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**DATES:** Comments must be filed by October 4, 1996. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments but find it difficult to do so within the time allowed by this notice, you should advise the OMB DOE Desk Officer listed below of your intention to do so as soon as possible. The Desk Officer may be telephoned at (202) 395-3084. (Also, please notify the EIA contact listed below.)

**ADDRESSES:** Address comments to the Department of Energy Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, 726 Jackson Place N.W., Washington, D.C. 20503. (Comments should also be addressed to the Office of Statistical Standards at the address below.)

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:** Requests for additional information should be directed to Herbert Miller, Office of Statistical Standards, (EI-73), Forrestal Building, U.S. Department of Energy, Washington, D.C. 20585. Mr. Miller may be telephoned at (202) 426-1103, FAX (202) 426-1081, or e-mail at hmiller@eia.doe.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The energy information collection submitted to OMB for review was:

1. ERA-766R, "Recordkeeping Requirements of DOE's Allocation and Price Rules;
2. Economic Regulatory Administration, OMB No. 1903-0073, Extension, Mandatory;
3. ERA-766R requires firms in all segments of the oil industry to maintain only those records essential to the orderly and timely completion of the oil pricing enforcement program. Firms not having such records would be exempt from the recordkeeping requirements of 10 CFR 210.1;
4. Firms in the oil industry
5. 912 hours (40 hrs. x 1 response per year x 228 respondents)

Statutory Authority: 44 U.S.C. 3506(a)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. No. 104-13).

Issued in Washington, D.C., August 28, 1996.

Yvonne M. Bishop,

*Director, Office of Statistical Standards  
Energy Information Administration.*

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### **Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. TM97-1-24-000]

#### **Equitrans, L.P.; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

August 28, 1996.

Take notice that on August 23, 1996, Equitrans, L.P. (Equitrans), tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, to be effective October 1, 1996.

Seventh Revised Sheet No. 5

Seventh Revised Sheet No. 6

Sixth Revised Sheet No. 8

Pursuant to Order No. 472, the Commission authorized pipeline companies to track and pass through to their customers their annual charges under an Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) clause. The 1996 ACA unit surcharge approved by the Commission is \$.0020 per Mcf. Equitrans has converted this Mcf rate to a dekatherm (Dth) rate of \$.0019 per Dth.

Equitrans states that a copy of its filing has been served upon its customers and interested state commissions.

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 NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 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 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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#### **Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America; Notice of Technical Conference**

August 28, 1996.

In the Commission's order issued on November 22, 1995, in the above-captioned proceeding, the Commission held that the filing raises issues for which a technical conference is to be convened.

Take notice that the technical conference to address the issues will be held on Thursday, September 5, 1996, at 10:00 a.m. in a room to be designated at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

All interested persons and staff are permitted to attend.

Lois D. Cashell,

*Secretary.*

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[Docket No. RP96-347-000]

#### **Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

August 28, 1996.

Take notice that on August 23, 1996, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing to become part of Northern's FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets proposed to be effective November 1, 1996:

Third Revised Sheet No. 263

Second Revised Sheet No. 263A

Northern states that its filing contains Northern's proposal for a permanent Carlton Resolution in response to the Commission's August 6 Order Establishing Guidelines in Docket No. RP93-206-000. Northern further states that the proposal is consistent with the Commission Guidelines and believes its proposal is the most efficient method of resolving the Carlton sourcing issue on its system.

Northern states that copies of the filing were served upon the company's customers and interested State Commissions.

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, NE., Washington, DC, 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such petitions or protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of