



2nd Technical Conference eTariff Software

Electric Tariff Filings

Docket No. RM01-5-000

March 28, 2006

Agenda

- Opening remarks by Staff
- Prepared remarks from the public
- eTariff Software Discussion
- Closing remarks

Guidelines for Conference

- Staff does not speak for the Commission
- Staff cannot commit the Commission to any action
- Comments made at the Technical Conference are not part of the record
 - Written comments due **May 30, 2006**
- Ask questions anytime – remember clock

Reasons for Electronic Tariffs/Tariff Filings

■ From NOPR in RM01-5-000:

- improve the efficiency/
administration of the tariff/tariff
filing process
- reduce the burden/expense
associated with paper tariffs/
paper tariff changes
- facilitate public access to tariff
information

Reasons for Electronic Tariffs/Tariff Filings

- improve management of the tariff and tariff change processes
- facilitate the analysis of proposed tariff changes
- improve access/research capabilities within/among applicants' tariffs

Reasons for Electronic Tariffs/Tariff Filings

- On going process from paper to electronic since 1988
- Congress: Goal to substitute electronic means of communication and information storage for paper.

Progress Since 1st Tech. Conf.

■ Tariff Creation

- Permits file attachments as part of the tariff section.
- Target any tariff section to edit
- Attaching new/Canceling sections with subsections
- Introduced Spell check
- Direct import/export from/to Word into/from the tariff section
- Introduced Priority order for intra-day priority

Progress Since 1st Tech. Conf.

■ Tariff Research

- Section history tracing introduced
 - Links between filings shown
 - Jump to filing
- Search revamped to focus only on tariff sections
- Improved tariff section status: Accepted v Effective
- “NAESB” function to create set of linked HTML tariff section files for posting on website
 - Company must still provide webpage, style sheet and indexing for search web-paged based capabilities.

Progress Since 1st Tech. Conf.

■ Tariff Filings

- All Commission permitted filing types
- Commission required identification of tariff filing relationships for tariff filings/sections
- Company tariff section identifier
- Copy Filing function
- Filing summaries for internal review/posting
- Filing fee tariff filings capable
- 3rd Party interface capable for either complete tariff filings or just tariff sections.

Current Status of Software

■ **Field Software:**

- All major features and functions are available
 - Testing for/of additional functionality complete
 - Bugs will continue to be fixed as found
- Specific non-critical items forthcoming:
 - ISOs request ability to restrict access
 - Completion of Help and Instructions
 - 3rd party interface

Current Status of Software

■ **Company Registration**

- Data requirements and interface set
- Behind the scenes software in development

■ **Filing Fees**

- Pay.gov

Current Status of Software

■ **FERC Staff Software (Client)**

- Primitive: focus has been on Field software
- Client and support systems will be focus of next software development phase
- Client features shared with Field will continue to be shared as Client is upgraded

Current Status of Software

■ **Public Tariff Viewer**

- Phase I currently posted
 - PDF format only
 - Shows effective tariff

Current Status of Software

■ Public Tariff Viewer

- Phase II will have FASTR-type capabilities
 - Program/company
 - Date Range
 - Status condition
 - Docket Number
 - Text search (eTariff format only)
 - Link to tariff filing in eLibrary
- Will be available before Rule implementation

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SEARCH ? HELP

All Companies

Company Name (First 3 Letters or Full):

Found: (Click to Select) Selected: (Click to Remove)

Gas Pipeline Company Gas Pipeline Company 2	Gas Pipeline Company
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Optional Search Criteria

Program	Status	Status Date Range (mm/dd/yyyy)	Docket Number
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Tariff Viewer - Search

- Search 1 Company or Across Companies
- Within a Set of Companies, Search:
 - 1, Multiple, or All Programs
 - 1, Multiple, or All Statuses
 - Date Range (Effective Date)
 - Docket Number
 - Text String with Wildcards
- A Database Download Option is Planned but not Shown

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Gas Pipeline Company

Tariff 9 v8

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Tariff 10 v8

(0.1.2) 1.1.2.Target Amend
 Effective Date: 12/13/2005 Status: Accept

Nominations and Scheduling. If Customer desires transportation of natural gas on any day under this rate schedule, Customer shall provide a nomination to Algonquin in accordance with Section 22 of the General Terms and Conditions of this tariff. Based upon the nomination of Customer, Algonquin shall schedule receipts and deliveries of gas in accordance with the General Terms and Conditions. It is the responsibility of Customer to adjust its deliveries and receipts to conform to the scheduled quantities.

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Tariff Viewer – Search Results

- Navigation Tree Displays Hyperlinks for all Tariff Sections Meeting Search Criteria
- Hyperlinks are Displayed According to how the Sections were Filed
- Sections can be Saved or Printed Individually or by Tariff or by Company (Using Print Icon: Each Section Printed as a Separate File; Using Save Icon: All Checked Sections Saved as a Single File with Section Name Heading, Effective Date, and Status Separating each Section.)
- If Available in HTML Format (Entered and Submitted with Field Software versus Attached) Tariff Section Text is Displayed in the Browser when the Hyperlink is Selected
- Section Effective Date and Status are Always Displayed
- eTariff-generated and Applicant-specified Section Numbers are Displayed
- eLibrary Link Will Display the eLibrary Document Information Page for the Parent Accession Number for the Tariff; the Child Document can then be Selected.
- The Download Link will Open or Save the Viewed Section's attached tariff file in its native format.
- The Perform Another Search Link Will Re-Display the Search Page with Existing Search Criteria

eLibrary - Document Information - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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 Equitrans, LP submits Fourth Revised Sheet 1 et al to FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume 1, to be effective 3/1/05 under RP05-164.

Category: Submittal **Library:** GAS

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20050131-0261	Equitrans, LP's Notice of Rate Filing to become effective 3/1/05 under RP05-164. Volume II, Statement G.
20050131-0268	Direct testimony of Raymond Reno Cassidy on behalf of Equitrans, LP under RP05-164.
20050131-0263	Direct testimony of Andrew L Murphy on behalf of Equitrans, LP under RP05-164.

Local intranet

Tariff Viewer – Other Notes

- The eLibrary Document Information Page Displayed will be the Tariff Filing Transmittal Letter
- eLibrary Child Documents will Include the Documents Attached to the Tariff Filing and a PDF Rendition of the Filed Changes to the Tariff Database
- We Plan to Make the 2.0 Viewer Available when Final Rule is Issued