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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. PH06-43-000]

#### GAMCO Investors, Inc.; Notice of Petition for Exemption From the Requirements of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005

April 27, 2006.

Take notice that on April 20, 2006, GAMCO Investors, Inc. filed a notification of exemption pursuant to section 18 CFR 366.3(a) and 366.4(b)(1), seeking exemption from the requirements of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005.

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the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 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 notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. On or before the comment date, it is not necessary to serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. TS06-8-000; TS06-9-000]

#### High Island Offshore System, L.L.C.; Petal Gas Storage; Notice of Filing

April 28, 2006.

Take notice that on March 27, 2006 High Island Offshore System, L.L.C. and Petal Gas Storage filed a joint request for partial waiver of the standards of conduct, pursuant to Commission Order No. 2004.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214).

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER05-1232-001]

#### J.P. Morgan Ventures Energy Corporation; Notice of Filing

April 27, 2006.

Take notice that on October 13, 2005, J.P. Morgan Ventures Energy Corporation filed revisions to its market-based Rate Schedule No. 1 in compliance with the Commission's September 20, 2005 order.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 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 notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant and all the parties in this proceeding.

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*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. eastern time on May 4, 2006.

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP06-318-000]

#### Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America; Notice of Petition for Waivers

April 27, 2006.

Take notice that on April 25, 2006, Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America (Natural) tendered for filing a petition for waiver of certain provisions of Natural's FERC Gas Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No.1, to assist shippers in responding to a situation which will temporarily reduce capacity on a portion of Natural's Amarillo system.

Natural states that as part of its Pipeline Integrity Management Program, Natural is evaluating sections of its Amarillo Mainline No. 3 from its Compressor Station No. 110 in Henry County, Illinois (CS10) approximately

106 miles to Natural's Compressor Station 113 near Joliet, Illinois in Will County. Natural states that these sections are part of Natural's Segment No. 14.

Natural states that it plans to run an in-line inspection tool for one day through a portion of its Segment 14 on May 9, 2006. On May 24, 2006, Natural states that it plans to run a second in-line inspection tool for one day through the same portion of its Segment 14. Natural points out that these two pig runs will each necessitate a reduction in available capacity through the affected area on days when the inspection tool runs take place. Because it is possible additional inspection operations may be needed, Natural asks that the waivers apply during all outage periods that may occur between May 9, 2006 to May 31, 2006.

Natural requests that the Commission grant the subject petition for waiver by May 5, 2006, to enable Natural's shippers to plan their nominations for the weeks of May 8 and May 22 in advance of any service reductions related to the two planned outage periods.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file 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 notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the date as indicated below. Anyone filing an intervention or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. Anyone filing an intervention or protest on or before the intervention or protest date need not serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

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*Intervention and Protest Date:* 5 p.m. eastern time May 2, 2006.

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RR06-1-000]

#### North American Electric Reliability Council and North American Electric Reliability Corporation; Notice Denying Requests for Extension of Comment Period

April 28, 2006.

On April 24, 2006 the Florida Reliability Coordinating Council (FRCC) and the ISO/RTO Council (IRC) filed motions to intervene and requests for extension to comment period until May 15, 2006. Also, on April 27, 2006 the Western Electricity Coordinating Council (WECC) filed a motion to intervene and request for ten day extension to comment period until May 14, 2006.

Upon consideration, notice is hereby given that FRCC, IRC, and WECC's requests for extension of comment period is denied.

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP06-315-000]

#### Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

April 27, 2006.

Take notice that on April 20, 2006, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets:

Sixth Revised Sheet No. 154.