well as filing an original and 14 copies with the Commission.

A person does not have to intervene, however, in order to have comments considered. A person, instead, may submit two copies of such comments to the Secretary of the Commission. Commenters will be placed on the Commission's environmental mailing list, will receive copies of environmental documents, and will be able to participate in meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process. Commenters will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, commenters will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission, and will not have the right to seek rehearing or appeal the Commission's final order to a Federal court.

The Commission will consider all comments and concerns equally, whether filed by commenters or those requesting intervenor status.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to the jurisdiction conferred upon the Commission by Sections 7 and 15 of the NGA 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 a grant of the certificate is 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,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. MG99-18-000]

Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Filing

April 22, 1999.

Take notice that on March 4, 1999, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern Natural) submitted a report that states that it is re-establishing its Pipeline Sales Division. Northern Natural states that it may sell gas pursuant to Rate Schedule SF due to the imbalance cashout mechanism, excess gas on the system or other economic reasons.

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, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 or 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 or 385.214). All such motions to intervene or protest should be filed on or before May 7, 1999. 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,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP99-325-000]

Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

April 22, 1999.

Take notice that on April 19, 1999, Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company (Tennessee), a Delaware corporation, P.O. Box 2511, Houston, Texas 77252, filed in Docket No. CP99-325-000 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 and 157.216) for authorization to convert an existing receipt point in Crawford County, Pennsylvania, to a delivery point in order to make deliveries of natural gas to Range Energy Resources, under Tennessee's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-413–000 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 application may be viewed on the web at www.ferc.fed.us/ online/rims.htm. Call (202) 208–2222 for assistance.

Tennessee proposes to remove an exiting 6-inch orifice meter, install in its

place a 4-inch orifice meter, and turn around the existing check valve to allow gas flow from Tennessee's mainline. Range Energy estimates that its average day and peak day requirements are 1,500 Mcf and 5,000 Mcf per day, respectively. The volumes to be delivered to this point will be within the contract quantity and therefore within the certificated entitlements for Range Energy.

Tennessee further states that the facilities will be converted in compliance with 18 CFR, Part 157, Subpart F, and that the proposed activities will not affect Tennessee's ability to service its other existing customers.

Any person or the Commission's 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) 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. CP98-181-000]

Trunkline Gas Company; Notice of Motion To Vacate

April 22, 1999.

Take notice that on April 16, 1999, Trunkline Gas Company (Trunkline), P.O. Box 1642, Houston, Texas 77251–1642, filed in Docket No. CP98–181–000 a request seeking to vacate the authority that Trunkline received in Docket No. CP98–181–000 (prior notice filing) which was filed pursuant to 157.205 and 157.211 on January 13, 1998. This filing may be viewed on the web at www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (please call (202) 208–2222 for assistance).

The prior notice filing involved a request for authorization to install a 2"

hot tap, check valve, insulating flange and associated facilities on Trunkline's 24" Line 100–1 in Harris County at milepost 1.53, and install electronic gas measurement equipment to establish a delivery point to Cypress Public Service, L.P. (Cypress), under Trunkline's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP83–84–000. The prior notice filing was noticed January 23, 1998, and no protests were filed during the notice period which expired March 9, 1998.

Trunkline states that at the request of the customer, Cypress, Trunkline will not be installing the tap and other associated facilities to establish the new interconnect. Trunkline states that since the requested interconnect is not going to be installed and that the 45-day notice period has expired, Trunkline requests that the authorization filed for in Docket CP98–181–000 be vacated.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said motion to vacate should on or before May 13, 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 protest 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. All persons who have heretofore filed need not file again.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP99-316-000]

Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.; Notice of Application

April 21, 1999.

Take notice that on April 15, 1999, Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc., (Williams), formerly named Williams Natural Gas Company, P.O. Box 3288, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74101, filed an application pursuant to Section 7(b) and Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act

(NGA) for an order permitting and approving (1) the abandonment by reclaim of two 230 horsepower Ajax compressor units and appurtenant facilities and (2) the installation of a replacement 310 horsepower compressor unit and appurtenant facilities at the South Welda booster station located in Anderson County, Kansas, all as more fully set forth in the application which is 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).

Specifically, Williams seeks authority to abandon by reclaim the two 230 horsepower compressor units and replace them with a 310 horsepower compressor unit on the existing station site. The project cost is estimated to be approximately \$257,414.

Any person desiring to participate in the hearing process or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before May 12, 1999, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., 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 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. The Commission's rules require that protestors provide copies of their protests to the party or parties directly involved. 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.

A person obtaining intervenor status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies of all documents filed by the applicant and by every one of the intervenors. An intervenor can file for rehearing of any Commission order and can petition for court review of any such order. However, an intervenor must submit copies of comments or any other filing it makes with the Commission to every other intervenor in the proceeding, as well as 14 copies with the Commission.

A person does not have to intervene, however, in order to have comments considered. A person, instead, may submit two copies of comments to the Secretary of the Commission.

Commenters will be placed on the

Commission's environmental mailing list, will receive copies of environmental documents and will be able to participate in meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process.

Commenters will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, commenters will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission and will not have the right to seek rehearing or appeal the Commission's final order to a federal court.

The Commission will consider all comments and concerns equally, whether filed by commenters or those requesting intervenor status.

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 a grant of the certificate is 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 Williams to appear or be represented at the hearing.

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 and Protests

April 22, 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.: P-11704-000.
 - c. Date filed: March 15, 1999.
- d. *Applicant:* Universal Electric Power Corporation.