

DOE requests that anyone who wishes to speak at this public scoping meeting contact Mr. Joseph Renk, either by phone, fax, computer, or in writing (see ADDRESSES in this Notice). Individuals who do not make advance arrangements to speak may register at the meeting (preferably at the beginning of the meeting) and will be given the opportunity to speak after all previously scheduled speakers have made their presentations. Speakers who wish to make presentations longer than five minutes should indicate the length of time desired in their request. Depending on the number of speakers, it may be necessary to limit speakers to five-minute presentations initially, with the opportunity for additional presentations as time permits. Speakers can also provide additional written information to supplement their presentations. Oral and written comments will be given equal consideration.

DOE will begin the meeting with overviews of the proposed CPICOR project and the NEPA process. A presiding officer will be designated by DOE to chair the meeting. The meeting will not be conducted as an evidentiary hearing, and speakers will not be cross-examined. However, speakers may be asked to clarify their statements to ensure that DOE fully understands the comments or suggestions. The presiding officer will establish the order of speakers and provide any additional procedures necessary to conduct the meeting.

Issued in Washington, D.C., this 22nd day of June, 1999.

David Michaels,

Assistant Secretary, Environment, Safety and Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP99-556-000]

Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation; Request Under Blanket Authorization

June 22, 1999.

Take notice that on June 14, 1999, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation (Columbia), 1201 Fair Lakes Parkway, Fairfax, Virginia 22030-1046, filed in Docket No. CP99-556-000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205, and 157.216, of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205, 157.216) for

authorization to abandon certain natural gas facilities consisting of 1,772 points of delivery to Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. (COH) under Columbia's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP83-76-000 pursuant to Section 7 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. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (please call (202) 208-0400 for assistance).

The points of delivery to be abandoned are located on non-jurisdictional pipeline in northern Ohio that are being sold to Gatherco, Inc (Gatherco). Columbia states that Gatherco has agreed to continue providing the service supplied to these points of delivery. Columbia does not propose a reduction or termination of service as a result of the abandonment. COH will instead shift these volumes to other delivery points.

Any questions regarding the application should be directed to Fredric George at (304) 357-2359 or Larry Willeke at (202) 216-9764, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation, 12801 Fair Lakes Parkway, Fairfax, Virginia 22030-1046.

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 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.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP99-337-000]

Discovery Gas Transmission LLC; Tariff Filing

June 22, 1999.

Take notice that on June 17, 1999, Discovery Gas Transmission LLC, (Discovery), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, Second Revised Sheet No. 131, and Third Revised Sheet No. 196, to become effective August 1, 1999.

Discovery states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's order issued April 2, 1999, in Docket No. RM96-1-011.

Discovery states that the instant filing reflects changes to the General Terms and Conditions of its Tariff required to implement standards issued by the Gas Industry Standards Board (GISB) and adopted by the Commission in Order No. 587-K issued April 2, 1999, in Docket No. RM 96-1-011. This filing implements changes required by Commission Regulations Section 284.10(b)(1) (i through v), relating to electronic communication with interstate natural gas pipelines promulgated July 31, 1998, by GISB.

Discovery states that copies of this filing are being mailed to its customers, state commissions and other interested parties.

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. 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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