

RESOLUTION NO. 155

WHEREAS, by letter of July 6, 1976, the Northern Tier Pipeline Company did make application with the State of Washington Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council for site certification of "associated facilities" and "transmission facilities" along with tanker unloading facilities and appropriate pumping stations transversing the state from Port Angeles to Washington's eastern border for the purpose of transporting crude petroleum, and

WHEREAS, the Northern Tier Pipeline Company has filed several substantive amendments and supplements to its original application and did file with the Council on June 19, 1979 a certificate stating that the amended application materials submitted on June 15, 1979 along with unchanged portions of previous submittals constitute a substantially complete application, and

WHEREAS, the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council has, in accordance with RCW 80.50.090 (1) and (2), conducted land use and zoning hearings in each of the counties affected by the instant application, and

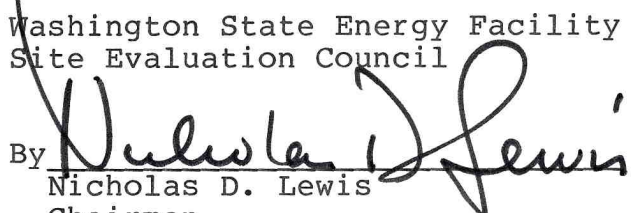
WHEREAS, the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council has retained an independent consultant, CH2M Hill, in accordance with RCW 80.50.071, such consultant having completed two independent assessments of the application and having committed to the preparation of a Draft Environmental Impact Statement to be completed and placed in the hands of the Council by November 13, 1979;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council declares its intent to commence the contested case hearing in the matter of Application No. 76-2 of the Northern Tier Pipeline Company on Tuesday, December 18, 1979 at a time and place to be set by notice later issued.

DATED THIS 10th day of September 1979

Washington State Energy Facility  
Site Evaluation Council

By

  
Nicholas D. Lewis  
Chairman

ATTEST:

