

sedimentation. Best management practices would be employed during construction and maintenance activities associated with this proposed action.

In accordance with DOE regulations for compliance with floodplain and wetland environmental review requirements (title 10 CFR part 1022), DOE will prepare a floodplain and wetlands assessment for this proposed DOE action. The assessment will be included in the environmental assessment (EA) being prepared for the proposed action in accordance with the requirements of NEPA. A floodplain statement of findings will be included in any finding of no significant impact that is issued following the completion of the EA or may be issued separately.

Issued in Aiken, SC, on August 4, 1997.

Lowell E. Tripp,

*Director, Engineering and Analysis Division,
Savannah River Operations Office.*

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Oak Ridge Reservation

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Oak Ridge Reservation.

DATES: Friday, August 28, 1997, 6:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Comfort Inn, 433 South Rutgers Avenue, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sandy Perkins, Site-Specific Advisory Board Coordinator, Department of Energy Oak Ridge Operations Office, 105 Broadway, Oak Ridge, TN 37830, (423) 576-1590.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board

The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda

This Board meeting has been specially called and will focus on approval to spend Board funds to have an independent consultant review the

permitting and operations of the Toxic Substances Control Act incinerator.

Public Participation

The meeting is open to the public and comments will be taken during the meeting. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Sandy Perkins at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments.

Minutes

The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available at the Department of Energy's Information Resource Center at 105 Broadway, Oak Ridge, TN between 8:30 am and 5:00 pm on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday; 8:30 am and 7:00 pm on Tuesday and Thursday; and 9:00 am and 1:00 pm on Saturday, or by writing to Sandy Perkins, Department of Energy Oak Ridge Operations Office, 105 Broadway, Oak Ridge, TN 37830, or by calling her at (423) 576-1590.

Issued at Washington, DC on August 12, 1997.

Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-165-006]

Alabama-Tennessee Natural Gas Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

August 12, 1997.

Take notice that on August 6, 1997, Midcoast Interstate Transmission, Inc. (formerly Alabama-Tennessee Natural Gas Company, hereinafter MIT), tendered for filing as part of its FERC

Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet to be effective June 1, 1997.

Second Substitute First Revised Sheet No. 154

MIT states that the tariff sheet is filed in compliance with the July 29, 1997 letter order issued in the captioned proceeding.

MIT states that copies of its filing were served on all affected entities.

Any person desiring to protest this 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 should 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 proceeding. Copies of this filing are on file and available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP94-158-008]

Columbia Gas Transmission; Notice of Compliance Filing

August 12, 1997.

Take notice that on August 8, 1997, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation (Columbia Transmission) tendered for filing to become part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet bearing an effective date of September 8, 1997.

Second Revised Sheet No. 96

Columbia Transmission states that it is making the submission to comply with the letter order issued by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission on July 11, 1997, in Docket No. RP94-158-007. Therein, Columbia Transmission was requested to file to remove certain tariff sheets which detailed certain direct bill amounts associated with its Account No. 191, which are no longer necessary.

Columbia Transmission states further that copies of this filing have been mailed to all of its customers, affected