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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Board of the Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education is established under Title VII, Part B, section 742 of the Higher Education Amendments of 1998 (20 U.S.C. 1138a). The National Board of the Fund is authorized to recommend to the Director of the Fund and the Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education priorities for funding and procedures for grant awards.

On Friday, November 16, 2001, from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. the Board will meet in open session. The proposed agenda for the open portion of the meeting will include discussions of the Fund's programs and special initiatives.

On Friday, November 16, 2001, from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. the meeting will be closed to the public for the purpose of discussing personnel matters associated with the work of the Board. This portion of the meeting will be closed under the authority of section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Act (Pub. L. 92-463; 5 U.S.C.A. Appendix 2) and under exemptions (2) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act (Public Law 94-409), 5 U.S.C. 552b (c)(2) and (6). The review and discussion of Board personnel matters will relate solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency, and may disclose information of a personal nature where disclosure would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy if conducted in open session.

The meeting site is accessible to individuals with disabilities. An individual with a disability who will need an auxiliary aid or service to participate in the meeting (e.g., interpreting service, assistive listening device or materials in an alternate format) should notify the contact person listed in this notice at least two weeks before the scheduled meeting date. Although the Department will attempt to meet a request received after that date, the requested auxiliary aid or service may not be available because of insufficient time to arrange it.

Records are kept of all Board proceedings, and are available for public inspection at the office of the Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education, 8th Floor, 1990 K Street NW., Washington, DC 20006-8544 from the hours of 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-30-000]

Algonquin Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

November 6, 2001.

Take notice that on October 31, 2001, Algonquin Gas Transmission Company (Algonquin) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fourth Revised Volume No. 1, Twelfth Revised Sheet No. 40, to become effective on December 1, 2001.

Algonquin is filing to revise its Fuel Reimbursement Percentages ("FRPs") for the calendar period beginning December 1, 2001, pursuant to section 32 of the General Terms and Conditions of its FERC Gas Tariff. Algonquin states that, based on the latest actual annual data for Company Use Gas and throughput quantities for twelve month period ended July 31, 2001, the FRPs have increased slightly, by 0.01% in the FRP for the Winter period and by 0.21% for the non-Winter period.

Algonquin further states that it is submitting the calculation of the deferral allocation, pursuant to section 32.5(c) which provides that Algonquin will calculate surcharges or refunds designed to amortize the net monetary value of the balance in the FRQ Deferred Account at the end of the previous accumulation period. Algonquin states that, for the period August 1, 2000 through July 31, 2001, the FRQ Deferred Account resulted in a net debit balance that will be recovered as a surcharge to Algonquin's customers, based on the allocation of the account balance over the actual throughput during the accumulation period, exclusive of backhauls.

Algonquin states that copies of this filing were mailed to all affected customers of Algonquin and interested state commissions.

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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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-32-000]

Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

November 6, 2001.

Take notice that on October 31, 2001, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation (Columbia) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, Eleventh Revised Sheet No. 44, with a proposed effective date of December 1, 2001.

Columbia submits the instant filing pursuant to the provisions of section 35, Retainage Adjustment Mechanism (RAM), of the General Terms and Conditions (GTC) of its Tariff. Eleventh Revised Sheet No. 44 sets forth the retainage factors applicable to Columbia's services. In this Periodic RAM Filing, Columbia is filing to reduce the applicable transportation retainage percentage for the reasons set forth in the filing.

Columbia states that copies of its filing have been mailed to all firm