

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ES99-19-000]

**Kentucky Utilities Company; Notice of Application**

January 5, 1999.

Take notice that on December 22, 1998, Kentucky Utilities Company filed an application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission seeking authority, pursuant to Section 204 of the Federal Power Act, to issue not more than \$250,000,000 of short-term debt on or before November 30, 2000 with a final maturity no later than November 30, 2001.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 or 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before January 15, 1999. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any persons 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.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,***Acting Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP99-193-000]

**KN Interstate Gas Transmission Co.; Notice of Tariff Filing**

January 5, 1999.

Take notice that on December 30, 1998, KN Interstate Gas Transmission Co. (KNI) tendered for filing its annual reconciliation filing pursuant to Section 27 (Crediting of Excess Rate Schedule IT Revenue); Section 28 (Crediting of Excess Fixed Storage Cost Revenue); Section 34 (Crediting of Out of Path Zone Revenue); and Section 35 (Crediting of Imbalance Revenue) of the General Terms and Conditions of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume

No. 1-B. In addition, KNI submits herein its annual reconciliation filing with respect to the Buffalo Wallow system pursuant to Section 31 (Crediting of Excess Rate Schedule IT Revenue) of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1-D.

KNI states that copies of this filing has been served upon all affected firm customers of KNI and applicable state agencies.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed on or before January 12, 1999. 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. 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.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,***Acting Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP99-139-000]

**Koch Gateway Pipeline Company; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization**

January 5, 1999.

Take notice that on December 29, 1998, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company (Koch Gateway), P.O. Box 1478, Houston, Texas 77251-1478, filed in Docket No. CP99-139-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.211 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.211) for authorization to construct new delivery facilities, located in Ascension Parish, Louisiana, to serve Air Liquide American Corporation (Air Liquide), an end user, under Koch Gateway's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-430,000, pursuant to Section 7(c) 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.

Koch Gateway proposes to install a delivery tap on its existing transmission line, designated as Index 130-45, located in Ascension Parish. Koch Gateway states that it plans to construct a six-inch tap, a dual two and four-inch meter station, and approximately 1,100 feet of eight-inch pipeline to connect Air Liquide's industrial plant.

Koch Gateway declares that these facilities will satisfy Air Liquide's request for transportation service. Koch Gateway asserts that such transportation service will be provided under Koch Gateway's Firm Transportation Service Rate Schedule. Koch Gateway states that Air Liquide estimates the maximum peak day volumes to be delivered at 15,000 MMBtu. Koch Gateway declares that it will transport the volumes under its blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP88-6-000.

Koch Gateway states that the estimated cost of constructing the proposed facilities is \$300,000.

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 from 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.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,***Acting Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ES99-18-000]

**MDU Resources Group, Inc., Notice of Application**

January 5, 1999.

Take notice that on December 18, 1998, MDU Resources Group, Inc. (Applicant), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware and qualified to transact business in the States of Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wyoming, with its principal business office at Bismarck,

North Dakota, filed an application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, pursuant to Section 204 of the Federal Power Act (Act), seeking authority to issue a combination of securities not to exceed in the aggregate \$400,000,000 within the following amounts:

(1) Not to exceed \$400,000,000 worth of common stock;

(2) Not to exceed \$40,000,000 worth of preferred stock; and

(3) Not to exceed \$120,000,000 principal amount of New Mortgage Bonds, Senior Notes, debentures, subordinated debentures, guarantees or other unsecured debt securities, including those in connection with a hybrid securities financing.

Applicant may vary the maximum issuance amount for each of the above types of securities so long as the aggregate amount of Applicant's securities issued does not exceed \$400,000,000. The securities are proposed to be issued from time to time over a two-year period.

Applicant seeks approval for the issuance of all of the above securities by methods which may include other than competitive bidding and negotiated offers, as expressly permitted by section 34.2(a)(3)(iii) of the regulations under the Act.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said Application should, on or before January 15, 1999, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20426, petitions or protests in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). The Application is on file with the Commission and available for public inspection.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. TM99-4-16-000]

#### National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Tariff Filing

January 5, 1999.

Take notice that on December 31, 1998, National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (National) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fourth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet to become effective January 1, 1999.

Fifteenth Revised Sheet No. 9

National asserts that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's order issued February 16, 1996, in Docket Nos. RP94-367-000, et al. Under Article I, Section 4, of the settlement approved in that order, National must redetermine quarterly the Amortization Surcharge to reflect revisions in the Plant to be Amortized, interest and associated taxes, and a change in the determinants. The recalculation produced an Amortization Surcharge of 10.37 cents per dth.

Further, National states that under Article II, Section 2, of the settlement, it is required to recalculate the maximum Interruptible Gathering ("IG") rate monthly and to charge that rate on the first day of the following month if the result is an IG rate more than 2 cents above or below the IG rate as calculated under Section 1 of Article II. The recalculation produced an IG rate of 9 cents per dth.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 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 proceedings. 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.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP98-248-001]

#### Northwest Pipeline Corporation; Notice of Compliance Filing

January 5, 1999.

Take notice that on December 23, 1998, Northwest Pipeline Corporation (Northwest) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff

sheets, to become effective December 11, 1998:

Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 274  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 274-A  
Substitute Fourth Revised Sheet No. 275  
Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 276  
Substitute Third Revised Sheet No. 277  
Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 278  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 278-A  
Original Sheet No. 278-B  
Original Sheet No. 278-C

Northwest states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's December 10, 1998, Order Following Technical Conference related to Northwest's procedures for awarding available capacity, for reserving capacity for upcoming expansion projects, and for amending receipt and/or delivery points.

Northwest states that a copy of this filing has been served upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such 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 proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-196-000]

#### Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes to FERC Gas Tariff

January 5, 1999.

Take notice that on December 31, 1998, Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Seventh Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet with the proposed effective date of January 1, 1999: