writing on the scope of the PEIS, including the alternatives and issues that DOE should consider. Also, at these meetings, DOE plans to provide background information on the program and the PEIS preparation schedule.

ADDRESSES: Comments on the scope of the PEIS may be mailed to the address below or sent by facsimile or electronic mail. Written comments may be mailed to the following address. Kenneth G. Picha, Jr., Office of Technical Program Integration, EM–22, Attn: Metals Disposition PEIS, Office of Environmental Management, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585–0113, Telephone: (301)–903–7199.

Otherwise, send comments via facsimile to Metals Disposition PEIS at 301–903–9770 or send electronic mail to *Metals.Disposition.PEIS@em.doe.gov* or the web site at *www.em.doe.gov/smpeis.*

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: To request further information about this PEIS, the public scoping meetings, or to be placed on the PEIS distribution list, use any of the methods listed under **ADDRESSES** above. For background documents in hard copy related to this PEIS contact the DOE Center for Environmental Management Information at 800–736–3282. For general information concerning the DOE National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process, contact: Carol Borgstrom, Director, Office of NEPA Policy and Compliance (EH–42), U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585–0119, Telephone: 202–586–4600, Voice Mail: 800–472–2756, Facsimile: 202–586–7031.

Additional NEPA information is also available on the DOE web site: *http//tis.eh.doe.gov/nepa/*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: DOE generates surplus and scrap material during the normal course of activities, and attempts to recycle as much as possible consistent with common industrial practice. DOE is also guided by several Executive Orders that provide direction to Federal Agencies on recycling practices to avoid unnecessary energy consumption and use of raw materials for the development of new products. Much of this material consists of scrap metal that may contain residual surface radioactivity. On July 12, 2001, DOE issued a Notice of Intent (66 FR 36562) to prepare a PEIS on the DOE policy alternatives for the disposition of scrap metals that may contain residual surface radioactivity.

As originally announced in the Notice of Intent, DOE has conducted public scoping meetings on the PEIS in the following locations: North Augusta, South Carolina; Oak Ridge, Tennessee; Oakland, California; Richland, Washington; Cincinnati, Ohio; and, Washington, DC. The original public scoping period was to continue until September 10, 2001. However, in response to public comments and to ensure that the public has ample opportunity to provide comments, DOE is extending the public scoping period by 60 days and scheduling additional meetings as specified under **DATES,** above. The schedule for completion of the Draft PEIS will be delayed until March, 2002, and the Final PEIS until August, 2002. Further information on this proceeding is contained in the Notice of Intent.

Issued in Washington, DC, on August 30, 2001.

Steven V. Cary,

Acting Assistant Secretary, Office of Environment, Safety and Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL01–111–000]

California Independent System Operator; Notice of Change in Docketing

August 30, 2001.

Take notice that on June 25, 2001, July 11, 2001, August 10, 2001, the California Independent System Operator (CAISO) filed market monitoring reports in Docket Nos. EL00–95–000, EL00–98–000 and RT01–85–000, as required by the Commission's April 26, 2001 Order.[1] A new docket number has been established for these filings, and the CAISO shall hereafter file all market monitoring reports under Docket Number EL01–111–000. Previous filings, identified above, will be re-designated in the new docket.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary

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[1] 95 FERC ¶ 61,115 (2001).

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP01–518–000]

Carnegie Interstate Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

August 30, 2001.

Take notice that on August 27, 2001, Carnegie Interstate Pipeline Company (CIPCO) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheet to become effective October 1, 2001:

Sixteenth Revised Sheet No. 7

Pursuant to Order 472, the Commission authorized pipeline companies to track and pass through to their customers their annual charges under an Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) clause. The 2001 ACA unit surcharge approved by the Commission is $0.0021 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. This filing may also be viewed on the web at *http://www.ferc.gov* using the ''RIMS'' link, select ''Docket#'' and follow the instructions (call 202–208–2222 for assistance). Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the ''e-Filing'' link.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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