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### **Market-Based Rates for Service at Washington Storage Field (Docket No. RP23-840-000)**

On June 16, 2023, Transco submitted a tariff filing to implement the authorizations granted in a FERC order issued in Docket No. RP21-1143-000, which allowed Transco to charge market-based rates for storage service rendered at its Washington Storage field under Rate Schedule WSS-OA and Rate Schedule ISS. The tariff changes are proposed to take effect on July 17, 2023.

### **Texas to Louisiana Energy Pathway: Notice of Availability of the Environmental Assessment (Docket No. CP22-495-000)**

On June 6, 2023, the staff of the Commission prepared an environmental assessment (“EA”) for Transco’s Texas to Louisiana Energy Pathway Project. For this project, Transco requested authorization to i) construct a new 15,900 horsepower compressor station in Fort Bend County, Texas, ii) modify six existing compressor units at Compressor Station 40 in Hardin County, Texas, iii) as well as perform programming updates at Compressor Station 23 in Victoria County, Texas to accommodate new flow conditions. Additionally, Transco also requested to authorize the conversion of 130,000 dekatherms per day (Dth/day) of capacity currently subject to Transco’s “IT Feeder System” to firm transportation capacity under the Project. The capacity conversion, along with turnback capacity and incremental capacity, will yield the 364.4 million cubic feet per day of project capacity. Commission staff concluded that the approval of the project would not result in significant environmental impacts and provided mitigation measures to further mitigate environmental impacts. The deadline for comments is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on July 10, 2023.

### **Carolina Market Link Project: Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization (Docket No. CP23-487-000)**

On May 31, 2023, Transco filed with the Commission a request for authorization to construct, install, modify, operate and maintain its Carolina Market Link Project. The Project will enable Transco to provide 78,000 dekatherms per day of incremental capacity from Station 165 to the York Road Meter Station. The authorization is requested under the Prior Notice procedures of Transco’s Blanket Certificate and sections 157.205, 157.208 and 157.210 of the Commission’s regulations. On June 8, 2023, the FERC issued a Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization for the proposed project. The deadline for filing the protests, motions to intervene and comments is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on August 7, 2023.