motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to 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 and permission and approval for the proposed 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 procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Southern to appear or be represented at the hearing.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Docket No. CP96-112-000]

Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Application for Authorization to Abandon Facilities

December 28, 1995.

Take notice that, on December 19, 1995, Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern), AmSouth-Sonat Tower, Birmingham, Alabama 35203, filed an application in Docket No. CP96–112–000, pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's Regulations, for authorization to abandon its Alabaster Lime Lateral, along with a meter station and related facilities, all as more fully set forth in the application, which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Southern's Alabaster Lime lateral is a 2-inch diameter pipeline that is approximately 1.215 miles in length. It extends from milepost 25.969 on the Bessemer-Calera line, located in Section 3, T21S, R3W, in Shelby County, Alabama, to Chemical Lime Company's (ChemLime) plant in Section 35, T20S, R3W, in Alabaster, Alabama. Southern requests authorization to abandon the Alabaster Lime Lateral in-place. Southern also requests authorization to abandon, by removal, its meter station at the ChemLime plant (including the

regulator) and the orderizer located at the tap on the Bessemer-Calera Line. Southern states that the Alabaster Lime Lateral and meter station which it proposes to abandon are used to provide interruptible transportation solely to the ChemLime plant, that the ChemLime plant is the only delivery point on the Alabaster Lime Lateral, and that ChemLime is the only customer that will be affected by the proposed abandonment. Southern further states that it seeks to abandon these facilities because the cost of keeping the Alabaster Lime Lateral and meter station in service has increased to the point that it is no longer economically feasible to

Any person desiring to be heard, or to make any protest with reference to said application should, on or before January 18, 1996, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington DC 20426, a motion to intervene or 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. Any person wishing to become a party to the proceeding, or to participate as a party in any hearing therein, must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to the jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's 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, or 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 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 provide for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for Southern to appear or be represented at the hearing. Lois D. Cashell,

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[Docket No. TM96-7-29-000]

Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

December 28, 1995.

Take notice that on December 21, 1995, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) tendered for filing certain revised tariff sheets to its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1 enumerated in Appendix A attached to the filing.

Transco states that the purpose of the instant filing is to track rate changes attributable to storage service purchased from CNG Transmission Corporation (CNG) under its Rate Schedule GSS the costs of which are included in the rates and charges payable under Transco's Rate Schedules LSS and GSS. This tracking filing is being made pursuant to Section 4 of Transco's Rate Schedule LSS and Section 3 of Transco's Rate Schedule GSS.

Appendices B and C attached to the filing contain explanations of the rate changes and details regarding the computation of the revised LSS and GSS rates, respectively.

Transco states that copies of the filing are being mailed to each of its LSS and GSS customers and interested State Commissions.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 154.16 of the Commission's Regulations, copies of this filing are available for public inspection, during regular business hours, in a convenient form and place at Transco's main office at 2800 Post Oak Boulevard in Houston, Texas.

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, Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. Pursuant to Section 154.210 of the Commission's regulations, all such motions or protests must be filed not later than 12 days after the date of the filing noted above. 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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