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*DoD Clearance Officer:* Ms. Patricia Toppings.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Toppings at WHS/ESD/Information Management Division, 4800 Mark Center Drive, 2nd Floor, East Tower, Suite 02G09, Alexandria, VA 22350-3100.

**Kortnee Stewart,**

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Energy Information Administration**

**Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

**AGENCY:** Energy Information Administration (EIA), Department of Energy (DOE).

**ACTION:** Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request.

**SUMMARY:** The EIA has submitted the Financial Reporting EIA-28 Survey package to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The Financial Reporting System, Form EIA-28 collects data used to analyze the energy industry's competitive environment as well as energy industry resource development, supply distribution, and profitability issues. This is a request to conduct a comprehensive voluntary evaluation of an existing data collection to inform a future redesign of the EIA-28. This future redesign will measure upstream oil and gas costs for exploration and production for U.S. companies' foreign and domestic operations. In order to successfully inform this redesign, EIA will assess the feasibility of collecting and measuring upstream oil and gas costs for exploration and production for U.S. energy companies' foreign and domestic operations. EIA will work to identify the policy goals and data needs of its stakeholders with respect to the collection and measurement of upstream oil and gas costs. The goal of this evaluation is to collect enough data to successfully inform the future redesign of the EIA-28.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed by April 11, 2013. If you anticipate that you will

be submitting comments but find it difficult to do so within that period, you should contact the OMB Desk Officer for DOE listed below as soon as possible. The Desk Officer may be telephoned at 202-395-4718 or contacted by email at [chad\\_s\\_whiteman@omb.eop.gov](mailto:chad_s_whiteman@omb.eop.gov).

**ADDRESSES:** Send comments to DOE Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 10102, 735 17th Street NW., Washington, DC 20503. To ensure receipt of the comments by the due date, submission by FAX (202-395-7285) or email to [Chad\\_S\\_Whiteman@omb.eop.gov](mailto:Chad_S_Whiteman@omb.eop.gov) is recommended. The OMB DOE Desk Officer may be telephoned at (202) 395-4718. A copy of your comments should also be provided to Neal Davis at the address below.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information should be directed to Neal Davis. To ensure receipt of the comments by the due date, submission by FAX (202-586-4420) or email ([neal.davis@eia.gov](mailto:neal.davis@eia.gov)) is also recommended. The mailing address is EI-24, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Ave. SW., U.S. Department of Energy, Washington, DC 20585-0670. Mr. Davis may be contacted by telephone at (202) 586-6581.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This section contains the following information about the energy information collection submitted to OMB for review: (1) *OMB No.:* New; (2) *Information Collection Request Title:* Evaluation of the Financial Reporting System, Form EIA-28; (3) *Type of Request:* Comprehensive Evaluation of an Existing Data Collection; (4) *Purpose:* The Financial Reporting System, Form EIA-28 collects data used to analyze the energy industry's competitive environment as well as energy industry resource development, supply distribution, and profitability issues. However, this is not a request to collect data using Form EIA-28. It is a request to conduct a comprehensive voluntary evaluation of an existing data collection to inform a future redesign of the EIA-28. This future redesign will measure upstream oil and gas costs for exploration and production for U.S. companies' foreign and domestic operations. In order to successfully inform this redesign, EIA will assess the feasibility of collecting and measuring upstream oil and gas costs for exploration and production for U.S. energy companies' foreign and domestic operations. EIA will work to identify the policy goals and data needs of its

stakeholders with respect to the collection and measurement of upstream oil and gas costs. The goal of this evaluation is to collect enough data to successfully inform the future redesign of the EIA-28. (5) *Annual Estimated Number of Respondents:* 300; (6) *Annual Estimated Number of Total Responses:* 300; (7) *Annual Estimated Number of Burden Hours:* 430; and (8) *Annual Estimated Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden:* There is no cost associated with reporting and recordkeeping.

**Statutory Authority:** Public Law 93-275 (Federal Energy Administration Act of 1974), 5(a) and 13(a).

Issued in Washington, DC, on March 5, 2013.

**Stephanie Brown,**

*Director, Office of Survey Development and Statistical Integration, U.S. Energy Information Administration.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP13-83-000]

**Arlington Storage Company, LLC; Notice of Application**

Take notice that on February 26, 2013, Arlington Storage Company, LLC (Arlington), Two Brush Creek Boulevard, Kansas City, Missouri 64112, filed in the above referenced docket an application pursuant to section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations, requesting authorization to expand its Seneca Lake natural gas storage facility located in Schuyler County, New York, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. The filing is 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, contact FERC at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or call toll-free, (886) 208-3676 or TTY, (202) 502-8659.

The project, referred to as the "Gallery 2 Expansion Project," will involve converting two existing interconnected bedded salt caverns (collectively known as "Gallery 2"), previously used for propane storage, and related facilities to natural gas storage. The addition of

Gallery 2 will add an incremental 0.55 Bcf of working gas capacity to the Seneca Lake facility. Arlington further requests authorization to construct approximately 500 feet of field line and related facilities to connect the Gallery 2 wells to the existing Seneca Lake facilities; install a 500 horsepower compressor unit; construct and later remove temporary facilities to be used to debrine the caverns; install electric and instrument air lines; and plug and abandon two existing wells formerly used in the brine production and propane operation of the Gallery 2 Caverns. Arlington, also, seeks reaffirmation of its authority to charge market-based rates for its storage and hub services.

Any questions concerning this application may be directed to James F. Bowe, Jr., King & Spalding LLP, 1700 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Suite 200, Washington, DC 20006, by telephone at (202) 626-9601, by facsimile at (202) 626-3737, or by email at [jbowe@kslaw.com](mailto:jbowe@kslaw.com).

Pursuant to Section 157.9 of the Commission's rules, 18 CFR 157.9, within 90 days of this Notice the Commission staff will either: Complete its environmental assessment (EA) and place it into the Commission's public record (eLibrary) for this proceeding, or issue a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review. If a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review is issued, it will indicate, among other milestones, the anticipated date for the Commission staff's issuance of the final environmental impact statement (FEIS) or EA for this proposal. The filing of the EA in the Commission's public record for this proceeding or the issuance of a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review will serve to notify federal and state agencies of the timing for the completion of all necessary reviews, and the subsequent need to complete all federal authorizations within 90 days of the date of issuance of the Commission staff's FEIS or EA.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this project should, on or before the comment date stated below file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the NGA (18 CFR 157.10). A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the

Commission and will receive copies of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties. A party must submit 14 copies of filings made in the proceeding with the Commission and must mail a copy to the applicant and to every other party. Only parties to the proceeding can ask for court review of Commission orders in the proceeding.

However, a person does not have to intervene in order to have comments considered. The second way to participate is by filing with the Secretary of the Commission, as soon as possible, an original and two copies of comments in support of or in opposition to this project. The Commission will consider these comments in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but the filing of a comment alone will not serve to make the filer a party 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.

Persons who wish to comment only on the environmental review of this project should submit an original and two copies of their comments to the Secretary of the Commission. Environmental commentors will be placed on the Commission's environmental mailing list, will receive copies of the environmental documents, and will be notified of meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process. Environmental commentors will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, the non-party commentors will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission (except for the mailing of environmental documents issued by the Commission) and will not have the right to seek court review of the Commission's final order.

Motions to intervene, protests and comments may be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper; see, 18 CFR 385.2001(a) (1) (iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings.

*Comment Date:* 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on March 26, 2013.

Dated: March 5, 2013.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Combined Notice of Filings #1

Take notice that the Commission received the following electric corporate filings:

*Docket Numbers:* EC13-77-000.

*Applicants:* Michigan Electric Transmission Company.

*Description:* Application for Approval of Acquisition of Transmission Assets under FPA Sec. 203 of METC (McGulpin, Delhi, Spaulding).

*Filed Date:* 3/1/13.

*Accession Number:* 20130301-5382.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/22/13.

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

*Docket Numbers:* ER13-288-001.

*Applicants:* Entergy Arkansas, Inc.

*Description:* Transmission Service Monitor Compliance Filing to be effective 12/1/2012.

*Filed Date:* 3/1/13.

*Accession Number:* 20130301-5256.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/22/13.

*Docket Numbers:* ER12-2292-003.

*Applicants:* Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

*Description:* Compliance Filing in ER12-2292 to be effective 3/19/2013.

*Filed Date:* 3/1/13.

*Accession Number:* 20130301-5352.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/22/13.

*Docket Numbers:* ER13-1018-000.

*Applicants:* Brandon Shores LLC, C.P. Crane LLC.

*Description:* Brandon Shores LLC and C.P. Crane LLC submits Request for Waiver, Shortened Comment Period, and Expedited Consideration.

*Filed Date:* 3/1/13.

*Accession Number:* 20130301-5248.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/15/13.

*Docket Numbers:* ER13-1019-000.

*Applicants:* South Carolina Electric & Gas Company.

*Description:* Central NITSA Cancellation to be effective 3/1/2013.

*Filed Date:* 3/1/13.

*Accession Number:* 20130301-5249.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/22/13.

*Docket Numbers:* ER13-1020-000.

*Applicants:* NorthWestern Corporation.

*Description:* SA 254-NWE MATL TIA—1st Revised Agreement to be effective 3/1/2013.

*Filed Date:* 3/1/13.

*Accession Number:* 20130301-5318.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/22/13.

*Docket Numbers:* ER13-1021-000.

*Applicants:* Mesquite Solar 1, LLC.