

WAI common shares, such that the ONEOK shareholders will own not less than 55 percent (55%) of the WAI outstanding equity. The Applicants state that, immediately following the transfer transaction, Western will own up to 9.9 percent (9.9%) of the outstanding WAI common stock and, together with the WAI preferred stock, up to 45 percent of the WAI outstanding equity. The applicants add that WAI will assume all of the debts of ONEOK as part of the transfer transaction, and that WAI will change its name to ONEOK, Inc. after the transfer transaction closes. Accordingly, the Applicants request that the Commission issue the certificate to WAI in the name of ONEOK, Inc.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before June 2, 1997, 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 party 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 and a grant of the requested certificate 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 the Applicants to appear or be represented at the hearing.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP95-136-007]

#### Williams Natural Gas Company; Notice of Report of Refunds

May 12, 1997.

Take notice that on April 15, 1997, Williams Natural Gas Company (WNG) tendered for filing a refund report pursuant to the November 27, 1997, Stipulation and Agreement in Docket No. RP95-136.

WGN states that a copy of its filing was served on all participants listed on the service list maintained by the Commission in the docket referenced above and on all of WNG's jurisdictional customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to protest said 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 Regulations. All such protests should be filed on or before May 19, 1997. 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.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-215-002]

#### Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

May 12, 1997.

Take notice that on May 7, 1997, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1 the revised tariff sheets to the filing, to become effective February 1, 1997.

Williston Basin states that the revised tariff sheets reflect a revision to its current electric fuel reimbursement provision outlined in Section 38 of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1. In implementing its newly approved provision, Williston Basin discovered that the conversion factor proposed to be utilized to determine the level of dekatherm quantities of electric power purchased is flawed and consequently will not keep the Company and its shippers whole for the recovery of electric compressor fuel costs. Williston Basin is now proposing to simply utilize the cost of electric power purchased for use in the operation of its compressors as the basis for developing the appropriate reimbursement rates.

Any person desiring to protest said 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 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 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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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Office of Hearings and Appeals

#### Cases Filed During the Week of April 7 Through April 11, 1997

During the Week of April 7 through April 11, 1997, the appeals, applications, petitions or other requests listed in this Notice were filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals of the Department of Energy.

Any person who will be aggrieved by the DOE action sought in any of these cases may file written comments on the application within ten days of publication of this Notice or the date of receipt of actual notice, whichever occurs first. All such comments shall be filed with the Office of Hearings and

Appeals, Department of Energy,  
Washington, D.C. 20585-0107.

Dated: May 7, 1997.  
**George B. Breznay,**  
*Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals.*

LIST OF CASES RECEIVED BY THE OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS  
[Week of April 7 Through April 11, 1997]

Date	Name and location of applicant	Case no.	Type of submission
4/7/97 .....	Alfred G. Bell, Oak Ridge, Tennessee .....	VFA-0286	Appeal of an Information Request Denial. If Granted: The March 24, 1997 Freedom of Information Request Denial issued by Oak Ridge Operations Office would be rescinded, and Alfred G. Bell would receive access to certain DOE information.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**  
**Office of Hearings and Appeals**

**Cases Filed During the Week of March 31 Through April 4, 1997**

During the Week of March 31 through April 4, 1997, the appeals, applications,

petitions or other requests listed in this Notice were filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals of the Department of Energy.

Any person who will be aggrieved by the DOE action sought in any of these cases may file written comments on the application within ten days of publication of this Notice or the date of receipt of actual notice, whichever occurs first. All such comments shall be filed with the Office of Hearings and

Appeals, Department of Energy,  
Washington, D.C. 20585-0107.

Dated: May 7, 1997.  
**George B. Breznay,**  
*Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals.*

LIST OF CASES RECEIVED BY THE OFFICE OF HEARINGS AND APPEALS  
[Week of March 31 through April 4, 1997]

Date	Name and location of applicant	Case No.	Type of submission
Dec. 2, 1996 .....	Florence County Cooperative, Stephenson, Michigan.	RR272-290	Request for modification/rescission in the Crude Oil Refund Proceeding. If granted: The November 20, 1996 Dismissal Case No. RG272-730 issued to Florence County Cooperative would be modified regarding the firm's application for refund submitted in the Crude Oil refund proceeding.
March 31, 1997 .....	National Steel Corp., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.	VEG-0003	Petition for special redress. If granted: The Office of Hearings and Appeals would review the National Steel Corp. request for a Crude Oil refund.
.....	Personnel Security Hearing .....	VSO-0150	Request for hearing under 10 CFR part 710. If granted: An individual employed by the Department of Energy would receive a hearing under 10 CFR Part 710.
.....	Personnel Security Hearing .....	VSO-0151	Request for hearing under 10 CFR part 710. If granted: An individual employed by the Department of Energy would receive a hearing under 10 CFR Part 710.
Apr. 1, 1997 .....	Personnel Security Review .....	VSA-0114	Request for review of opinion under 10 CFR part 710. If granted: The March 5, 1997 Opinion of the Office of Hearings and Appeals in Case No. VSO-0114 would be reviewed at the request of an individual employed by the Department of Energy.
Apr. 2, 1997 .....	Personnel Security Hearing .....	VSO-0152	Request for hearing under 10 CFR part 710. If granted: An individual employed by the Department of Energy would receive a hearing under 10 CFR Part 710.
Apr. 3, 1997 .....	Burns Concrete, Inc., Idaho Falls, Idaho	VFA-0284	Appeal of an information request denial. If granted: The January 30, 1997 Freedom of Information Request Denial issued by the Pittsburgh Naval Reactors Office would be rescinded, and Burns Concrete, Inc. would receive access to certain Doe information.
Apr. 4, 1997 .....	Natural Resources Defense Council, Washington, D.C..	VFA-0285	Appeal of an information request denial. If granted: The March 19, 1997 Freedom of Information Request Denial issued by the Office of the Executive Secretariat would be rescinded, and Natural Resources Defense Council would receive access to certain DOE information.