

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP06-244-001]

High Island Offshore System L.L.C.; Notice To Place Tariff Sheets Into Effect

September 5, 2006.

Take notice that on August 30, 2006, High Island Offshore System L.L.C. (HIOS) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the following, previously accepted tariff sheets for inclusion in HIOS's:

Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 69.
Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 104.
Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 105.
Substitute Original Sheet No. 105A.
Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 106.
Substitute First Revised Sheet No. 107.
Substitute First Revised Sheet No. 108.
Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 173A.
Substitute First Revised Sheet No. 173B.

HIOS states that these tariff sheets were accepted and suspended by a March 31, 2006 Commission Order (114 FERC ¶ 61,337), to be effective September 1, 2006. HIOS is filing its motion to place these previously accepted tariff sheets into effect.

Any person desiring to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rule 211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211). Protests to this filing 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. Such protests must be filed in accordance with the provisions of section 154.210 of the Commission's regulations (18 CFR 154.210). Anyone filing a protest must serve a copy of that document on all the parties to the proceeding.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at <http://www.ferc.gov>. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

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Online service, please e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP06-540-000]

High Island Offshore System, L.L.C., Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

September 5, 2006.

Take notice that on August 31, 2006, High Island Offshore System, L.L.C. (HIOS) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed in Appendix A to the filing, to become effective October 1, 2006.

HIOS states that the proposed rate changes result in an increase of \$13.8 million in total system revenues from jurisdictional service based on the 12-month base period ending June 30, 2006, as adjusted for known and measurable changes through the nine month test period ending March 31, 2007. HIOS further states that the rate change is necessary to compensate HIOS for increases in its operating costs, depreciation expense, and negative salvage expenses and to provide a reasonable management fee. HIOS notes that the rate change is also needed to recognize significant reductions in transportation throughput. HIOS also proposes to implement certain firm service enhancements applicable to future services. Finally, HIOS is proposing a new Rate Schedule FT-3, using a term-differentiated rate design.

HIOS states that a full copy of its filing is being served on all jurisdictional customers, applicable state commissions and interested parties that have requested service.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). 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 notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or

protests must be filed in accordance with the provisions of section 154.210 of the Commission's regulations (18 CFR 154.210). Anyone filing an intervention or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. Anyone filing an intervention or protest on or before the intervention or protest date need not serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

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Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP06-434-000]

Michigan Gas Utilities Corporation; Notice of Application

September 1, 2006.

Take notice that on August 29, 2006, Michigan Gas Utilities Corporation (MGU), 899 S. Telegraph Road, Monroe, Michigan 48161, filed in Docket No. CP06-434-000, an application pursuant to section 7(f) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) requesting the determination of a service area¹ within which MGU may, without further Commission authorization, enlarge or expand its natural gas distribution facilities. MGU

¹ MGU seeks a service area determination for Jamestown Township, Steuben County, Indiana, and Kinderhook Township, Branch County, Michigan, where MGU owns certain limited facilities in Indiana used to serve its customers in Lake George, Michigan.

also requests: (i) A finding that MGU qualifies as a local distribution company (LDC) for purposes of section 311 of the Natural Gas Policy Act of 1978 (NGPA); (ii) a waiver of the Commission's accounting and reporting requirements and other regulatory requirements ordinarily applicable to natural gas companies under the NGA and the NGPA; (iii) pregranted abandonment of this service; and (iv) such further relief the Commission may deem appropriate, all as more fully set forth in the application, which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. The filing may also be viewed on the Web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or call toll-free, (886) 208-3676 or TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Any questions regarding this application should be directed to David J. Tyler, Michigan Gas Utilities Corporation, 899 S. Telegraph Road, Monroe, Michigan 48161, or at (734) 242-4652 (telephone); (734) 384-7276 (fax); djtyler@wpsr.com.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this project should, on or before the comment date stated below, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene 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 NGA (18 CFR 157.10). A person obtaining party 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 all other parties. A party must submit 14 copies of filings made with the Commission and must mail a copy to the applicant and to every other party in the proceeding. Only parties to the proceeding can ask for court review of Commission orders in the proceeding.

However, a person does not have to intervene in order to have comments considered. The second way to participate is by filing with the Secretary of the Commission, as soon as possible, an original and two copies of comments in support of or in opposition to this project. The Commission will consider these comments in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but the filing of a comment alone

will not serve to make the filer a party to the proceeding. The Commission's rules require that persons filing comments in opposition to the project provide copies of their protests only to the party or parties directly involved in the protest.

Persons who wish to comment only on the environmental review of this project should submit an original and two copies of their comments to the Secretary of the Commission. Environmental commenters will be placed on the Commission's environmental mailing list, will receive copies of the environmental documents, and will be notified of meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process. Environmental commenters will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, the non-party commenters will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission (except for the mailing of environmental documents issued by the Commission) and will not have the right to seek court review of the Commission's final order.

Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time, September 11, 2006.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP06-534-000]

Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

September 5, 2006.

Take notice that on August 30, 2006, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, Twenty-Eighth Revised Sheet No. 14, to be effective October 1, 2006.

Northwest states that the purpose of this filing is to propose an increase from 1.92% to 2.01% in the fuel reimbursement factor for services under Northwest's transportation service rate schedules. Northwest states that the fuel

reimbursement factor provides in-kind reimbursement to Northwest for fuel gas used and gas lost and unaccounted-for in its transmission system operations.

Northwest states that a copy of this filing has been served upon Northwest's customers and interested state regulatory commissions.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). 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 notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed in accordance with the provisions of section 154.210 of the Commission's regulations (18 CFR 154.210). Anyone filing an intervention or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. Anyone filing an intervention or protest on or before the intervention or protest date need not serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

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Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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