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Eligibility And Criteria: Information on eligibility and nomination criteria is provided on the Nominations Guidelines Form at <http://www.technology.gov/medal>. Applicants that do not have internet access should contact Connie Chang, Research Director, Technology Administration at the email address or telephone number above to request this information.

Dated: February 23, 2007.

Robert Cresanti,

Under Secretary for Technology.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools.

ACTION: Notice of Open Meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the schedule and proposed agenda of an upcoming open meeting of The Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Advisory Committee. The notice also describes the functions of the committee. Notice of this meeting is required by section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act and is intended to notify the public of their opportunity to attend.

DATES: Monday, March 19, 2007.

Time: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The Committee will meet at the U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Washington, DC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Catherine Davis, Executive Director, The

Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Advisory Committee, Room 1E110B, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Washington, DC. *telephone:* (202) 205-4169, *e-mail:* OSDFSC@ed.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Committee was established to provide advice to the Secretary on Federal, State, and local programs designed to create safe and drug-free schools, and on issues related to crisis planning. The focus of this meeting is to discuss the findings and recommendations on three topics given to the Committee by the Secretary of Education: the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities State Grants Program, the Unsafe School Choice Option, and data requirements under the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act. Further, the Committee will begin to outline its findings and recommendations for the final report to the Secretary of Education due June 30, 2007.

Individuals who need accommodations for a disability in order to attend the meeting (e.g., interpreting services, assistive listening devices or materials in alternative formats) should notify Catherine Davis at OSDFSC@ed.gov or (202) 205-4169 no later than March 12, 2007. We will attempt to meet requests for accommodations after this date but cannot guarantee their availability. The meeting site is accessible to individuals with disabilities.

Individuals interested in attending the meeting must register in advance because limited space is available at the meeting site. Please notify Catherine Davis at OSDFSC@ed.gov or (202) 205-4169 of your intention to attend the meeting.

Opportunities for public comment are available on March 19 from 8:05 a.m.–8:40 a.m. on a first come, first served basis. Comments presented at the meeting are limited to 5 minutes in length. Written comments to accompany oral remarks are optional. Five copies of written comments are recommended and should be submitted to the committee Chairman at the meeting.

Request for Written Comments: We invite the public to submit written comments relevant to the focus of the Advisory Committee. We would like to receive written comments from members of the public no later than April 30, 2007. *Addresses:* Submit all comments to the Advisory Committee using one of the following methods: 1. Internet. We encourage the public to submit comments through the Internet to the following address: OSDFSC@ed.gov. 2. Mail: The public may also submit comments via mail to

Catherine Davis, Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 1E110B, Washington, DC 20202. Due to delays in mail delivery caused by heightened security, please allow adequate time for the mail to be received.

Records are kept of all Committee proceedings and are available for public inspection at the staff office for the Committee located at the U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 1E110B, Washington, DC 20202 between the hours of 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Raymond Simon,

Deputy Secretary, U.S. Department of Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings # 1

February 26, 2007.

Take notice that the Commission received the following electric rate filings.

Docket Numbers: ER99-4102-005.

Applicants: Milford Power, LLC.

Description: Milford Power, LLC submits a supplement to its 1/31/07 tariff filing.

Filed Date: 02/16/2007.

Accession Number: 20070221-0037

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, March 9, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER00-1952-004; ER04-1208-002; ER03-802-004; ER01-1784-007; ER99-1248-006; ER03-222-006.

Applicants: Black Hills Colorado, LLC; Black Hills Power, Inc.; Black Hill Wyoming, Inc.; Fountain Valley Power, LLC; Harbor Cogeneration Company, LLC; Las Vegas Cogeneration II, LLC.

Description: Black Hills Corporation on behalf of Black Hills Utilities submits amendments to its market-based rate wholesale power sales rate schedules, Order 652.

Filed Date: 02/20/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0039.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 13, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER00-2268-022; EL05-10-000; ER99-4124-018; EL05-11-000; ER00-3312-018; EL05-12-000; ER99-4122-022; EL-5-13-000.

Applicants: Pinnacle West Capital Corporation; Arizona Public Service Company; Pinnacle West Energy Corporation; APS Energy Services, Inc.

Description: Pinnacle West Companies, et al. submit revised simultaneous, import limit studies and delivered price tests to support their request for market-based authority in the APS control area, pursuant to FERC's 12/21/06 Order.

Filed Date: 02/20/2007.

Accession Number: 20070222-0226.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 13, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER03-1165-002.

Applicants: Energy Cooperative Association of Pennsylvania.

Description: Energy Cooperative Association of Pennsylvania submits its request for acceptance of their FERC Electric Tariff, Original, Volume 1.

Filed Date: 02/20/2007.

Accession Number: 20070222-0073.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 13, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER05-1410-004; EL05-148-004.

Applicants: PJM Interconnection, LLC.

Description: PJM Interconnection, LLC submits revisions to its PJM OATT and the Reliability Assurance Agreement among Load-Serving Entities in the PJM Region pursuant to FERC's 12/22/06 Order.

Filed Date: 02/20/2007.

Accession Number: 20070222-0071.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 13, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER06-432-006.

Applicants: Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Description: Southwest Power Pool, Inc submits its revised tariff language to accommodate the inclusion of the credit policy pursuant to FERC's 1/17/07 Order.

Filed Date: 02/16/2007.

Accession Number: 20070221-0038.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, March 9, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER06-1485-001; ER1485-003; ER07-266-001.

Applicants: Southwestern Public Service Company.

Description: Southwestern Public Service Co submits revised version of Schedule 4A-Reserve Sharing Energy Charges, to its OATT, FERC Electric Tariff, First Revised Volume 1.

Filed Date: 02/23/2007.

Accession Number: 20070226-0037.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, March 16, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-61-001.

Applicants: Southern Company Services, Inc.

Description: Southern Company Services, Inc, agent for Alabama Power Co et al submits modifications to the materials included in its 10/24/06,

submission of Revision 2-Agreement for Network Integration, Service etc, w/US Department of Energy.

Filed Date: 02/21/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0019.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 14, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-99-001.

Applicants: New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

Description: New York Independent System Operator, Inc submits the Report of Operating Reserves Cost Allocation Adjustments for the period of 3/1/05 through 10/24/06.

Filed Date: 02/21/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0146.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 14, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-361-001.

Applicants: Ameren Energy Marketing Company; Central Illinois Light Company; Central Illinois Public Service Company; Illinois Power Company; Union Electric Company.

Description: Central Illinois Light Co dba AmerenCILCO et al submits an amendment to their 12/22/06 application proposed to amend their market based rate tariffs to permit certain affiliate power sales transactions.

Filed Date: 02/16/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0018.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, March 9, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-486-001.

Applicants: Saguaro Power Company, a Ltd. Partnership.

Description: Saguaro Power Co submits a Substitute Original Sheet 1 et al to FERC Electric Tariff, Original Volume 1.

Filed Date: 02/20/2007.

Accession Number: 20070222-0074.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 13, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-531-001.

Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: PJM Interconnection, LLC submits a corrected version of its Wholesale Market Participation Agreement that addresses the typographical errors in the 2/9/07 filing.

Filed Date: 02/22/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0307.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Thursday, March 15, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-552-000.

Applicants: Hudson Bay Energy Solutions LLC.

Description: Hudson Bay Energy Solutions, LLC submits an application for order accepting initial market-based rate tariff, waiving regulations, and granting blanket approvals etc, effective 3/30/07.

Filed Date: 02/16/2007.

Accession Number: 20070221-0039.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, March 9, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-553-000; ER07-554-000; ER07-555-000; ER07-556-000; ER07-557-000.

Applicants: Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 1 LLC; Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 2 LLC; Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 3 LLC; Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 4 LLC; Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 5 LLC.

Description: Emera Energy Services Subsidiary 1, LLC et al submits a petition for acceptance of initial tariff waivers and blanket authority.

Filed Date: 02/20/2007.

Accession Number: 20070222-0072.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 13, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-558-000.

Applicants: PacifiCorp.

Description: PacifiCorp submits the Facilities Agreement dated 2/1/07 with Flowell Electric Association.

Filed Date: 02/20/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0041.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 13, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-559-000.

Applicants: Flat Earth Energy.

Description: Flat Earth Energy, LLC submits a petition for acceptance of initial rate tariff waivers and blanket authority.

Filed Date: 02/21/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0042.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 14, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-560-000.

Applicants: KGEN Enterprise LLC.

Description: KGen Power Management Inc submits a Notice of Cancellation of Rate Schedule and a Second Revised Sheet 1 to its market-based rate tariff.

Filed Date: 02/21/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0044.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 14, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-561-000.

Applicants: KGen Marshall LLC.

Description: KGen Power Management Inc submits a Notice of Cancellation of Rate Schedule and a Second Revised Sheet 1 to KGen Marshall LLC's market-based rate tariff

Filed Date: 02/21/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0043.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 14, 2007.

Docket Numbers: ER07-562-000.

Applicants: Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Company.

Description: Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Co submits tariff sheets

Exhibit TRC-201 for inclusion in their Open Access Transmission Tariff pursuant to FERC's Orders 679 and 679-A, effective 6/1/07.

Filed Date: 02/21/2007.

Accession Number: 20070223-0015.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 14, 2007.

Take notice that the Commission received the following electric securities filings.

Docket Numbers: ES07-21-000.

Applicants: Entergy Nuclear

Palisades, LLC.

Description: Application of Entergy Nuclear Palisades, LLC for Authorization to Issue Securities under ES07-21.

Filed Date: 02/20/2007.

Accession Number: 20070220-5019.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 13, 2007.

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.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-6684-6]

Environmental Impact Statements and Regulations; Availability of EPA Comments

Availability of EPA comments prepared pursuant to the Environmental Review Process (ERP), under section 309 of the Clean Air Act and Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act as amended. Requests for copies of EPA comments can be directed to the Office of Federal Activities at 202-564-7167.

An explanation of the ratings assigned to draft environmental impact statements (EISs) was published in FR dated April 7, 2006 (71 FR 17845).

Draft EISs

EIS No. 20060357, ERP No. D-COE-K39100-CA, Hemet/San Jacinto Integrated Recharge and Recovery Program, Construction and Operation, US Army COE Section 404 Permit, Riverside County, CA.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns about potential impacts to waters of the U.S.; aquatic resources; biological resources, including endangered species habitat; and air quality. Rating EC2.

EIS No. 20060479, ERP No. D-FRC-C03016-NY, Broadwater Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Project, Construction and Operation a Natural Gas Pipeline Facilities, (Docket Nos. CP06-54, et al.), Long Island Sound, NY.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns about potential impacts to air quality, water quality, and biological resources, and recommended that the FEIS contain additional information and/or analyses to address those impacts. Rating EC2.

EIS No. 20060481, ERP No. D-AFS-L65528-OR, Crawford Project and Proposed Nonsignificant Forest Plan Amendments, Commercial Timber Harvest, Prescribed Burning,

Adjustments to Dedicated Old Growth Areas, and Road Closure and Decommissioning Activities, Implementation, Blue Mountain Ranger District, Malheur National Forest, Grant County, OR.

Summary: EPA expressed environmental concerns about potential increases in sediment loads to streams due to additional roads. EPA also recommended that the document clarify questions related to the number and location of road miles, sedimentation rates, and address concerns with the undocumented cost and timing of restoration measures. Rating EC1.

EIS No. 20060502, ERP No. D-NPS-K39103-CA, Giacomini Wetland Restoration Project, Propose to Restore Natural Hydrologic and Ecological Processes, Golden Gate National Recreation Area, Point Reyes National Seashore, Marin County, CA.

Summary: EPA supports the proposed project and believes it will significantly improve the hydrologic and ecological processes and functions in the Tomales Bay Watershed. Rating LO.

Final EISs

EIS No. 20060528, ERP No. F-AFS-L61131-ID, Emerald Creek Garnet Area, To Provide a Public Recreational Area for Collecting Garnet Gemstone, US Army COE Section 404 Permit, Idaho Panhandle National Forest, St. Joe Ranger District, Latah County, ID.

Summary: The final EIS addressed EPA's major concerns regarding water quality and wetlands; therefore, EPA does not object to the proposed project.

EIS No. 20060540, ERP No. F-NOA-G39038-LA, PROGRAMMATIC—The Louisiana Regional Restoration Planning Program, Establishing and Implementation of Natural Resource Trust Mandates, LA.

Summary: EPA does not object to the proposed project.

EIS No. 20060543, ERP No. F-COE-K36144-CA, San Juan Creek and Western San Mateo Creek Watershed Special Area Management Plan (SAMP), Proposed Watershed-Based SAMP to Balance Aquatic Resource Protection and Reasonable Economic Development, Southern Portion of Orange County, CA.

Summary: EPA is supportive of the SAMP, however, it has concerns about the alternatives analysis, permitting procedures, air quality impacts, and compliance with Clean Water Act Section 404(S)

(1) Guidelines. EPA will continue to work with the Corps to resolve these issues.