

will receive copies of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties. A party must submit 14 copies of filings made with the Commission and must mail a copy to the applicant and to every other party in the proceeding. Only parties to the proceeding can ask for court review of Commission orders in the proceeding.

However, a person does not have to intervene in order to have comments considered. The second way to participate is by filing with the Secretary of the Commission, as soon as possible, an original and two copies of comments in support of or in opposition to this project. The Commission will consider these comments in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but the filing of a comment alone will not serve to make the filer a party to the proceeding. The Commission's rules require that persons filing comments in opposition to the project provide copies of their protests only to the party or parties directly involved in the protest.

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 instructions on Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

If the Commission decides to set the application for a formal hearing before an Administrative Law Judge, the Commission will issue another notice describing that process. At the end of the Commission's review process, a final Commission order approving or denying a certificate will be issued.

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

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-4-003]

#### Maritimes & Northeast Pipeline, L.L.C.; Notice of Compliance Filing

November 13, 2002.

Take notice that on November 7, 2002, Maritimes & Northeast Pipeline, L.L.C. (Maritimes) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, Sub 1st First Revised Sheet No. 265, to become effective on November 1, 2001.

Maritimes proposes to comply with the Commission's November 4, 2002

order, in Docket No. RP02-4-002, by restoring the existing language to the last sentence of Section 11.6(c) of the General Terms and Conditions of its FERC Gas Tariff.

Maritimes states that copies of this filing were mailed to all affected customers of Maritimes and interested state 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 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 website 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, please contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (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.

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

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL02-111-000]

#### Midwest Independent System Operator, PJM Interconnection, L.L.C., et al.; Notice of Initiation of Proceeding and Refund Effective Date

September 4, 2002.

Take notice that on July 31, 2002, the Commission issued an order in the above-indicated docket initiating a proceeding in Docket No. EL02-111-000 under section 206 of the Federal Power Act.

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL02-111-000 will be 60 days after

publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

**Magalie R. Salas,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP03-66-000]

#### MIGC, Inc.; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

November 13, 2002.

Take notice that on November 7, 2002, MIGC, Inc. (MIGC) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No.1, the following tariff sheets, to become effective January 1, 2003:

First Revised Sheet No. 17  
First Revised Sheet No. 32  
Third Revised Sheet No. 48  
Original Sheet No. 90F

MIGC asserts that the purpose of this filing is to clarify, consistent with Commission policy, the specific types of transportation discounts that may be granted by MIGC in a manner consistent with FERC-approved discounts on other pipelines. The revised tariff sheets modify the General Terms and Conditions (GTC) of MIGC's Tariff which are applicable to the various throughput Rate Schedules and add a reference to the provisions in the rate schedules. By including this additional language in the GTC, MIGC seeks to avoid the need for filing individual discount agreements on the grounds that they contain "material deviations" from the *pro forma* service agreements, consistent with the Commission's rulings in Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America, 84 FERC ¶61,099 (1998), Columbia Gas Transmission Corp., 92 FERC ¶61,080 (2000) and subsequent orders. The identification of the types of discounts to which MIGC and an individual shipper may agree will clarify MIGC's flexibility to provide the services required to meet competitive market conditions.

In addition to its ability to agree to a basic discount from the stated maximum rates, MIGC proposes to create a new Section 26 in the General Terms and Conditions of its Tariff entitled "Types of Discounting" which reflects the various kinds of discounts MIGC may give to meet competitive circumstances. For example, MIGC may provide a specified discounted rate: to