

The Commission is now requesting that OMB approve a three-year extension of the current expiration date, with no changes to the existing collection. There are no increases to the reporting burden. This is a mandatory information collection requirements and the Commission does not consider the information to be confidential.

4. Necessity of Collection of Information: Submission of the information is necessary to enable the Commission to carry out its responsibilities in implementing the statutory provisions of Part 1, Section 4(e), 6 and 13 of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 797(e), 799 and 806. Section 4(e) gives the Commission the authority to issue licenses for the proposed of constructing, operating and maintaining dams, water conduits, reservoirs, powerhouses, transmission lines or other project works necessary or convenient for developing and improving navigation, transmission and utilization of power over which Congress has jurisdiction. Section 6 gives the Commission the authority to prescribe the conditions of the licenses including the revocation and/or surrender of the license. Section 13 defines that Commission's authority to delegate time periods for when a license must be terminated if project construction has not begun. Surrender of a license may be desired by a licensee when a licensed project is retired or not constructed. The information is collected by FERC in the form of a written application for surrender of a hydropower license, which is then used by Commission staff to determine the broad impact of such a surrender. FERC carefully reviews the prepared application, solicits public and agency comments through the insurance of a public notice, and prepares the Surrender of License Order. The order is the result of the an analysis of the information produced, i.e., economic, environmental, etc. which is examine to determine if the application is warranted. The Commission implements these filing requirements in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) under 18 CFR Section 6.1 through 6.4.

5. Respondent Description: The respondent universe currently comprises on average 10 companies subject to the Commission's jurisdiction.

6. Estimated Burden: 100 total burden hours, 10 respondents, 1 response annually, 10 hours per response (average).

7. Estimated Cost Burden to Respondents: 100 hours÷2080 hours per year × \$109,889 per year = \$5,283.

Statutory Authority: Sections 4(e), 6 and 13 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), 16 U.S.C. 797(e), 799 and 806.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-300-002]

Colorado Interstate Gas Company; Notice of Tariff Filing

June 15, 1999.

Take notice that on June 10, 1999, Colorado Interstate Gas Company (CIG), tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the Tariff sheets listed in the attached Appendix A, to the filing, to be effective June 1, 1999.

CIG states the tariff sheets are filed in compliance with Order issued May 28, 1999 in Docket Nos. RP99-300-000 and 001. This Order approved CIG's tariff filing subject to conditions. CIG has also requested a waiver of section 154.203(b) of the Commission's Regulations to allow it to correct certain spelling errors and remove duplicative language.

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. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. GT99-34-000]

Distrigas of Massachusetts Corporation; Notice of Refund

June 15, 1999.

Take notice that on June 7, 1999, Distrigas of Massachusetts Corporation (DOMAC) tendered for filing a Refund Report.

DOMAC states that it received a wire transfer of \$14,639 from GRI on May 28, 1999 in accordance with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Opinion No. 407 issued September 27, 1996 (76 FERC 61,337).

DOMAC further states that it will not be crediting this refund to its customers on a pro rata basis because it has no customers who are eligible for such credits.

Any person desiring to protest said 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 on or before June 22, 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. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP99-550-000]

National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation; Notice of Application

June 15, 1999.

Take notice that on June 10, 1999, National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation (Applicant), 10 Lafayette Square, Buffalo, New York 14203, filed in Docket No. CP99-550-000 an application pursuant to Section 7(f) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA), as amended, for a service area determination, a finding that with respect to the