to the proceeding. The Commission's rules require that persons filing comments in opposition to the project provide copies of their protests only to the party or parties directly involved in the protest.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings of comments, protests, and interventions via the Internet in lieu of paper. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site http://www.ferc.gov under the "e-Filing" link. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Comment Date: December 29, 2010.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project Nos. 13825-000; 13827-000]

FFP Missouri 16, LLC, Solia 9
Hydroelectric, LLC; Notice of
Competing Preliminary Permit
Applications Accepted for Filing and
Soliciting Comments, Motions To
Intervene, and Competing Applications

December 7, 2010.

On August 6, 2010, FFP Missouri 16, LLC (FFP) and Solia 9 Hydroelectric, LLC filed preliminary permit applications, pursuant to section 4(f) of the Federal Power Act, proposing to study the feasibility of a hydropower project at the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' (Corps) Mississippi River Lock and Dam #15 structure, located on the Mississippi River near Rock Island, Illinois. The sole purpose of a preliminary permit, if issued, is to grant the permit holder priority to file a license application during the permit term. A preliminary permit does not authorize the permit holder to perform any land-disturbing activities or otherwise enter upon lands or waters owned by others without the owners' express permission.

FFP's Mississippi Lock and Dam #15 Project (Project No. 13825–000) would consist of: (1) Four modular generation units placed in nine of the existing gate bays of the Corps' lock and dam structure. These 36 units would contain compact bulb turbines with individual unit capacities of 835 KW each and have

a combined capacity of 30 MW; (2) a separate 50-foot x 60-foot control building; (3) a new 30 MVa substation located on the north side of the river; (4) a new 5,500-foot-long transmission line extending to an interconnection point with the existing Mid American Energy substation on the southern edge of Rock Island; and (5) appurtenant facilities. The proposed operating voltage would be 115-kilovolt (kV). FFP is also exploring an alternative that would involve construction of a new 260-footlong x 210-foot-wide x 70-foot-high conventional concrete powerhouse and intake in the northern two roller gate bays. The new proposed powerhouse would contain four horizontal bulb turbines rated at 7.5 MW each. Each design would have a total energy generation of 200 gigawatt-hours per year. The project would utilize Corps designated flows from the Mississippi Lock and Dam #15 structure and operate as directed by the Corps.

Applicant Contact: Mr. Ramya Swaminathan, Free Flow Power Corporation, 33 Commercial Street, Gloucester, MA 01930; Telephone: (978) 283–2822.

Solia 9 Hydroelectric's proposed Lock and Dam #15 Hydropower Project (Project No. 13827-000) would consist of: (1) One 245-foot-long x 160-footwide x 60-foot-high concrete powerhouse. The proposed powerhouse would contain 6 turbine generator units with individual unit capacities of 5.2 MW each and have a combined capacity of 31 MW; (2) a new 26,400-foot-long 34 to 230-kV transmission line extending from the switchyard near the proposed powerhouse to an existing nearby distribution line; and (3) appurtenant facilities. The proposed project design would have a total energy generation of 172 gigawatt-hours per year. The project would operate run-of-river and utilize flows released from the dam.

Applicant Contact: Mr. Douglas Spaulding, P.E., Nelson Energy, LLC, 8441 Wayzata Blvd., #101, Golden Valley, MN 55426; Telephone: (952) 544–8133.

FERC Contact: Tyrone A. Williams, tyrone.williams@ferc.gov or (202) 502–6331.

Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, and competing applications (without notices of intent), or notices of intent to file competing applications: 60 days from the issuance date of this notice. Comments, motions to intervene, notices of intent, and competing applications may be filed electronically via the Internet. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site (http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/

ferconline.asp) under the "eFiling" link. For a simpler method of submitting text only comments, click on "Quick Comment." For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport.gov; call toll-free at (866) 208–3676; or, for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. Although the Commission strongly recommends electronic filing, documents may also be paper-filed. To paper-file, an original and eight copies should be mailed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. For more information on how to submit these types of filings please go to the Commission's Web site located at http://www.ferc.gov/filingcomments.asp.

More information about this project, including a copy of the application can be viewed or printed on the "eLibrary" link of Commission's Web site at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/elibrary.asp. Enter the docket number (P–13795) in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Sunshine Act Meeting

December 9, 2010.

The following notice of meeting is published pursuant to section 3(a) of the government in the Sunshine Act (Pub. L. 94–409), 5 U.S.C. 552b:

AGENCY HOLDING MEETING: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

DATE AND TIME: December 16, 2010, 10 a.m.

PLACE: Room 2C, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Agenda.

* Note —Items listed on the agenda may be deleted without further notice.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Telephone (202) 502–8400.

For a recorded message listing items struck from or added to the meeting, call (202) 502–8627.

This is a list of matters to be considered by the Commission. It does not include a listing of all documents relevant to the items on the agenda. All public documents, however, may be viewed on line at the Commission's

Web site at http://www.ferc.gov using the eLibrary link, or may be examined

in the Commission's Public Reference Room.

965TH—MEETING, REGULAR MEETING [December 16, 2010 10 a.m.]

[December 16, 2010 10 a.m.]			
Item No.	Docket No.	Company	
ADMINISTRATIVE			
A–1 A–2 A–3	AD02-1-000 AD02-7-000 AD11-5-000	Agency Administrative Matters. Customer Matters, Reliability, Security and Market Operations. Annual Report of Natural Gas Transactions.	
ELECTRIC			
E-1	ER10-1791- 000.	Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.	
E-2	EC10-68- 000.	FirstEnergy Corp. and Allegheny Energy, Inc.	
E-3	ER11-1830- 000.	California Independent System Operator Corporation.	
E-4	ER11-1923- 00.	Entergy Arkansas, Inc.; Entergy Gulf States Louisiana, L.L.C.; Entergy Louisiana, LLC; Entergy Mississippi, Inc.; Entergy New Orleans, Inc. and Entergy Texas, Inc.	
E–5	ER10-1401- 000. ER10-2191-	California Independent System Operator Corporation.	
E-6 E-7	RM09-09-	Green Energy Express LLC and 21st Century Transmission Holdings, LLC. Grasslands Renewable Energy LLC. Version One Regional Reliability Standards for Facilities Design, Connections, and Maintenance; Protection	
E–8	000.	and Control; and Voltage and Reactive. Version One Regional Reliability Standard for Transmission Operations.	
E-9 E-10 E-11		Interpretation of Protection System Reliability Standard. Mandatory Reliability Standards for the Bulk Power System.	
E-12	011. RM10-8-000 RM06-22-	Electric Reliability Organization Interpretations of Interconnection Reliability Operations and Coordination and Transmission Operations Reliability Standards. Mandatory Reliability Standards for Critical Infrastructure Protection.	
E-14 E-15	ER11-1918-	Louisiana Public Service Commission and the Council of the City of New Orleans v. Entergy Corporation. ISO New England Inc.	
E-16	000. ER10–2477– 000.	ISO New England Inc.	
E–17 E–18	OMITTED	BHE Holdings Inc. and Maine & Maritimes Corporation.	
E–19 E–20		United States Department of Energy—Bonneville Power Administration. North American Electric Reliability Corporation.	
E-21	ER11–1947– 000.	ISO New England Inc.	
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G–1	RM10-25- 000.	Five-Year Review of Oil Pipeline Pricing Index.	
G-2 G-3 G-4	RM11–4–000 RM09–2–001 RP07–340–	Storage Reporting Requirements of Interstate and Intrastate Natural Gas Companies. Contract Reporting Requirements of Intrastate Natural Gas Companies. Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation.	
G–5	RP08–295– 002.	Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation.	
HYDRO			
H–1	P-2342-005 P-2342-011.	PacifiCorp.	

965TH—MEETING, REGULAR MEETING—Continued [December 16, 2010 10 a.m.]

Item No.	Docket No.	Company	
CERTIFICATES			
C–1	CP10-457- 000. CP10-458- 000.	National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation.	
C-2	CP10-488- 000.	Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC and Millennium Pipeline Company, LLC.	
C–3	CP10-471- 000.	Texas Eastern Transmission, LP.	

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

A free Webcast of this event is available through http://www.ferc.gov. Anyone with Internet access who desires to view this event can do so by navigating to http://www.ferc.gov's Calendar of Events and locating this event in the Calendar. The event will contain a link to its Webcast. The Capitol Connection provides technical support for the free Webcasts. It also offers access to this event via television in the DC area and via phone bridge for a fee. If you have any questions, visit http://www.CapitolConnection.org or contact Danelle Springer or David Reininger at 703-993-3100.

Immediately following the conclusion of the Commission Meeting, a press briefing will be held in the Commission Meeting Room. Members of the public may view this briefing in the designated overflow room. This statement is intended to notify the public that the press briefings that follow Commission meetings may now be viewed remotely at Commission headquarters, but will not be telecast through the Capitol Connection service.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OAR-2010-1016; FRL-9238-7]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Response; National Refrigerant Recycling and Emission Reduction Program; EPA ICR No. 1626.11, OMB Control No. 2060–0256

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces

that EPA is planning to submit a request to renew an existing approved Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). This ICR is scheduled to expire on April 30, 2011. Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the proposed information collection as described below.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before *February 14, 2011*.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, identified by Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OAR-2010-1016.

Instructions: Direct your comments to Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OAR-2010-1016. EPA's policy is that all comments received will be included in the public docket without change and may be made available online at http:// www.regulations.gov, including any personal information provided, unless the comment includes information claimed to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. Do not submit information that you consider to be CBI or otherwise protected through http:// www.regulations.gov or e-mail. The http://www.regulations.gov Web site is an "anonymous access" system, which means EPA will not know your identity or contact information unless you provide it in the body of your comment. If you send an e-mail comment directly to EPA without going through http:// www.regulations.gov your e-mail address will be automatically captured and included as part of the comment that is placed in the public docket and made available on the Internet. If you submit an electronic comment, EPA recommends that you include your name and other contact information in the body of your comment and with any disk or CD-ROM you submit. If EPA cannot read your comment due to technical difficulties and cannot contact you for clarification, EPA may not be able to consider your comment.

Electronic files should avoid the use of special characters, any form of encryption, and be free of any defects or viruses. For additional information about EPA's public docket visit the EPA Docket Center homepage at http://www.epa.gov/epahome/dockets.htm.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Julius Banks; Stratospheric Protection Division, Office of Air and Radiation, Office of Atmospheric Programs; Mail Code 6205J; Environmental Protection Agency; 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 343–9870; fax number: (202) 343–2338; e-mail address: banks.julius@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

How can I access the docket and/or submit comments?

EPA has established a public docket for this ICR under Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OAR-2010-1016, which is available for online viewing at http:// www.regulations.gov, or in person viewing at the Office of Air and Radiation Docket and Information Center in the EPA Docket Center (EPA/ DC), EPA West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC. The EPA/DC Public Reading Room is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is 202-566-1744, and the telephone number for the Office of Air and Radiation Docket and Information Center Docket is 202-566-1742.

Use http://www.regulations.gov to obtain a copy of the draft collection of information, submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the docket, and to access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Once in the system, select "search," then key in the docket ID number identified in this document.