

Paiute states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the requirements of Order Nos. 582 and 582-A, issued in Docket No. RM95-3, in which the Commission reorganized, revised, and updated its regulations governing the form, composition, and filing of rates and tariffs for interstate pipeline companies.

Paiute indicates that the tendered tariff sheets revise Paiute's tariff to:

- (1) include a mailing address, a courier address, a telephone number, and a fax number on the title page;
- (2) expand the table of contents to include the sections of the general terms and conditions;
- (3) add a statement describing the order in which Paiute discounts its rates;
- (4) delete the index of customers from the tariff;
- (5) update references to sections of the Commission's regulations that have been changed; and
- (6) clarify that all of the General Terms and Conditions apply to Rate Schedule IT-1.

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, Washington, D.C. 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 in accordance with 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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Questar Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 3, 1996.

Take notice that on November 29, 1996, Questar Pipeline Company, tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets to become effective January 1, 1997:

Second Revised Sheet No. 150
Second Revised Sheet No. 151

First Revised Sheet No. 164
Second Revised Sheet No. 165
Original Sheet No. 165A
Third Revised Sheet No. 169
Original Revised Sheet No. 169A

Questar states that consistent with its continued effort to meet customer needs and expectations, and in response to customer requests for increased flexibility in providing ISS service, it is seeking Commission approval of proposed tariff revisions that will (1) eliminate the requirement that there be uncommitted Clay Basin firm storage capacity in order to offer ISS service, (2) permit ISS service for any period of time and (3) require the withdrawal of ISS working gas within 30 days of notice that capacity is required to meet the firm requirements of Rate Schedule FSS shippers. Questar has requested waiver of 18 CFR 154.207 so that the tendered tariff sheets may become effective as proposed.

Questar states further that a copy of this filing has been served upon its customers, the Public Service Commission of Utah and the Wyoming Public Service Commission.

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 385.211 and 385.214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. 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. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

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Secretary.

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South Georgia Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 3, 1996.

Take notice that on November 29, 1996, South Georgia Natural Gas Company (South Georgia) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets set forth on Appendix A to the

filing, to become effective January 1, 1997.

South Georgia states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with Commission Order Nos. 582 and 582-A requiring, inter alia, that rates be stated on a thermal basis. South Georgia proposes to state all its rates on a Dekatherm (Dth) basis effective January 1, 1997, since the Commission has approved Dth to be the standard unit for nominations, allocations and invoicing. Accordingly South Georgia has changed all references in its Tariff from MMBtu to Dth in addition to stating its reservation charge and calculation for firm service on a Dth basis. These changes do not impact firm shippers' contract quantities (in Mcf) and do not substantively alter the charges shippers pay for service. South Georgia has also made other clarifications to its tariff required by the orders.

South Georgia submits that the Commission should grant it all waivers necessary to place these provisions into effect January 1, 1997.

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 Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR Sections 385.211 and 385.214). All such motions and protests must be filed in accordance with 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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Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Settlement Compliance Filing

December 3, 1996.

Take notice that on November 29, 1996, Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Seventh Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets to become effective January 1, 1997:

9th Revised Sheet No. 14A
16th Revised Sheet No. 15A

9th Revised Sheet No. 16A
16th Revised Sheet No. 17A
7th Revised Sheet No. 18A

Southern asserts that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's Order issued on September 29, 1995, which approved the Stipulation and Agreement (Settlement) filed by Southern on March 15, 1995 in Docket Nos. RP89-224-012, et al. In accordance with Article VII of the Settlement, Southern has made this filing to recover a GSR volumetric surcharge based on an estimate of its unrecovered GSR costs as of December 31, 1996 and its projected 1997 costs.

Paragraph 17 of Article VII of the Settlement provides for Southern to file by December 1 of each year to collect unrecovered gas supply realignment (GSR) costs through its GSR volumetric surcharge, to be effective for the parties supporting the Settlement beginning January 1 of the following year. The proposed GSR volumetric surcharge of \$.0074/MMBtu replaces the \$.0628/MMBtu surcharge currently in effect.

Southern states that copies of the filing were served upon Southern's customers, intervening parties and interested state commissions.

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 Section 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with 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 Southern's 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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Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Revised Tariff Sheets

December 3, 1996.

Take notice that on November 29, 1996, Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Seventh Revised Volume No. 1, for following tariff

sheets, to become effective January 1, 1997:

Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 14
Tenth Revised Sheet No. 14a
Forty-First Revised Sheet No. 15
Seventeenth Revised Sheet No. 15a
Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 16
Tenth Revised Sheet No. 16a
Forty-First Revised Sheet No. 17
Seventeenth Revised Sheet No. 17a
Twenty-fourth Revised Sheet No. 18
Eighth Revised Sheet No. 18a

Section 14.2 of Southern's Tariff provides for an annual reconciliation of Southern's storage costs to reflect differences between the cost to Southern of its storage gas inventory and the amount Southern receives for such gas arising out of (i) the purchase and sale of such gas in order to resolve shipper imbalances; and (ii) the purchase and sale of gas as necessary to maintain an appropriate level of storage gas inventory for system management purposes. In the instant filing, Southern submits the rate surcharge to the transportation component of its rates under Rate Schedules FT, FT-NN, and IT resulting from the fixed and realized losses it has incurred from the purchase and sale of its storage gas inventory.

Southern states that copies of the filing were served upon Southern's customers and interested state commissions.

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 Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with 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. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of Southern's filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

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Secretary.

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Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of GSR Cost Recovery Filing

December 3, 1996.

Take notice that on November 29, 1996, Southern Natural Gas Company

(Southern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Seventh Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, to become effective January 1, 1997.

Tariff Sheets Applicable to Contesting Parties:

Eighteenth Revised Sheet No. 14
Fortieth Revised Sheet No. 15
Eighteenth Revised Sheet No. 16
Fortieth Revised Sheet No. 17
Twenty-Third Revised Sheet No. 18
Twenty-Sixth Revised Sheet No. 29

Tariff Sheets Applicable to Supporting Parties:

Eighth Revised Sheet No. 14a
Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 15a
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 16a
Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 17a

Southern set forth in the filing its revised demand surcharges and revised interruptible rates that will be charged in connection with its recovery of GSA costs associated with the payment of price differential costs under unaligned gas supply contracts or contract buyout costs associated with continuing realignment efforts as well as sales function costs during the period August 1, 1996 through October 31, 1996. These GSR costs have arisen as a direct result of customers' elections during restructuring to terminate their sales entitlements under Order No. 636.

Southern states that copies of the filing were served upon Southern's customers and interested state commissions.

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 Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with 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 Southern's filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

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