

**27. American Electric Power Service Corporation**

[Docket No. ER01-1172-000]

Take notice that on February 1, 2001, American Electric Power Service Corporation (AEP), tendered for filing, on behalf of Kentucky Power Company, a letter agreement with EnviroPower, Inc.

AEP requests an effective date of April 1, 2001.

Copies of AEP's filing has been served upon the Kentucky Public Service Commission.

*Comment date:* February 22, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**28. Automated Power Exchange, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER01-1176-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 2001, Automated Power Exchange, Inc., tendered for filing a revision to the rate schedule under which APX will offer power exchange services in the APX New England Market.

*Comment date:* February 23, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**29. Automated Power Exchange, Inc.**

[Docket No. ER01-1177-000]

Take notice that on February 2, 2001, Automated Power Exchange, Inc., tendered for filing a revision to the rate schedule under which APX will offer power exchange services in the APX New York Market.

*Comment date:* February 23, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

**Standard Paragraphs**

E. Any person desiring to be heard or to protest such 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 should be filed on or before the comment date. 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 these filings are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the Internet 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. CP01-45-000]

**Colorado Interstate Gas Company; Supplement to Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Valley Line Expansion Project, Request for Comments on Environmental Issues, and Notice of Public Scoping Meetings and Route Inspection**

February 8, 2001.

On February 6, 2001, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission issued the subject Notice announcing the intent of its staff to prepare an environmental assessment for the Valley Line Expansion Project and a schedule for

local public scoping meetings to receive environmental comments, among other things. That Notice inadvertently omitted that the environmental scoping meetings will begin each evening at 7 p.m.

Page 6 of the Notice also contained an incomplete sentence related to how individuals may participate in the route inspection activities planned for February 27 through March 2, 2001. In order to avoid further confusion, page 6, in its entirety, is attached to this supplement.

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

*Acting Secretary.*

If you do not want to send comments at this time but still want to remain on our mailing list, please return the Information Request (appendix 3). If you do not return the Information Request (appendix 3), your name will be taken off the mailing list.

In addition to asking for written comments, we invite you to attend any of the public scoping meetings that we will conduct in the project area. The purpose of the scoping meetings is to provide state and local agencies, interested groups, landowners, and the general public with an opportunity to learn more about the project and another chance to present us with environmental issues or concerns they believe should be addressed in the EA. CIG representatives will be present at the meetings to describe the proposed project, both in general and for the specific area where each meeting is held, and to answer project-related questions.

The locations and times for these meetings are listed below. Priority will be given to commenters who represent groups, and a transcript of each meeting will be made so that your comments will be accurately recorded.

**SCHEDULE FOR PUBLIC SCOPING MEETINGS**

Date and Time	Location
Tuesday, February 27, 2001 at 7 p.m. ....	Pikes Peak Community College, Rampart Campus—Room W101, 11195 Highway 83, Colorado Springs, Colorado.
Wednesday, February 28, 2001 at 7 p.m. ....	Pioneer Elementary School Cafeteria, 10881 Riva Ridge Drive, Parker, Colorado.
Thursday, March 1, 2001 at 7 p.m. ....	Aims Community College, Corporate Education Center—Room 129A, Greeley, Colorado.

### Route Inspection

On February 27–March 2, 2001, we will also be conducting an inspection of the proposed routes and locations of facilities associated with CIG's proposal. This inspection may include both aerial and ground components. Anyone interested in participating in the inspection activities may contact the FERC's Office of External Affairs (identified at the end of this notice) for more details and must provide their own transportation.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP99–600–000]

#### National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation; Notice of Pre-Filing Conference

February 8, 2001.

Take notice that a pre-filing conference will be held on Thursday, February 15, 2001, at 2:00 p.m., at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The purpose of the pre-filing conference is to discuss Norse Pipeline, L.L.C.'s and Nornew Energy, Inc.'s compliance with the Commission's December 14, 2000, Order Addressing Petition for Declaratory Order and Directing Compliance Filing (93 FERC ¶ 61,276 (2000)).

All interested parties and Staff are permitted to attend. For additional information, please contact Robert Christin (202) 208–1022.

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

*Acting Secretary.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL–6943–8]

### Transfer of Confidential Business Information to EPA Contractors

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency.

**ACTION:** Notice of transfer of confidential business information to agency contractors and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** EPA will transfer to its contractors: Booz-Allen and Hamilton, Inc., TechLaw, Inc., and Tetra Tech EM

Inc. Confidential Business Information (CBI) that has been or will be submitted to EPA under Section 3007 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA). The Agency will transfer CBI to the following subcontractors of these firms: AGEISS, Home Engineering Services, Inc., Trinity Consultants, ICF, Inc., TRC, Inc., Metcalf and Eddy, ERG, MNG, Inc., EnRisk, Inc., TN Associates, CDM Federal Programs Corp., Parallax, Inc., Wendy Lopez & Associates, Inc., REDHORSE, Charles Consulting, ISSI, Tetra Tech NUS, DPRA, Inc., Morson Environmental Consulting, Inc., Ross & Associates Environmental Consulting, Ltd., Quanterra Incorporated. Under RCRA, EPA is involved in activities to support, expand and implement solid and hazardous waste regulations.

**DATES:** Transfer of confidential business data will occur no sooner than February 26, 2001.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Regina Magbie, Office of Solid Waste (5305W), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Ariel Rios Building, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460, 703–308–7909.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### 1. Transfer of Confidential Business Information

Under EPA Contract numbers 68–W–99–020, 68–W–99–021, 68–W–99–017, 68–W–99–018, 68–W–99–008, and 68–W–99–009. Booz-Allen and Hamilton, TechLaw and Tetra Tech, and their subcontractors, will assist the EPA Regional Offices (I–X) by providing technical assistance and services which support EPA's RCRA enforcement and permitting activities, such as sampling, corrective action oversight, technical review of documents, and special studies.

In accordance with 40 CFR 2.305(h) (see 42 U.S.C. 6927(b)), EPA has determined that Booz-Allen and Hamilton, TechLaw and Tetra Tech, and their subcontractors require access to CBI submitted to EPA under the authority of RCRA to perform work satisfactorily under the above-noted contract. EPA is submitting this notice to inform all submitters of CBI of EPA's intent to transfer CBI to these firms on a need-to-know basis. Upon completing its review of materials submitted, Booz-Allen and Hamilton, TechLaw and Tetra Tech, and their subcontractors will return all CBI to EPA.

Prior to the transfer of any RCRA CBI, Booz-Allen and Hamilton, TechLaw and Tetra Tech, and their subcontractors will receive authorization for access to RCRA CBI under the EPA "Contractor Requirements for the Control and

Security of RCRA Confidential Business Information Security Manual. "EPA will review and approve the security plans of Booz-Allen and Hamilton, TechLaw and Tetra Tech, and their subcontractors. Contractor and subcontractor personnel will sign non-disclosure agreements and be briefed on appropriate security procedures before they are permitted access to CBI.

Dated: February 1, 2001.

**Elizabeth A. Cotsworth,**

*Director, Office of Solid Waste.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL–6944–3]

### Notification of Application Acceptance Period for the National Environmental Achievement Track

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Acceptance of National Environmental Achievement Track Applications.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovations announces that applications for the National Environmental Achievement Track (Achievement Track) will be accepted February 1, 2001 through April 30, 2001. Achievement Track, the first level of the National Environmental Performance Track, recognizes top public and private facilities that go beyond compliance with regulatory requirements and encourages high levels of environmental performance and management that benefit people, communities, and the environment.

The application form and instructions for completing an application for the Achievement Track can be found on the web at <http://www.epa.gov/performance-track/apps/app.htm> or hard copies can be requested by calling the Performance Track Information Center at 1–888–339–7875. Applications are used to establish that the facility meets the four requirements necessary to be named as a participant in the Achievement Track. The entry criteria require that the applying facility:

- Has adopted and implemented an environmental management system (EMS) that includes policy, planning, implementation and operation, checking and corrective action, and management review;
- Is able to demonstrate specific environmental achievements and commit to continued improvement;