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Wireless Telecommunications Bureau
Federal Communications Commission
1270 Fairfield Road
Gettysburg, PA 17325-7245

Re: FCC Form 602 Ownership Report for Northern Indiana Public Service Company

Dear Sir or Madam:

On behalf of Northern Indiana Public Service Company ("NIPSCO"), transmitted herewith are an original and one (1) copy of its FCC Form 602 ownership report.

Please date-stamp the enclosed extra copy provided for this purpose and return it to our offices. Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Nancy Killien Spooner at (202) 424-7673.

Very truly yours,



Nancy Killien Spooner
Counsel for Northern Indiana Public Service Company

Enclosures



Applicant I Licensee Information

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| 1) First Name (if individual) | MI: | Last Name: | Suffix: |
| 2) Applicant Name (if entity) Northern Indiana Public Service Company (NIPSCO) | 3a) Applicant TIN: | | 3b) FCC Registration Number (FRN): 0002146674 |

Related FCC Regulated Businesses of Applicant I Licensee

| 4a) Name and address of all FCC Regulated Businesses owned by Applicant/ Licensee (use additional sheets, if necessary): | 4b) Principal Business: | 4c) TIN: | 4d) FCC Registration Number (FRN): | 4e) Percent of Interest Held: |
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Signature

6J Typed or Printed Name of Party Authorized to Sign

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| First Name: Robert | MI: J. | Last Name: Schacht | Suffix: |
| Title: Vice President and Chief Operating Officer | | | |

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| Signature: <i>Robert J Schacht</i> | <i>12/14/2001</i> |
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Failure to Sign This Application May Result in Dismissal Of The Application And Forfeiture Of Any Fees Paid

WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM OR ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1001) AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSE OR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 312(a)(1) AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 503).

12/26/01 RSH

Schedule for Disclosable Interest Holders

Disclosable Interest Holder Information (complete as many as required to describe all disclosable interest holders)

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| 1) Disclosable Interest Holder's First Name (if individual) | | MI: | Last Name: | Suffix: |
| 2) Disclosable Interest Holders Name (if entity) NiSource, Inc. | | 3a) Disclosable Interest Holder's TIN: | | 3b) FCC Registration Number(FRN): 0004837563 |
| 4) Disclosable Interest Holder's Address: 601 East 86th Avenue, Merrillville, IN 46410 | | | | |
| 5) Type of Interest in Applicant (D) (refer to Instructions for list) | 6) Disclosable Interest Holder is a (n): (C) (refer to instructions for list of codes): | | 7) Percent of Interest Held in Applicant 100% | |
| 8) Disclosable Interest Holders Type of Ownership (refer to instructions for list): C | | | 9) Disclosable Interest Holders Country of Citizenship: U.S.A. | |
| 1D) Relationship Description (if the disclosable interest holder is an indirect owner, list path of ownership from indirect owner to the applicant): Direct and sole parent of Applicant. | | | | |

Related FCC Regulated Businesses of Disclosable Interest Holders (repeat for each interest holder identified)

| 11a) Name and address of all FCC Regulated Business owned by Disclosable Interest Holder listed in #3 (use additional sheets, if necessary): | 11b) Principal Business: | 11c) TIN: | 11d) FCC Registration Number (FRN): | 11e) Percent of Interest Held: |
|---|--|--------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation | Natural Gas Transmission | | 0003018041 | 100% |
| Columbia Gulf Transmission Company | Natural Gas Transmission | | 000188472 9 | 100% |
| Columbia Gas of Kentucky | Natural Gas Distribution | | 0003841319 | 100% |
| Columbia Gas of Maryland | Natural Gas Distribution | | 0003188208 | 100% |
| Columbia Gas of Ohio | Natural Gas Distribution | | 0003022167 | 100% |
| Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania | Natural Gas Distribution | | 0003187937 | 100% |
| Columbia Gas of Wrginia | Natural Gas Distribution | | 0002070985 | 100% |
| Columbia Natural Resources | Natural Gas Exploration and Production | | 0002149706 | 100% |

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| 1) Disclosable Interest Holder's First Name (if individual) | | MI: | Last Name: | Suffix: |
| 2) Disclosable Interest Holders Name (if entity) NiSource, Inc. (continued) | | 3a) Disclosable Interest Holders TIN: | | 3b) FCC Registration Number(FRN): |
| 4) Disclosable Interest Holder's Address: | | | | |
| 5) Type of Interest in Applicant () (refer to Instructions for list) | 6) Disclosable Interest Holder is a (n): () (refer to instructions for list of codes): | | 7) Percent of Interest Held in Applicant | |
| 8) Disclosable Interest Holders Type of Ownership (refer to instructions for list): | | | 9) Disclosable Interest Holders Country of Citizenship: | |
| 10) Relationship Description (if the disclosable interest holder is an indirect owner, list path of ownership from indirect owner to the applicant): | | | | |

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| 1 la) Name and address of all FCC Regulated Businesses owned by Disclosable Interest Holder listed in #3 (use additional sheets, if necessary): | 1 lb) Principal Business: | 1 lc) TIN: | 1 d) FCC Registration Number (FRN): | 1 e) Percent of Interest Held: |
|--|------------------------------|---------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| NiSource Development Company, Inc. | Business Development | | | 100% |
| Kokomo Gas & Fuel Company | Natural Gas Distribution | | 002903995 | 100% |
| Bay State Gas Company | Natural Gas Distribution | | 003613148 | 100% |
| Northern Indiana Fuel & Light Company | Natural Gas Distribution | | 0002900512 | 100% |
| NiSource Corporate Services Company | Services Company | | 0005145263 | 100% |
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