please contact Edward R. Meyer at (202) 208-7998.

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*Secretary.*

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### **FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**

[CC Docket No. 92-237; DA 96-1664]

#### **The North American Numbering Council Chairman Announces Organizational Structure and Seeks Working Group and Task Force Participants**

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** On October 4, 1996, the Commission released a public notice stating that the North American Numbering Council (NANC) Chairman announced the organizational structure of the NANC and seeks working group and task force participants. The intended effect of this action is to make the public aware of the NANC's organizational structure and that the NANC is seeking participants on its working group and task forces.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Marian Gordon, Designated Federal Official of the North American Numbering Council, (202) 418-2337 or Mary DeLuca, Alternate Designated Federal Official of the North American Numbering Council, (202) 418-2334. The address for both is: Network

Services Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, 2000 M Street, NW., Suite 235, Washington, DC 20054. The fax number for both is: (202) 418-2345. The TTY number for both is: (202) 418-0484.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Released: October 4, 1996.

#### **I. Background**

On October 1, 1996, the North American Numbering Council (NANC), a Federal Advisory Committee established pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C., App. 2 (1988) (FACA), held its initial meeting at the Federal Communications Commission (Commission). The NANC was established to advise the Commission and other North American Numbering Plan (NANP) member countries on issues related to NANP administration, and to advise the Commission on local number portability administration issues in the United States. Among other tasks, the NANC must recommend to the Commission a new neutral NANP Administrator and one or more neutral local Number Portability Administrator(s) (LNPA(s)).

Several working groups and task forces will address specific tasks and issues regarding numbering administration and local number portability and report to the NANC. This Notice describes the tentative structure for these groups, identifies the tasks for the working groups and the task forces within those groups, and seeks nominations for participants with appropriate expertise to serve on them. As will be evident from the tasks and deadlines described below, participants in the working groups and task forces will be expected to be able to offer a substantial time commitment from the outset.

#### **II. NANC Structure**

The tasks and objectives of the working groups and task forces are described below. The NANC, by issuance of this Public Notice, seeks individuals with specialized expertise to serve on the North American Numbering Plan Administration Working Group and the Local Number Portability Administration (LNPA) Selection Working Group, and on associated task forces. All such participants should have a willingness and ability to dedicate the time and resources necessary to effectively accomplish the tasks and objectives of their group. The NANC intends that this organizational structure will enable all interested parties to express their views.