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Waiver Requests and any Supporting Information or Documents Delivered by Hand. You must take a waiver request and any supporting information or documents that you deliver by hand to Ms. Sandra Donelson, Campus-Based Financial Operations Branch, Institutional Financial Management Division, Accounting and Financial Management Service, Student Financial Assistance Programs, U.S. Department of Education, Room 4714, Regional Office Building 3, 7th and D Streets, SW, Washington, DC.

We will accept hand-delivered waiver requests between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. daily (Eastern time), except Saturdays, Sundays, and Federal holidays. If you hand-deliver a waiver request for the 1999–2000 award year, you must submit your request by 4:30 p.m. on June 18, 1999.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under section 443(b)(2)(A) of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended (HEA), an institution must use at least five percent of the total amount of its FWS Federal funds granted for an award year to compensate students employed in community service. However, the Secretary may waive this requirement if the Secretary determines that enforcing it would cause hardship for students at the institution.

An appropriate institutional official must sign the waiver request and include, above the signature, the following statement: "I certify that the information the institution provided in this waiver request is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the information is subject to audit and program review by representatives of the Secretary of Education."

To receive a waiver, you must demonstrate that complying with the five percent requirement would cause hardship for students at your institution. To allow flexibility to consider factors that may be valid reasons for a waiver, the Secretary is not specifying the particular circumstances that would support granting a waiver. However, the Secretary does not foresee

many instances in which a waiver will be granted. The fact that it may be difficult for an institution to comply with this provision of the HEA is not a basis for granting a waiver.

Applicable Regulations

The following regulations apply to the Federal Work-Study program:

- (1) Student Assistance General Provisions, 34 CFR part 668.
- (2) General Provisions for the Federal Perkins Loan Program, Federal Work-Study Program, and Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant Program, 34 CFR part 673.
- (3) Federal Work-Study Programs, 34 CFR part 675.
- (4) Institutional Eligibility Under the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, 34 CFR part 600.
- (5) New Restrictions on Lobbying, 34 CFR part 82.
- (6) Government Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement) and Government Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants), 34 CFR part 85.
- (7) Drug-Free Schools and Campuses, 34 CFR part 86.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To receive information, contact Ms. Sandra Donelson, Institutional Financial Management Division, U.S. Department of Education, P.O. Box 23781, Washington, DC 20026–0781. Telephone (202) 708–9751. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1–800–877–8339.

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Dated: May 14, 1999.

Greg Woods,

Chief Operating Officer, Office of Student Financial Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[CFDA No. 84.338]

Application for Grants Under the Reading Excellence Act

AGENCY: Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice to extend deadline for application for assistance under the Reading Excellence Act.

SUMMARY: The Secretary of Education announces the extension of the deadline for the Colorado State educational agency (SEA) to apply for a Fiscal Year 1999 new award under the Reading Excellence Act.

DATES: The new deadline for the Colorado SEA to submit its application will be May 21, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To obtain further information, contact Dr. Joseph C. Conaty, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue SW, Room 5C141, Washington, DC 20202–6200; telephone (202) 260–8228; or email reading_excellence@ed.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1–800–877–8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The application package for the Reading Excellence Act, a competitive state grant program, was made available on April 3, 1999. The Department established the original closing date of May 7, 1999 on April 5, 1999 (64 FR 16574).

On May 6, 1999, the state of Colorado requested an extension of the deadline because the April 20, 1999, tragedy in Littleton, Colorado, prevented the SEA from working on its grant application.

In recognition of the unusual circumstances, the Secretary extends the deadline for the Colorado SEA application to May 21, 1999.

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Program Authority: 20 U.S.C. 6661 et seq.
 Dated: May 13, 1999.

Judith Johnson,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Docket No. EA-209]

Application To Export Electric Energy; Cargill-Alliant, LLC

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of application.

SUMMARY: Cargill-Alliant, LLC (C-A) has applied for authority to transmit electric energy from the United States to Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act.

DATES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before June 18, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex (FE-27), Office of Fossil Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585-0350 (FAX 202-287-5736).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Steven Mintz (Program Office) 202-586-506 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 April 6, 1999, the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) received an application from C-A to transmit electric energy as a power marketer from the United States to Canada. C-A is a joint venture that is owned 50% by Cargill, Incorporated and 50% by WPL Holdings Commodities Trading, L.L.C. C-A does not own or control any electric generation or transmission facilities nor does it have a franchised service territory.

The electric energy C-A proposes to export will be surplus energy that is purchased from systems that do generate electric energy. C-A intends to export this energy to Canada over the existing international transmission facilities owned by Basin Electric Power Cooperative, Bonneville Power Administration, Citizens Utilities Company, The Detroit Edison Company, Eastern Maine Electric Cooperative, Joint Owners of the Highgate Project, Long Sault, Inc., Maine Electric Power Company, Maine Public Service Company, Minnesota Power Inc., Minnkota Power Cooperative, New York Power Authority, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation, Northern States Power Company, and Vermont Electric Transmission Company. The construction of each of the international transmission facilities to be utilized by C-A, as more fully described in the application, has previously been authorized by a Presidential permit issued pursuant to Executive Order 10485, as amended.

Procedural Matters

Any person desiring to become a party to this proceeding or to be heard by filing comments or protests to this application should file a petition to intervene, comment or protest at the address provided above in accordance with §§ 385.211 or 385.214 of the FERC's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Fifteen copies of each petition and protest should be filed with the DOE on or before the date listed above.

Comments on the C-A application to export electric energy to Canada should be clearly marked with Docket EA-209. Additional copies are to be filed directly with Rodrigo R. Bustamante, Esq., Cargill-Alliant, LLC, 15407 McGinty Road West, Wayzata, Minnesota 55391-2399.

A final decision will be made on this application after the environmental impacts have been evaluated pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and a determination is made by the DOE that the proposed action will not adversely impact on the reliability of the U.S. electric power supply system.

Copies of this application will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above or by accessing the Fossil Energy Home Page at <http://www.fe.doe.gov>. Upon reaching the Fossil Energy Home page, select "Regulatory" and then "Electricity" from the options menus.

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Anthony J. Como,

Manager, Electric Power Regulation, Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex, Office of Coal & Power Systems, Office of Fossil Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Docket No. EA-211]

Application To Export Electric Energy; DTE Energy Trading, Inc.

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of application.

SUMMARY: DTE Energy Trading, Inc. (DTE) has applied for authority to transmit electric energy from the United States to Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act.

DATES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before June 18, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex (FE-27), Office of Fossil Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585-0350 (FAX 202-287-5736).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Steven Mintz (Program Office) 202-586-9506 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 May 5, 1999, the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) received an application from DTE to transmit electric energy from the United States to Canada. DTE is a Michigan corporation and a wholly-owned subsidiary of DTE Energy Company. DTE also is an affiliate of The Detroit Edison Company, a public utility which also is a wholly-owned subsidiary of DTE Energy Company.

DTE does not own or control any electric power generation or transmission facilities and does not have a franchised electric power service area. DTE operates as a marketer and broker of electric power at wholesale and arranges services in related areas. The electric energy which DTE proposes to export will be surplus energy purchased from electric utilities and Federal power marketing agencies within the United States.