

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP02-511-000]

Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP; Notice of Proposed Changes to FERC Gas Tariff

September 4, 2002.

Take notice that on August 29, 2002, Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP (Gulf South) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No. 1, Fifth Revised Sheet No. 20, Third Revised Sheet No. 21, Third Revised Sheet No. 22, Third Revised Sheet No. 23, and Third Revised Sheet No. 24, to become effective October 1, 2002.

Gulf South states that the purpose of this filing is to update Gulf South's tariff to reflect the Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) factor to be effective for the twelve-month period beginning October 1, 2002.

Gulf South states that copies of this filing have been served upon Gulf South's customers, state commissions and other interested parties.

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 website at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202) 502-8222 or for TTY, (202) 208-1659. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,
Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP02-507-000]

Midwestern Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

September 4, 2002.

Take notice that on August 29, 2002, Midwestern Gas Transmission Company (Midwestern) tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, Third Revised Sheet No. 5, to become effective October 1, 2002.

Midwestern states that the purpose of this filing is to update Midwestern's tariff to reflect the Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) factor effective for the twelve-month period beginning October 1, 2002 pursuant to Section 154.402 of the Commission's regulations and Section 18 of the General Terms and Conditions of Midwestern's tariff. Midwestern states that its new ACA factor will be \$0.0022 per Dth. This new factor was specified by the Commission at the time the Commission calculated the annual charge bill for fiscal year 2002, and is an increase from its current ACA factor of \$0.0001 per Dth.

Midwestern states that copies of this filing have been sent to all of Midwestern's contracted shippers 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. 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 "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202) 502-8222 or for TTY, (202) 208-1659. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. 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.

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Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Project No. 2816-017]

North Hartland, LLC; Notice of Petition for Declaratory Order

September 3, 2002.

On August 15, 2002, North Hartland, LLC (NHL), filed a petition for a declaratory order to resolve matters relating to the transfer of the license for the North Hartland Project No. 2816, located at the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' North Hartland Dam, on the Ottauquechee River, in Windsor County, Vermont. The Commission, in June 2000, approved the transfer of the license to NHL from Vermont Electric Generation & Transmission Cooperative (VEGT), through the trustee of VEGT's bankruptcy estate. According to the petition, the bankruptcy trustee has been discharged from his duties, and the project assets are now in the custody and control of the U.S. Government, specifically the Department of Justice, representing the Rural Utilities Service of the Department of Agriculture.

The petition states that, under Title 30 of the Vermont Statutes Annotated, section 109, a corporation subject to the Vermont Public Service Board (board) shall not make a sale, lease, or series of sales or leases in any one calendar year constituting ten percent or more of the company's property located within Vermont and actually used for public service operations, except after opportunity for hearing by the board and a finding by the board that such a sale or lease will promote the general good of the state. Section 109 provides that a certificate of consent of the board shall be filed with the secretary of state. Section 231 of the same statute provides that a person, partnership, or association desiring to own or operate a business over which the board has jurisdiction must first petition the board to determine whether the operation of such business will promote the general good of the state.

The petition states that the board has asserted authority under Title 30 over the transfer of the project property to NHL and over NHL's operation of the

project, and that, over a period of two years, the board has failed either to issue approvals of those actions or to agree that such approvals are unnecessary. NHL requests that the Commission issue a declaratory order finding that action or approval by the board is not required to consummate the transactions approved in the Commission's license transfer order, by which NHL means the transfer of the project property and the ownership and operation of the project by NHL. NHL asks the Commission to determine that the Commission has exclusive jurisdiction over the project, including its sale, transfer, ownership, and operation, to the exclusion of Title 30, the application of which conflicts with Federal law.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest the petition should file comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, 385.211 and 385.214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests and other comments, but only those who file a motion to intervene may become parties to the proceeding. Comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be filed within 15 days of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register** and must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS," "PROTEST," or "MOTION TO INTERVENE," as applicable, and Project No. 2816-017.

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.

Send the filings (original and 8 copies) to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Petition for Declaratory Order 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 "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202) 502-8222 or for TTY, (202) 208-1659.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-506-000]

Northern Border Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

September 4, 2002.

Take notice that on August 29, 2002, Northern Border Pipeline Company (Northern Border) tendered for filing to become part of Northern Border Pipeline Company's FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet to become effective October 1, 2002:

Second Revised Sheet Number 99

Northern Border states that the purpose of this filing is to update Northern Border's tariff to reflect the Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) factor effective for the twelve-month period beginning October 1, 2002 pursuant to Section 154.402 of the Commission's regulations and Section 16 of the General Terms and Conditions of Northern Border's tariff. Northern Border states that its new ACA factor will be \$0.0022 per Dth. This new factor was specified by the Commission at the time the Commission calculated the annual charge bill for fiscal year 2002, and is an increase from its current ACA factor of \$0.0001 per Dth.

Northern Border states that copies of this filing have been sent to all of Northern Border's contracted shippers 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. 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 "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For Assistance, call (202) 502-8222 or for TTY, (202) 208-1659. Comments,

protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. 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.

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Deputy Secretary.

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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-510-000]

Questar Pipeline Company; Notice of Tariff Filing

September 4, 2002.

Take notice that on August 29, 2002, Questar Pipeline Company (Questar), tendered for filing FERC Gas Tariff, the following tariff sheets, to be effective October 1, 2002:

First Revised Volume No.1

Twenty-Fifth Revised Sheet No. 5

Fourteenth Revised Sheet No. 6

Original Volume No. 3

Thirty-Third Revised Sheet No. 8

Questar states that this filing incorporates into its storage and transportation rates the annual charge adjustment (ACA) unit rate of \$0.00212 per Dth..

Questar states that copies of this filing were served upon Questar's customers, the Public Service Commission of Utah and the Public Service Commission of Wyoming.

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 "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the