

operational flexibility as well as reducing construction and installation costs. Northern estimates that the reduction in construction costs would amount to more than one million dollars. Northern asserts that this modification would not change the design flow or capacity from that proposed in its original application.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said petition to amend should on or before March 15, 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 384.214 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

*Acting Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP96-163-000]**

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

Take notice that on March 1, 1996, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing changes in its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1.

Northern states that the filing revises the current Stranded Account No. 858 and Stranded Account No. 858-Reverse Auction surcharges, which are designed to recover costs incurred by Northern related to its contracts with third-party pipelines. Therefore, Northern has filed Twenty First Revised Sheet Nos. 50 and 51 to be effective April 1, 1996.

Northern states that copies of this filing were served upon the Company's customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 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 in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. All protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken in this proceeding, but will not serve to make protestant a party 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 inspection.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

*Acting Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP96-164-000]**

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

March 5, 1996.

Take notice that on March 1, 1996, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing changes in its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1.

Northern states that the filing revises the current GSR surcharge which is designed to recover Northern's gas supply realignment costs. Therefore, Northern has filed the Twentieth Revised Sheet Nos. 50 and 51 to revise the GSR surcharge, effective April 1, 1996.

Northern states that copies of this filing were served upon the Company's customers and interested State Commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C., 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 in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. All protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken in this proceeding, but will not serve to make protestant a party 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 inspection.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

*Acting Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. TM96-3-37-000]**

**Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

March 5, 1996.

Take notice that on March 1, 1996, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff the following tariff sheets, to become effective April 1, 1996:

Third Revised Volume No. 1

Fifth Revised Sheet No. 14

Original Volume No. 2

Seventeenth Revised Sheet No. 2.1

Northwest states that the purpose of this filing is to propose new fuel use requirements factors ("Factors") for Northwest's transportation and storage rate schedules. The Factors are determined each year to become effective April 1 pursuant to Section 14.12 of the General Terms and Conditions contained in Northwest's FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, and pursuant to section 5 of Sheet No. 2.1 in Northwest's FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2.

Northwest states that Fifth Revised Sheet No. 14 of Third Revised Volume No. 1 and Seventeenth Revised Sheet No. 2.1 of Original Volume No. 2 propose a Factor of 1.58% for transportation service rate schedules TF-1, TF-2, TI-1, T-1 and for all transportation service rate schedules contained in Original Volume No. 2 of Northwest's FERC Gas Tariff.

Northwest also states that Fifth Revised Sheet No. 14 proposes a Factor of 1.51% for service at the Jackson Prairie Storage Project under Rate Schedules SGS-1, SGS-2F and SGS-2I. This tariff sheet also revises the Factor for the Plymouth LNG Facility storage service to 1.88% for Rate Schedules LS-1, LS-2F and LS-2I.

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

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

*Acting Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP96-166-000]**

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

March 5, 1996.

Take notice that on March 1, 1996, Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line 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 April 1, 1996.

Panhandle states that this filing removes from Panhandle's currently effective rates the Additional Take-or-Pay Volumetric Surcharge established by Section 18.10 of the General Terms and Conditions of Panhandle's tariff which was the subject of Panhandle's filing in Docket No. RP94-153-000. The current volumetric surcharge and the provisions of Section 18.10 were established in a Stipulation and Agreement (Settlement) dated July 19, 1994 which the Commission approved in orders dated September 22, 1994, 68 FERC ¶ 61,353 (1994), and December 22, 1994, 69 FERC ¶ 61,383 (1994). Section 18.10(b)(4) provides for an initial Recovery Period which commenced on April 1, 1994 and will terminate on March 31, 1996. Accordingly, Panhandle is now proposing to remove 0.19¢ from the current 1.19¢ TOP Volumetric Surcharge, thus reducing the surcharge to 1.00¢.

Panhandle further states that Section 18.10 (g) of the General Terms and Conditions provides for a Reconciliation Recovery Period if it is determined that Panhandle has not fully recovered the Additional Take-or-Pay Settlement Costs at the conclusion of the initial 24-month recovery period. A Volumetric Surcharge is to be re-established during the Reconciliation Recovery Period to recover any such deficiency. Currently, Panhandle projects that an unrecovered balance will exist at March 31, 1996. Accordingly, pursuant to Section 18.10 (b)(4) of the General Terms and Conditions of Panhandle's tariff, Panhandle expects to file on or before May 1, 1996, supporting workpapers and tariff sheets to implement a new surcharge to be effective June 1, 1996 for the twelve month Reconciliation Recovery Period.

Panhandle states that in accordance with Section 154.2(d) of the Commission's regulations a copy of this filing. In addition, copies of this filing are being served on all affected customers and applicable state regulatory agencies.

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, N.E., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or 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. 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

*Acting Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. TM96-4-28-000]**

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

March 5, 1996.

Take notice that on March 1, 1996, Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line 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 April 1, 1996.

Panhandle states that this filing is made in accordance with Section 24 (Fuel Reimbursement Adjustment) of the General Terms and Conditions in Panhandle's FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1. The revised tariff sheets filed herewith reflect the following changes to the Fuel Reimbursement Percentages:

- (1) a 0.07% increase in the Gathering Fuel Reimbursement Percentage;
- (2) A (0.44%) decrease in the Field Zone Fuel Reimbursement Percentage;
- (3) a (0.01%) decrease in the Market Zone Fuel Reimbursement Percentage;
- (4) No change in the Field Area Storage Reimbursement Percentages; and
- (5) No change in the Market Area Storage Fuel Reimbursement Percentages.

Panhandle further states that it has included detailed computations which

show the projected amount of fuel usage and lost and unaccounted for gas that will be required for the projected transportation and storage volumes provided for under Panhandle's transportation and storage Rate Schedules effective April 1, 1996.

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

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this 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 18 CFR 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or 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. 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

*Acting Secretary.*

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**Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of GSR Cost Recovery Filing**

March 5, 1996.

Take notice that on February 27, 1996, Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Seventh Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets with the proposed effective date of April 1, 1996.

Tariff Sheets Applicable to Contesting Parties

Eighth Revised Sheet No. 14  
Thirtieth Revised Sheet No. 15  
Eighth Revised Sheet No. 16  
Thirtieth Revised Sheet No. 17  
Eighteenth Revised Sheet No. 18  
Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 29  
Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 30  
Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 31

Tariff Sheets Applicable to Supporting Parties

Second Revised Sheet No. 14A  
Ninth Revised Sheet No. 15A  
Second Revised Sheet No. 16A  
Ninth Revised Sheet No. 17A

Southern sets forth in the filing its revised demand surcharges and revised