#### 9. NorAm Gas Transmission Company

[Docket No. CP95-249-000]

Take notice that on March 8, 1995, NorAm Gas Transmission Company (NGT), 1600 Smith Street, Houston, Texas 77002, filed in Docket No. CP95-249–000 a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.211 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205 and 157.211) for authorization to construct and operate a new delivery tap on NGT's Line BT-14 in Yell County, Arkansas, under NGT's blanket certificate issued in Docket Nos. CP82-384-000 and CP82-384-001, pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request that is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

NGT proposes to construct and operate a new 2-inch rural domestic tap for delivery of natural gas to ARKLA, a division of NorAm Energy Corp. for redelivery to its customer, Bessie Jo Meers. The tap will be located in Section 35, Township 7 North, Range 21 West, Yell County, Arkansas and approximately 85 MMBtu annually and 1 MMBtu per day are estimated to be delivered through the tap. NGT states that the estimated cost of construction is \$2,700 and ARKLA will reimburse NGT for all construction costs. NGT further states that the volumes to be delivered are within ARKLA's certificated entitlement and NGT's tariff does not prohibit the addition of new delivery points.

Comment date: April 24, 1995, in accordance with Standard Paragraph G at the end of this notice.

# **Standard Paragraphs**

F. Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before the comment date, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest 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 Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.10). All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to

the jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by Sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a hearing will be held without further notice before the Commission or its designee on this application if no motion to intervene is filed within the time required herein, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that a grant of the certificate and/or permission and approval for the proposed abandonment are required by the public convenience and necessity. If a motion for leave to intervene is timely filed, or if the Commission on its own motion believes that a formal hearing is required, further notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for applicant to appear or be represented at the hearing.

G. Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

# Lois D. Cashell

Secretary

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# [Docket No. CP95-253-000, et al.]

# NorAm Gas Transmission Company, et al.; Natural Gas Certificate Filings

March 14, 1995

Take notice that the following filings have been made with the Commission:

#### 1. NorAm Gas Transmission Company

[Docket No. CP95-253-000]

Take notice that on March 9, 1995, NorAm Gas Transmission Company (NGT), P.O. Box 21734, Shreveport, Louisiana 71151, filed a request with the Commission in Docket No. CP95– 253–000 pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (NGA) for authorization to replace certain metering and regulating facilities in Union Parish, Louisiana, with upgraded facilities in order to increase natural gas deliveries to Arkla, a division of NorAm Energy Corp. (Arkla), under NGT's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82–384–000, et al. pursuant to Section 7 of the NGA, all as more fully set forth in the request which is open to the public for inspection.

NGT proposes to abandon an above ground 2-inch meter station and a 1inch regulator and replace them with a 4-inch meter station and a 2-inch regulator at Arkla's request. NGT states that it would increase its natural gas deliveries to Arkla's Rural Extension No. 292 in Farmerville, Union Parish, Louisiana. NGT would deliver to Arkla approximately 440,500 MMBtu equivalent annually and 2,400 MMBtu equivalent per peak day, all within Arkla's certificated entitlements. NGT states that it would cost approximately \$58,700 to remove the old facilities and to construct the new facilities. NGT also states that Arkla has agreed to reimburse NGT for the cost of this project.

Comment date: April 28, 1995, in accordance with Standard Paragraph G at the end of this notice.

# 2. Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America

[Docket No. CP95-254-000]

Take notice that on March 9, 1995, Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America (Natural), 701 East 22nd Street, Lombard, Illinois 60148, filed in Docket No. CP95–254–000 an abbreviated application pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act for permission and approval to abandon an offshore metering facility which was authorized in Docket No. CP76–80, all as more fully set forth in the application on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Natural proposes to abandon a dual 4-inch meter that is located on Mesa Petroleum Company's platform in East Cameron Block 322, offshore Louisiana. Natural states that the metering facilities are no longer needed and will be abandoned in place.

Comment date: April 4, 1995, in accordance with Standard Paragraph F at the end of this notice.

# 3. Stingray Pipeline Company

[Docket No. CP95-255-000]

Take notice that on March 9, 1995, Stingray Pipeline Company (Stingray), 701 East 22nd Street, Lombard, Illinois 60148, filed in Docket No. CP95–255– 000 an application pursuant to Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act for permission and approval to abandon an offshore lateral which was authorized in Docket No. CP75–329, all as more fully set forth in the application on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Stingray proposes to abandon 7 miles of 6-inch lateral located in East Cameron Block 322, offshore Louisiana. Stingray states that there are leaks in a small segment of the lateral and Stingray has determined that it would be uneconomical to make the necessary repairs. The lateral will be abandoned in place with the exception of approximately 500 feet of lateral which Stingray intends to cut and remove in order for the producer to position a rig near its platform.

Comment date: April 4, 1995, in accordance with Standard Paragraph F at the end of this notice.

#### Standard Paragraphs

F. Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should on or before the comment date, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, D.C. 20426, a motion to intervene or a protest 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 Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.10). All protests filed with the Commission will be considered by it in determining the appropriate action to be taken but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party to a proceeding or to participate as a party in any hearing therein must file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules.

Take further notice that, pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to the jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by Sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a hearing will be held without further notice before the Commission or its designee on this application if no motion to intervene is filed within the time required herein, if the Commission on its own review of the matter finds that a grant of the certificate and/or permission and approval for the proposed abandonment are required by the public convenience and necessity. If a motion for leave to intervene is timely filed, or if the Commission on its own motion believes

that a formal hearing is required, further notice of such hearing will be duly given.

Under the procedure herein provided for, unless otherwise advised, it will be unnecessary for applicant to appear or be represented at the hearing.

G. Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to § 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

#### Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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## [Docket No. ER95-265-000]

## Southern Company Services, Inc.; Notice of Filing

March 14, 1995.

Take notice that on January 31, 1995, Southern Company Services, Inc., acting on behalf of Alabama Power Company, Georgia Power Company, Gulf Power Company, Mississippi Power Company, and Savannah Electric and Power Company (collectively referred to as "Operating Companies"), tendered for filing supplemental information concerning the adoption of certain accounting methods for post-retirement benefits other than pensions, as set forth in the Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. 106 by the Financial Accounting Standards Board, in agreements and tariffs of the Operating Companies (jointly and individually).

In addition, the Operating Companies provided notice to the Commission that they have established irrevocable external trusts as defined under the Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(8), that they will maximize use of income tax deductions for amounts deposited to such trusts, and that they

have made appropriate deposits to such accounts. The Operating Companies state that this material was filed in compliance with the Commission's policy statement on ratemaking treatment for post-retirement benefits other than pensions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal **Energy Regulatory Commission, 825** North Capitol 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 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before March 24, 1995. 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 motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

#### Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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## Office of Hearings and Appeals

# Notice of Cases Filed During the Week of February 20 Through February 24, 1995

During the Week of February 20 through February 24, 1995, the appeals and applications for other relief listed in the Appendix to this Notice were filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals of the Department of Energy.

Under DOE procedural regulations, 10 CFR Part 205, any person who will be aggrieved by the DOE action sought in these cases may file written comments on the application within ten days of service of notice, as prescribed in the procedural regulations. For purposes of the regulations, the date of service of notice is deemed to be the date of publication of this Notice or the date of receipt by an aggrieved person of actual notice, whichever occurs first. All such comments shall be filed with the Office of Hearings and Appeals, Department of Energy, Washington, DC 20585.

Dated: March 13, 1995.

#### George B. Breznay,

Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals.