

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-362-000]

Nora Transmission Co.; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

July 6, 1999.

Take notice that on June 30, 1999, Nora Transmission Co., (Nora) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, Third Revised Sheet No. 121, and Fourth Revised Sheet No. 173, to become effective August 1, 1999.

Nora states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Order No. 587-K issued on April 2, 1999, in Docket No. RM96-1-011 adopting new and revised standards promulgated by the Gas Industry Standards Board (GISB). These standards require interstate natural gas pipelines to follow certain new and revised business practice procedures. The Commission directed pipelines to make a filing adopting Version 1.3 of the GISB standards which revises the standards in the area of confirmation practices, data sets and establishes standardization of the information provided on Internet Web Sites by August 1, 1999. Nora is filing to incorporate by reference the new and revised standards, except for standard 2.3.16 which is incorporated verbatim in Section 13.4(b)(1) and of the General Terms and Conditions.

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> (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. CP98-159-002]

Phelps Dodge Corporation v. El Paso Natural Gas Company, Notice Extending Period To Convene Meeting and Setting Date for Convening Session

July 6, 1999.

By Order issued June 16, 1999, *Phelps Dodge Corporation v. El Paso Natural Gas Company*, 87 FERC ¶ 61,297, the Commission directed its Dispute Resolution Service to convene a meeting of the parties to arrange a process that may foster negotiation and agreement on the disputes presented in the above captioned proceeding. The meeting was to be held within 30 days of issuance of the June 16th Order. The Director of the Dispute Resolution Proceeding contacted representatives of Phelps Dodge Corporation and El Paso Natural Gas Company and has determined that due to conflicts with filings in other proceedings, the 30-day period to convene should be extended.

Accordingly, the period to convene the parties is extended until July 23, 1999.

The Commission's Dispute Resolution Service will conduct a convening session on July 21, 1999, commencing at 10:00 a.m., in Room 3M-3, at the Commission's offices in Washington, DC. The convening session will cover what processes can be taken to reach a consensual agreement, including whether to use an alternative dispute resolution process and/or an appropriate third party neutral.

All parties are invited to attend. If a party has any questions, please call Richard Miles, the Director of the Office of the Dispute Resolution Service. His telephone number is 202-208-0702 and his E-mail address is richard.miles@ferc.fed.us.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. GT99-56-000]

Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp.; Notice of Refund Report

July 6, 1999.

Take notice on June 29, 1999, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp.

(Transco) refunded amounts to eligible shippers via Mail or wire transfer based on non-discounted GRI demand amounts paid during the year ended December 31, 1998. The amounts refunded by Transco resulted from refunds made to Transco by the Gas Research Institute (GRI).

Transco states that copies of this filing are being served to each affected customer.

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 on or before July 13, 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 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).

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Docket No. RP99-358-000]

Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

July 6, 1999.

Take notice that on June 29, 1999, Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. (Williams) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with the proposed effective date of August 1, 1999.

First Revised Sheet Nos. 213 and 230A
Second Revised Sheet No. 230B
Third Revised Sheet No. 297

Williams states that on April 2, 1999, the Commission issued Order No. 587-K (Order). The Order incorporated by reference, in Section 284.106(b)(1)(i), Version 1.3 of the standards promulgated July 31, 1998, by the Gas Industry Standards Board (GISB). The

Commission also established August 1, 1999, as the implementation date of Version 1.3 of the standards adopted in Order No. 587-K. Williams states that the purpose of this filing is to revise the tariff in compliance with the Order.

Williams states that copy of its filing was served on all of Williams' jurisdictional customers and interested state commissions.

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).

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-359-000]

Young Gas Storage Co., Ltd.; Notice of Tariff Filing

July 6, 1999.

Take notice that on June 29, 1999, Young Gas Storage Co., Ltd. (Young), tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed in Appendix A to the filing, to be effective August 1, 1999.

Young states that the purpose of this compliance filing is to conform Young's tariff to requirements of Order No. 587-K. Order No. 587-K requires interstate pipelines transporting pursuant to Section 284.223 of the Commission's Regulations to conform their tariffs to the most recent version of the Gas Industry Standards Board standards, Version 1.3 promulgated July 31, 1998.

Young further states that copies of the filing have been mailed to all affected

customers and state regulatory commissions.

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).

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Docket No. EF99-3021-000, et al.]

Southeastern Power Administration, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

July 6, 1999.

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

1. Southeastern Power Administration

[Docket No. EF99-3021-000]

Take notice that on July 1, 1999, the Secretary of the Department of Energy confirmed and approved Rate Schedules CBR-1-D, CSI-1-D, CEK-1-D, CM-1-D, CC-1-E, CK-1-D, CTV-1-D, and SJ-1-A for power from Southeastern Power Administration's (Southeastern) Cumberland System of Projects. The approval extends through June 30, 2004.

The Deputy Secretary states that the Commission, by order issued December 14, 1994, in Docket No. EF94-3021-000, and August 11, 1997, in Docket No. EF97-3021, confirmed and approved Rate Schedules CBR-1-C, CSI-1-C, CK-1-C, CC-1-D, CM-1-C, CEK-1-C, CTV-1-C, and SJ-1.

Southeastern proposes in the instant filing to replace these rate schedules.

Comment date: July 27, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

2. New England Power Company, et al.

[Docket No. EC99-70-000]

Take notice that on July 1, 1999, New England Power Company (NEP) and its affiliates holding jurisdictional assets (Massachusetts Electric Company, The Narragansett Electric Company, New England Electric Transmission Corporation, New England Hydro-Transmission Corporation, New England Hydro-Transmission Electric Company, Inc., and AllEnergy Marketing Company, L.L.C.) (collectively, the NEES Companies), Montaup Electric Company and its affiliates holding jurisdictional assets (Blackstone Valley Electric Company, Eastern Edison Company (Eastern Edison), Newport Electric Corporation) (collectively, the "EUA Companies"), and Research Drive LLC submitted a Supplement to their Application in the above referenced docket. The proceeding in the above-referenced docket seeks the Commission's approval and related authorizations to effectuate the merger involving New England Electric System (NEES), the parent company of the NEES Companies, and Eastern Utilities Associates (EUA), the parent company of the EUA Companies (Merger).

The Supplement explains that currently 100% of the common stock of Montaup is held by Eastern Edison, which in turn is wholly owned by EUA. Independent of and prior to the closing of the Merger, Eastern Edison will transfer all of the common stock of Montaup to EUA so that EUA will become the direct parent of Montaup. The Supplement states that this independent internal corporate restructuring of Montaup's parent companies has no impact on the Merger, but is being filed to make certain that the discussion of Montaup's corporate structure in the original Application remains accurate.

In addition, the Supplement states that to the extent the Commission determines that this internal corporate restructuring of Montaup's parent companies qualifies as a disposition of control of a jurisdictional entity that requires Commission approval under Section 203 of the FPA, the Applicants request such approval.

Finally, the Applicants included for filing copies of the following material that the Applicants request be made part of Exhibit G to the Application: Application of Montaup Electric Company and New England Power Company for Transfer of Licenses and