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Lois D. Cashell,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. GT96-88-000]

Midwestern Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Filing of Refund Report

August 13, 1996.

Take notice that on July 30, 1996, Midwestern Gas Transmission Company (Midwestern) tendered for filing a refund report detailing the allocation to its firm customers of the refund received from the Gas Research Institute (GRI). The refund represents the GRI's overcollection of \$206,228.00 from Midwestern during 1995.

Midwestern states that this refund report is being made to comply with the Commission Order issued February 22, 1995, in Docket No. RP95-124-000. Midwestern states that the report indicates that the pro rata refunds to the affected customers were made through adjustments to their respective July 1996 invoices.

Midwestern notes that copies of the refund report were served on each of its customers, interested state commissions, and all persons on the Commission's service list for this proceeding.

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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.

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[Docket No. RP96-334-000]

Midwestern Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Tariff Filing

August 13, 1996.

Take notice that on August 7, 1996, Midwestern Gas Transmission Company (Midwestern), submitted for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume 1, the following revised tariff sheet, to be effective on September 5, 1996:

Second Revised Sheet No. 90

Midwestern states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's policy prohibiting re-releases of the same firm capacity to the same replacement shipper at less than the maximum tariff rate during the prescribed 28-day period, unless posted for bidding, where the re-released capacity is the same capacity as—or overlaps—the previous month's released capacity. 18 CFR 284.243(h)(2). See Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, 71 FERC ¶ 61, 265, p. 62,057 (1995); Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation, 71 FERC ¶ 61,235, p. 61,905 (1995).

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 18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or 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 this 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 available for public

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[Docket No. CP96-695-000]

Mississippi River Transmission Corporation; Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation; Notice of Application for Abandonment

August 13, 1996.

Take notice that on August 7, 1996, Mississippi River Transmission Corporation (MRT), 1600 Smith Street, Houston, Texas 77002 and Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation (Texas Eastern), 5400 Westheimer Court, Houston, Texas, filed, in Docket No. CP96-695-000, a joint application pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's Regulations for an order permitting and approving the abandonment of the exchange of natural gas under MRT's Rate Schedule X-1 in its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2 and Texas Eastern's Rate Schedule X-66 in its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2, all as more fully set forth in the application.

MRT and Texas Eastern state that the exchange service, which was originally certificated in Docket No. CP74-210, is no longer required and has been terminated by written consent of both parties. MRT and Texas Eastern further state that no facilities will be abandoned nor will there be any service impact to MRT's or Texas Eastern's customers as a result of the proposed abandonment.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before September 3, 1996, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) 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 in any proceeding herein 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