

days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Docket No. CP97-88-000]

Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

November 19, 1996.

Take notice that on November 12, 1996, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest), 295 Chipeta Way, Salt Lake City, Utah 84158, filed in Docket No. CP97-88-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205, 157.211 and 157.216 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.211 and 157.216) for authorization to upgrade its Spokane West Meter Station in Spokane County, Washington by partially abandoning certain existing facilities and constructing and operating upgraded replacement facilities under Northwest's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-433-000 pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Northwest proposes to upgrade the Spokane West Meter Station by removing the two existing 6-inch turbine meters, the existing 750,000 Btu per hour heater and approximately 250 feet of existing 4-inch inlet piping and appurtenances and installing two new 8-inch turbine meters, a 1,900,000 Btu per hour heater, a new 6-inch tap valve on the lateral line and approximately 200 feet of 6-inch inlet piping and appurtenances.

Northwest states that the meter station upgrade is necessary to accommodate a request by The Washington Water Power Company for increased delivery point capacity at this point for service under existing firm transportation agreements.

Northwest states that as a result of the proposed upgrade, the maximum design capacity of the meter station will increase from approximately 18,733 Dth per day at 250 psig to approximately 34,945 Dth per day at 250 psig.

Northwest estimates the total cost of the proposed meter station upgrade to be approximately \$357,400.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission,

file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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[Docket No. RP96-337-001]

Pacific Gas Transmission Company; Notice of GSR Reconciliation Report

November 19, 1996.

Take notice that on November 12, 1996, Pacific Gas Transmission Company (PGT) tendered for filing a Reconciliation of Gas Supply Recovery Costs (GSR) Report pursuant to its August 13, 1996 filing to terminate the Initial GSR Collection Period in its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1-A. That filing was approved by a Letter Order dated September 11, 1996, effective on August 15, 1996.

PGT asserts that the purpose of this filing is to submit for filing and acceptance a reconciliation of its actual GSR surcharge revenues and GSR costs to be collected through surcharge. PGT states that \$319,423 remains unrecovered as of August 15, 1996; however, PGT is not proposing to establish a new surcharge to recover this deficiency.

PGT states that a copy of this filing has been served upon all jurisdictional customers and upon interested state regulatory agencies.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with § 385.211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All such protests must be filed on or before November 26, 1996. 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. 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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[Docket No. RP92-137-042]

Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Refund Report

November 19, 1996.

Take notice that on October 16, 1996, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) tendered for filing a refund report pursuant to the Stipulation and Agreement (Settlement) approved by Commission's letter order dated November 4, 1993 in Docket No. RP92-137-015, *et al.* The refund covers the period September 1, 1992 through August 31, 1995.

On December 23, 1994, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit reversed and remanded the Commission's order in this proceeding (42 F.3d 659 (D.C. Cir. 1994)). On April 10, 1996, the Commission issued its order (April 10 Order) on remand.

Transco states that on September 17, 1996, it refunded amounts to contesting parties, and their replacement shippers based on the difference between the demand charges computed using the capital structure and rate of return approved in the April 10 Order and the demand charges set forth in the Settlement. Transco states that its report shows refunds totalling \$3,249,674.16, including \$559,687.03 in interest.

Transco further states that copies of this filing are being served upon each affected customer and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests should be filed on or before November 26, 1996. 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. 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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Secretary.

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