and 157.211(a)(2)) for authorization under Granite State's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82–515–000 pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, to construct and operate new metering and associated appurtenant facilities for use in providing deliveries of transportation gas to a new bakery owned and operated by J.J. Nissen, Inc. (Nissen), in Biddeford, Maine, all as more fully set forth in the request which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Granite State indicates that Nissen, a large commercial bakery, is constructing a new plant adjacent to Granite State's pipeline in Biddeford, Maine. Granite State has an existing delivery point for deliveries for the account of Northern Utilities, Inc., at the Biddeford Industrial Park. The new delivery point will be constructed next to the existing delivery point in Granite State's existing right-of-way. The facility will include a 4-inch turbine meter, two 2-inch Fisher regulators, a 4-inch Safeco filter and miscellaneous piping and fencing.

According to Granite State, the estimated cost of the new delivery point is \$74,900, which will be reimbursed by Nissen. Granite State further states that it will provide interruptible transportation for deliveries to Nissen at the new delivery; maximum daily deliveries are estimated to be 500 Dth. Granite State states that the construction and operation of the new delivery point is not prohibited by its tariff and that the interruptible transportation service for Nissen will not adversely affect Granite State's ability to provide its maximum daily delivery obligations for its firm transportation shippers.

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 Section 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 If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of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.

### Linwood A. Watson Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP98-97-000]

# Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership; Notice of Application

November 26, 1997.

Take notice that on November 19, 1997, Great Lakes Gas Transmission Company Limited Partnership (Great Lakes), One Woodward Avenue, Suite 1600, Detroit, Michigan 48226, filed in Docket No. CP98–97–000 under Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act, for authority to construct and operate 3.9 miles of 36-inch loop pipeline in Kittson and Itasca Counties, Minnesota, along with a side tap in St. Louis County, Minnesota, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Great Lakes states that the estimated cost of the proposed facilities is \$8,597,000 and that they will be used to transport 6,000 dekatherms per day (dth/d) for the City of Duluth, Minnesota (Duluth) and 500 dth/d for Northwest Natural of Cass County, Inc. (Northwest). Great Lakes states that its agreement with Northwest provides for firm transportation between the Canadian border near St. Vincent, Minnesota (Emerson interconnect) and Great Lake's Carlton, Minnesota delivery point. Great Lake's agreement with Duluth provides for firm transportation between the Emerson interconnect and either the Carloton delivery point or the new line tap to be located in St. Louis County, Minnesota. Great Lakes proposes to place the facilities in service on November 1,

Any person desiring to participate in the hearing process or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before December 17, 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 parties to the proceeding. The Commission's rules require that protestors provide copies of their protests to the party or parties directly involved. 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.

A person obtaining intervenor 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 every one of the intervenors. An intervenor can file for rehearing of any Commission order and can petition for court review of any such order. However, an intervenor must submit copies of comments or any other filing it makes with the Commission to every other intervenor in the proceeding, as well as 14 copies with the Commission.

A person does not have to intervene, however, in order to have comments considered. A person, instead, may submit two copies of comments to the Secretary of the Commission. Commenters will be placed on the Commission's environmental mailing list, will receive copies of environmental documents and will be able to participate in meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process. Commenters will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, commenters will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission and will not have the right to seek rehearing or appeal the Commission's final order to a federal

The Commission will consider all comments and concerns equally, whether filed by commenters or those requesting intervenor status.

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, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that a grant of the certificate 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 Great Lakes to appear or be represented at the hearing.

#### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER97-1827-001]

# Illinois Power Company; Notice of Filing

November 26, 1997.

Take notice that on November 14, 1997, Illinois Power Company ("Illinois Power"), filed an amendment to its compliance filing in the abovecaptioned docket.

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 Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests must be filed on or before December 9, 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 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.

## Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-373-005]

### Koch Gateway Pipeline Company; Notice of Filing

November 26, 1997.

Take notice that on November 21, 1997, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company (Koch) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, certain revised tariff sheets, to become effective December 1, 1997:

Koch states that the above referenced tariff sheets are being filed to move into effect the revised rates, pursuant to the

Commission's directives in this proceeding.

Koch also states that it has served copies of the instant filing upon each affected customer, interested state commission's and other parties.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's rules and regulations. All such 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. 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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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

#### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP95-175-006]

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

November 26, 1997.

Take notice that on November 24, 1997, Mojave Pipeline Company (Mojave) tendered for filing a compliance filing pursuant to the Commission's Order on Initial Decision issued November 3, 1997 in this proceeding.

Mojave states that the filing contains workpapers demonstrating that the calculation of the adjusted cost of service in compliance with the order results in rates higher than the currently effective tariff rates.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests should 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.

#### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP98-57-000]

### Northern Border Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

November 26, 1997.

Take notice that on November 21, 1997, Northern Border Pipeline Company (Northern Border) tendered for filing to become part of Northern Border Pipeline Company's FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets to become effective January 1, 1998:

Twelfth Revised Sheet Number 156 Eleventh Revised Sheet Number 157

Northern Border proposes to decrease the Maximum Rate from 3.744 cents per 100 Dekatherm-Miles to 3.735 cents per 100 Dekatherm-Miles and to decrease the Minimum Revenue Credit from 2.279 cents per 100 Dekatherm-Miles to 1.616 cents per 100 Dekatherm-Miles. The revised Maximum Rate and Minimum Revenue Credit are being filed in accordance with Northern Border's Tariff provisions under Rate Schedule IT-1.

The herein proposed changes do not result in a change in Northern Border's total revenue requirement.

Northern Border states that copies of this filing have been sent to all of Northern Border's contracted shippers and interested state regulatory commissions.

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 Section 385.214 and Section 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 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