

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

OFFICE OF FOSSIL ENERGY

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TENNECO GAS MARKETING COMPANY	)	ERA DOCKET NO. 87-43-NG
(Formerly EnTrade Corporation,	)	FE DOCKET NO. 91-78-NG
Tenngasco Corporation, and	)	
Tenngasco Exchange Corporation)	)	
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ORDER AMENDING PREVIOUS AUTHORIZATION TO IMPORT  
NATURAL GAS AND RESCINDING AUTHORIZATION

DOE/FE ORDER NO. 227-B

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On March 3, 1988, the Economic Regulatory Administration (ERA)<sup>1/</sup> of the Department of Energy (DOE) granted blanket authorization to EnTrade Corporation (EnTrade) in DOE/ERA Opinion and Order No. 227 (Order 227)<sup>2/</sup> to import up to 175 Bcf of natural gas from Canada over a two-year term beginning on the date of the first delivery. Imports have not yet commenced under this order. On December 18, 1991, DOE's Office of Fossil Energy granted similar blanket authorization to Tenngasco Corporation in

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<sup>1/</sup> By order issued February 7, 1989, the Secretary of Energy transferred the authority to regulate natural gas imports and

exports then held by the Administrator of ERA, pursuant to Secretary of Energy Delegation Order No. 0204-111, 49 F.R. 6684 (February 22, 1984), to the Assistant Secretary for Fossil Energy. See Secretary of Energy Delegation Order No. 0204-127,

54 Fed. Reg. 11436 (March 20, 1989).

2/ EnTrade, 1 ERA □ 70,761 (ERA Docket No. 87-43-NG), reh'g

denied, DOE/ERA Opinion and Order No. 227-A, 1 ERA □ 70,774 (May 5, 1988).

DOE/FE Opinion and Order No. 559 (Order 559)3/ to import up to  
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200 Bcf of Canadian natural gas. The first delivery under Order  
559 was made January 1, 1992, and the authorization remains in  
effect through December 31, 1993.

On November 22, 1993, the Office of Fossil Energy was  
notified that Tenngasco Corporation and its wholly-owned  
subsidiary, Tenngasco Exchange Corporation, were merged with  
EnTrade on October 22, 1993. The surviving corporation in the  
merger was EnTrade. In addition, Entrade changed its name to  
Tenneco Gas Marketing Company on October 25, 1993. Based on the  
name change and merger, Tenneco Gas Marketing Company requests  
that Order 559 be rescinded to preclude duplication in import  
authorization.

Accordingly, pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act,  
Order 227 is amended to reflect the change in EnTrade's name by  
substituting Tenneco Gas Marketing Company as the importer of the  
natural gas. Furthermore, effective with this amendment to Order  
227, Order 559 issued to Tenngasco Corporation is rescinded.

Issued in Washington, D.C., on December 8, 1993.  
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3/ Tenngasco Corporation, 1 FE □ 70,513 (FE Docket No.

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