

WAI common shares, such that the ONEOK shareholders will own not less than 55 percent (55%) of the WAI outstanding equity. The Applicants state that, immediately following the transfer transaction, Western will own up to 9.9 percent (9.9%) of the outstanding WAI common stock and, together with the WAI preferred stock, up to 45 percent of the WAI outstanding equity. The applicants add that WAI will assume all of the debts of ONEOK as part of the transfer transaction, and that WAI will change its name to ONEOK, Inc. after the transfer transaction closes. Accordingly, the Applicants request that the Commission issue the certificate to WAI in the name of ONEOK, Inc.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before June 2, 1997, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 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 party to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a 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 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 permission and approval for the proposed abandonment and a grant of the requested certificate are 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 the Applicants to appear or be represented at the hearing.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP95-136-007]

Williams Natural Gas Company; Notice of Report of Refunds

May 12, 1997.

Take notice that on April 15, 1997, Williams Natural Gas Company (WNG) tendered for filing a refund report pursuant to the November 27, 1997, Stipulation and Agreement in Docket No. RP95-136.

WGN states that a copy of its filing was served on all participants listed on the service list maintained by the Commission in the docket referenced above and on all of WNG's jurisdictional customers 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, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Regulations. All such protests should be filed on or before May 19, 1997. 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 proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-215-002]

Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

May 12, 1997.

Take notice that on May 7, 1997, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1 the revised tariff sheets to the filing, to become effective February 1, 1997.

Williston Basin states that the revised tariff sheets reflect a revision to its current electric fuel reimbursement provision outlined in Section 38 of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1. In implementing its newly approved provision, Williston Basin discovered that the conversion factor proposed to be utilized to determine the level of dekatherm quantities of electric power purchased is flawed and consequently will not keep the Company and its shippers whole for the recovery of electric compressor fuel costs. Williston Basin is now proposing to simply utilize the cost of electric power purchased for use in the operation of its compressors as the basis for developing the appropriate reimbursement rates.

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 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. 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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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Hearings and Appeals

Cases Filed During the Week of April 7 Through April 11, 1997

During the Week of April 7 through April 11, 1997, the appeals, applications, petitions or other requests listed in this Notice were filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals of the Department of Energy.

Any person who will be aggrieved by the DOE action sought in any of these cases may file written comments on the application within ten days of publication of this Notice or the date of receipt of actual notice, whichever occurs first. All such comments shall be filed with the Office of Hearings and