

a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Mt. Carmel, compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of Mt. Carmel's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is June 10, 2002.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Internet at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (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 at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm>.

**Magalie R. Salas,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**  
[Docket No. RP01-246-005]

**Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America; Notice of Filing Rate Schedule LPS Activity Report**

May 23, 2002.

Take notice that on May 15, 2002, Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America (Natural) tendered for filing its Activity Report for Rate Schedule LPS.

Natural states that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's February 1, 2002 order which required Natural to file a report on its Rate Schedule LPS activity forty-five (45) days after its first year of operation.

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 May 30, 2002. 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. 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.

**Magalie R. Salas,**  
*Secretary.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket Nos. EL01-56-002 and EC01-63-002]

**Niagara Mohawk Holdings, Inc. and National Grid USA; Notice of Filing**

May 23, 2002.

Take notice that on July 13, 2001, Niagara Mohawk Holdings, Inc. (Holdings) and National Grid USA (Collectively, Applicants), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission), a compliance filing in response to the Commission's June 13, 2001 order in the above proceedings. Applicants explain, among other things, that even with the requested authority to pay dividends, they will continue to have adequate liquidity and an ability to fund necessary utility expansion. They also commit to an additional limitation on payment of dividends.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing should file 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). 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. All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date, and, to the extent applicable, must be served on the applicant and on any other person

designated on the official service list. This filing is available for review at the Commission or may be viewed on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket #" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). 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.

*Comment Date: June 3, 2002.*

**Magalie R. Salas,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP96-272-043]

**Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Negotiated Rates**

May 23, 2002.

Take notice that on May 15, 2002, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern) tendered for filing to become part of Northern's FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet proposed to be effective on May 16, 2002:

21 Revised Sheet No. 66A

Northern states that the above sheet is being filed to implement a specific negotiated rate transaction with Dynegy Marketing and Trade in accordance with the Commission's Policy Statement on Alternatives to Traditional Cost-of-Service Ratemaking for Natural Gas Pipelines.

Northern further states that copies of the filing have been mailed to each of its customers 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