

issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is January 8, 1997. Copies of the full text of the order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426.

Lois D. Cashell,  
*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. RP97-196-000]**

**Mid Louisiana Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes In FERC Gas Tariff**

December 23, 1996.

Take Notice that on December 18, 1996, Mid Louisiana Gas Company (Mid Louisiana) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with a proposed effective date of January 20, 1997:

Original Sheet No. 1B  
First Revised Sheet No. 188  
First Revised Sheet No. 189

Mid Louisiana states that the filing of the Revised Tariff Sheet is in response to Commission Orders 582 and 582-A, in Docket No. RM95-3-000 and RM95-3-001 wherein the Commission revised the filing and reporting requirements for interstate natural gas companies with regard to rate schedules and tariffs.

Pursuant to Section 154.7(a)(7) of the Commission's Regulations, Mid Louisiana respectfully requests waiver of any requirement of the Regulations in order to permit the tendered tariff sheets to become effective January 20, 1997, as submitted.

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 N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with 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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**[Docket No. CP97-160-000]**

**NorAm Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization**

December 23, 1996.

Take notice that on December 19, 1996, NorAm Gas Transmission Company (NorAm), filed in Docket No. CP97-160-000, an application pursuant to NorAm's authority granted in Docket No. CP82-284-001 and Section 157.205 and 157.211 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (NGA) (18 CFR 157.205, and 157.211) for authorization to construct and operate certain facilities in Arkansas to deliver gas to ARKLA, a distribution division of NorAm Energy Corporation (ARKLA), all as more fully set forth in the request which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

NorAm specifically proposes to operate an existing delivery tap on NorAm's Line KM-12 for delivery of natural gas to ARKLA. NorAm states that ARKLA plans to utilize the existing tap as a second feed for its Rural Extension No. 75. It is stated that the tap is located in Section 5, Township 18 South, Range 15 West, Union County, Arkansas.

It is further stated that ARKLA would construct a 2-inch U-Shape meter station at its cost and convey ownership to NorAm and NorAm supervise the installation and operation of the meter station at an estimated cost of \$200. NorAm states that the estimated volumes to be delivered through this tap are approximately 850,000 MMBtu annually and 240 MMBtu on a peak day. NorAm further states that ARKLA would reimburse NorAm for the construction costs.

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 noticed 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 therefore, 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. RP95-396-013]**

**Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company; Notice of Compliance Filing**

December 23, 1996.

Take notice that on December 16, 1996, Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company (Tennessee), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume 1, Second Revised Sheet No. 314C, to be effective on December 16, 1996.

Tennessee states that it is filing the subject tariff sheet in compliance with the November 18, 1996 Order on Rehearing of the Commission issued in Docket No. RP95-396-002, et al. Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, 77 FERC ¶ 61,187 (1996) ("November 18th Order"). Tennessee states that the revised tariff sheet clarifies that parties "bumped" as a result of an intra-day nomination change may renominate to delivery points as well as receipt points.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with 18 CFR Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed in accordance with 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. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Lois D. Cashell,  
*Secretary.*

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**[Docket No. CP97-157-000]**

**Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization**

December 24, 1996.

Take notice that on December 17, 1996, Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation (TETCO), 5400 Westheimer