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 permission and approval of 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 procedures herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Koch Gateway to appear or be represented at the hearing.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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#### [Docket No. RP97-64-002]

## Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America; Notice of Compliance Filing

March 4, 1997.

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America (Natural) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No. 1, certain tariff sheets to be effective May 1, 1997.

Natural states that the purpose of the filing is to: (1) Reflect changes in its tariff to conform to the standards adopted by the Gas Industry Standards Board and incorporated into the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Regulations by Order Nos. 587 and 587–B; and (2) comply with the Commission's Order issued December 23, 1996, in Docket No. RP97–64–000.

Natural states that copies of the filing are being mailed to its jurisdictional customers, all parties set out on the official service list at Docket No. RP97–64–000, and interested state regulatory agencies.

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 on or before March 21, 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. 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. CP97-270-000]

## Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

March 4, 1997.

Take notice that on February 26, 1997, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), 1111 South 103rd Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68103, filed in Docket No. CP97–270–000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.216 (b) of the Commission's Regulations and Northern's blanket certificate issued at Docket No. CP82–401–000 for authorization to abandon the Jefferson #3 TBS in Union County, South Dakota, all as more fully set forth in the request which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Northern states that they have been advised by the local distribution company that this station is no longer

being used.

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.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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### [Docket No. TM97-3-28-000]

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

March 4, 1997.

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, 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, 1997.

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) No change in the Gathering Fuel Reimbursement Percentage;
- (2) a 0.03% increase in the Field Zone Fuel Reimbursement Percentage;
- (3) a 0.08% increase 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 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 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 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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### [Docket No. ER97-1084-000]

### Power Access Management, Notice of Issuance of Order

March 5, 1997.

Power Access Management (PAM) submitted for filing a rate schedule under which PAM will engage in wholesale electric power and energy transactions as a marketer. PAM also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, PAM requested that the Commission grant

blanket approval under 18 CFR Part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by PAM.

On February 19, 1997, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Applications, Office of Electric Power Regulation, granted requests for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the following:

Within thirty days of the date of the order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by PAM 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 385.214).

Absent a request for hearing within this period, PAM is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, endorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of the applicant, and compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of PAM's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that he deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is March 21, 1997. Copies of the full text of the order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

Lois D. Cashell, *Secretary.* 

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#### [Docket No. ER97-1117-000]

### TC Power Solutions; Notice of Issuance of Order

March 5, 1997.

TC Power Solutions (TC Power) submitted for filing a rate schedule under which TC Power will engage in wholesale electric power and energy transactions as a marketer. TC Power also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, TC Power requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR Part 34 of all future

issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by TC Power.

On February 18, 1997, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Applications, Office of Electric Power Regulation, granted requests for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the following:

Within thirty days of the date of the order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by TC Power should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214).

Absent a request for hearing within this period, TC Power is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, endorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of the applicant, and compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of TC Power's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is March 20, 1997. Copies of the full text of the order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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### [Docket No. RP96-338-002]

### Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation; Notice of Compliance Filing

March 4, 1997.

Take notice that on February 28, 1997, Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation (Texas Eastern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets to become effective March 1, 1997:

Substitute Original Sheet No. 606 Substitute Original Sheet No. 607 Original Sheet No. 608 Sheet Nos. 609-615

Texas Eastern asserts that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's order issued February 18, 1997 in Docket Nos. RP96–338–000 and RP96–338–001.

Texas Eastern states that in compliance with the February 18 Order, this filing reflects in the General Terms and Conditions (GT&C) of its FERC Gas Tariff (1) the pro forma revisions that were submitted in its November 1, 1996 initial comments in this proceeding and (2) a provision stating that "MDDO" and/or "MDRO" capacity is not considered to be "Section 14.9 Firm Capacity" and is therefore not subject to potential reduction pursuant to GT&C Section 14.10.

Texas Eastern states that copies of the filing were served on firm customers of Texas Eastern, interested state commissions and parties to the proceeding.

Any person desiring to protest this 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 Rules and Regulations. All such 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. 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 Nos. RP95-197-026 AND RP96-211-009]

# Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Compliance Filing

March 4, 1997.

Take notice that on February 26, 1997, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed in Appendix A to that filing, to become effective January 3, 1997.

Transco asserts that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's "Order on Compliance Filing," issued on January 31, 1997, in Docket Nos. RP95–197–021 and RP96–211–006 which directed Transco to file