

Dated: September 19, 1996.

John Pourmoradi,  
President, Four Seasons General  
Merchandise, Inc., 2801 E. Vernon Avenue,  
Vernon, CA 90058.  
Commission Staff  
David Schmeltzer,  
Assistant Executive Director, Office of  
Compliance and Enforcement.  
Eric L. Stone,  
Acting Director, Division of Administrative  
Litigation, Office of Compliance and  
Enforcement.

Dated: September 25, 1996.

Earl A. Gershenow,  
Trial Attorney, Division of Administrative  
Litigation, Office of Compliance and  
Enforcement.

Dated: September 25, 1996.

Dennis C. Kacoyanis,  
Trial Attorney, Division of Administrative  
Litigation, Office of Compliance and  
Enforcement.

#### Consumer Product Safety Commission Order

In the Matter of FOUR SEASONS  
GENERAL MERCHANDISE, INC. a  
corporation. [CPSC Docket No. 97-C0003].

Upon consideration of the Settlement  
Agreement entered into between  
respondent Four Seasons General  
Merchandise, Inc., a corporation, and  
the staff of the Consumer Product Safety  
Commission; and the Commission  
having jurisdiction over the subject  
matter and Four Seasons General  
Merchandise, Inc.; and it appearing that  
the Settlement Agreement and Order is  
in the public interest, it is

*Ordered*, That the Settlement  
Agreement and Order be and hereby is  
accepted, as indicated below; and is

*Further Ordered*, That upon final  
acceptance of the Settlement Agreement  
and Order, Four Seasons General  
Merchandise, Inc. shall pay to the  
Commission a civil penalty in the  
amount of ONE HUNDRED AND TEN  
THOUSAND AND 00/100 DOLLARS  
(\$110,000.00) in four payments  
consisting of TWENTY-SEVEN  
THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED AND 00/  
100 DOLLARS (\$27,500.00) each. The  
first payment of TWENTY-SEVEN  
THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED AND 00/  
100 DOLLARS (\$27,500.00) shall be due  
within twenty (20) days after the service  
of the Final Order accepting the  
Settlement Agreement and Order  
(hereinafter the anniversary date). The  
second payment of TWENTY-SEVEN  
THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED AND 00/  
100 DOLLARS (\$27,500.00) shall be  
paid within one year of the anniversary  
date. The third payment of TWENTY-  
SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED  
AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$27,500.00)

shall be paid within two years of the  
anniversary date. The fourth payment of  
TWENTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE  
HUNDRED AND 00/100 DOLLARS  
(\$27,500.00) shall be paid within three  
years of the anniversary date. Payment  
of the full amount of the civil penalty  
shall settle fully the staff's allegations  
set forth in paragraphs 4 through 37 of  
the Settlement Agreement and Order  
that Four Seasons General Merchandise,  
Inc. violated the FHSA. Upon failure of  
Four Seasons General Merchandise, Inc.  
to make payment or upon the making of  
a late payment by Four Seasons General  
Merchandise, Inc. (a) the entire amount  
of the civil penalty shall be due and  
payable, and (b) interest on the  
outstanding balance shall accrue and be  
paid at the federal legal rate under the  
provisions of 28 U.S.C. §§ 1961 (a) and  
(b).

Provisionally accepted and Provisional  
Order issued on the 30th day of October,  
1996.

By Order of the Commission.

Sadye E. Dunn,  
Secretary, Consumer Product Safety  
Commission.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army

#### Army Science Board; Notice of Open Meeting

In accordance with Section 10(a)(2) of  
the Federal Advisory Committee Act  
(P.L. 92-463), announcement is made of  
the following Committee Meeting:

*Name of Committee:* Army Science Board  
(ASB).

*Date of Meeting:* 6 & 7 November 1996.

*Time of Meeting:* 0900-1600, (both days).

*Place:* Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD.

*Agenda:* The Army Science Board (ASB)  
Issue Group Study on "Groundwater  
Treatment Systems (GWTS)" will review the  
Army's remedial alternative selection  
decision process for GWTS, and visit a  
groundwater technology site. These meetings  
will be open to the public. Any interested  
person may attend, appear before, or file  
statements with the committee at the time  
and in the manner permitted by the  
committee. For further information, please  
call Michelle Diaz at (703) 695-0781.

Michelle P. Diaz,

Program Support Specialist, Army Science  
Board.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Energy Information Administration

#### American Statistical Association Committee on Energy Statistics; Notice of Open Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the  
Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public  
Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770), notice is  
hereby given of the following meeting:

*Name:* American Statistical Association's  
Committee on Energy Statistics, a utilized  
Federal Advisory Committee.

*Date and Time:* Thursday, November 7,  
9:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.; Friday, November 8,  
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

*Place:* Holiday Inn-Capitol, 550 C Street,  
S.W., Washington, DC.

*Contact:* Ms. Renee Miller, EIA Committee  
Liaison, U.S. Department of Energy, Energy  
Information Administration, EI-72,  
Washington, DC 20585, Telephone: (202)  
426-1117.

*Purpose of Committee:* To advise the  
Department of Energy, Energy Information  
Administration (EIA), on EIA technical  
statistical issues and to enable the EIA to  
benefit from the Committee's expertise  
concerning other energy statistical matters.

#### Tentative Agenda

Thursday, November 7, 1996

A. Opening Remarks

B. Major Topics

1. Restructuring the Electric Power  
Industry
2. Time Series for the Value of In-ground  
US Oil and Gas Reserves
3. Impact of Federal Tax Increase on State  
Gasoline Tax Revenues  
(Public Comment)

Friday, November 8, 1996

4. Statistical Maps

5. Business Re-engineering  
Implementation: An Update and  
Performance Measures/Statistics

6. An Update for the Natural Gas Data  
Collection on Industrial Prices  
(Public Comment)

C. Topics for Future Meetings

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open  
to the public. The Chairperson of the  
committee is empowered to conduct the  
meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the  
orderly conduct of business. Written  
statements may be filed with the committee  
either before or after the meeting. If there are  
any questions, please contact Ms. Renee  
Miller, EIA Committee Liaison, at the address  
or telephone number listed above or Mrs.  
Antoinette Martin at (202) 426-1110. This  
notice is being published less than 15 days  
before the date of the meeting due to  
programmatic issues that had to be resolved  
prior to publication.

*Transcripts:* Available for public review  
and copying at the Public Reading Room,  
(Room 1E-290), 1000 Independence Avenue,  
SW, Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-6025,  
between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.,  
Monday through Friday.

Issued at Washington, DC on October 30, 1996.

Rachel M. Samuel,  
Acting Deputy Advisory Committee  
Management Officer.

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## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP97-64-000]

### ANR Pipeline Company; Notice of Application

October 29, 1996.

Take notice that on October 24, 1996, ANR Pipeline Company (ANR), 500 Renaissance Center, Detroit, Michigan 48243, filed in Docket No. CP97-64-000 an application pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act, for authority to abandon by transfer to ANR Field Services Company (ANR Field Services), its affiliate, certain gathering facilities located in the states of Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

ANR states that in Docket No. CP96-186-000, it had proposed to spindown certain facilities, mainly in its Southwest gathering area, to ANR Field Services. ANR also proposed to refunctionalize certain facilities as transmission and to retain such facilities as part of its system. ANR notes that in an order issued August 2, 1996,<sup>1</sup> the Commission approved the proposed spindown and approved in part, and denied, in part, the proposed refunctionalization. Since the Commission denied part of the refunctionalization request, certain facilities remain classified as gathering. Inasmuch as ANR seeks to terminate its gathering activities in the Southwest area, ANR proposes to abandon by transfer to ANR Field Services, all those facilities for which refunctionalization was denied in the August 2, 1996, order. Collectively, it is stated that the facilities proposed to be transferred include 161 miles of pipeline ranging in size from 2-inch to 12-inch together with meters and recording equipment at 113 locations. ANR states that the net book value of the facilities proposed to be abandoned as of December 31, 1995, was \$2.4 million.

ANR states that it will file, as required, any notice of termination of the services pursuant to Section 4 of the Natural Gas Act upon receipt of the authorization requested herein. Upon

transfer of facilities, ANR states it will provide service to ANR's then-existing customers who desire such service pursuant to either negotiated agreements or the default agreement which was approved, with certain modifications, in the August 2, 1996, order.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before November 5, 1996, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 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 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, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that approval for the proposed abandonment is 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 ANR to appear or be represented at the hearing.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Docket No. RP97-43-000]

### Koch Gateway Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

October 29, 1996.

Take notice that on October 24, 1996, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company

(Koch) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, to become effective December 1, 1996.

Fifth Revised Volume No. 1  
Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 20  
Fourteenth Revised Sheet No. 21  
Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 22  
Ninth Revised Sheet No. 23  
Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 24

Koch states that the revised tariff sheets are being filed to revise its currently effective rates. Koch states that the proposed changes would increase revenues from jurisdictional service by \$1,986,734 based on the 12-month period ending June 30, 1996, as adjusted. The rates are being adjusted to reflect the elimination of excess accumulated deferred income taxes and the corresponding amortization for Koch's rate base and cost of service.

Koch also states that copies of the filing are being served upon all its customers, State Commissions, and other interested parties.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's rules and regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed as provided by 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. Any person wishing to become a part 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.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Docket No. RP95-185-017]

### Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

October 29, 1996.

Take notice that on October 25, 1996, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing to become part of Northern's FERC Gas Tariff, the tariff sheets listed on Exhibit A, to the filing.

On March 15, 1996, Northern filed a proposed Stipulation and Agreement of Settlement (Settlement) which would resolve all outstanding issues regarding Northern's rate case filing in Docket No.

<sup>1</sup> 76 FERC ¶ 61,153 (1996).