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February 22, 2024

Ms. Debbie-Anne Reese, Acting Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20426

RE: Northern Natural Gas Company
Docket No. RP24-_____
Negotiated Rate Transaction

Dear Ms. Reese:

Northern Natural Gas Company ("Northern") hereby submits the following tariff sheets for filing as part of its F.E.R.C. Gas Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No. 1 (the "Tariff"), to be effective February 23, 2024:

SIXTH REVISED VOLUME NO. 1
Forty Seventh Revised Sheet No. 66B.01
Eleventh Revised Sheet No. 66B.37

Reason for Filing

On June 7, 1996, in Docket No. RP96-272-000, Northern filed tariff sheets permitting it to negotiate rates in accordance with the Commission's Policy Statement on Alternatives to Traditional Cost-of-Service Ratemaking for Natural Gas Pipelines, issued January 31, 1996, in Docket No. RM95-6-000 (the "Policy Statement").¹ The Commission accepted the tariff sheets in an order issued July 5, 1996 (the "1996 Order").

The reason for this filing is to update tariff sheets to reflect the addition of a negotiated rate service agreement with Tenaska Marketing Ventures ("Tenaska").

¹ 74 FERC ¶ 61,076 (1996).

New Transaction

Tenaska – Contract 142881:

Sheet Nos. 66B.01b and 66B.37 are being updated to reflect the addition of the agreement from 2/23/24 through 3/31/24. The negotiated rate provisions are set forth in footnote 370.

Other Regulatory Requirements

The negotiated rate transaction shall be reflected on Northern's transactional report.

In accordance with the Commission's 1996 Order, Northern will keep separate and identifiable its negotiated rate information in such form that it can be filed and separately totaled, in particular, as part of and in the format of Statements G, I, and J in Northern's future rate cases.

Waivers

The Policy Statement provides: "the Commission will readily grant requests to waive the 30-day notice requirement" for negotiated rate filings.² Accordingly, Northern respectfully requests the Commission grant waiver of section 154.207 and any other waivers of its Regulations it deems necessary to allow this filing to become effective February 23, 2024.

Posting

Northern has served an electronic copy of this filing upon its customers and interested state regulatory commissions.

Marked Version

In accordance with section 154.201 of the Commission's Regulations, Northern submits herewith a marked version of the proposed tariff changes highlighting new additions and showing deletions by strikeout.

² 74 FERC ¶ 61,076 at 61,241-2 (1996). *See NorAm Gas Transmission Company*, 77 FERC ¶ 61,011 at 61,034-5 (1996).

Motion

In accordance with Sections 154.7(a)(9) and 154.206(c) of the Commission's Regulations, Northern hereby moves to place the tariff sheets referenced herein in effect as of the end of any suspension period ordered by the Commission.

Data Processing Requirements

Northern submits this filing through FERC's electronic tariff filing process in a FERC-approved format.

Communication

It is respectfully requested that all Commission orders and correspondence, as well as pleadings and correspondence from other persons concerning this filing, be served upon each of the following:

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Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments

STATEMENT OF NEGOTIATED RATES 1/

<u>Shipper Name</u>	<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Negotiated Rate</u>	<u>Other Charges</u>	<u>Volume</u>	<u>Receipt Point(s)</u>	<u>Delivery Point(s)</u>
Coronado Midstream LLC Contract 142112	TFX	350/		25,000	Coronado Midmar Martin Co	Brownfield Pool
Mile Lacs Corporate Ventures Contract 141058	TF	353/		125	All Market Area Receipt Points	All Market Area Delivery Points
Tenaska Marketing Ventures Contract 132668	TFX	356/		20,000	Oasis/NNG Waha All Field Area MID 1 - MID 7 Receipt Points	NNG Demarcation Demarc Def. Delivery
WTG Midstream Marketing, LLC Contract 141947	TFX	357/		20,000	WTG Martin County All Field Area MID 1 - MID 7 Receipt Points	Oneok Westex Seagraves WTG Winkler Co. Agua Blanco Pecos Co El Paso/NNG Waha GCX Waha Oasis/NNG Waha Oneok Westex Reeves Permian Highway Delivery Trans-Pecos Heb Pecos Co
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ETC Marketing, LTD. Contract 142637	TFX	360/		47,666	Mid-Continent Def. Delivery	NNG Demarcation
Hartree Partners, LP Contract 140119	TFX	361/		40,000	NNG Demarcation Ventura Pool	ANR/NNG Janesville
Hartree Partners, LP Contract 140120	TFX	362/		30,000	TBPL Beatrice	NNG Demarcation Demarc Def. Delivery
ETC Marketing, LTD. Contract 129229/805095	PDD	363/		1,500,000	Mid-Continent Def. Delivery	Mid-Continent Def. Delivery
ETC Marketing, LTD. Contract 142638	TFX	364/		50,000	NNG Demarcation	Mid-Continent Def. Delivery
Eco-Energy Natural Gas, LLC Contract 141380	TFX	365/		15,000	Oneok Westex Seagraves All Field Area MID 1 - MID 7 Receipt Points	El Paso Plains 26 Del Agua Blanco Pecos Co El Paso/NNG Waha Oneok Westex Reeves
Koch Energy Services, LLC Contract 142643	TFX	366/		31,777	Mid-Continent Def. Delivery	NNG Demarcation
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The Rate set forth above is applicable to the receipt and delivery points (POI) listed. For any delivered quantities on any day from receipt points not listed located in MIDs 8 through 16B, Shipper shall pay an additional \$0.40/Dth/day charge. In addition to the foregoing, for quantities delivered to non-primary delivery points, Shipper shall pay an additional \$0.40/Dth/day charge for deliveries to points located in MIDs 1 through 16A, except quantities may be delivered to the Pampa Pooling Point at the Rate set forth above provided the quantities are ultimately redelivered to Demarc on this Agreement. In addition to the foregoing, for quantities delivered to non-primary delivery points, Shipper shall pay an additional (i) \$0.40/Dth/day charge for deliveries to points located in MIDs 1 through 16A; and (ii) charge equal to the higher of Northern's maximum tariff rate or the Platts "Gas Daily" spread between Midpoints for Northern, demarc and Waha, for any delivered quantities to Demarc or Demarc Def.-Delivery that in aggregate exceed the MDQ at Demarc. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, in the event of an outage on Northern's pipeline system that impacts the Shipper's ability to schedule any primary receipt and delivery points, Shipper may use, at the Rate set forth above, any quantity that does not exceed the Demarc MDQ less any quantities delivered to Demarc or Demarc Def.-Delivery for either (1) any Field Area receipt point located in MIDs 8 through 16A for delivery to Demarc or Demarc Def. - Delivery, or (2) any receipt point located in MIDs 1 through 7 for delivery to any Field Area delivery point not listed located in MIDs 1 through 16A.

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