

Resolution Supporting the Effective Restructuring of the Federal Department of Transportation

WHEREAS, The National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) is aware of the restructuring of the Federal Department of Transportation and the method of reorganization is on fast track for submission of legislation to Congress in mid March; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary is considering assigning the Office of Pipeline Safety program within the Intermodal Transportation Administration; and

WHEREAS, The partnership between the Federal and State Pipeline Safety Programs has been successful and paramount in improving the safety and environmental integrity of pipelines; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Executive Committee of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), convened at its 1995 Winter Meeting in Washington, D.C., urges the Secretary of Transportation to keep the identify of the Office of Pipeline Safety (Federal/State Pipeline Safety partnership), and utilize this partnership as a model for other organizational changes within the Department.

Sponsored by the Committee on Gas
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