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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at *http://www.ferc.gov* using the ''FERRIS'' link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202)502–8222 or for TTY, (202) 502–8659. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. *See*, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the ''e-Filing'' link.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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[Docket No. RP02–417–001]

Venice Gathering System, L.L.C.; Notice of Compliance Filing

October 18, 2002.

Take notice that on October 11, 2002, Venice Gathering System, L.L.C. (Venice) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets bearing an effective date of October 1, 2002:

Fourth Revised Sheet No. 47
Second Revised Sheet No. 53
Second Revised Sheet No. 57
Original Sheet No. 122A
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 52
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 56
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 78
Original Sheet No. 123A

Venice states that the filing was made in compliance with the Commission's September 26, 2002 order in the captioned proceeding. Venice further states that the revised tariff sheets reflect changes prescribed by Order No. 587–O and, specifically, new North American Energy Standards Board (NAESB) standards governing Title Transfer Tracking Service, definitions, and timelines applicable to non-biddable releases.

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 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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at *http://www.ferc.gov* using the ''FERRIS'' link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202) 502–8222 or for TTY, (202) 502–8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. *See*, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the ''e-Filing'' link.

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[Docket No. RP02–132–003]

Viking Gas Transmission Company; Notice To Place Tariff Sheets Into Effect

October 17, 2002.

Take notice that on October 11, 2002 Viking Gas Transmission Company (Viking) tendered for filing a Motion To Place Settlement Rates into Effect on an Interim Basis Subject To Conditions (Motion) and tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed on Appendix A to the filing to become effective July 1, 2002 subject to the conditions set forth in Viking's Motion.

Viking states that the purpose of this filing is to place the Settlement Rates into effect on an interim basis subject to certain conditions in accordance with the Offer of Settlement filed in this proceeding on September 13, 2002.

Viking states that copies of this filing have been served on all parties designated on the official service list in this proceeding, on all Viking's jurisdictional customers and to affected state regulatory commissions.

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 October 24, 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. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at *http://www.ferc.gov* using the ''FERRIS'' link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202) 502–8222 or for TTY, (202) 502–8659. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. *See*, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the ''e-Filing'' link.

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Deputy Secretary.

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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02–427–002]

Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.; Notice of Compliance Filing

October 17, 2002.

Take notice that on October 11, 2002,Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. (Williams) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheet to become effective October 1, 2002:

Substitute First Revised Second Revised Sheet No. 240

Williams states that this filing is in compliance with the Commission Order issued on September 27, 2002 (100 FERC ¶ 61,371), which required revisions to a tariff sheet previously filed on August 1, 2002 to implement the various standards of Version 1.5 of the North American Energy Standards Board as adopted by Commission Order No. 587–O.

Williams states that copies of the revised tariff sheet are being mailed to Williams' jurisdictional customers and interested state commissions, as well as