

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP06-72-003]

**Northern Border Pipeline Company; Notice of Compliance Filing**

January 16, 2007.

Take notice that on December 28, 2006, Northern Border Pipeline Company (Northern Border) tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the tariff sheets listed on Appendix A to the filing, to be effective January 1, 2007.

Northern Border states that the filing is being made in compliance with the Settlement Agreement approved by the Commission on November 21, 2006.

Northern Border has served a copy of this filing upon all parties of record in this proceeding.

Any person desiring to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rule 211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211). Protests to this filing 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. Such protests must be filed in accordance with the provisions of Section 154.210 of the Commission's regulations (18 CFR 154.210). Anyone filing a protest must serve a copy of that document on all the parties to the proceeding.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at <http://www.ferc.gov>. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

This filing is accessible on-line at <http://www.ferc.gov>, using the "eLibrary" link and is available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an "eSubscription" link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

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

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. EL07-30-000]

**Newark Bay Cogeneration Partnership, L.P., Complainant v. PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. Public Service Electric and Gas Company, Respondent; Notice Shortening Comment Period**

January 12, 2007.

On January 9, 2007, the Commission issued a Notice of Complaint in the above-docketed proceeding. The notice established a period for filing protests or motions to intervene in response to this complaint.

By this notice, the date for filing motions to intervene or protests is shortened to and including January 22, 2007.

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

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP06-421-000]

**Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Availability of the Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Potomac Expansion Project**

January 16, 2007.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission or FERC) has prepared the Environmental Assessment (EA) for the construction and operation of the Potomac Expansion Project as proposed by Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) in the above-referenced docket.

The EA was prepared to satisfy the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act. The staff concludes that approval of the proposed Potomac Expansion Project, with appropriate mitigating measures as recommended, would not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment. The EA evaluates alternatives to the proposal, including the no-action alternative.

The EA addresses the potential environmental effects of the construction and operation of the proposed Potomac Expansion Project in Campbell, Pittsylvania, and Fairfax Counties, Virginia, including the construction of:

- About 16.4 miles of 42-inch-diameter pipeline;
- About 3.4 miles of 30-inch-diameter pipeline replacement with 42-inch-diameter pipeline; and
- New and replacement aboveground facilities at existing aboveground facilities.

The purpose of the Potomac Expansion Project is to: expand delivery capacity on Transco's existing mainline pipeline system to deliver up to 165,000 dekatherms per day of incremental primary firm transportation from Transco's interconnects with East Tennessee Natural Gas and Pine Needle LNG to interconnects with the customers' local distribution systems in northern Virginia, Washington, DC, and Baltimore, Maryland.

The EA has been placed in the public files of the FERC. A limited number of copies of the EA are available for distribution and public inspection at: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Public Reference Room, 888 First Street NE, Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, (202) 502-8371.

In addition, copies of the EA have been mailed to Federal, State, and local government agencies; elected officials; Native American tribes; local libraries and newspapers; intervenors in the FERC's proceeding; and affected landowners and individuals.

Any person wishing to comment on the EA may do so. To ensure consideration prior to a Commission decision on the proposal, it is important that we receive your comments before the date specified below. Please carefully follow these instructions to ensure that your comments are received in time and properly recorded:

- Send an original and two copies of your comments to: Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426.
- Label one copy of the comments for the attention of the Gas Branch 1;
- Reference Docket No. CP06-421-000; and
- Mail your comments so that they will be received in Washington, DC on or before February 16, 2007.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing of any comments, interventions, or protests to this proceeding. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> under the "e-Filing" link and the link to the User's Guide. Before you can file comments you will need to create a free account, which can be created by clicking on "Login to File" and then "New User Account." You will be asked to select