

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

OFFICE OF FOSSIL ENERGY

EL PASO MERCHANT ENERGY-GAS, L.P.)
Formerly El Paso Energy Marketing Company))

FE DOCKET NO. 99-58-NG

ORDER AMENDING AUTHORIZATION TO EXPORT
NATURAL GAS TO CANADA AND MEXICO

DOE/FE ORDER NO. 1510-A

On August 31, 1999, the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) granted blanket authorization to El Paso Energy Marketing Company in DOE/FE Order No. 1510 (Order 1510)^{1/} to export up to 200 billion cubic feet (Bcf) of natural gas to Canada, and to export up to 200 Bcf of natural gas to Mexico. The term of the authorization is for a period of two years beginning on the date of first delivery after September 30, 1999. Deliveries under Order 1510 have not yet begun.

On December 17, 1999, as supplemented on December 29, 1999, El Paso Merchant Energy-Gas, L.P. filed an application with DOE requesting authorization to amend Order 1510 to

^{1/} Not yet published.

reflect a name change from El Paso Energy Marketing Company to El Paso Merchant Energy-Gas, L.P. effective December 1, 1999.

Accordingly, pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act, Order 1510 is amended to substitute El Paso Merchant Energy-Gas, L.P. for El Paso Energy Marketing Company as the exporter of natural gas. All terms and conditions in Order 1510 remain in full force and effect.

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