

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION****President's Advisory Commission on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans; Meeting**

**AGENCY:** President's Advisory Commission on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans, Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the schedule and proposed agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the President's Advisory Commission on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans (Commission). Notice of this meeting is required under Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act in order to notify the public of their opportunity to attend.

**DATES AND TIMES:** Tuesday, September 14, 1999, 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m. (est). Wednesday, September 15, 1999, 10:00 a.m.–12:00 noon (est).

**ADDRESSES:** Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC) Building, 1100 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, DC.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Luis Rosero, Special Assistant for Communication, at 202–401–8459 (telephone), 202–401–8377 (FAX), [luis\\_rosero@ed.gov](mailto:luis_rosero@ed.gov) (e-mail) or mail: U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue SW, Room 5E110; Washington, DC 20202–3601.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Commission was established under Executive Order 12900 (February 22, 1994) to provide the President and the Secretary of Education with advice on (1) the progress of Hispanic Americans toward achievement of the National Goals and other standards of educational accomplishment; (2) the development, monitoring, and coordination of Federal efforts to promote high-quality education for Hispanic Americans; (3) ways to increase, State, county, private sector and community involvement in improving education; and (4) ways to expand and complement Federal education initiatives.

At the September 14th meeting, Commissioners will report on activity within the following Committees: Children, Families and Communities, Higher Education and Assessment. The Departments of Education and Health and Human Services will report to Commissioners on the Implementation of the Hispanic Education Action Plan. The White House Initiative staff will report on the work of the Interdepartmental Council on Hispanic Educational Improvement and the 1999

Annual Performance Report. The Steering Committee of the Massachusetts Education Initiative for Latino students will present an overview of the plans for the October 2, 1999, summit. Massachusetts is the first state in the country to implement Executive Order 12900 at the State level. Congressman Ruben Hinojosa, Chair of the Education Taskforce of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus will also address the commission.

On Wednesday, September 15, 1999, Commission members will release a report on the issue of Assessment during a Press Conference at the National Press Club, 529 14th Street, NW, at 10:00 a.m. and directly following will meet from 11:00 a.m.–12:00 noon to discuss plans for a National meeting on Latino Educational Excellence.

Records of all Commission proceedings are available for public inspection at the White House Initiative, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave., SW, Room 5E110, Washington, DC 20202 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (est).

Dated: September 1, 1999.

**Leo Coco,**

*Acting Assistant Secretary, Office of Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs.*  
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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RP99–484–000]

**National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff**

August 30, 1999.

Take notice that on August 26, 1999, National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (National Fuel) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fourth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, with a proposed effective date of November 1, 1999.

Second Revised Sheet No. 12  
Sheet Nos. 13 through 22  
First Revised Sheet No. 30  
First Revised Sheet No. 36C  
First Revised Sheet No. 407  
First Revised Sheet No. 478

National Fuel states that its filing is made to implement its agreement with ProGas U.S.A., Inc. (ProGas) regarding the services and rates to be provided by National Fuel following National Fuel's acquisition of the interests of Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation (Texas Eastern) in the Niagara Spur

Loop Line (NSLL) and the Ellisburg to Leidy Pipeline (ELL), which acquisition is pending Commission approval in Docket No. CP99–569–000. National Fuel states that, in order to replicate Texas Eastern's existing service for ProGas through the NSLL and the ELL, and to reflect certain contingencies unique to this transaction, its agreement with ProGas departs from its form of service agreement in certain respects, and is filed pursuant to Section 154.112(b) of the Commission's regulations, together with a tariff reference to the agreement.

National Fuel also states it proposes to revise Section 17 of its General Terms and Conditions to provide that National Fuel may seek a discount adjustment in future rate cases relating to services that are converted from discount services to negotiated rate services, and to revise Section 3.5 of its FT and FT–S Rate Schedules to clarify that the maximum rates applicable to a shipper utilizing Zones 1 and 3 of its Niagara import point project capacity is the sum of the maximum rates applicable to Zones 1 and 3.

National Fuel states that its filing also is made to implement an amendment to its agreement with ProGas, which provides for a negotiated rate pursuant to Section 17.2 of the General Terms and Conditions of National Fuel's tariff.

National Fuel states that copies of this filing were served upon its customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must 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 proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202–208–2222 for assistance).

**David P. Boergers,**  
*Secretary.*

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