

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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Centers for Independent Living; Notice Inviting Applications for New Awards for Fiscal Year (FY) 1999

Purpose of Program: This program provides support for planning, conducting, administering, and evaluating centers for independent living (centers) that comply with the standards and assurances in section 725 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (Act), consistent with the State plan for establishing a statewide network of centers. Centers are consumer-controlled, community-based, cross-disability, nonresidential, private nonprofit agencies that are designed and operated within local communities by individuals with disabilities and provide an array of independent living (IL) services.

Eligible Applicants: To be eligible to apply, an applicant must—(a) be a consumer-controlled, community-based, cross-disability, nonresidential, private nonprofit agency as defined in 34 CFR 364.4(b); (b) have the power and authority to meet the requirements in 34 CFR 366.2(a)(1); (c) be able to plan, conduct, administer, and evaluate a center for independent living consistent with the requirements of section 725(b) and (c) of the Act and Subparts F and G of 34 CFR Part 366; and (d) either—(1) not currently be receiving funds under Part C of Chapter 1 of Title VII of the Act; or (2) propose the expansion of an existing center through the establishment of a separate and complete center (except that the governing board of the existing center may serve as the governing board of the new center) in a different geographical location. Eligibility under this competition is limited to entities that meet the requirements of 34 CFR 366.24 and propose to serve areas that are unserved or underserved in the States and territories listed under AVAILABLE FUNDS.

Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: February 26, 1999.

Deadline for Intergovernmental Review: April 27, 1999.

Applications Available: December 11, 1998.

Available Funds: \$456,736 as distributed in the following manner:

Georgia .....	\$86,226
New York .....	104,652
American Samoa .....	154,046
Guam .....	55,906
Commonwealth of N. Marianas ..	55,906

Estimated Average Size of Awards: \$55,906-\$154,046.

Estimated Number of Awards: 1 per eligible State.

Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.

Project Period: Up to 60 months.

Applicable Regulations: (a) The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) in 34 CFR parts 74, 75, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 85, and 86; and (b) The regulations for this program in 34 CFR parts 364 and 366.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Merri Pearson, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 3316, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2741. Telephone: (202) 205-8484 (voice) and (202) 205-8243 (TDD).

Individuals with disabilities may obtain this document in an alternate format (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, or computer diskette) on request to the contact person listed in the preceding paragraph.

FOR APPLICATIONS CONTACT: The Grants and Contracts Services Team (GCST), U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 3317, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2550. Telephone: (202) 205-8351. 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. The preferred method for requesting applications is to FAX your request to (202) 205-8717.

Individuals with disabilities may obtain a copy of the application package in an alternate format by contacting the GCST. However, the Department is not able to reproduce in an alternate format the standard forms included in the application package.

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Program Authority: 29 U.S.C. 721(c) and (e) and 796(f).

Dated: December 4, 1998.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[FE Docket Nos. PP-195, EA-195]

Application for Presidential Permit and Electricity Export Authorization Wilson-7 Energy Systems, Inc.

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of application.

SUMMARY: Wilson-7 Energy Systems, Inc. (Wilson-7) has applied for a Presidential permit to construct, connect, operate and maintain electric transmission facilities across the U.S. border with Mexico. The proposed facility is a direct current (DC) transmission with an operating voltage of between 600 kilovolts (600 kV) and 1,200 kV. The facilities would originate at a new electric powerplant to be constructed in Hudspeth County, Texas, and cross the U.S.-Mexico border in the vicinity of either Fort Hancock, Arcala, or Indian Hot Springs, Texas. The proposed facilities would be used to supply electric energy to Mexico and unnamed countries south of Mexico. In addition, Wilson-7 seeks authorization to export 6,000 megawatts (MW) of electric power from the United States to Mexico.

DATES: Comments, protests, or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before January 11, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests, or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Power Import and Export (FE-27), Office of Fossil Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585-0350.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellen Russell (Program Office) 202-586-9624 or Michael T. Skinker (Program Attorney) 202-586-6667.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The construction, connection, operation, and maintenance of facilities at the