

required, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.21(b), to continue project operations until the Commission issues someone else a license for the project or otherwise orders disposition of the project.

If the project is subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that an annual license for Project No. 637 is issued to Public Utility District No. 1 of Chelan County for a period effective April 1, 2004, through March 31, 2005, or until the issuance of a new license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first. If issuance of a new license (or other disposition) does not take place on or before April 1, 2005, notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.18(c), an annual license under section 15(a)(1) of the FPA is renewed automatically without further order or notice by the Commission, unless the Commission orders otherwise.

If the project is not subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that Public Utility District No. 1 of Chelan County is authorized to continue operation of the Lake Chelan Project No. 637 until such time as the Commission acts on its application for subsequent license.

Linda Mitry,
Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Project No. 2984]

S.D. Warren Company; Notice of Authorization for Continued Project Operation

April 7, 2004.

On March 29, 2002, the S.D. Warren Company, licensee for the Eel Weir Project No. 2984, filed an application for a new or subsequent license pursuant to the Federal Power Act (FPA) and the Commission's regulations thereunder. Project No. 2984 is located on the Presumpscot River in Cumberland County, Maine.

The license for Project No. 2984 was issued for a period ending March 31, 2004. Section 15(a)(1) of the FPA, 16 U.S.C. 808(a)(1), requires the Commission, at the expiration of a license term, to issue from year to year an annual license to the then licensee under the terms and conditions of the prior license until a new license is issued, or the project is otherwise disposed of as provided in section 15 or

any other applicable section of the FPA. If the project's prior license waived the applicability of section 15 of the FPA, then, based on section 9(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. 558(c), and as set forth at 18 CFR 16.21(a), if the licensee of such project has filed an application for a subsequent license, the licensee may continue to operate the project in accordance with the terms and conditions of the license after the minor or minor part license expires, until the Commission acts on its application. If the licensee of such a project has not filed an application for a subsequent license, then it may be required, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.21(b), to continue project operations until the Commission issues someone else a license for the project or otherwise orders disposition of the project.

If the project is subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that an annual license for Project No. 2984 is issued to the S.D. Warren Company for a period effective April 1, 2004, through March 31, 2005, or until the issuance of a new license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first. If issuance of a new license (or other disposition) does not take place on or before April 1, 2005, notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.18(c), an annual license under section 15(a)(1) of the FPA is renewed automatically without further order or notice by the Commission, unless the Commission orders otherwise.

If the project is not subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that the S.D. Warren Company is authorized to continue operation of the Eel Weir Project No. 2984 until such time as the Commission acts on its application for subsequent license.

Linda Mitry,
Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP04-245-000]

Southern Star Central Gas Pipeline, Inc.; Notice of Tariff Filing

April 6, 2004.

Take notice that on March 31, 2004, Southern Star Central Gas Pipeline, Inc. (Southern Star) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2, Original Sheet No. 0

through Original Sheet No. 328, to become effective May 1, 2004.

Southern Star states that the purpose of this filing is to restate Southern Star's FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2 to reflect its name change to Southern Star Central Gas Pipeline, Inc. rather than Williams Natural Gas Pipeline as currently on file with the Commission. The instant filing reflects the change to Southern Star, reservation and repagination of tariff sheets and cancellation of terminated Service Agreement. Original Volume No. 2 as filed will contain the title page, a Table of Contents and Original Sheet No. 327 stating the applicable rate for Rate Schedule X-23, the only remaining rate schedule.

Southern Star further states that copies of this filing are being mailed to the applicable party regarding Rate Schedule X-23.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's rules and regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with section 154.210 of the Commission's regulations. 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 proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. 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 eLibrary. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the e-Filing link.

Linda Mitry,
Acting Secretary.

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