the Council. Notice of this meeting is required under Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act and is intended to notify the public of their opportunity to attend.

DATES AND TIMES: January 20–21, 1998, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

ADDRESS: U.S. Department of Education, Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, 1250 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 4001, Washington, D.C. 20202.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. David Beaulieu, Director, Office of Indian Education, 1250 Maryland Avenue, Portals 4300, Washington, DC 20202. Telephone: (202) 260–2431; Fax: (202) 260–7779.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Advisory Council on Indian Education is a Presidentially appointed advisory council on Indian education established under Section 9151 of Title IX of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended, (20 U.S.C. 7871). The Council advises the Secretary of Education and the Congress on funding and administration of programs with respect to which the Secretary has jurisdiction and that includes Indian children and adults as participants or from which they benefit. The Council also makes recommendations to the Secretary for filling the position of Director of Indian Education whenever a vacancy occurs.

This meeting will be open to the public without advanced registration. Public attendance may be limited to the space available. Members of the public may make statements during the meeting, to the extent time permits, and file written statements with the Committee for its consideration. Written statements should be submitted to the address listed above.

A summary of the proceedings and related matters which are informative to the public consistent with the policy of Title 5 U.S.C. 552b will be available to the public within fourteen days of the meeting, and are available for public inspection at the Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, U.S. Department of Education, 1250 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20202 from the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Gerald N. Tirozzi,

Assistant Secretary, Office of Elementary and Secondary Education.

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, January 20, 1998
8:00 a.m.
Call to Order
Roll Call of Membership (Establish
Quorum, Introductions, Invocation
8:30 a.m.

Discussion: Setting NACIE Priorities, Office of Indian Education, National Indian Education Policy Statement Executive Order

12:00 Noon

Lunch

1:00 p.m.

Meeting with Dr. Gerald N. Tirozzi,
Assistant Secretary, Office of Elementary
and Secondary Education

5:00 p.m.

Adjournment

Wednesday, January 21, 1998

8:00 a.m.

Ethics Training by Office of General Counsel

10:00 a.m.

Discussion: Reports, Budget, Etc.

12:00 Noon

Lunch

1:00 p.m.

Related NACIE Business Council Deliberation and Recommendation 4:30 p.m.

Scheduling of next meeting, time and place 5:00

Adjournment

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Paducah

AGENCY: Department of Energy. **ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92–463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant. DATES: Thursday, January 15, 1998: 5:00

p.m.–10:00 p.m. ADDRESS: Executive Inn, Van Buren Room, 1 Executive Boulevard, West

Room, 1 Executive Boulevard, West Paducah, Kentucky.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Carlos Alvarado, Site-Specific Advisory Board Coordinator, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS–103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001, (502) 441–6804.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda: The meeting will include administrative plans for the board at the beginning of the meeting; Environmental Management and Enrichment Facilities (EMEF) Project updates; a review of the SSAB Draft

Work Plan; updates on Waste Area Grouping (WAG) 22, Waste Management, Transportation, the Strategies for Effective and Meaningful Public Input Report, the Vortec Environmental Assessment (if it is available), and a Media Contact Discussion.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Carlos Alvarado at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments as the first item on the meeting agenda.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available at the Department of Energy's Environmental Information and Reading Room at 175 Freedom Boulevard, Highway 60, Kevil, Kentucky between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Monday through Friday, or by writing to Carlos Alvarado, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001, or by calling him at (502) 441–6804.

Issued at Washington, DC on December 18, 1997.

Rachel Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Secretary of Energy Advisory Board; Notice of Open Meeting

AGENCY: Department of Energy.
SUMMARY: Consistent with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92–463, 86 Stat. 770), notice is hereby given of the following advisory committee meeting: Name: Secretary of Energy Advisory Board—Electric System Reliability Task Force.

DATES AND TIMES: Tuesday, January 13, 1998, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Madison Hotel, Dolley Madison Ballroom, 15th & M Streets, NW, Washington, D.C.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Richard C. Burrow, Secretary of Energy Advisory Board (AB-1), U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20585, (202) 586–1709 or (202) 586–6279 (fax).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The electric power industry is in the midst of a complex transition to competition, which will induce many far-reaching changes in the structure of the industry and the institutions which regulate it. This transition raises many reliability issues, as new entities emerge in the power markets and as generation becomes less integrated with transmission.

Purpose of the Task Force

The purpose of the Electric System Reliability Task Force is to provide advice and recommendations to the Secretary of Energy Advisory Board regarding the critical institutional, technical, and policy issues that need to be addressed in order to maintain the reliability of the nation's bulk electric system in the context of a more competitive industry.

Tentative Agenda

Tuesday, January 13, 1998

8:30—8:45 a.m.—Opening Remarks & Objectives—Philip Sharp, ESR Task Force Chairman

8:45—10:15 a.m.—Working Session:
Discussion of Draft Position Paper on
Technical Issues in Transmission System
Reliability—Facilitated by Philip Sharp
10:15—10:30 a.m.—Break

10:30—11:30 a.m.—Working Session: Discussion of a Draft Position Paper on The Role and Shape of the Independent System Operator—Facilitated by Jose Delgado

11:30—12:00 p.m.—Public Comment Period 12:00—1:15 p.m.— Lunch

1:15—2:30 p.m. Working Session:
Presentation & Discussion on The
Provision of Ancillary Services—Eric
Hirst (ORNL) & Facilitated by Philip
Sharp

2:30—3:45 p.m.—Working Session:
Presentation & Discussion on
Transmission Pricing Issues—Susan
Tierney & Facilitated by Philip Sharp
3:45—4:00 p.m.—Public Comment Period
4:00 p.m.—Adjourn

This tentative agenda is subject to change. The final agenda will be available at the meeting.

Public Participation: The Chairman of the Task Force is empowered to conduct the

meeting in a fashion that will, in the Chairman's judgment, facilitate the orderly conduct of business. During its meeting in Washington, D.C., the Task Force welcomes public comment. Members of the public will be heard in the order in which they sign up at the beginning of the meeting. The Task Force will make every effort to hear the views of all interested parties. Written comments may be submitted to Skila Harris, Executive Director, Secretary of Energy Advisory Board, AB–1, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20585.

Minutes: Minutes and a transcript of the meeting will be available for public review and copying approximately 30 days following the meeting at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E–190 Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C., between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday except Federal holidays. Information on the Electric System Reliability Task Force and the Task Force's interim report may be found at the Secretary of Energy Advisory Board's web site, located at http://www.hr.doe.gov/seab.

Issued at Washington, D.C., on December 18, 1997.

Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP98-91-000]

CNG Transmission Corporation; Notice of Tariff Filing

December 18, 1997.

Take notice that on December 15, 1997, CNG Transmission Corporation (CNG), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheet, with an effective date of January 1, 1998:

Second Revised Sheet No. 361A

CNG requests a waiver of the 30-day notice requirement pursuant to 18 CFR Section 154.207 to permit a January 1, 1998 effective date.

CNG states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's directives in the July 31 Order, as clarified by the October 16 Order, to refile its gathering cost recovery proposal with the appropriate supporting data required by the Commission's regulations.

CNG states that copies of its filing have been mailed to CNG's customers and interested state 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 Sections 385.214 and 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 inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP98-90-000]

K N Interstate Gas Transmission Co.; Notice of Tariff Filing

December 18, 1997.

Take notice that on December 15, 1997, K N Interstate Gas Transmission Company (KNI) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume 1–C and Second Revised Volume 1–D, to be effective January 15, 1998:

Second Revised Volume No. 1–C All Tariff Sheets Second Revised Volume No. 1–D All Tariff Sheets

KNI states that these tariff sheets are being filed pursuant to Section 154.204 of the Commission's regulations. KNI further states that it is submitting for filing and acceptance the above revised tariff sheet(s) related to the Commission's Order issued on August 1, 1996 in Docket Nos. RP94–328–001 and RP95–81–000 granting KNI's petition for a declaratory order that it lacks market power for its Buffalo Wallow System.

KNI states that copies of the filing were served upon KNI's jurisdictional customers, interested public bodies and all parties to the proceeding.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to this filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy