696–1991. Electronic mail address: colliere@ndu.edu.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Board meeting is open to the public.

Dated: April 22, 1999.

#### L.M. Bynum,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP98-391-004]

#### Colorado Interstate Gas Company; Notice of Tariff Filing

April 27, 1999.

Take notice that on April 22, 1999, Colorado Interstate Gas Company (CIG), P.O. Box 1087, Colorado Springs, Colorado 80944, tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, Second Sub Fourth Revised Sheet No. 176, Second Sub Third Revised Sheet No. 177, and Second Sub Third Revised Sheet No. 178 to be effective March 5, 1999.

CIG states the tariff sheets are filed in compliance with the Order issued April 7, 1999 in Docket No. RP98–391–002. This Order approved a compliance filing CIG made for Swing Service subject to conditions.

ČIG states that copies of this compliance filing have been served on CIG's jurisdictional customers and public bodies.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 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 the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room. This filing may be viewed on the web at http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/ rims.htm (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

#### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP99-321-000]

#### Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, L.L.C., et. al.; Notice of Petition for Declaratory Order

April 27, 1999.

Take notice that, on April 14, 1999, Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, L.L.C. (Kentucky West), Nora Transmission Company (Nora), and **Equitable Production Company** (Equitable Production), One Oxford Center, Suite 3300, Pittsburgh, PA 15219, filed a petition pursuant to Section 1(b) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA), and Rule 207(a) (2) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.207). The Applicants request a declaratory order stating that after transfer to Equitable Production, all of Kentucky West's and Nora's facilities will be nonjurisdictional gathering facilities and services, exempt from the provision of the NGA. All of this is more fully set forth in the application, which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. The application may also be viewed on the web at http// www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm. Call (202) 208-2222 for assistance.

Applicants state that service for existing shippers on the Kentucky West and Nora systems will continue under either negotiated contracts or default contracts. Applicants state further, that the tow year default contracts will have the same terms, conditions and service that Kentucky West and Nora are currently providing. Applicants state that all of the facilities are located in the Appalachian region and that Kentucky West's facilities have, for the most part been recognized as performing a gathering function.

Applicants state that Nora obtained certification from the Commission because it sought to be the link permitting the flow of gas between two interstate pipelines, Kentucky West and East Tennessee Natural Gas Company. Applicants state further, that if the declaration sought in this proceeding is granted, that Kentucky West's facilities are used for non-jurisdictional gathering after transfer to Equitable Production, the circumstances which made it necessary for Nora to obtain a certificate will have been eliminated.

Any person desiring to be heard or make any protest with reference to said application should no or before May 18, 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 Protesters parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participant as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion 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 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, or 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 believe 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 the Applicants to appear or be represented at the hearing. Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-284-000]

#### Kern River Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

April 27, 1999.

Take notice that on April 20, 1999, Kern River Gas Transmission Company (Kern River) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets in attachment A to the filing, to be effective June 1, 1999.

The purpose of this filing is to replace Kern River's current fuel reimbursement mechanism, which is based on estimated fuel requirements and daily fuel imbalances, with an improved fuel reimbursement mechanism that allows shippers to determine actual fuel requirements before transactions begin.

Kern River states that a copy of this filing has been served upon its customers and interested state regulatory commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or protest this 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 sections 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. This filing may be viewed on the web at http:// www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

#### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP96-52-004]

#### Pine Needle LNG Company, LLC; Notice of Filing of Substitute Tariff Sheet

April 27, 1999.

Take notice that on April 22, 1999, Pine Needle LNG Company, LLC (Pine Needle) filed Substitute Original Sheet No. 89 of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, Pine Needle requests that this sheet be made effective on May 1, 1999, which is the expected in service date for the Pine Needle facilities.

Pine Needle states that copies of this filing have been served on 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, NE., Washington, DC 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 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. This filing may be viewed on the Internet at <a href="http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm">http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm</a> (Call 202–208–2222 for assistance).

#### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-166-000]

### Stingray Pipeline Company; Notice of Informal Settlement Conference

April 27, 1999.

Take notice that an informal settlement conference in this proceeding will be convened on Wednesday, May 5, 1999, at 10:00 a.m. The settlement conference will be held at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, for the purpose of exploring the possible settlement of the above-referenced docket.

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, please contact Arnold Meltz at (202) 208–2161 or Robert Young (202) 208–5705.

#### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. GT99-20-000]

#### Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Tariff Filing

April 27, 1999.

Take notice that on April 20, 1999, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin), 1250 West Century Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota 58501, tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the revised tariff sheets listed on Appendix A to that filing to become effective April 19, 1999.

Williston Basin states that on April 19, 1999, it moved its offices from Suite 300, 200 North Third Street to 1250 West Century Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota 58501 and obtained a post office box number, P.O. Box 5601, Bismarck, North Dakota 58506–5601. All telephone numbers at this Bismarck office have also recently been changed. The filing is being made simply to reflect this change of address and telephone numbers on the applicable sheets to its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1 and Original Volume No. 2.

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 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 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. This filing may be viewed on the web at http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/ rims.htm  $\bar{\text{(call 202-208-2222 for })}$ assistance).

#### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL99-56-000, et al.]

# Town of Norwood, Massachusetts, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

April 23, 1999

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