

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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EC96-19-003 and ER96-1663-003; Docket No. ER97-2358-000; Docket No. ER97-2364-000; Docket No. ER97-2355-000]

Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, and Southern California Edison Company; Pacific Gas and Electric Company; San Diego Gas & Electric Company; Southern California Edison Company; Notice of Response to Request for Additional Information

May 23, 1997.

Take notice that on May 20, 1997, the Interim Chief Executive Officer and President of the California Independent System Operator Corporation (ISO) and the California Power Exchange Corporation (PX), submitted on behalf of the Governing Boards of the ISO and PX, responses to requests for additional information by the Commission Staff by letter issued April 29, 1997, in the captioned proceedings.

Any person desiring to file comments with respect to said submittal should incorporate their comments with their motion to intervene or protest in these proceedings, due to be filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, no later than June 6, 1997. As noted in the Commission's April 7, 1997, Notice of Filings in these proceedings, parties submitting motions or protests must submit two copies of their filing on a computer diskette, one in WordPerfect 6.1 format, and one in a DOS file in the ASCII format (with 1" margins and 10 characters per inch). The two computer files should be labeled (_____.WP and

_____.ASC) to avoid confusion. Filings must include a one page executive summary.

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 must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

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[Docket No. RP97-160-003]

Western Gas Interstate Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

May 23, 1997.

Take notice that on May 19, 1997, Western Gas Interstate Company (WGI) tendered for filing as part of WGI's FERC Gas Tariff, Fourth Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets, with June 1, 1997:

Substitute First Revised Sheet No. 247
Substitute Original Sheet No. 248

WGI states that the filing is made to comply with the Commission's letter order issued May 2, 1997 in the above-captioned docket and with the Commission's Order Nos. 587 and 587-B, "Standards for Business Practices of Interstate Natural Gas Pipelines," 76 FERC ¶ 61,042 (1996); 78 FERC ¶ 61,076 (1997), adopting certain standardized business practices and electronic communication practices promulgated by the Gas Industry Standards Board ("GISB") and requiring pipelines to comply with the requirements of the GISB standards by incorporating the GISB standards by reference into the Commission Regulations.

WGI states that copies of the filing were served upon the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Any persons desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed as provided in 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 the protestants parties to the proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-352-001]

Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company, Notice of Tariff Filing

May 23, 1997.

Take notice that on May 20, 1997, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company (Williston Basin or Company), tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets to become effective June 1, 1997:

First Revised Sheet No. 226B
Original Sheet No. 226C

Williston Basin states that the revised tariff sheets reflect a supplement to its May 1, 1997 Section 4 filing in the above referenced docket in order to offer an electronic means of submitting nominations via a file transfer mechanism, as more fully set forth in the instant filing which is on file with the Commission and open for public inspection.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. All such protests must be filed on or before May 28, 1997. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make the protestants parties to the proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

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Acting Secretary.

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