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USGEN FUEL SERVICES, INC.)
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ORDER VACATING BLANKET AUTHORIZATION

DOE/FE ORDER NO. 1241- A

In DOE/FE Order No. 1241¹ (Order 1241) issued in FE Docket No. 97-09 on January 28, 1997, the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) granted blanket authorization to USGen Fuel Services, Inc. (USGen Fuel) to import and export natural gas from and to Canada. On February 2, 2005, US Gen Fuel notified DOE that it did not intend to use its authorization and requested that DOE to vacate Order 1241.

Accordingly, pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act, the authorization granted to US Gen Fuel by Order 1241 is hereby vacated.

Issued in Washington, D. C. on February 3, 2005.



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¹ 1 FE ¶ 71,355

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OFFICE OF NATURAL GAS & PETROLEUM IMPORT & EXPORT
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Re: Request of USGen Fuel Services, Inc. to Vacate Blanket Authorization
to Import and Export Natural Gas from and to Canada,
DOE/FE Order 1241, FE Docket No. 97-09-NG

Dear Sir or Madam:

Selena Thomas of your office recently contacted us regarding whether USGen Fuel Services, Inc. ("USGen Fuel") intends to use its Blanket Authorization to Import and Export Natural Gas from and to Canada, which was issued to it in DOE/FE Order 1241, FE Docket No. 97-09-NG, on June 28, 1997. I have been advised by an attorney for USGen Fuel that it does not intend to use its blanket authorization. It accordingly requests that the authorization granted to it in Order 1241 be vacated.

If you have any questions about this matter, please do not hesitate to call me. Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,



Janet M. Robins

cc: Chris Wilson