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(9) Coordinating project activities with other available resources and

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Claudio R. Prieto,

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Rocky Flats

AGENCY: Department of Energy. **ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Rocky Flats. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the Federal Register. DATES: Thursday, October 7, 1999 6:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: College Hill Library, (Front Range Community College), 3705 West 112th Avenue, Westminster, CO 80021. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ken

Korkia, Board/Staff Coordinator, Rocky Flats Citizens Advisory Board, 9035 North Wadsworth Parkway, Suite 2250, Westminster, CO 80021; telephone (303) 420-7855; fax (303) 420-7579.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda

- 1. Presentation by the Health Advisory Panel on its final report
- 2. Review and approve Board's year 2000 work plan and budget
- 3. Review and approve the Board's Vision document
- 4. Other Board business may be conducted as necessary

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Ken Korkia at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received at least five days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is

empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available at the Public Reading Room located at the Board's office at 9035 North Wadsworth Parkway, Suite 2250, Westminster, CO 80021; telephone (303) 420-7855. Hours of operation for the Public Reading Room are 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Minutes will also be made available by writing or calling Deb Thompson at the address or telephone number listed above.

Issued at Washington, DC on September 16, 1999.

Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. CP97-315-000, CP97-315-001, CP97-320-000, CP97-321-000, CP97-319-000, CP98-540-000]

Independence Pipeline Company; ANR Pipeline Company; Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of **Public Conference**

September 15, 1999.

Take notice that the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission will convene a public conference on September 29, 1999, in the above-captioned proceedings.

In these proceedings, Independence Pipeline Company, ANR Pipeline Company, and Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation have filed applications with the Commission to construct and operate extensive pipeline facilities. These applications, in turn, have sparked significant interest from the public and energy industry.

In light of the recent high level of interest in these proposals, the Commission will convene a conference in the above-captioned proceedings, to

allow the record to be supplemented to address the market need for the proposed project. The purpose of the conference is to provide an opportunity for parties to provide new information, not to restate positions or information already in the record. In addition, the Commission is particularly interested in hearing from elected officials concerning their analysis and views of the project.

The conference will be held in the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, in the Commission Meeting Room, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, starting at 1:00

p.m.

Any party wishing to participate in the conference should submit a written request to the Secretary of the Commission by September 21, 1999. The request should indicate the scope of the participants' planned remarks. Because of time constraints, parties with common interests are encouraged to designate a single speaker to represent their views. The Commission will review the requests and the requesters, and will select the participants in the conference based on the number of requests to speak and the issues to be addressed. Speakers that have audio/ visual requirements should contact Wanda Washington at (202) 208-1460.

Any written comments may be filed within 15 days after the conference.

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In addition, National Narrowcast Network's Hearing-On-The-Line service covers all FERC meetings live by telephone so that interested persons can listen at their desks, from their homes, or from any phone without special equipment. Billing is based on time online. Call (202) 966–2211. Anyone interested in purchasing videotapes of the meeting should also call VISCOM at (703) 715–7999.

All questions concerning the format of this conference should be directed to: Joel Arneson, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, (202) 208–2169.

By direction of the Commission.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. PL98-1-001]

Public Access to Information and Electronic Filing; Staff Notice of Pilot Project for Electronic Filing

September 15, 1999.

AGENCY: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of pilot project for electronic filing of documents.

SUMMARY: The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) notifies interested persons that, beginning on October 1, 1999, the Commission will conduct a Pilot Project that will allow selected participants in Commission proceedings to submit to the pilot specified categories of documents electronically. This pilot is intended to test the Commission's systems for receiving electronic filings in preparation for implementing electronic filing as the principal means of filing documents in its proceedings.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brooks Carter. Office of the Chief

Information Officer, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Room 42–29, Washington, DC 20426, (202) 501–8145, FAX: (202) 208–2425, E-Mail: brooks.carter@ferc.fed.us Wilbur Miller, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Room 91–17, Washington, DC 20426, (202) 208–0953, FAX: (202) 208–0056, E-Mail: wilbur.miller@ferc.fed.us

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From FERC's Home Page on the Internet, this information is available in both the Commission Issuance Posting System (CIPS) and the Records and Information Management System (RIMS).

—CIPS provides access to the texts of formal documents issued by the Commission since November 14, 1994. CIPS can be accessed using the CIPS link or the Energy Information Online icon. The full text of this document will be available on CIPS in ASCII and WordPerfect 8.0 format for viewing, printing, and/or downloading.

—RIMS contains images of documents submitted to and issued by the Commission after November 16, 1981. Documents from November 1995 to the present can be viewed and printed from FERC's Home Page using the RIMS link or the Energy Information Online icon. Descriptions of documents back to November 16, 1981, are also available from RIMS-on-the-Web; requests for copies of these and other older documents should be submitted to the Public Reference Room.

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Take notice that Commission Staff is seeking volunteers to participate in a Pilot Project for electronic filing of documents in Commission proceedings over the Internet. This Pilot Project will commence on October 1, 1999, and will continue until further notice by the Commission. Because this is a test of the electronic system, participants in the pilot will still be required to comply with existing filing requirements, by filing paper copies of documents in accordance with the Commission's existing regulations.

This pilot is part of the Commission Staff's effort to implement electronic filing. Eventually, Staff expects to recommend that the Commission require that all filings by regulated entities be made in electronic form, with limited exceptions. Participants in this pilot will have the opportunity not only to assist the Commission in making its determination on electronic filing, but to familiarize themselves with the process at an early stage of development. At the outset of the pilot only a few participants may be selected, but Commission Staff anticipates that the number of testers will be increased incrementally as more experience is gained with electronic filing. Staff will be particularly interested in working