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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP96-213-010]

#### Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation; Notice of Amendment

May 20, 1999.

Take notice that on May 14, 1999, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation (Columbia), 12801 Fair Lakes Parkway, Fairfax, Virginia 22033, filed in Docket No. CP96-213-010 an abbreviated application pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, to amend its certificates previously issued by the Commission in an "Order Denying Rehearing and Issuing Certificates" on May 14, 1997 and in amendment orders "Order Amending Certificate" on November 25, 1997, June 30, 1998 and April 2, 1999 in Docket Nos. CP96-213-000, et al., Columbia's Market Expansion Project (MEP) all as more fully set forth in the request that 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> (please call (202) 208-0400 for assistance).

By this amendment, Columbia proposes to further amend its authorization to modify certain authorized projects in its Coco and Crawford Storage Fields, located in Kanawha County, West Virginia and Hocking County, Ohio respectively. The proposed modifications will not impact any other key project items or system capacities for MEP services and will not increase previous total MEP estimated costs.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should, on or before June 10, 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 Rule 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 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.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to 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, or if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that permission and approval for the proposed certificate and 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 of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Columbia 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. RP96-209-005]

#### Koch Gateway Pipeline Company; Notice of Report

May 20, 1999.

Take notice that on May 17, 1999, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company

(Koch) tendered for filing a report identifying the amount of the refunds received and the dates on which repayments were made as directed by FERC in Docket No. RP96-209-004.

In accordance with Section 154.502 of the Commission's Regulations, copies of this filing have been served upon all parties on the official service list created by the Secretary in this proceeding and Koch's customers, state commissions and other interested parties. In addition, copies of the instant filing are available during regular business hours for public inspection in Koch's offices, in Houston, Texas.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file 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 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).

**David P. Boergers,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. MG99-20-000]

#### National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Filing

May 20, 1999.

Take notice that on May 13, 1999, National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (National Fuel) filed revised standards of conduct under Order Nos. 497 et

seq.,<sup>1</sup> Order Nos. 566 *et seq.*<sup>2</sup> and Order No. 599.<sup>3</sup>

National Fuel states that it has served copies of its filing on affected 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 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 June 4, 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. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

**David P. Boergers,**

*Secretary.*

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<sup>1</sup> Order No. 497, 53 FR 22139 (June 14, 1988), FERC Stats. & Regs. 1986-1990 ¶ 30,820 (1988); Order No. 497-A, *order on rehearing*, 54 FR 52781 (December 22, 1989), FERC Stats. & Regs. 1986-1990 ¶ 30,868 (1989); Order No. 497-B, *order extending sunset date*, 55 FR 53291 (December 28, 1990), FERC Stats. & Regs. 1986-1990 ¶ 30,908 (1990); Order No. 497-C, *order extending sunset date*, 57 FR 9 (January 2, 1992), FERC Stats. & Regs. 1991-1996 ¶ 30,934 (1991) *rehearing denied*, 57 FR 5815 (February 18, 1992), 58 FERC ¶ 61,139 (1992); *Tenneco Gas v. FERC* (affirmed in part and remanded in part), 969 F.2d 1187 (D.C. Cir. 1992); Order No. 497-D, *order on remand and extending sunset date*, 57 FR 58978 (December 14, 1992), FERC Stats. & Regs. 1991-1996 ¶ 30,958 (December 4, 1992); Order No. 497-E, *order on rehearing and extending sunset date*, 59 FR 243 (January 4, 1994), FERC Stats. & Regs. 1991-1996 ¶ 30,987 (December 23, 1993); Order No. 497-F, *order denying rehearing and granting clarification*, 59 FR 15336 (April 1, 1994), 66 FERC ¶ 61,347 (March 24, 1994); and Order No. 497-G, *order extending sunset date*, 59 FR 32884 (June 27, 1994), FERC Stats. & Regs. 1991-1996 ¶ 30,996 (June 17, 1994).

<sup>2</sup> Standards of Conduct and Reporting Requirements for Transportation and Affiliate Transactions, Order No. 566, 59 FR 32885 (June 27, 1994), FERC Stats. & Regs. 1991-1996 ¶ 30,997 (June 17, 1994); Order No. 566-A, *order on rehearing*, 59 FR 52896 (October 20, 1994), 69 FERC ¶ 61,044 (October 14, 1994); Order No. 566-B, *order on rehearing*, 59 FR 65707, (December 21, 1994), 69 FERC ¶ 61,334 (December 14, 1994).

<sup>3</sup> Reporting Interstate Natural Gas Pipeline Marketing Affiliates on the Internet, Order No. 599, 63 FR 43075 (August 12, 1998), FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,064 (July 30, 1998).

## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-305-000]

#### Northern Border Pipeline Company; Notice of Petition for Limited Waiver of Tariff Provisions

May 20, 1999.

Take notice that on May 14, 1999, Northern Border Pipeline Company (Northern Border) petitioned the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) for a limited waiver of Northern Border's FERC Gas Tariff, to the extent necessary, to allow Northern Border to suspend certain Shipper Deficiency or Overpayment and Utility Interest Adjustment provisions.

Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

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, N.E., Washington, D.C. 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> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

**David P. Boergers,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP99-523-000]

#### Reliant Energy Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

May 20, 1999.

Take notice that on May 14, 1999, Reliant Energy Gas Transmission

Company (Applicant), formerly NorAm Gas Transmission Company, 1111 Louisiana Street, Houston, Texas 77002-5231, filed in Docket No. CP99-523-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205, 157.211 and 157.216(b) of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.211 and 157.216) for approval to abandon, construct and operate certain facilities in Louisiana, under Applicant's blanket certificate issued in Docket Nos. CP82-384-000 and CP82-384-001, pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA), all as more fully set forth in the request which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Applicant specifically proposes to abandon 3,219 feet of Line FM-52 in Bossier Parish, Louisiana from station number 71+19 to station number 39+00. Applicant further proposes to sell and transfer this segment of Line at net book value to Reliant Energy Arkla (Arkla), a division of Reliant Energy Incorporated. Arkla will operate this segment of Line as part of its low-pressure distribution system.

Applicant also proposes to relocate an existing four-inch meter station from station number 71+19 to station number 39+00, install a two-inch regulator, and 150 feet of six-inch pipe to continue service to Arkla. Applicant's construction and relocation costs are estimated to be \$42,285, which will be paid for by Applicant.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days of the issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214), a motion to intervene 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 activities 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 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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