

reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment.

The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

Dated: July 31, 2000.

**John Tressler,**

*Leader, Regulatory Information Management, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

**Office of the Undersecretary**

*Type of Review: New.*

*Title: Evaluation of the Public Charter Schools Program, Data Collection Clearance Package: Year 2 and Year 3 Submission.*

*Frequency: Annually.*

*Affected Public: State, Local, or Tribal Gov't, SEAs or LEAs; Federal Government.*

*Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden: Responses: 3,590; Burden Hours: 2,390.*

*Abstract: The evaluation of the Public Charter Schools Program (PCSP) is the first national study of federal support for charter schools. The contractor, SRI International, will gather data on charter school policies and practices at the state, charter school authorizer, and charter school levels. The study examines the use of PCSP funds at these levels, assesses the impact of flexibility provisions in states' charter school legislation, and assesses the effect of charter schools on student performance. Respondents include federal PCSP staff, state charter school coordinators, representatives of charter school authorizing agencies, charter schools, and parents.*

Requests for copies of the proposed information collection request may be accessed from <http://edicsweb.ed.gov>, or should be addressed to Vivian Reese, Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 4050, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651. Requests may also be electronically mailed to the internet address OCIO\_IMG\_Issues@ed.gov or faxed to 202-708-9346. Please specify the complete title of the information collection when making your request.

Comments regarding burden and/or the collection activity requirements

should be directed to Jacqueline Montague at (202) 708-5359 or via her internet address

Jackie\_Montague@ed.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339.

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**FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**[EL00-94-000]**

**Citizens Power Inc. v. FirstEnergy and FirstEnergy Operating Companies; Notice of Complaint**

July 28, 2000.

Take notice that on July 26, 2000, Citizen Power Inc. filed a complaint under Section 306 of the Federal Power Act alleging that FirstEnergy System and FirstEnergy Operating Companies had failed to file a Section 203 application for the transfer of generating facilities to FirstEnergy's marketing affiliate.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file a motion to intervene or 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 and 385.214). All such motions or protests must be filed on or before August 15, 2000. 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. 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 also be viewed on the Internet at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222) for assistance. Answers to the complaint shall also be due on or before August 15, 2000.

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

*Acting Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

**[Docket No. CP00-408-000]**

**Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation; Notice of Application**

July 28, 2000.

Take notice that on July 19, 2000, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation (Columbia), 12801 Fair Lakes Parkway, Fairfax, Virginia 22030-0146, filed a request with the Commission in Docket No. CP00-408-000 pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) for authorization to construct, install, and operate a 4,000 horsepower (HP) compressor unit at Columbia's existing Kenova Compressor Station in Wayne County, West Virginia, all as more fully set forth in the application which is open to the public for inspection. This application may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

Columbia proposes to construct, install, and operate a 4,000 HP compressor unit at the Kenova Compressor Station to accommodate increasing receipts of natural gas from local producers upstream of the compressor station. Columbia states that Columbia Natural Resources Inc. (CNR), the operator of gathering lines upstream of the Kenova Compressor Station, would make a contribution in aid of construction to Columbia of 100 percent of the construction cost, estimated at \$3,227,000.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before August 18, 2000, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., 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 NGA (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 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. Any questions regarding the application should be directed to Fredric J. George, Attorney, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation, P.O. Box 1273, Charleston, West Virginia 25325-1273, (304) 357-2359.

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 NGA 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 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 Columbia to appear or be represented at the hearing.

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

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-330-001]

#### Dauphin Island Gathering Partners; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

July 28, 2000.

Take notice that on July 20, 2000, Dauphin Island Gathering Partners (DIGP) tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, Substitute First Revised Sheet No. 221, with an effective date of March 27, 2000.

DIGP states that the tariff sheet corrected an error in the definition of long-term transactions and is proposed to become effective on March 27, 2000.

DIGP states that on June 15, 2000, it filed tariff sheets to comply with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission final rule regarding the regulation of short-term interstate natural gas transportation services in Docket Nos. RM98-10 and RM98-12 (Order No. 637). In the instant filing, DIGP is filing to implement provisions of Order No. 637 regarding the waiver of the rate ceiling for short-term capacity release transactions. By Letter Order issued on July 13, 2000, these tariff sheets were accepted subject to the condition of correcting the above referenced language.

DIGP states that copies of the filing are being served contemporaneously on all participants listed on the service list in this proceeding and on all persons who are required by the Commission's regulations to be served with the application initiating these proceedings.

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 385.214 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).

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

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-84-001]

#### Kansas Pipeline Company; Notice of Refund Report

July 28, 2000.

Take notice that on April 27, 2000, Kansas Pipeline Company (KPC) tendered for filing an Excess Interruptible Revenue Refund Report.

KPC states that the refund report is being filed pursuant to the Commission's April 3, 2000 order directing KPC to refile its refund report within 30 days of the April 3 date to include a delineation of interest calculations on the subject refund and complete refund calculations and allocations.

KPC states that pursuant to the Commission's directives, KPC is submitting a delineation of interest calculations on the subject refund, and a Refund Report covering the period from May 11, 1998 to September 30, 1998.

KPC requests waiver of Section 24.5 of the General Terms and Conditions of KPC's tariff, that requires excess revenues to be credited against reservation charges, so that KPC can

issue a lump-sum payment to its firm shipper Kansas Gas Service Company.

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 August 6, 2000. 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).

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

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-300-003]

#### Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

July 28, 2000.

Take notice that on July 24, 2000, Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company (Tennessee), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with an effective date of June 23, 2000.

Seventh Revised Sheet No. 405  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 405A.01  
Substitute Tenth Revised Sheet No. 405C  
Substitute Original Sheet No. 405E

Tennessee states that the filing is being made in compliance with the Commission's Order issued June 23, 2000 in Docket No. RP00-300, 91 FERC ¶ 61,292 (2000).

Any person desiring to protest this 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 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