

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

[Docket Nos. ER08-411-000; ER08-411-00; ER08-411-002; ER08-411-003]

**Tiger Natural Gas, Inc.; Notice of Issuance of Order**

April 18, 2008.

Tiger Natural Gas, Inc. (Tiger) filed an application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying rate schedule. The proposed market-based rate schedule provides for the sale of energy and capacity at market-based rates. Tiger also requested waivers of various Commission regulations. In particular, Tiger requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Tiger.

On April 17, 2008, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Tariffs and Market Development-West, granted the requests for blanket approval under part 34 (Director's Order). The Director's Order also stated that the Commission would publish a separate notice in the **Federal Register** establishing a period of time for the filing of protests. Accordingly, any person desiring to be heard concerning the blanket approvals of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Tiger 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). The Commission encourages the electronic submission of protests using the FERC Online link at <http://www.ferc.gov>.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests is May 19, 2008.

Absent a request to be heard in opposition to such blanket approvals by the deadline above, Tiger 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 Tiger, 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 Tiger'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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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

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**Office of Research and Development;  
Ambient Air Monitoring Reference and  
Equivalent Methods: Correction to  
Description of Equivalent Method  
EQPM-0308-170 MetOne Instruments,  
Inc.'s, BAM-1020 Beta Attenuation  
Mass Monitor**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency.

**ACTION:** Notice of the correction of the description of an equivalent method for monitoring ambient air quality.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) designated on March 12, 2008, in accordance with 40 CFR part 53, one new equivalent method for measuring concentrations of particulate matter as PM<sub>2.5</sub> in the ambient air. This notice corrects the description of the method.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with regulations at 40 CFR Part 53, the EPA evaluates various methods for monitoring the concentrations of those ambient air pollutants for which EPA has established National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQSs) as set forth in 40 CFR Part 50. Monitoring methods that are determined to meet

specific requirements for adequacy are designated by the EPA as either reference methods or equivalent methods (as applicable), thereby permitting their use under 40 CFR Part 58 by States and other agencies for determining attainment of the NAAQSs.

The EPA hereby announced the designation of one new equivalent method for measuring concentrations of particulate matter as PM<sub>2.5</sub> in the ambient air on March 12, 2008. This designation was made under the provisions of 40 CFR part 53, as amended on December 18, 2006 (71 FR 61271).

The new equivalent method for PM<sub>2.5</sub> is an automated method (sampler) that utilizes a measurement principle based on filter sample collection and analysis by beta-ray attenuation. The newly designated equivalent method is identified as follows: EQPM-0308-170, "Met One Instruments, Inc. BAM-1020 Beta Attenuation Mass Monitor—PM<sub>2.5</sub> FEM Configuration, configured with a BGI VSCC™ Very Sharp Cut Cyclone particle size separator," operated for 24 1-hour average measurements with firmware revision 3.2.4 or later, with or without an inlet tube extension (BX-823), with or without external enclosures BX-902 or BX-903, in accordance with the BAM 1020 Particulate Monitor operation manual, revision F or later, and VSCC™ supplemental manual and equipped with BX-596 ambient temperature and barometric pressure combination sensor, internal BX-961 automatic flow controller operated in Actual (volumetric) flow control mode, the standard BX-802 EPA PM<sub>10</sub> inlet head and a BGI VSCC™ Very Sharp Cut Cyclone (VSCC-A), BX-827 (110V) or BX-830 (230V) Smart Inlet Heater, with the heater RH set to 35% and the temperature control set to "off", the 8470-1 revision D or later tape control transport assembly with close geometry beta source configuration, used with standard glass fiber filter tape, COUNT TIME parameter set for 8 minutes, the SAMPLE TIME parameter set for 42 minutes, BX-302 zero filter calibration kit required.

An application for an equivalent method determination for the candidate method was received by the EPA on September 19, 2007. The sampler is commercially available from the applicant, Met One Instruments, Inc., 1600 Washington Boulevard, Grants Pass, Oregon 97526 (<http://www.metone.com>).

A test analyzer representative of this method has been tested in accordance with the applicable test procedures specified in 40 CFR part 53 (as amended