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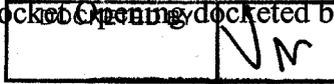
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DATE: July 28, 2000

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RE: Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening docketed by the Secretary of State
~~RE-00000A-00-0548~~
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The attached documents are to be filed in the captioned docket. These are for the official record only and need not be distributed to the service list

Please call me if you have any questions. Thank you.

cc:
 Terry Fronterhouse
 Chuck Hudson
 Robert Metli
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AGENCY RECEIPT

Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening

1. **Agency name:** Arizona Corporation Commission
2. **The Subchapters, if applicable; the Articles; the Parts, if applicable; and the Sections involved in the rulemaking, listed in alphabetical and numerical order:**

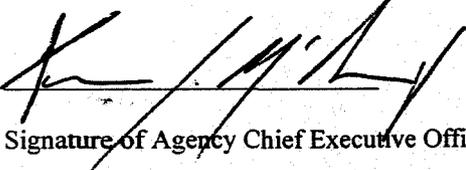
| <u>Subchapters, Articles, Parts, and Sections</u> | <u>Action</u> |
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| Article 2. Pipeline Safety | |
| R14-5-201 | Amend. |
| R14-5-202 | Amend. |
| R14-5-203 | Amend. |
| R14-5-204 | Amend. |
| R14-5-205 | Amend. |

AGENCY CERTIFICATE

1. **Agency name:** Arizona Corporation Commission
2. **Chapter heading:** Corporation Commission-Transportation
3. **Code citation for the Chapter:** 14 A.C.C. 5
4. **The Subchapters, if applicable; the Articles; the Parts, if applicable; and the Sections involved in the rulemaking, listed in alphabetical and numerical order:**

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5. **The rules contained in this package are true and correct as proposed.**

6.  28 Jul 00
Signature of Agency Chief Executive Officer Date of signing
Brian McNeil Executive Secretary
Printed or typed name of signer Title of signer

7. **No changes have been made to these rules since the Governor's Regulatory Review Council approved the rules. (This statement need only appear when the rules being submitted are final rules or summary rules approved by the council.)**

NOTICE OF RULEMAKING DOCKET OPENING

Arizona Corporation Commission

1. **Title and its heading:** Title 14. Public Service Corporations; Corporations and Associations; Securities Regulation

Chapter and its heading: Chapter 5. Corporation Commission – Transportation

Subchapter and its heading (if applicable): N/A

Article and its heading:

Article 2. Pipeline Safety

Part and its heading (if applicable): N/A

Section numbers

R14-5-201

R14-5-202

R14-5-203

R14-5-204

R14-5-205

2. **The subject matter of the proposed rule:**

These amendments will amend already existing rules (R14-5-201, R14-5-202, R14-5-203, R14-5-204, and R14-5-205) under Chapter 5 entitled "Corporation Commission – Transportation". The proposed amendments to the existing rules are designed to update the Arizona Corporation Commission Transportation rules and to recognize the latest revision of federal standards pertaining to LNG, hazardous liquid, natural gas and other gas pipeline systems and revisions to Title 49 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Parts 40, 191, 192, 193, 195, 199, with exceptions. The revisions include the most recent edition of the National Association of Corrosion Engineers and American Petroleum Institute standards.

The Commission believes that by incorporating by reference Title 49 CFR Parts 40, 191-195, and 199 the rules will be consistent with current best practices and will enhance public safety which is in the best interest of all citizens in the State of Arizona.

The agency docket number, if applicable: RG-00000A-00-0548

3. **A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:** N/A

4. **The name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:**

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Facsimile number: (602) 542-4870

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1200 West Washington Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

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5. **The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:**

The time when and the place where oral and written comments may be made will be established by the Arizona Corporation Commission in its Decision authorizing the filing of the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking with the Secretary of State or by Procedural Order following the Commission's Decision. The date, time, and place for public comment will be in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

6. **A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:**

The amendments will be adopted by the Arizona Corporation Commission at a regularly scheduled or a special Open Meeting. The notice and agenda will be posted in accordance with state law and will be mailed to those entities/individuals on the service list accompanying the Commission Decision authorizing the filing of the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking with the Secretary of State.