

1. *Prepare a Special Environmental Analysis (SEA).* The SEA will examine potential impacts resulting from issuance of the Order, and describe further DOE decisionmaking regarding reasonable future alternatives and potential further mitigation actions DOE may take in this matter. The analysis will present reasonably foreseeable impacts from possible changes in operations of the Plant over the time until two additional transmission lines planned by PEPSCO are installed. DOE intends to issue its SEA no later than August 2006 and will make it available to the public on the DOE NEPA and Mirant matter Web sites as well as announce its availability in the **Federal Register**. DOE will consider information contained in the SEA, and public input received on the SEA, in any future decisionmaking in this matter.

2. *Provide Opportunities for Public Involvement.* DOE is currently accepting public comments on the compliance plan that DOE required Mirant to submit under the DOE Order. DOE also invites public comments on this Notice, as well as on issues to be addressed in the SEA. DOE will consider public input in determining appropriate mitigation measures and any additional actions DOE may take as DOE adaptively manages implementation of the Order. DOE will post on the Mirant matter Web site publicly available information (not exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act) regarding the environmental effects of ongoing or alternative operations of the Plant (e.g., reasonably available ambient air quality data and results of air quality modeling), that the Department receives from Mirant, EPA, and DEQ.

3. *Continue Agency Consultations.* DOE will continue to consult with EPA and DEQ concerning information on emissions, modeling results, potential mitigation measures, and any changes to the operation of the Plant. EPA will act as a "cooperating agency" (see 40 CFR 1501.6 and 1508.5) for purposes of providing reasonably available public information regarding the environmental effects of operations of the Plant to be disseminated via DOE's Mirant matter Web site and evaluated in the SEA.

4. *Identify Mitigation.* DOE will identify in its SEA any steps that it believes can be taken to mitigate the impacts from its Order. DOE will continue to track the impacts of its Order and public input and provide for appropriate mitigation where practicable. DOE will publish on its Web sites, as noted above, its discussion of which mitigation measures are

adopted for any future decision, and if not, why they are not adopted.

DOE may modify, in consultation with CEQ, the foregoing alternative arrangements as conditions warrant and will notify the public in the **Federal Register** if it does so.

Issued in Washington, DC, on January 18, 2006.

John Spitaleri Shaw,
Assistant Secretary for Environment, Safety and Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Project No. 12481-002]

AMG Energy, LLC; Notice of Surrender of Preliminary Permit

January 12, 2006.

Take notice that AMG Energy, LLC, permittee for the proposed Selden Dam Project, has requested that its preliminary permit be terminated. The permit was issued on April 20, 2004, and would have expired on March 31, 2007.¹ The project would have been located on the Black Warrior River in Greene and Hale Counties, Alabama.

The permittee filed the request on December 7, 2005, and the preliminary permit for Project No. 12481 shall remain in effect through the thirtieth day after issuance of this notice unless that day is a Saturday, Sunday, part-day holiday that affects the Commission, or legal holiday as described in section 18 CFR 385.2007, in which case the effective date is the first business day following that day. New applications involving this project site, to the extent provided for under 18 CFR Part 4, may be filed on the next business day.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.
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[Project No. 12485-002]

AMG Energy, LLC; Notice of Surrender of Preliminary Permit

January 12, 2006.

Take notice that AMG Energy, LLC, permittee for the proposed Claiborne Hydroelectric Project, has requested that its preliminary permit be terminated. The permit was issued on June 28, 2004, and would have expired on May 31, 2007.¹ The project would have been located on the Alabama River in Monroe County, Alabama.

The permittee filed the request on December 7, 2005, and the preliminary permit for Project No. 12485 shall remain in effect through the thirtieth day after issuance of this notice unless that day is a Saturday, Sunday, part-day holiday that affects the Commission, or legal holiday as described in section 18 CFR 385.2007, in which case the effective date is the first business day following that day. New applications involving this project site, to the extent provided for under 18 CFR part 4, may be filed on the next business day.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.
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[Docket No. RP03-36-015]

Dauphin Island Gathering Partners; Notice of Negotiated Rate

January 13, 2006.

Take notice that on January 9, 2006, Dauphin Island Gathering Partners (Dauphin Island) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, the revised tariff sheets listed below to become effective February 9, 2006.

Twenty-Fourth Revised Sheet No. 9.
Nineteenth Revised Sheet No. 10.
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 359.
Third Revised Sheet No. 427.

Dauphin Island states that these tariff sheets reflect changes to its statement of negotiated rates and nonconforming transportation and reserve commitment agreement tariff sheets.

¹ 107 FERC ¶ 62,053.

¹ 107 FERC ¶ 62,287.