

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Paducah**

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant.

**DATES:** Thursday, August 21, 1997, 6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Heath High School (cafeteria), 4330 Metropolis Lake Road, West Paducah, Kentucky.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Carlos Alvarado, Site-Specific Advisory Board Coordinator, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001, (502) 441-6804.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Purpose of the Board:* The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

*Tentative Agenda:* The meeting will include an update on the Environmental Management and Enrichment Facilities Project report, a general overview of the Waste Area Grouping (WAG) 6 Work Plan, WAG 22 Remedial Investigation Report—Summary Overview of Solid Waste Management Units 7 and 30, a presentation on Budget Prioritization, an update on Vortec, a review of the Accelerated Cleanup Plan (formerly the 10-Year Plan), and reviews of the Community Relations Plan and the SSAB Draft Work Plan.

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Carlos Alvarado at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments.

*Minutes:* The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information

Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available at the Department of Energy's Environmental Information and Reading Room at 175 Freedom Boulevard, Highway 60, Kevil, Kentucky between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Monday through Friday, or by writing to Carlos Alvarado, Department of Energy Paducah Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001, or by calling him at (502) 441-6804.

Issued at Washington, DC, on July 25, 1997.

**Rachel Samuel,**

*Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Bonneville Power Administration****Notice of Availability of Record of Decision to Execute a Power Purchase Agreement for the Wyoming Wind Plant Project**

**AGENCY:** Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), Department of Energy (DOE).

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of Record of Decision (ROD).

**SUMMARY:** BPA has decided to execute a Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) to acquire a 15.32 megawatt (MW) share of nominal project capacity from the Wyoming Wind Plant Project (Project). This PPA will allow BPA to: (1) Test the ability of wind energy to provide a reliable, economical, and environmentally acceptable energy resource; (2) assure consistency with BPA's statutory responsibilities; and (3) assure consistency with BPA's April 22, 1993, Resource Programs ROD. This notice announces the availability of the ROD to execute the PPA, relying on the Kenetech/PacifiCorp Windpower Project Environmental Impact Statement (Project EIS) (DOE/EIS-0255 August, 1995). Because the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) has jurisdiction over part of the land on which the Wyoming Wind Plant Project will be located, it was the lead agency on the EIS. BPA, as a cooperating agency with the BLM, adopts the Project EIS in this ROD.

**ADDRESSES:** Copies of the ROD and Project EIS may be obtained by calling

BPA's toll-free document request line: 1-800-622-4520.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:** Kathy Fisher—ECP, Environmental Project Lead, Bonneville Power Administration, P.O. Box 3621, Portland, Oregon, 97208-3621, phone number (503) 230-4375, fax number (503) 230-5699.

Issued in Portland, Oregon, on July 21, 1997.

**Randall W. Hardy,**

*Administrator and Chief Executive Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Department of Energy (DOE).

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770), notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Metal Casting Industrial Advisory Board (MCIAB).

**DATES:** August 26, 1997 8:00 AM—5:00 pm; August 27, 1997 8:00 am—12:30 pm.

**ADDRESSES:** Holiday Inn-O'Hare International, 5440 North River Road, Rosemont, IL 60018.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Harvey C. Wong, U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Industrial Technologies, EE-20, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585, 202-586-9235, E-mail: harvey.wong@hq.doe.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** *Purpose of the Committee:* The Metal Casting Industrial Advisory Board serves to provide guidance and oversight of research programs provided under the Metal Casting Competitiveness Research Program and to recommend to the Secretary of Energy new or revised program activities and Metal Casting Research Priorities.

**Tentative Agenda**

*Tuesday August 26, 1997*

- 8:00a Charge to Board Members/  
Review Purpose of the Meeting—  
Raymond Donahue
- 8:30a Team and Roadmapping  
Update—Harvey C. Wong
- 9:15a Recent Project Successes—  
Principle Investigators
- 10:15a Break
- 10:30a Cast Metals Coalition (CMC)  
Process—Dennis Allen

- 11:00a Discussion of Recommended FY1998 Projects: Application Development Technologies
- 12:30p Lunch (on your own)
- 1:30p Discussion of Recommended FY1998 Projects: Manufacturing Technologies
- 3:00p Discussion of Recommended FY1998 Projects: Materials Technologies/Roadmap
- 4:30p Discussion of Recommended FY1998 Projects: Environmental Technologies
- 5:00p Open Discussion from Floor
- 6:00p Adjourn

Wednesday August 27, 1997

- 8:00a Welcome—Raymond Donahue
- 8:15a MCIAB Open Discussion
- 12:00n Final Remarks—Harvey Wong
- 12:30p Adjourn

A final agenda will be available at the meeting.

**Public Participation:** The meeting is open to the public. The Chairperson of the Board is empowered to conduct the meeting to facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Any member of the public who wishes to make oral statements pertaining to the agenda items should contact Harvey C. Wong at the address or telephone number listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section. Requests must be received at least five (5) days prior to the meeting and reasonable provisions will be made to include the presentation on the agenda. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting.

**Transcript:** Available for public review and copying at the U.S. Department of Energy, Freedom of Information Reading Room, Forrestal Building, Room 1E-190, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-6020, between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued at Washington, DC, on July 24, 1997.

**Rachel M. Samuel,**

*Deputy Advisory Committee, Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EC97-39-000]

#### Boston Edison Company and BEC Energy; Notice of Filing

July 24, 1997.

Take notice that on July 18, 1997, Boston Edison Company (BECO) and BEC Energy (Applicants) tendered for filing additional information in support of their application filed in the captioned proceeding on June 12, 1997, for an order authorizing the implementation of a proposed corporate reorganization to create a holding company structure, pursuant to which BECO would become the wholly-owned subsidiary of BEC Energy, which has been organized as a Massachusetts business trust.

The Applicants state that copies of their July 18, 1997, submission have been served on the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities and all persons who have applied to intervene in Docket No. EC97-39-000.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 18 CFR 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before August 5, 1997. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP96-213-000, et al.]

#### Columbia Gas Transmission; Notice of Site Visit

July 24, 1997.

On July 30, 1997, the Office of Pipeline Regulation (OPR) will conduct a site visit, with representatives of

Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation, of Line SM-123, part of the Market Expansion Project in Mingo and Wyoming Counties, West Virginia. On July 31, 1997, OPR will conduct a site visit of the Line V-50 Replacement portion of the Market Expansion Project in Mahoning County, Ohio.

All interested parties may attend. Those planning to attend must provide their own transportation.

For further information, please contact Paul McKee at (202) 208-1088.

**Lois D. Cashell,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-424-000]

#### Koch Gateway Pipeline Company; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

July 24, 1997.

Take notice that on July 22, 1997, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company (Koch) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fifth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets, to become effective August 22, 1997:

Ninth Revised Sheet No. 2705  
Eighth Revised Sheet No. 2706  
1st Rev Fifth Revised Sheet No. 2707

Koch states the above referenced tariff sheets are being filed to modify section 20.1(D) of the General Terms and Conditions to remove prior period adjustments language from its cash-in/cash-out procedures.

Koch also states that copies of the filing have been served upon each affected customer, state commissions, and other interested parties.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's rules and regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed as provided by Section 154.210 of the Commission's rules and regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public