

Smoky Hills Wind Farm, should file a protest 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, 385.214 (2004).

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests is December 31, 2007.

Absent a request to be heard in opposition to such blanket approvals by the deadline above, Smoky Hills Wind Farm is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as 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 Smoky Hills Wind Farm, 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 approvals of Smoky Hills Wind Farm's issuance of securities or assumptions of liability.

Copies of the full text of the Director's Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Room, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov>, using the eLibrary link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. 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. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP08-15-000; PF07-9-000]

#### Steckman Ridge, LP; Notice of Application

November 28, 2007.

Take notice that on November 1, 2007, Steckman Ridge, LP (Steckman Ridge), 5400 Westheimer Court,

Houston, Texas 77251, pursuant to section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and Parts 157 and 284 of the Commission's regulations, filed an abbreviated application for certificates of public convenience and necessity, seeking authority to own, operate, construct, install, and maintain a natural gas storage field and related facilities in Bedford County, Pennsylvania; to provide open-access firm and interruptible storage services in interstate commerce at market-based rates under 18 CFR Part 284, Subpart G; and to undertake the limited construction and operation activities permitted under 18 CFR Part 157, Subpart F. 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 "e-Library" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC at FERCOOnlineSupport or call toll-free, (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Specifically, Steckman Ridge requests authorization to: (i) Convert five existing production wells to storage wells; (ii) construct, own, and operate 18 additional storage wells, approximately 7.49 miles of 16-inch diameter pipeline and 3.6 miles of 6- and 8-inch diameter pipeline that will comprise the Storage Field Pipeline Network, one 9,470 horsepower compressor station, and associated above-ground facilities; and (iii) charge market-based rates for the storage and hub services that will be provided by the project.

Any questions regarding this application should be directed to Garth Johnson, Steckman Ridge, LP, PO Box 1642, Houston, Texas 77251 at (713) 627-5415.

Pursuant to section 157.9 of the Commission's rules, 18 CFR 157.9, within 90 days of this Notice the Commission staff will either: Complete its environmental assessment (EA) and place it into the Commission's public record (eLibrary) for this proceeding; or issue a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review. If a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review is issued, it will indicate, among other milestones, the anticipated date for the Commission staff's issuance of the final environmental impact statement (FEIS) or EA for this proposal. The filing of the EA in the Commission's public record for this proceeding or the issuance of a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review will serve to notify Federal and State agencies of the timing for the completion of all necessary reviews, and

the subsequent need to complete all Federal authorizations within 90 days of the date of issuance of the Commission staff's FEIS or EA.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this project should, on or before the comment date stated below, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the NGA (18 CFR 157.10). A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and 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.

Persons who wish to comment only on the environmental review of this project should submit an original and two copies of their comments to the Secretary of the Commission. Environmental commentors will be placed on the Commission's environmental mailing list, will receive copies of the environmental documents, and will be notified of meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process. Environmental commentors will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, the non-party commentors will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission (except for the mailing of environmental documents issued by the Commission) and will not have the right

to seek court review of the Commission's final order.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings of comments protests and interventions via the Internet in lieu of paper. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web (<http://www.ferc.gov>) site under the "e-Filing" link.

*Comment Date:* December 18, 2007.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP07-445-001; CP07-445-002]

#### Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

November 28, 2007.

Take notice that on November 6, 2007, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco) and on November 8, 2007, Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2, the following tariff sheets, with an effective date of October 31, 2007:

Transco,  
Twenty-Six Revised Sheet No. 1,  
First Revised Sheet No. 1572.  
Southern, First Revised Sheet No. 432.

Transco and Southern state that the filings are being made in compliance with the Commission's order issued on October 31, 2007 in the above referenced 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 on or before the date as indicated below. 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.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time December 3, 2007.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP08-25-000]

#### Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation; Notice of Application

November 28, 2007.

Take notice that on November 13, 2007, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transco), P.O. Box 1396, Houston, Texas 77251, filed in Docket No. CP08-25-000 an application pursuant to section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations for permission and approval to abandon by sale to DCP Midstream, LP (DCP Midstream),<sup>1</sup> Transco's onshore pipeline facilities in South Texas upstream of Transco's La Gloria lateral in Jim Wells County, Texas, and to abandon the related transportation and exchange services, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. The filing may also be viewed on the Web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or call toll-free, (866) 208-3676 or TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Transco proposes to abandon by sale to DCP Midstream and that DCP Midstream has agreed to purchase Transco's 100 percent undivided ownership interest in the following

facilities, referred to as the "South Texas facilities": (1) The South Texas central line between milepost 0.00 and 78.89, which consists of 37.63 miles of 10-inch diameter pipeline and 41.26 miles of 14-inch diameter pipeline; (2) the Starr lateral and loop, which consists of 23.17 miles of 10-inch diameter pipeline and 18.7 miles of 20-inch diameter pipeline; (3) the Carter Ranch lateral, which is comprised of the North Rucias lateral, consisting of 7.9 miles of 8-inch diameter pipeline; the Carter Ranch line, consisting of 1.63 miles of 6-inch pipeline and 0.38 miles of 4-inch pipeline; and the North Rucias line, consisting of 0.72 miles of 6-inch diameter pipeline and 2.23 miles of 4-inch diameter pipeline; (4) the Lacy-Tesoro-Inexco lateral, which consists of 1.94 miles of 6-inch diameter pipeline; and (5) meter stations, valves, miscellaneous field and tie-in piping, other appurtenances along the above pipeline segments, and related realty and easement rights. Transco states that the requested abandonment would have no impact on the daily design capacity of, or operating conditions, on Transco's pipeline system.

Transco also states that the proposed abandonment would enable Transco to transfer facilities that are no longer integral to its provision of natural gas transportation service and allow DCP Midstream, a current owner and operator of natural gas gathering facilities in Texas, to integrate the South Texas facilities with its existing system to provide natural gas gathering and processing options not currently available to customers on the facilities while maintaining the ability to deliver natural gas to Transco's pipeline system at the tailgate of the La Gloria processing plant.

Any questions regarding this application should be directed to Ingrid Germany, Staff Analyst, Certificates & Tariffs, P.O. Box 1396, Houston, Texas 77251, at (713) 215-4015.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this project should, on or before the comment date stated below, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the NGA (18 CFR 157.10). A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies of

<sup>1</sup> Concurrently, DCP Midstream, LP, filed a Petition for Declaratory Order with the Commission on November 13, 2007, in Docket No. CP08-22-000.