### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-547-000]

### National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

September 19, 2002.

Take notice that on September 16, 2002, National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (National Fuel) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fourth Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed on Appendix A to the filing, with a proposed effective date of October 16, 2002.

National Fuel states that the purpose of the instant filing is to revise Section 10.8 of the General Terms and Conditions (1) to provide it with explicit authority to terminate capacity release awards under a Master Service Agreement for Capacity Release Transactions upon the termination of the agreement or award of the releasing shipper, and (2) to provide replacement shippers with certain rights to contract for the capacity covered by such terminated awards.

National Fuel states that copies of this filing were served upon its customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 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 proceedings.

Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at http:// www.ferc.gov using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202)502-8222 or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

## Regulations Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

September 20, 2002.

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(h), of the receipt of exempt and prohibited off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive an exempt or a prohibited off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested on-the-record proceeding, to deliver a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication, to the Secretary.

Prohibited communications will be included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become part of the decisional record, the prohibited offthe-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such requests only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication should serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications will be included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e)(1)(v).

The following is a list of exempt and prohibited off-the-record communications recently received in the Office of the Secretary. These filings are available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <a href="http://www.ferc.gov">http://www.ferc.gov</a> using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202) 502–8222 or for TTY, (202) 208–1659.

#### **EXEMPT**

Docket No.	Date filed	Presenter or requester
1. CP01–415–000 2. Project No. 1927–000 3. CP00–40–008 4. CP00–40–008 5. CP01–415–000	9–16–02 9–19–02 9–19–02	Donald A. Kirkman. Marti Salk. Mr. and Mrs. Edward James. Mr. and Mrs. Edward James. Peter M. Hendricks, P.E.

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

Deputy Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. RP95-197-044 and RP97-71-036]

### Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Compliance Filing

September 19, 2002.

Take notice that on September 13, 2002 Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, certain revised tariff sheets listed on Appendix A attached to the filing, which contains the enumeration and effective date of the revised tariff sheets.

On August 30, 2002 Transco submitted with the Commission a filing in Docket Nos. RP-95-197-042 and RP97-71-034 in which Transco proposed to revise its settlement rates in Docket No. RP01–245–000 to implement the roll-in of the costs of Transco's Leidy Line and Southern expansion projects as authorized by various Commission orders in Transco's Docket Nos. RP95-197 and RP97-71 proceeding, and to comply with the Commission's finding in that proceeding that Transco must unbundle the cost of its Emergency Eminence Storage Withdrawal Service (Roll-In Filing). Subsequent to the Roll-In Filing, several of Transco's customers have expressed concerns regarding Transco's presentation of the Emergency Eminence Storage Withdrawal Service Charge (Emergency Eminence Charge) on the filed tariff sheets.

In order to address these concerns and to clarify any confusion regarding the applicability of the Emergency Eminence Charge, Transco is submitting certain substitute tariff sheets as enumerated in Appendix A attached to the filing. In that regard, the tariff sheets submitted in the instant filing clarify that the Emergency Eminence Charge shall only apply to those contracts that have Transportation Contract Quantity (TCQ) entitlements at the point on Transco's mainline system where

Transco's facilities interconnect the Eminence Storage Field facilities.

Transco states that copies of the filing are being mailed to affected 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, NE., Washington, DC 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 proceedings. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website at http://www.ferc.gov using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202)502-8222 or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP95-197-045 and RP97-71-037]

## Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Compliance Filing

September 19, 2002.

Take notice that on September 13, 2002, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the revised tariff sheets which tariff sheets are enumerated in Appendix A attached to the filing. The proposed effective date of the tariff sheets is November 1, 2002.

Transco states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's Order on Initial Decision issued on April 16, 1999 and Order on Rehearing issued on March 28, 2001 in the referenced dockets, which orders, among other things, directed Transco to

unbundle its Rate Schedule SS-1 storage service.

Transco states that it will serve copies of the instant filing on its affected 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, NE., Washington, DC 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 proceedings. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's web site at http://www.ferc.gov using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202)502-8222 or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. RP01-236-007, RP00-553-010 and RP00-481-005]

# Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Compliance Filing

September 19, 2002.

Take notice that on September 13, 2002, 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 on Appendix A, attached to the filing, contains the enumeration of the proposed tariff sheets.

Transco states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's Order on Compliance issued on August 29, 2002 in the referenced dockets, in which the Commission directed Transco to refile the tariff sheets made effective October 1, 2002 to eliminate references to

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> On September 5, 2001 Transco submitted certain substitute tariff sheets to supplement its filing in Docket Nos. RP95–197–042 and RP97–71–34 in order to correct an error in the Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) rate.