

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Project No. 12562-001]

Warmsprings Irrigation District; Notice of Preliminary Permit Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Comment, Motions To Intervene, and Competing Applications

November 5, 2008.

Warmsprings Irrigation District filed an application on March 3, 2008, pursuant to section 4(f) of the Federal Power Act, proposing to study the feasibility of 2.5-megawatt (MW) Warmsprings Dam Hydroelectric Project. The project would be located on the Malheur River, in Malheur County, Oregon, on U.S. Bureau of Reclamation lands. The proposed project would utilize federal lands.

The proposed Warmsprings Dam Hydroelectric Project would use the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation's Warmsprings Dam and would consist of: (1) A proposed intake structure; (2) a proposed 100-foot-long, 5-foot-diameter steel penstock; (3) a proposed powerhouse containing one generating unit having a total installed capacity of 2.5 MW; (4) a proposed 100-foot-long, 15-kV transmission line; and (5) appurtenant facilities.

Applicant Contact: Mr. Brent Smith, Chief Operating Officer, Symbiotics, LLC., P.O. Box 535, Rigby, Idaho 83442; phone: (208) 745-0834. *FERC Contact:* Tom Papsidero, 202-502-6002.

Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, competing applications (without notices of intent), or notices of intent to file competing applications: 60 days from the issuance of this notice.

Comments, motions to intervene, notices of intent, and competing applications may be filed electronically via the Internet. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link. If unable to be filed electronically, documents may be paper-filed. To paper-file, an original and eight copies should be mailed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. For more information on how to submit these types of filings please go to the Commission's Web site located at <http://www.ferc.gov/filing-comments.asp>. More information about this project can be viewed or printed on the "eLibrary" link of Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/elibrary.asp>. Enter the docket number (P-12562-001) in the docket

number field to access the document. For assistance, call toll-free 1-866-208-3372.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****Combined Notice of Filings**

November 6, 2008.

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

Docket Numbers: RP09-49-000.

Applicants: Chandeleur Pipe Line Company.

Description: Chandeleur Pipe Line Co. submits Seventh Revised Sheet No. 3 *et al.* to FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1 to be effective 10/1/08.

Filed Date: 11/03/2008.

Accession Number: 20081105-0119.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, November 17, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP09-50-000.

Applicants: Puget Sound Energy, Inc. *Description:* Puget Sound Energy, Inc. submits Eighth Revised Sheet No. 1 *et al.* to FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, to be effective 11/1/08 re Jackson Prairie Gas Storage Project Agreement.

Filed Date: 10/31/2008.

Accession Number: 20081104-0097.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, November 12, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP09-51-000.

Applicants: Central New York Oil and Gas Co., LLC.

Description: Central New York Oil and Gas Co. LLC submits Fourth Revised Sheet No. 0 *et al.* to FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, to be effective 12/1/08.

Filed Date: 10/31/2008.

Accession Number: 20081104-0096.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, November 12, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP09-52-000.

Applicants: Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation.

Description: Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation submits First Revised Sheet No. 40R *et al.* to FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, to be effective 12/1/08.

Filed Date: 10/31/2008.

Accession Number: 20081104-0095.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, November 12, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP09-53-000.

Applicants: Dominion Transmission, Inc.

Description: Dominion Transmission, Inc. submits Second Revised Sheet No. 1 *et al.* to FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1, to be effective 12/4/08.

Filed Date: 11/03/2008.

Accession Number: 20081104-0094.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, November 14, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP09-54-000.

Applicants: El Paso Natural Gas Company.

Description: El Paso Natural Gas Co. submits Second Revised Sheet No.3 to FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1A to be effective 12/5/08.

Filed Date: 11/04/2008.

Accession Number: 20081105-0120.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, November 17, 2008.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. It is not necessary to separately intervene again in a subdocket related to a compliance filing if you have previously intervened in the same docket. 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. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. In reference to filings initiating a new proceeding, interventions or protests submitted on or before the comment deadline need not be served on persons other than the Applicant.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at <http://www.ferc.gov>. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St., NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above proceedings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in

Washington, DC. There is an eSubscription link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EL08-88-000; ER08-1178-000; ER09-213-000]

California Independent System Operator Corporation; Supplemental Notice of Technical Conference

November 5, 2008.

On October 28, 2008, the Commission issued a Supplemental Notice (October 28, 2008 Notice) of a staff technical conference in the above-captioned proceedings. As stated in the October 28, 2008 Notice, the purpose of the technical conference is to further explore the justness and reasonableness of the California Independent System Operator Corporation's (CAISO) Exceptional Dispatch mechanism and proposed mitigation plan. The technical conference will be held on November 6, 2008, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and November 7, 2008 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. (Eastern Time), in Hearing Room 1, at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The agenda for this conference is attached. If there are any changes, the revised agenda will be posted on the calendar page for this event on the Commission's Web site, <http://www.ferc.gov>. Please note that the timeframes are estimates, and if the schedule for November 6, 2008 is completed before 4 p.m., discussion will turn to issues scheduled for November 7, 2008.

Also, in an abundance of caution, the instant supplemental notice adds Docket No. ER09-213-000, California Independent System Operator Submits an Amendment to the Market Redesign and Technology Upgrade Tariff, as this filing concerns forbidden operating regions.

The technical conference will be open for the public to attend and advance

registration is not required. The conference will be accessible via telephone on a listen-only basis for those parties who reserved a telephone line pursuant to the instructions provided in the October 28, 2008 Notice. Staff reiterates that, to the extent possible, individuals calling from the same location share a single telephone line.

All interested persons may file written comments following the technical conference on or before November 24, 2008. Reply comments will be due on or before December 2, 2008.

Commission conferences are accessible under section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. For accessibility accommodations, please send an e-mail to accessibility@ferc.gov or call toll free 1-866-208-3372 (voice) or 202-208-1659 (TTY), or send a FAX to 202-208-2106 with the required accommodations.

For more information about this conference, please contact: Sarah McKinley, 202-502-8368, sarah.mckinley@ferc.gov, for logistical issues, and Sarah Crawford, 202-502-8241, sarah.crawford@ferc.gov, or Saeed Farrokhpay, 916-294-0322, saeed.farrokhpay@ferc.gov, for other concerns.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EL08-87-000; PL09-3-000]

Electric Power Supply Association; Control and Affiliation for Purposes of Market-Based Rate Requirements Under Section 205 of the Federal Power Act and the Requirements of Section 203 of the Federal Power Act; Notice Redocketing Proceeding

November 5, 2008.

On September 2, 2008, the Electric Power Supply Association (EPSA) filed a petition with the Commission requesting guidance with respect to the question of when investments in publicly-held companies will be deemed to convey "control" or to result in "affiliation" for purposes of the Commission's market-based rate requirements under section 205 of the Federal Power Act (FPA) and the requirements of section 203 of the FPA.

The filing was docketed as EL08-87-000.

Examination of the filing shows that that EPSA's petition raises issues of generic implication to the electric utility industry, and thus should have been assigned a PL docket prefix indicating matters of general applicability. By this notice, the above-referenced proceeding is hereby redocketed as Docket No. PL09-3-000 and Docket No. EL08-87-000 is hereby terminated. All pleadings filed in Docket No. EL08-87-000 will also be redocketed in the new docket number, Docket No. PL09-3-000. As the instant proceeding is matter of general applicability, interventions need not be filed.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OARM-2008-0825, EPA-HQ-OARM-2008-0827, EPA-HQ-OARM-2008-0828, EPA-HQ-OARM-2008-0829; FRL-8740-2]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Background Checks for Contractor Employees, EPA ICR Number 2159.03, OMB Control Number 2030-0043; Drug Testing for Contract Employees, EPA ICR Number 2183.03, OMB Control Number 2030-0044; Monthly Progress Reports, EPA ICR Number 1039.12, OMB Control Number 2030-0005; and Contractor Cumulative Claim and Reconciliation, 1900-10, EPA ICR Number 0246.10, OMB Control Number 2030-0016

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces that EPA is planning to submit a request to renew four existing approved Information Collection Requests (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). These ICRs are scheduled to expire as follows: EPA ICR Numbers 2159.03 and 2183.03 are scheduled to expire on December 31, 2008. EPA ICR Numbers 1039.12 and 0246.10 are scheduled to expire on April 30, 2009. Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific