

rate under the new rate schedule; or, if the rate is a currently effective rate, include the appropriate reference and an explanation of why the rate is appropriate;

(vi) Give a justification, similar in form to filed testimony in a general section 4 rate case, explaining why the proposed rate design and proposed allocation of costs are just and reasonable;

(vii) If the costs relating to existing services are reallocated to new services, explain the method for allocating the costs and the impact on the existing customers;

(viii) Include workpapers showing the estimated effect on revenue and costs over the twelve-month period commencing on the proposed effective date of the filing.

(ix) List other filings pending before the Commission at the time of the filing which may significantly affect the filing. Explain how the instant filing would be affected by the outcome of each related pending filing;

(2) Any interdependent filings must be filed concurrently and contain a notice of the interdependence.

(b) If a new service, facility, or rate is specifically authorized by a Commission order pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, with the filing of tariff sheets to implement the new rate schedule, the natural gas company must:

(1) Comply with the requirements of § 154.203; and

(2) Where the rate or charge proposed differs from the rate or charge approved in the certificate order, the natural gas company must: show that the change is due to a rate adjustment under a periodic rate change mechanism previously accepted under § 154.505 which has taken effect since the certificate order was issued; or, show that the rate change is in accordance with the terms of the certificate, and provide workpapers justifying the change.

#### § 154.203 Compliance filings.

(a) In addition to the requirements of subpart A, B, and C of this part, filings made to comply with orders issued by the Commission, including those issued under delegated authority, must contain the following:

(1) A list of the directives with which the company is complying;

(2) Revised workpapers, data, or summaries with cross-references to the originally filed workpapers, data, or summaries;

(b) Filings made to comply with Commission orders must include only those changes required to comply with

the order. Such compliance filings may not be combined with other rate or tariff change filings. A compliance filing that includes other changes or that does not comply with the applicable order in every respect may be rejected.

#### § 154.204 Changes related to suspended tariffs, executed service agreements, or parts thereof.

(a) *Changes in suspended tariffs, executed service agreements, or parts thereof.* A natural gas company may not, within the period of suspension, file any change in a proposed tariff, executed service agreement, or part thereof, that has been suspended by order of the Commission, except by special permission of the Commission granted upon application therefor and for good cause shown.

(b) *Changes in tariffs, executed service agreements, or parts thereof continued in effect, and which were to be changed by the suspended filing.* A natural gas company may not, within the period of suspension, file any change in a tariff, executed service agreement, or part thereof, that is continued in effect by operation of the order of suspension, and that was proposed to be changed by the suspended filing, except:

(1) Under a previously approved tariff provision permitting a limited rate change, or

(2) By special permission of the Commission.

#### § 154.205 Motion to place suspended rates into effect.

(a) If a rate proceeding initiated under section 4(e) of the Natural Gas Act has not been concluded and an order issued by the Commission before the expiration of the suspension period, the filed change of rate, charge, classification, or service will go into effect upon motion of the pipeline company.

(b) If, prior to the end of the suspension period, the Commission has issued an order requiring changes in the filed rates, or the filed rates recover costs for facilities not certificated and in service as of the proposed effective date, the pipeline must file a motion to place the suspended rates into effect not less than 30 days nor more than 60 days prior to the end of the suspension period, or such later effective date requested by the pipeline. The motion must be accompanied by revised tariff sheets reflecting any changes ordered by the Commission or modifications approved by the Commission during the suspension period under § 154.204. The filing of the revised tariff sheets must:

(1) Comply with the requirements of subparts A, B, and C of this part;

(2) Identify the Commission order directing the revision;

(3) List the modifications made to the currently effective rate during the suspension period, the docket number in which the modifications were filed, and identify the order permitting the modifications.

(c) Where the Commission has suspended the effective date of a change of rate, charge, classification, or service for less than one day, the proposed change of rate, charge, classification, or service will go into effect without a motion, subject to refund, on the authorized effective date.

#### § 154.206 Notice requirements.

All proposed changes in tariffs, contracts, or any parts thereof must be filed with the Commission and posted not less than 30 days nor more than 60 days prior to the proposed effective date thereof, unless a waiver of the time periods is granted by the Commission.

#### § 154.207 Service on customers and other parties.

The company must serve copies of the filing upon the company's customers and state regulatory commissions on or before the filing date.

#### § 154.208 Form of notice for Federal Register.

The company must file a form of notice suitable for publication in the **Federal Register**. The company must also submit a copy of the notice on a separate 3½" diskette in ASCII format. Each diskette must be labelled with the name of the company and the words "notice of filing." The notice must be in the following form:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL  
ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
(Name of Company)  
Docket No.

Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas  
Tariff

Take notice that on (date), (name of company) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Volume No. (number), the following tariff sheets, to become effective (insert effective date). (List tariff sheets) [The following language in the first paragraph applies only to rate change filings.] The proposed changes would (increase/decrease) revenues from jurisdictional service by (dollar amount) based on the 12-month period ending (date), as adjusted. [For proposed changes other than changed rates and charges, the company must state concisely the nature of these changes.]

[The company must briefly describe the reasons for the proposed changes in the second paragraph.]

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests