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Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. RP99-322-000 and RP96-45-000]

Northern Border Pipeline Company; Notice of Informal Settlement Conference

December 8, 1999.

Take notice that an informal settlement conference will be convened in this proceeding on Monday, December 20, 1999, at 1:00 p.m., and continue through Tuesday, December 21, 1999, at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, for the purpose of exploring the possible settlement in the above-referenced dockets.

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 William J. Collins at (202) 208-

0248, or Joel M. Cockrell at (202) 208-1184.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-120-000]

Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 8, 1999.

Take notice that on December 1, 1999, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing changes in its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, proposed to be effective January 1, 2000:

50 Revised Sheet No. 50

50 Revised Sheet No. 51

46 Revised Sheet No. 53

Northern states that this filing establishes the System Balancing Agreement (SBA) cost recovery surcharge to be effective January 1, 2000 for the period January 1 through December 31, 2000.

Northern further states that copies of the filing have been mailed to each of its customers and interested State Commissions.

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Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-121-000]

Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 8, 1999.

Take notice that on December 1, 1999, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing in its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1 and Original Volume No. 2, the following tariff sheets proposed to be effective date of January 1, 2000:

Fifth Revised Volume No. 1

51 Revised Sheet No. 50

51 Revised Sheet No. 51

20 Revised Sheet No. 52

47 Revised Sheet No. 53

Original Volume No. 2

159 Revised Sheet No. 1C

36 Revised Sheet No. 1C.a

Northern states that the purpose of this filing is to set forth the approved 2000 Gas Research Institute (GRI) surcharges for the 2000 calendar year to be effective January 1, 2000 in accordance with the Commission's Order Approving The Gas Research Institute's Year 2000 Research, Development and Demonstration Program and 2000-2004 Five-Year Plan issued on September 29, 1999 in Docket No. RP99-323-000.

Northern further states that copies of the filing have been mailed to each of its customers and interested State Commissions.

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Linwood A. Waston, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP00-42-000]

Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

December 8, 1999.

Take notice that on December 3, 1999, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest) 295 Chipeta Way, Salt Lake City, Utah 84108, filed in Docket No. CP00-42-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.211 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.211) for authorization to construct and operate the new Basin Frozen Foods Meter Station, in Grant County, Washington, to provide deliveries to Basin Frozen Foods (Basin), a new end-user, under Northwest's Gas Act, 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> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

Specifically, Northwest proposes to construct and operate the new Basin Frozen Foods Meter Station adjacent to its existing Warden Meter Station at Milepost 24.49 on the Moses Lake Lateral in Grant County, Washington. Northwest states that the new meter station will consist of a 3-inch lateral tap, a 3-inch turbine meter and appurtenances with a design capacity of 3,567 Dth per day at 300 psig. Northwest states that Basin's estimated requirements for natural gas are up to 2,700 Dth per day. Northwest further states that the estimated cost to construct the Basin Frozen Foods Meter Station is approximately \$215,500, and that the actual cost associated with construction plus applicable income tax gross-up will be reimbursed by Basin.

Any questions regarding this application should be directed to Gary K. Kotter, Manager, Certificates at (801) 584-7117, P.O. Box 58900, Salt Lake City, Utah 84158.

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 of the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the date 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-115-000]

Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 8, 1999.

Take notice that on December 1, 1999, Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Company (Panhandle) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed on Appendix A to the filing, to become effective January 1, 2000.

Panhandle also states that this filing removes from its currently effective rates the Second Carryover GSR Settlement Interruptible Rae Component applicable to interruptible transportation service provided under Rate Schedules IT and EIT (Section 18.7). The Second Carryover GSR Settlement Interruptible Rate Component, which was established in Docket No. RP99-175-000, was approved by Commission letter order issued December 30, 1998, the Second GSR Settlement Carryover Period will terminate on December 31, 1999. Accordingly, as set forth in Appendix B herein, Panhandle proposes to remove the 1.11¢ per Dt. Second Carryover GSR Settlement Interruptible Rate Component applicable to Rate Schedules IT and EIT.

Panhandle states that copies of this filing are being served on all affected customers and applicable state regulatory agencies.

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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 Nos. ER99-3531-000 and ER99-4384-000]

Southern Company Services, Inc.; Notice of Informal Settlement Conference

December 8, 1999.

Take notice that an informal conference will be convened in this proceeding on Wednesday, December 15, 1999 at 11:00 a.m. and Thursday, December 16, 1999 at 10:00 a.m., for the purpose of exploring the possible settlement of the above-referenced docket. The conference will be held at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC, 20426.

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 Hollis J. Alpert at (202) 208-0783 or Theresa J. Burns at (202) 208-2160.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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