

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

[Docket No. CP10-1-000]

**Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Application**

October 9, 2009.

Take notice that on October 2, 2009, Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern), 1111 South 103rd Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68124-1000, filed in Docket No. CP10-1-000, an application pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations, requesting authorization to abandon in place thirteen horizontal compressor units consisting of 20,000 horsepower at its Mullinville Compressor Station and associated piping, all located in Kiowa County, Kansas, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. This filing 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. For assistance, call (866) 208-3676 or TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Any questions regarding this application should be directed to Dari R. Dornan, Senior Counsel, Northern Natural Gas Company, P.O. Box 3330, Omaha, Nebraska 68103-0330, or by calling (402) 398-7077 (telephone) or (402) 398-7426 (fax), [dari.dornan@nngco.com](mailto:dari.dornan@nngco.com), or to Michael T. Loeffler, Senior Director, Certificates and External Affairs, Northern Natural Gas Company, P.O. Box 3330, Omaha, Nebraska 68103-0330, or by calling (402) 398-7103 (telephone) or (402) 398-7592 (fax), [mike.loeffler@nngco.com](mailto:mike.loeffler@nngco.com).

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 commenters 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 commenters will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, the non-party commenters 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.

Motions to intervene, protests and comments 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.

*Comment Date:* October 30, 2009.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**

*Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****Combined Notice of Filings No. 2**

October 8, 2009.

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

*Docket Numbers:* RP09-540-002

*Applicants:* Northern Border Pipeline Company

*Description:* Northern Border Pipeline Company submits a Motion to Effectuate Tariff Sheets.

*Filed Date:* 08/24/2009

*Accession Number:* 20090824-5124

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, October 13, 2009

*Docket Numbers:* RP09-487-001

*Applicants:* High Island Offshore System, L.L.C.

*Description:* Motion of High Island Offshore System, L.L.C. to place tariff sheets into effect.

*Filed Date:* 09/30/2009

*Accession Number:* 20090930-0086

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, October 13, 2009

*Docket Numbers:* RP09-882-001

*Applicants:* Questar Pipeline Company

*Description:* Questar Pipeline Company submits Substitute First Revised Sheet No 172D *et al.* to its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No 1, to be effective 9/1/09.

*Filed Date:* 10/07/2009

*Accession Number:* 20091007-0079

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, October 19, 2009

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 5 *p.m.* Eastern time on the specified comment date. 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.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP10-5-000]

#### **CALifornians for Renewable Energy, Inc. (CARE); Complainant v. Williams Northwest Pipeline FERC Enforcement Hotline; Respondents; Notice of Complaint**

October 13, 2009.

Take notice that on October 8, 2009, pursuant to the Natural Gas Act, 15 U.S.C. 717-717z and section 206 of the Rules and Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.206 (2009), CALifornians for Renewable Energy, Inc. (CARE) filed a formal complaint against Williams Northwest Pipeline (Williams) and the FERC Enforcement Hotline (Hotline) for Williams' construction of a pig receiver, fence, road, and driveway on CARE member Mary Benafel's property, without accurate and adequate notice, as required by William's blanket certificate, 18 CFR 157.209(d), and without the necessary property rights, as well as the Hotline's mishandling of CARE's informal complaint.

CARE states that copies of the complaint were served on Williams and other interested parties.

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. The Respondent's answer and all interventions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. The Respondent's answer, motions to intervene, and protests must be served on the Complainants.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions 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 or intervention 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 on October 28, 2009.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 13301-002-WY]

#### **Town of Afton, Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment**

October 9, 2009.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's regulations, 18 CFR Part 380 (Order No. 486, 52 FR 47,897), the

Office of Energy Projects has reviewed the application for a minor license for the Culinary Water System Hydroelectric Project, and has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA). The proposed project would be built on the Culinary Water Supply System, in the Town of Afton, Lincoln County, Wyoming. The project would occupy approximately 8 acres of U.S. Forest Service land in the Bridger-Teton National Forest.

The EA contains the staff's analysis of the potential environmental impacts of the project and concludes that licensing the project would not constitute a major Federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

A copy of the EA 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 "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659.

You may also register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/esubscribenow.htm> to be notified via e-mail of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or toll-free at 1-866-208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Please contact Ryan Hansen by telephone at (202) 502-8074 or by e-mail at [ryan.hansen@ferc.gov](mailto:ryan.hansen@ferc.gov) if you have any questions.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EL09-26-000; EL09-26-001]

#### **New York State Electric and Gas Corporation; Notice of Filing of Settlement Agreement and Establishment of Comment Dates**

October 13, 2009.

Take notice that on September 21, 2009, pursuant to Rule 602 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.602, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (NYSEG), Niagara Mohawk