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December 21, 2015

TO: Energy and Telecommunications Interim Committee

FR: Todd Everts

RE: Legislative Administrative Rule Review Report

Pursuant to 5-5-230, MCA, the Energy and Telecommunications Interim Committee is responsible for reviewing administrative rules for the Department of Public Service Regulation and the Public Service Commission. Staff for the Energy and Telecommunications Interim Committee has prepared this report for informational purposes only. This report does not represent any action or opinion of the Energy and Telecommunications Interim Committee and does not preclude additional action that may be taken by the Energy and Telecommunications Interim Committee pursuant to its authority under the Montana Administrative Procedure Act (Title 2, chapter 4, MCA).

MAR NOTICE NUMBER: 38-5-233

AGENCY: Department of Public Service Regulation

RULE CLASSIFICATION: (i.e., substantive/interpretative/emergency/temporary):
Substantive

SUBJECT: Updating the incorporation by reference of federal pipeline safety regulations.

NOTICE DESCRIPTION: Notice of proposed amendment.

SUMMARY OF RULE(S): The proposed amendments update the incorporation by reference of federal pipeline safety regulations in the Department of Public Service Regulation rules.

STAFF NOTES: None.

HEARING DATE(S): None. On January 22, 2016, the Department of Public Service Regulation proposes to amend the incorporation by reference of the federal pipeline safety rules.

FULL TEXT OF NOTICE: The full text of the notice proposal may be found online at:

<http://www.mtrules.org/gateway/ShowNoticeFile.asp?TID=6843>