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. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at http:// www.ferc.gov using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). 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.

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Acting Secretary.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-84-000]

### Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes to FERC Gas Tariff

December 5, 2001.

Take notice that on November 30, 2001 Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Seventh Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised sheets, with an effective date of January 1, 2002:

Fifty-sixth Revised Sheet No. 14 Seventy-seventh Revised Sheet No. 15 Fifty-sixth Revised Sheet No. 16 Seventy-seventh Revised Sheet No. 17 Fortieth Revised Sheet No. 18 Tenth Revised Sheet No. 22

Southern states that the proposed tariff sheets implement the Gas Research Institute's (GRI) revised surcharges for 2002. The 2002 GRI Funding Formula consists of surcharges of (i) .55¢ per Dth applicable to the commodity/usage portion of firm service rates and to interruptible rates and (ii) either 6.6¢ per Dth for high load factor customers or 4.07¢ per Dth for low load factor customers on the demand/reservation component of firm service rates. The 2002 GRI Funding Formula provides for

a surcharge of .88¢ per Dth on service rates for small customers. The Commission authorized these surcharges in Docket No. RP01–434–000 to be effective January 1, 2002. Consistent with the Commission's order dated September 19, 2001, Southern has proposed these tariff sheets to be effective January 1, 2002.

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. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at http:// www.ferc.gov using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). 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.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-86-000]

## Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Settlement Compliance Filing

December 5, 2001.

Take notice that on November 30, 2001, Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern) tendered for filing its annual report pursuant to Section 14.2 of the General Terms and Conditions of its tariff.

Section 14.2 of Southern's Tariff provides for an annual reconciliation of Southern's storage costs to reflect differences between the cost to Southern of its storage gas inventory and the amount Southern receives for such gas arising out of (i) the purchase and sale of such gas in order to resolve shipper imbalances; and (ii) the purchase and sale of gas as necessary to maintain an appropriate level of storage gas inventory for system management purposes. In the instant filing, Southern submits the rate surcharge to the transportation component of its rates under Rate Schedules FT, FT–NN, and IT resulting from the fixed and realized losses it has incurred from the purchase and sale of its storage gas inventory. Southern proposed no change in the surcharge currently in effect.

Southern states that copies of the filing were served upon Southern's customers and interested state commissions.

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. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at http:// www.ferc.gov using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). 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.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-88-000]

## Southern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Settlement Compliance Filing

December 5, 2001.

Take notice that on November 30, 2001, Southern Natural Gas Company (Southern) filed to eliminate the GSR