

need to exercise eminent domain to obtain rights-of-way for the proposed project and balances that against the non-environmental benefits to be provided by the project. Therefore, if a person has comments on community and landowner impacts from this proposal, it is important to file comments or to intervene as early in the process as possible.

If the Commission decides to set the application for a formal hearing before an Administrative Law Judge, the Commission will issue another notice describing that process. At the end of the Commission's review process, a final Commission order approving or denying a certificate will be issued.

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

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP01-580-000]

#### Dauphin Island Gathering Partners; Notice of Tariff Filing and Charge Adjustment

September 7, 2001.

Take notice that on August 31, 2001, Dauphin Island Gathering Partners (DIGP) tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet, with an effective date of October 1, 2001:

Fourth Revised Sheet No. 6

DIGP states that this filing is submitted pursuant to Section 154.402(c) of the Commission's Regulations pursuant to FERC Order No. 472 in Docket No. RM87-3-000. DIGP states that it has revised Sheet No. 6 to reflect the ACA unit charge of \$0.0021 per Dekatherm as specified by the Commission.

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 on or before September 14, 2001. 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. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

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

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP01-440-000]

#### Dominion Transmission, Inc.; Notice of Application

September 10, 2001.

Take notice that on August 31, 2001, Dominion Transmission, Inc. (DTI), 445 West Main Street, Clarksburg, West Virginia, 26301, filed an application pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity, authorizing DTI to construct and operate a new storage well within the existing limits of DTI's Racket-Newberne Storage Reservoir (Racket) in Gilmer County, West Virginia. The application is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket #" and follow the instructions (please call (202) 208-2222 for assistance).

The well DTI seeks to construct and operate will be in the Racket reservoir in southern Troy District, Gilmer County, West Virginia, and is a replacement well for well 5003, which was plugged and abandoned in 1996. The well is expected to replace the deliverability lost from the abandonment of well 5003. Project costs are estimated to be \$572,534.

DTI also seeks specific and explicit certification of the existing Racket operations and facilities in order to remove any potential uncertainty due to the "grandfathered" status of this long existing storage field. The Racket reservoir was converted to storage operations in 1947.

Any questions regarding the application are to be directed to Sean R. Sleigh, Certificates Manager, Dominion Transmission, Inc., 445 West Main Street, Clarksburg, West Virginia 26301, at (304) 627-3462 or fax (304) 627-3305.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this project should, on or before October 1, 2001, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the NGA (18 CFR 157.10). A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties. A party must submit 14 copies of filings made with the Commission and must mail a copy to the applicant and to every other party in the proceeding. Only parties to the proceeding can ask for court review of Commission orders in the proceeding.

However, a person does not have to intervene in order to have comments considered. The second way to participate is by filing with the Secretary of the Commission, as soon as possible, an original and two copies of comments in support of or in opposition to this project. The Commission will consider these comments in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but the filing of a comment alone will not serve to make the filer a party to the proceeding. The Commission's rules require that persons filing comments in opposition to the project provide copies of their protests only to the party or parties directly involved in the protest.

Persons who wish to comment only on the environmental review of this project should submit an original and two copies of their comments to the Secretary of the Commission. Environmental commenters will be placed on the Commission's environmental mailing list, will receive copies of the environmental documents, and will be notified of meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process. Environmental commenters will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, the non-party commenters will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission (except for the mailing of

environmental documents issued by the Commission) and will not have the right to seek court review of the Commission's final order.

The Commission may issue a preliminary determination on non-environmental issues prior to the completion of its review of the environmental aspects of the project. This preliminary determination typically considers such issues as the need for the project and its economic effect on existing customers of the applicant, on other pipelines in the area, and on landowners and communities. For example, the Commission considers the extent to which the applicant may need to exercise eminent domain to obtain rights-of-way for the proposed project and balances that against the non-environmental benefits to be provided by the project. Therefore, if a person has comments on community and landowner impacts from this proposal, it is important either to file comments or to intervene as early in the process as possible.

Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

If the Commission decides to set the application for a formal hearing before an Administrative Law Judge, the Commission will issue another notice describing that process. At the end of the Commission's review process, a final Commission order approving or denying a certificate will be issued.

**David P. Boergers,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP01-586-000]

#### East Tennessee Natural Gas Company; Notice of Tariff Filing and Annual Charge Adjustment

September 7, 2001.

Take notice that on August 31, 2001, East Tennessee Natural Gas Company (East Tennessee) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, Twentieth Revised Sheet No. 4 to become effective on October 1, 2001.

East Tennessee states that the purpose of this filing is to implement the tracking of the ACA Unit Surcharge

authorized by the Commission to be applied to rates for the fiscal year 2002 for recovery of the Annual Charge for fiscal year 2001. East Tennessee states that the ACA Unit Surcharge authorized by the Commission for fiscal year 2002 is \$0.0021 per dth, which is a decrease of \$0.0001 per dth from the previous surcharge.

East Tennessee states that copies of this filing were served on all affected customers of East Tennessee 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. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**  
*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP01-581-000]

#### Eastern Shore Natural Gas Company; Notice of Tariff Filing and Annual Charge Adjustment

September 7, 2001.

Take notice that on August 31, 2001, Eastern Shore Natural Gas Company (Eastern Shore) tendered for filing its Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) filing proposed to be effective October 1, 2001.

Eastern Shore states that the revised tariff sheets are being filed pursuant to

Section 32 of the General Terms and Conditions of Eastern Shore's FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, to reflect a change of the ACA charge to \$0.0021 per dt (the currently effective ACA charge is \$0.0022 per dt) based on the Commission's Annual Charge Billing for Fiscal Year 2001.

Eastern Shore states that copies of its filing has been mailed to its 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, 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 on or before September 14, 2001. 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. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**  
*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP01-576-000]

#### El Paso Natural Gas Company; Notice of Tariff Filing and Annual Charge Adjustment

September 7, 2001.

Take notice that on August 31, 2001, El Paso Natural Gas Company (El Paso) tendered for filing and acceptance by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) the following tariff sheets to its FERC Gas Tariff to become effective October 1, 2001:

Second Revised Volume No. 1A  
Twenty-First Revised Sheet No. 20  
Twentieth Revised Sheet No. 23