

August 13, 1996. Permit 1,010 authorizes IDFG takes of adult and juvenile, threatened, Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) associated with a captive rearing program for three populations of chinook salmon in Idaho. Under the permit, IDFG is authorized to collect ESA-listed, naturally-produced chinook salmon parr annually from the upper Salmon River tributaries of West Fork Yankee Fork, upper East Fork, and Lemhi River; transport the collected fish to hatcheries; and rear them to maturity. IDFG plans to release healthy hatchery-reared adults in the wild to supplement the respective natural-spawning populations. However, because a protocol for fish releases has not been fully developed, permit 1,010 does not authorize the release of fish from the captive rearing program. NMFS has conditioned permit 1,010 to require IDFG to apply for a modification to the permit for authorization to release fish from the program, expected to begin in 1998.

The captive rearing program was initiated when NMFS issued emergency permit 972 to IDFG on August 7, 1995 (60 FR 42147, August 15, 1995). Permit 1,010 replaces permit 972. The takes of ESA-listed chinook salmon previously authorized under permit 972 have been incorporated into permit 1,010. Permit 972 is now inactive. Permit 1,010 expires on December 31, 2000.

Notice was published on May 20, 1996 (61 FR 25208) that an application had been filed by ODFW (P211J) for a scientific research/enhancement permit. On July 24, 1996, a public hearing took place on ODFW's request for a permit in La Grande, OR (61 FR 35727, July 8, 1996). Permit 1,011 was issued to ODFW on August 13, 1996. Permit 1,011 authorizes ODFW takes of adult and juvenile, threatened, Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) associated with a captive broodstock program for three populations of chinook salmon in Oregon. ODFW is authorized to collect ESA-listed, naturally-produced chinook salmon parr annually from the Grande Ronde River tributaries of Catherine Creek, the Lostine River, and the upper Grande Ronde River; transport the collected fish to hatcheries; rear the fish to maturity; and spawn them. ODFW plans to release the healthy progeny of the hatchery-spawned fish in the wild to supplement the respective natural populations. However, because a protocol for fish releases has not been fully developed, permit 1,011 does not authorize the release of fish from the captive broodstock program. NMFS has conditioned permit 1,011 to require

ODFW to apply for a modification to the permit for authorization to release fish from the program, expected to begin in 1998.

The captive broodstock program was initiated when NMFS issued emergency permit 973 to ODFW on August 7, 1995 (60 FR 42147, August 15, 1995). Permit 1,011 replaces permit 973. The takes of ESA-listed chinook salmon previously authorized under permit 973 have been incorporated into permit 1,011. Permit 973 is now inactive. Permit 1,011 expires on December 31, 2000.

Issuance of the permits, as required by the ESA, was based on a finding that such permits: (1) Were requested in good faith, (2) will not operate to the disadvantage of the ESA-listed species that is the subject of the permits, and (3) are consistent with the purposes and policies set forth in section 2 of the ESA and the NMFS regulations governing ESA-listed species permits.

Dated: August 15, 1996.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Notice of Proposed Information Collection Requests

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Acting Director, Information Resources Group, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before October 21, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and requests for copies of the proposed information collection requests should be addressed to Patrick J. Sherrill, Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 5624, Regional Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20202-4651.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Patrick J. Sherrill (202) 708-8196. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of

1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) requires that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provide interested Federal agencies and the public an early opportunity to comment on information collection requests. OMB may amend or waive the requirement for public consultation to the extent that public participation in the approval process would defeat the purpose of the information collection, violate State or Federal law, or substantially interfere with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Acting Director of the Information Resources Group publishes this notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department, (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner, (3) is the estimate of burden accurate, (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected, and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology.

Dated: August 15, 1996.

Arthur F. Chantker,
*Acting Director, Information Resources
Group.*

Office of Educational Research and Improvement

Type of Review: Revision.

Title: Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) 1996 Through 1997/1998.

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; State, local or Tribal Governments, SEAs or LEAs.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 10,114.

Burden Hours: 37,174.

Abstract: The IPEDS provides information on postsecondary education—it's providers, enrollments, completions, and finances in addition to other information. The recent publication of final regulations for Student Right-to-Know and changes in financial accounting standards for nonprofit institutions have made it necessary for NCES to modify the IPEDS data collection for 1996 and 1997 to help institutions adapt to these changes.

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President's Advisory Commission on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans; Notice of a Public Forum

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the schedule and proposed agenda of a forthcoming forum of the President's Advisory Commission on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans. This notice also describes the functions of the Commission. Notice of this meeting is required under Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

DATES: 1. Thursday, September 12, 1996 from 9 a.m. (cst) until 5 p.m. (cst); 2. Friday, September 13, 1996 from 9 a.m. (cst) until 5 p.m. (cst).

ADDRESSES: San Antonio, Texas.

Call Vanessa Rini at (202) 401-2147 for the location of the forum.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Vanessa Rini, Special Assistant, White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans. Her mailing address is U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Ave. SW., RM 2115, Washington, DC 20202-3601 and her e-mail address is vanessa_rini@ed.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The President's Advisory Commission on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans was established under Executive Order 12900, which was effective on February 22, 1994. The Commission was established to provide

the President and the Secretary of Education with advice on (a) the progress of Hispanic Americans toward achievement of the National Goals and other standards of educational accomplishment; (b) the development, monitoring, and education for Hispanic Americans; (c) ways to increase State, private sector, and community involvement in improving education; and (d) ways to expand and complement Federal education initiatives.

This forum is open to the public. The Commission will discuss issues which affect the quality of education obtained by Hispanic Americans.

Records are kept of all Council proceedings, and are available for public inspection at the office of the White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans from the hours of 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (est).

G. Mario Moreno,

Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Dockets No. EA-119 and EA-120]

Application to Export Electric Energy; Edison Source

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE

AGENCY: Notice of Application.

SUMMARY: Edison Source has submitted applications to export electric energy to Mexico and Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act. Edison Source is both a broker and a marketer of electric energy. It does not own or control any electric generation or transmission facilities.

DATES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before September 20, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Electricity (FE-52), Office of Fuels

Programs, Office of Fossil Energy, Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 (FAX 202-287-5736).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Warren E. Williams (Program Office) 202-586-9629 or Michael Skinker (Program Attorney) 202-586-6667.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country are regulated and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C. § 824a(e)).

On July 31, 1996, Edison Source filed two applications with the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) for authorization to export electric energy, as a power marketer, to Mexico and Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the FPA. Edison Source neither owns nor controls any facilities for the transmission or distribution of electricity, nor does it have a franchised service area. Rather, Edison Source is a power marketer authorized by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) to engage in wholesale sale of electricity in interstate commerce at negotiated rates pursuant to its filed rate schedules.

The electric energy Edison Source proposes to transmit to Mexico and Canada will be purchased from electric utilities and other entities as permitted by the FERC. Edison Source agrees to comply with the terms and conditions contained in the export authorization issued for those cross-border facilities it proposes to use as well as any other conditions imposed by DOE, including providing written evidence that sufficient transmission access to compete the export transaction has been obtained.

In Docket EA-119, Edison Source proposed to export the electric energy to Mexico over one or more of the following international transmission lines for which Presidential permits (PP) have been previously issued:

Location	Voltage	Owner	Presidential permit
Miguel, CA	230 kV	SDG&E	PP-68.
Imperial Valley, CA	230 kV	PP-79.
Diablo, NM	115 kV	El Paso Electric	PP-92.
Ascarate, TX	115 kV	PP-48.
Brownsville, TX	138 kV	CPL	PP-94.
Eagle Pass, TX	138 kV	CFE	PP-50.
Laredo, TX	138 kV	CFE	PP-57.
Falcon Dam, TX	138 kV	CFE	Not required.

In docket EA-120, Edison Source proposes to export the electric energy to

Canada over one or more of the following international transmission

lines for which Presidential permits (PP) have been previously issued: