

the independent contractor performing the sampling and analyses of mercury for all the field tests. The minimum cost shares are twenty (20) percent and fifty (50) percent, depending on criteria described in the draft solicitation.

*Solicitation Release Date:* A draft of this Program Solicitation is available for comment on FETC's World Wide Web Server Internet System at <http://www.netl.doe.gov/business/solicit> until January 14, 2000. The final Program Solicitation is expected to be ready for release on or about January 28, 2000. Applications must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the instructions and forms contained in the Program Solicitation.

**Richard D. Rogus,**

*Contracting Officer, Acquisition and Assistance Division.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Environmental Management (EM) Site-Specific Advisory Board (SSAB), Fernald

**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), Fernald. 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:** Saturday, January 15, 2000: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

**ADDRESS:** The Plantation, 9660 Dry Fork Road, Harrison, Ohio

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Doug Sarno, Phoenix Environmental, 6186 Old Franconia Road, Alexandria, VA 22310, at (513) 648-6478

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

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

#### *Tentative Agenda:*

8:30 a.m.—Call to order  
 8:30–8:45 a.m.—Chair's Remarks and Announcements  
 8:45–9:00 a.m.—Year 2000 Activities and Priorities  
 9–10 a.m.—Silos Recommendation Discussion and Approval  
 10–10 a.m. Status of Fernald Remediation Programs  
 10:30–10:45 a.m.—Break  
 10:45–11:45 a.m.—Presentation on DOE Stewardship Activities

11:45–12 p.m.—Review of Stewardship Path Forward

12–12:15 p.m.—Public Comment

12:15–12:30 p.m.—Presentation of Core Values Award

12:30 p.m.—Adjourn

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board chair either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact the Board chair at the address or telephone number listed below. Requests must be received five days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer, Gary Stegner, Public Affairs Officer, Ohio Field Office, U.S. Department of Energy, 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 by writing to the Fernald Citizens' Advisory Board, C/O Phoenix Environmental Corporation, MS 76, Post Office Box 538704, Cincinnati, Ohio 45253-8704, or by calling the Advisory Board at (513) 648-6478.

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**Rachel Samuel,**

*Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Sandia

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM-SSAB), Kirtland Area Office (Sandia).

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 19, 2000: 6 p.m.-9 p.m. (MST).

**ADDRESS:** John Marshall Center for Family and Community Services, 1500 Walter Street, SE, Albuquerque, NM 87102, (505) 848-1324.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mike Zamorski, Acting Manager, Department of Energy Kirtland Area Office, P.O. Box 5400, MS-0184, Albuquerque, NM 87185 (505) 845-4094.

#### 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:*

6–6:15 p.m.—Check In/Minutes/Agenda Approval  
 6:15–7 p.m.—Class II Permit Modifications  
 7–7:15 p.m.—Public Comment  
 7:15–7:30 p.m.—Form Task Group for Class II Permit Modifications  
 7:30–7:45 p.m.—Break  
 7:45–8:15 p.m.—Overview of Upcoming Six Months and Form Task Group for Stewardship  
 8:15–8:30 p.m.—Form Existing Task Groups and Introduction of Potential New Members and Vote  
 8:30–8:45 p.m.—Task Group Reports and Coordinating Council Status  
 8:45–9 p.m.—Adjourn

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Mike Zamorski's office at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 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 5 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 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Mike Zamorski, Manager, Department of Energy Kirtland Area Office, P.O. Box 5400, MS-0184, Albuquerque, NM 87185, or by calling (505) 845-4094.

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**Rachel Samuel,**

*Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### National Study on Long-Term Stewardship Activities and Issues; Extension of Scoping Period

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy (DOE).

**ACTION:** Extension of scoping period for study on long-term stewardship.

**NOTICE:** Notice of extension of scoping period for national study on long-term stewardship.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Energy (DOE) is preparing a national study on long-term stewardship focusing on the institutional and programmatic issues facing the Department as it completes the environmental cleanup program at sites. This study is being prepared pursuant to the terms of a settlement agreement that resolved a lawsuit brought against DOE by the Natural Resources Defense Council and 38 other plaintiffs [*Natural Resources Defense Council, et al. v. Richardson, et al.*, Civ. No. 97-936 (SS) (D.D.C. Dec. 12, 1998)]. On October 6, 1999 (64 FR 54279), the Department published a notice in the **Federal Register** stating its intent to prepare a national study on long-term stewardship of DOE sites. Public comment is being sought pursuant to the terms of the settlement agreement, to provide DOE with input on priority issues that will be most useful to address in the study. In response to public comment, the Department is extending the formal scoping period for the national study on long-term stewardship and invites the general public, other Federal agencies, Native American Tribes, state and local governments, and all other interested parties to comment on the scope of the study.

**DATES:** The formal scoping period for the national study on long-term stewardship is extended from January 4, 2000 to February 3, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Scoping comments may be submitted in writing to: Steven Livingstone, Project Manager, U.S. Department of Energy, PO Box 45079, Washington, DC 20026-5079; or electronically at [www.em.doe.gov/lts](http://www.em.doe.gov/lts) or to [Steven.Livingstone@em.doe.gov](mailto:Steven.Livingstone@em.doe.gov); or by fax at 202-586-4314.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** James D. Werner, Program Director, or

Steven Livingstone, Project Manager, Office of Long-Term Stewardship (EM-51), Office of Environmental Management, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20585-0119, phone: 202-586-9280, fax: 202-586-4314.

Signed in Washington DC, this 22nd day of December, 1999.

**James D. Werner,**

*Director, Office of Long-term Stewardship, Office of Environmental Management.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-30-002]

#### ANR Pipeline Company; Notice of Filing

December 22, 1999.

Take notice that on December 13, 1999, in compliance with the Commission's November 23, 1999 order, ANR Pipeline Company, (ANR) tendered for filing supplemental information, pursuant to Section 154.202 of the Commission's regulations, in support of ANR's proposed new hourly flow transportation services under Rate Schedules FTS-3 and ITS-3.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a 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 on or before December 29, 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. 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. RP98-206-005]

#### Atlanta Gas Light Company; Notice of Technical Conference

December 22, 1999.

Take notice that a technical conference will be held on Wednesday, January 19, 2000, at 10:00 a.m. in a room to be designated at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

All interested parties and Staff are permitted to attend.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP95-408-032]

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

December 22, 1999.

Take notice that on December 15, 1999, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation (Columbia) tendered a filing pursuant to Article III, Section F, Sharing of Gains or Losses on Disposition of Gathering and Products Extraction Facilities, of Stipulation II in Docket No. RP95-408, et al., approved by the Commission on April 17, 1997 (79 FERC 61,044 (1997)). In accordance with this provision, Columbia is required to share with its customers the gain or loss on the sale of certain gathering and products extraction facilities to exceed the Sharing Threshold by \$1.496 million.

Columbia states further that copies of this filing have been mailed to all of its customers and affected state regulatory commissions.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., 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