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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

August 31, 2007.

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding,

to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the

official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e)(1)(v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received by the Secretary of the Commission. The communications listed are grouped by docket numbers in ascending order. These filings are 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 link. 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 for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

Docket No.	Date received	Presenter or requester
Prohibited		
1. EL07-56-000, EL07-58-000	8-28-07	Craig Glazer.
Exempt		
1. CP07-44-000	8-7-07	Hon. Thad Cochran, Hon. Trent Lott, Hon. Charles "Chip" Pickering.
2. Project No. 460-000	8-13-07	Hon. Norm Dicks.
3. Project No. 2082-000	8-29-07	Rich Bodnar.
4. Project No. 2100-000	8-7-07	Hon. John T. Doolittle.
5. Project No. 2100-000	8-23-07	Gail Williams.
6. Project No. 11291-023	8-14-07	James A. Glass, PhD.
7. Project No. 12796-000	8-13-07	Daniel E. Weaver ¹

¹One of 14 letters filed between August 13, 2007 and August 22, 2007, from the Cities of Clyde, Columbiana, Dover, Wapakoneta, Wadsworth, Celina and Piqua, Ohio; the Villages of Arcanum, Clinton, Edgerton, Eldorado, Milan, Minster, Montpelier, Oak Harbor and Plymouth, Ohio; the Borough of Ellwood City, Pennsylvania and the City of Martinsville, West Virginia.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Docket No. MS083107]

Notice Announcing Combined Notice of Gas Rate Filings

August 31, 2007.

Effective August 31, 2007, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) will issue notices of

natural gas: (1) Rate filings/applications, (2) refund reports, (3) compliance filing and (4) waiver requests (collectively, natural gas filings) using the RP docket number prefix through its Combined Notice of Filings method, already in place for most electric rate filings.

As of this date, the Secretary of the Commission is making the following changes to the filing procedures for natural gas filings:

1. Filers are no longer required to include a draft form of notice or diskette containing that form of notice for any RP-docketed application, compliance filing, refund report, or waiver request.
2. Filers requesting a shortened comment period for the filing must

clearly state such request in the title or heading for the filing. For example:

Re: (Name of Natural Gas Pipeline)
Docket No. RP07-_____
(Title/Description) and Request for shortened comment period

The notices issued under this method for RP dockets will be added to eLibrary and published in the **Federal Register** under the name "Combined Notice of Filings." These notices will list natural gas filings added to eLibrary since publication of the last notice. Each filing will be listed with its identifying details as follows:

Name of Applicant(s)—This item will show the applicant name as it appears on the filing.