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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP04-368-000]

Wyoming Interstate Company, Ltd.; Notice of Proposed Changes in FERC Gas Tariff

July 8, 2004.

Take notice that on July 1, 2004, Wyoming Interstate Company, Ltd. (WIC) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 2, the following tariff sheets, with an effective date of August 1, 2004:

Thirteenth Revised Sheet No. 4C
Sixteenth Revised Sheet No. 5
Tenth Revised Sheet No. 35
Third Revised Sheet No. 73
Second Revised Sheet No. 77
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 78
Third Revised Sheet No. 92
Fifth Revised Sheet No. 97
First Revised Sheet No. 97A

WIC states that these tariff sheets are filed to discontinue the collection of the mandatory GRI surcharges effective August 1, 2004.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections

385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with Section 154.210 of the Commission's 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 proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the eLibrary. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the e-Filing link.

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Panel Member List for Hydropower Licensing Study Dispute Resolution; Notice Requesting Applications for Panel Member List for Hydropower Licensing Study Dispute Resolution

July 8, 2004.

On March 12, 2004, the Commission requested applications to be included on a list of resource experts willing to serve as a third panel member in the study dispute resolution process of the Commission's hydropower integrated licensing process (ILP). We are reopening the application period until September 30, 2004, to afford interested parties more time to respond to the original request. Respondents to the initial request need not reapply to be considered.

Background

The Commission's ILP encourages informal resolution of study disagreements. In cases where this is not successful, a formal study dispute resolution process is available for State and Federal agencies or Indian tribes

with mandatory conditioning authority.¹

The ILP provides that the disputed study must be submitted to a dispute resolution panel consisting of a person from Commission staff, a person from the agency or Indian tribe referring the dispute to the Commission, and a third person selected by the other two panelists from a pre-established list of persons with expertise in the disputed resource area.² The third panel member (TPM) will serve without compensation, except for certain allowable travel expenses to be borne by the Commission (31 CFR part 301).

The role of the panel members is to make a finding, with respect to each disputed study request, on the extent to which each study criteria set forth in the regulations is or is not met,³ and why. The panel will then make a recommendation to the Director of the Office of Energy Projects based on the panel's findings.

TPMs can only be selected from a list of qualified persons (TPM List) that is developed and maintained by the Commission. Each qualified panel member will be listed by area(s) and sub-area(s) of technical expertise, for example Fisheries Resources-instream flow. The Commission is seeking the service of individuals with technical expertise in specific resource areas. While such individuals should be able to promote constructive dialog among the panelists, the Commission is not seeking the services of a mediator or arbitrator.

The TPM list will be available to the public on the Commission's web site. All individuals submitting their applications to the Commission for consideration must meet the Commission's qualifications.

Application Contents

The applicant should describe in detail his/her qualifications in items 1-4 listed below. To expedite processing of the application and to ensure accurate identification of areas of interest and expertise, the applicant must, in response to item 1, list the specific resource area(s) for which he/she wishes to be considered, such as "Aquatic Resources: water quality and instream flow" or "Recreational Resources: whitewater boating and general".

¹ See § 5.14 of the final rule, which may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov/industries/hydropower/indusact/hydrerule-part-v.pdf>, and see excerpted attachment describing the formal dispute resolution process.

² These persons must not be otherwise involved with the proceeding.

³ See § 5.9 of the final rule.