

authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

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Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP96-152-002]

Kansas Pipeline Company; Notice of Supplement to Amendment

November 19, 1997.

Take notice that on November 12, 1997, Kansas Pipeline Company, majority owner and operator of Riverside Pipeline Company, L.P. ("Kansas Pipeline"), 8325 Lenexa Drive, Suite 400, Lenexa, Kansas 66214, filed a letter, a corrected pro forma tariff sheet and alternative pro forma tariff sheets to supplement its amendment to its proposed tariff that is the subject of the Commission's October 3, 1997 order in the above docketed proceeding, *Kansas Pipeline Company, et. al.*, 81 FERC ¶ 61,005 (1997).

On October 21, 1997, Kansas Pipeline filed pro forma tariff Sheet Nos. 18 and 19 proposing to implement negotiated transportation rates with its largest customers, Western Resources, Inc., and Missouri Gas Energy, a Division of Southern Union Company. The original pro forma sheets reflect unbundled negotiated transportation rates exclusive of costs associated with the Transok, Inc., lease.

By this supplement, Kansas Pipeline corrects a mathematical error to Sheet No. 18 and submits Alternative pro forma Sheet Nos. 18 and 19 which depict rates that will be used if Kansas Pipeline continues, in the interim, to provide service to these two customers under the Transok lease.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before December 1, 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 parties

to the proceedings. 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 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, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that a grant of the certificate is 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 Kansas Pipeline to appear or be represented at the hearing.

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[Docket No. CP98-83-000]

Koch Gateway Pipeline Company; Texas Gas Transmission Corporation; Notice of Joint Application for Abandonment

November 19, 1997.

Take notice that on November 12, 1997, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company (Koch), P.O. Box 1478, Houston, Texas 77251 and Texas Gas Transmission Corporation (Texas Gas), P.O. Box 20008, Owensboro, Kentucky 42304 filed a joint application pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's Regulations requesting permission and approval to abandon a natural gas exchange service between Koch and Texas Gas which was authorized in Docket No. CP61-79,¹ as amended, and provided under Koch's Rate Schedule X-12 in its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2 and Texas Gas's FERC Rate Schedule X-27, Original Volume

No. 2. The application is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Koch and Texas Gas state that this exchange service is no longer required and request that the Commission grant abandonment of this obsolete service commitment. By letter dated April 18, 1996, Texas Gas notified Koch of its desire to terminate the August 30, 1960 exchange agreement, effective July 18, 1996.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before December 10, 1997, 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 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, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that permission and approval for the proposed abandonment 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 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 Koch and Texas Gas to appear or to be represented at the hearing.

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¹ See 24 FPC 1099 (1960).