

for Washington Water Power Company (Water Power) for redelivery to a new electrical plant built by the Public Utility District No. 1 of Clark County. It is also stated that Northwest Natural Gas Company protested the filing citing Northwest's failure to address impacts on firm service reliability and an interruption of the facilities reimbursement provision of Northwest's tariff. Northwest states that the protest was not withdrawn during the 30-day reconciliation period provided under 157.205(g) of the Commission's Regulations. It is indicated that, because of adverse cost impacts to be caused by a construction delay, Northwest, at the request of Water Power and Inland Pacific Energy Services, elected to construct the facilities under the auspices of Section 311 of the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978.

Northwest has amended its application to delete its request to construct the above-mentioned facilities. No other changes are proposed in Northwest's original application.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said petition to amend should on or before October 10, 1996, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest 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 Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.10). All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Lois D. Cashell,  
*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. CP96-775-000]**

**Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Application for Authorization To Abandon Facilities In-Place**

September 19, 1996.

Take notice that, on September 9, 1996, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest), 295 Chipeta Way, Salt Lake City, Utah 84108, filed an abbreviated application in Docket No. CP96-775-000, pursuant to section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act and §§ 157.7(a) and

157.18 of the Commission's Regulations, for authorization to abandon (in-place) approximately 4,525 feet of its 10-inch diameter South Seattle Lateral and adjacent 10-inch diameter lateral loop line, in King County, Washington, all as more fully set forth in the application, which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

In 1993, Northwest retired (in-place) and replaced a total of approximately 4,700 feet of the South Seattle Lateral and adjacent loop line. Northwest subsequently filed an application, in Docket No. CP96-501-000, for authorization to abandon, remove and replace the 175-foot segments of its South Seattle Lateral and adjacent loop line that crossed Madsen Creek. In an order issued August 7, 1996 (76 FERC ¶ 62,095), the Commission approved the abandonment of the two 175-foot pipeline segments and directed Northwest to file an application to abandon the remaining 4,525 feet of its South Seattle Lateral and adjacent loop line.

Northwest now proposes to abandon (in-place) the remaining 4,525 feet of retired and replaced South Seattle Lateral and adjacent loop line. Northwest states that, since no pipeline facilities will be removed, there will be no costs associated with the proposed abandonment. Northwest further states that, since the affected pipeline segments have already been replaced, no services will be abandoned as a result of this proposal. The subject pipeline segments are located in Sections 26 and 27, Township 23 North, Range 5 East, in King County, Washington.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protests with reference to said application should on or before October 10, 1996, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest 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 Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.10). All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to the jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by Sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas

Act and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a hearing will be held without further notice before the Commission or its designee on this application, if no motion to intervene is filed within the time required herein, or if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that permission and approval for the proposed abandonment are required by the public convenience and necessity. If a motion for leave to intervene is timely filed, or if the Commission on its own motion believes that a formal hearing is required, further notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Northwest to appear or be represented at the hearing.

Lois D. Cashell,  
*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP96-312-002]**

**Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

September 19, 1996.

Take notice that on September 16, 1996, Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company (Tennessee) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets, to be effective September 1, 1996:

Substitute Third Revised Sheet No. 98  
Substitute First Revised Sheet No. 109  
Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 128  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 128A  
Substitute Third Revised Sheet No. 154  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 154A  
Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 155E  
Substitute Third Revised Sheet No. 162  
Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 167  
Substitute Third Revised Sheet No. 168  
Substitute Third Revised Sheet No. 173  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 173A  
Substitute First Revised Sheet No. 219  
Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 226  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 226A  
First Revised Sheet No. 405A  
First Revised Sheet No. 405B  
First Revised Sheet No. 405C

Tennessee states that the revised tariff sheets are being submitted to comply with the Commission's August 30, 1996 order in this proceeding.

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 18 CFR 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 proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference room.

Lois D. Cashell,  
Secretary.

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**[Docket No. CP96-783-000]**

**Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization**

September 19, 1996.

Take notice that on September 12, 1996, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin), 200 North Third Street, Suite 300, Bismarck, North Dakota 58501, filed in Docket No. CP96-783-000, a request pursuant to §§ 157.205 and 157.211 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205 and 157.211) for authorization to construct and operate metering and appurtenant facilities in Slope County, North Dakota, to be used as a back-up fuel source to Bear Paw Energy, Inc. (Bear Paw). Williston Basin makes such request, pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Specifically, Williston Basin proposes to construct and operate a meter, valves, and piping, within a receipt point metering station that was authorized under Section 2.55(d) of the Commission's Regulations, to allow Williston Basin to make deliveries of up to 2,000 equivalent Dt of natural gas per day to Bear Paw, for Bear Paw's use as a back-up or emergency source of fuel for its field compression facilities. Williston Basin indicates that it will transport the volumes to Bear Paw, under the applicable provisions of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1.

It is stated that the addition of the proposed facilities will have no significant effect on Williston Basin's peak day or annual requirements, and that the volumes to be delivered are within the certificated entitlements of the customer. The project is estimated to cost approximately \$23,000 and Williston Basin states that Bear Paw will reimburse Williston Basin for said project cost.

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 § 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day 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.

Lois D. Cashell,  
Secretary.

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**[Docket No. ER95-634-003, et al.]**

**Florida Power Corporation, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings**

September 18, 1996.

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

**1. Florida Power Corporation**

[Docket No. ER95-634-003]

Take notice that on September 3, 1996, Florida Power Corporation tendered for filing its refund report in compliance with the Commission's July 19, 1996, order in this proceeding.

*Comment date:* October 2, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**2. Vitrol Gas & Electric, L.L.C., Citizens Lehman Power Sales, Wickford Energy Marketing, Energy Resource Management Corp., International Utility Consultants Inc., NFR Power Inc.**

[Docket Nos. ER94-155-014, ER94-1685-008, ER95-1415-001, ER96-358-001, ER96-594-002, ER96-1122-001, (not consolidated)]

Take notice that the following informational filings have been made with the Commission and are on file and available for public inspection and copying in the Commission's Public Reference Room:

On August 19, 1996, Vitrol Gas & Electric, L.L.C. filed certain information as required by the Commission's January 14, 1994 order in Docket No. ER94-155-000.

On August 22, 1996, Citizens Lehman Power Sales filed certain information as

required by the Commission's February 2, 1995 order in Docket No. ER94-1685-000.

On August 28, 1996, Wickford Energy Marketing filed certain information as required by the Commission's October 25, 1995 order in Docket No. ER94-1415-000.

On September 3, 1996, Energy Resource Management Corp. filed certain information as required by the Commission's December 20, 1995 order in Docket No. ER96-358-000.

On August 19, 1996, International Utility Consultants Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's February 9, 1996 order in Docket No. ER96-594-000.

On August 28, 1996, NFR Power Inc. filed certain information as required by the Commission's April 2, 1996 order in Docket No. ER96-1121-000.

**3. Florida Power Corporation**

[Docket No. ER95-941-001]

Take notice that on September 3, 1996, Florida Power Corporation tendered for filing its refund report in the above-referenced docket.

*Comment date:* October 2, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**4. Western Resources, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER96-2407-000]

Take notice that on September 11, 1996, Western Resources, Inc. (Western Resources) on behalf of Kansas Gas and Electric Company (KGE) tendered for filing an amendment to Western Resources, July 15, 1996, filing in this docket consisting of a revised short-term participation power service agreement between KGE and the City of Girard, Kansas. The agreement is proposed to be effective July 1, 1996 through October 31, 1996.

Western Resources states that the revision is to clarify the transmission service pricing that is associated with the participation power service.

Copies of the filing were served upon the City of Girard, Kansas and Kansas Corporation Commission.

*Comment date:* October 2, 1996, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**5. Northeast Utilities Service Company**

[Docket No. ER96-2413-000]

Take notice that on September 11, 1996, Northeast Utilities Service Company (NUSCO), on behalf of the Northeast Utilities Companies (The Connecticut Light and Power Company, Western Massachusetts Electric Company, Holyoke Water Power Company, and Holyoke Power and