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ORDER VACATING BLANKET AUTHORIZATION
TO IMPORT AND EXPORT NATURAL GAS
FROM AND TO CANADA

DOE/FE ORDER NO. 2072-A

On February 28, 2005, the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) granted blanket authorization to National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation (National Fuel) in DOE/FE Order No. 2072 (Order 2072) (2 FE ¶71,092) to import and export up to a combined total of 19.964 billion cubic feet (Bcf) of natural gas from and to Canada over a two-year term beginning on April 1, 2005, and extending through March 31, 2007.

On October 10, 2006, DOE was notified that National Fuel is applying for a new authorization increasing the volume amount of natural gas requested in its current authorization. Since the new authorization will supersede the current authorization, National Fuel has requested that DOE vacate Order 2072.

Accordingly, pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act, Order 2072, authorizing the import and export of natural gas from and to Canada, is hereby vacated.

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