

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
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In Reply Refer To:  
ANR Pipeline Company  
Docket No. RP00-332-009

ANR Pipeline Company  
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Reference: Amendment to Settlement Agreement

Ladies and Gentlemen:

1. On August 24, 2004, ANR Pipeline Company (ANR) filed a proposed amendment to a Settlement Agreement (Settlement) which was approved by the Commission on December 20, 2001 [97 FERC ¶ 61,323 (2001)]. The amendment eliminates all references to the Imbalance Management Task Force (Task Force) established in the original Settlement. The amendment is accepted effective November 1, 2004.
2. On December 20, 2001, the Commission approved a Settlement between ANR and its customers that resolved all issues arising out of ANR's Order No. 637 compliance filing. Prior to the Settlement, ANR had in effect several imbalance management services. As part of the Settlement, ANR agreed to institute additional imbalance management practices and to establish a task force to develop tariff provisions to accommodate imbalance services by third-party providers. In approving the Settlement, the Commission declined to address the issue of the Task Force because it is outside the scope of compliance with Order No. 637.
3. ANR proposes to amend the Settlement to eliminate all references to the Task Force from the Settlement. ANR states that, after several meetings, members of the Task Force were unable to reach agreement on any new tariff proposals to enhance the accommodation of imbalance services by third-party providers. ANR states that this is because the Order No. 637 Settlement already included tariff enhancements that facilitate those services by third-party providers.

4. ANR served copies of its motion to amend its Order No. 637 Settlement agreement on all parties to the proceeding, and no party filed comments. Accordingly, the Commission grants ANR's unopposed motion to amend its Settlement agreement to eliminate the provisions concerning the Task Force.

By direction of the Commission.

Magalie R. Salas,  
Secretary.