TABLE 1—CRITERIA FOR QUALIFYING CONDUIT HYDROPOWER FACILITY

Statutory provision	Description	
FPA 30(a)(3)(A), as amended by HREA	The conduit the facility uses is a tunnel, canal, pipeline, aqueduct, flume, ditch, or similar manmade water conveyance that is operated for the distribution of water for agricultural, municipal, or industrial consumption and not primarily for the generation of electricity.	Y
FPA 30(a)(3)(C)(i), as amended by HREA	The facility is constructed, operated, or maintained for the generation of electric power and uses for such generation only the hydroelectric potential of a non-federally owned conduit.	Y
FPA 30(a)(3)(C)(ii), as amended by HREA FPA 30(a)(3)(C)(iii), as amended by HREA	The facility has an installed capacity that does not exceed 5 megawatts	Y

Preliminary Determination: Based upon the above criteria. Commission staff preliminarily determines that the proposal satisfies the requirements for a qualifying conduit hydropower facility, which is not required to be licensed or exempted from licensing.

Comments and Motions to Intervene: Deadline for filing comments contesting whether the facility meets the qualifying criteria is 45 days from the issuance date of this notice.

Deadline for filing motions to intervene is 30 days from the issuance date of this notice.

Anyone may submit comments or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210 and 385.214. Any motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified deadline date for the particular proceeding.

Filing and Service of Responsive Documents: All filings must (1) bear in all capital letters the "COMMENTS CONTESTING QUALIFICATION FOR A CONDUIT HYDROPOWER FACILITY' or "MOTION TO INTERVENE," as applicable; (2) state in the heading the name of the applicant and the project number of the application to which the filing responds; (3) state the name, address, and telephone number of the person filing; and (4) otherwise comply with the requirements of sections 385.2001 through 385.2005 of the Commission's regulations.1 All comments contesting Commission staff's preliminary determination that the facility meets the qualifying criteria must set forth their evidentiary basis.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file motions to intervene and comments using the Commission's eFiling system at http:// www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp. up to 6,000 characters, without prior

Commenters can submit brief comments registration, using the eComment system at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/

Locations of Notice of Intent: Copies of the notice of intent can be obtained directly from the applicant or such copies can be viewed and reproduced at the Commission in its Public Reference Room, Room 2A, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426. The filing may also be viewed on the Web at http:// www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/elibrary.asp using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number (i.e., CD15-33) in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, call toll-free 1-866-208-3676 or email FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov. For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Dated: September 3, 2015.

## Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 5069-011]

## Cascade Clean Energy, Inc.; Kingdom **Energy Products; Notice of Transfer of** Exemption

1. By letter filed August 19, 2015, Neva Van Hook, d/b/a Kingdom Energy

Products (KEP) informed the Commission that the exemption from licensing for the Sygitowicz Creek Power Project, FERC No. 5069, originally issued July 14, 1982,1 has been transferred to Kingdom Energy Products. The project is located on the Sygitowicz Creek, Whatcom County, Washington. The transfer of an exemption does not require Commission approval.

2. Kingdom Energy Products is now the exemptee of the Sygitowicz Creek Power Project, FERC No. 5069. All correspondence should be forwarded to: Mr. Alan Van Hook, Kingdom Energy Products, Box 557, Klawock, AK 99925.

Dated: September 3, 2015.

### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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# **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### **Federal Energy Regulatory** Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

## **Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications: Public Notice**

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

ecomment.asp. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, please send a paper copy to: Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426. A copy of all other filings in reference to this application must be accompanied by proof of service on all persons listed in the service list prepared by the Commission in this proceeding, in accordance with 18 CFR 4.34(b) and 385.2010.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 20 FERC ¶ 62,051, Order Granting Exemption From Licensing of a Small Hydroelectric Project of 5 Megawatts or Less (1982).

<sup>1 18</sup> CFR 385.2001-2005 (2015).

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-therecord 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 electronic 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.	File date	Presenter or requester
Prohibited:		
1. CP14-96-000	9–8–15	Nuclear Information and Resource Service.
Exempt:		
1. CP15–93–000	9–8–15	U.S. Representative Tim Murphy.
2. CP13-483-000, CP13-492-000	9–8–15	FERC Staff. <sup>1</sup>
3. CP09-6-001	9–11–15	FERC Staff. <sup>2</sup>
4. CP14-347-000	9–15–15	FERC Staff. <sup>3</sup>
5. P-2464-000, P-2484-000	9–16–15	FERC staff.4

Notes from 9-2-15 telephone conference call with federal cooperating agencies regarding production of the final environmental impact state-

<sup>4</sup>eMails from 3–27–15 to 7–2–15 regarding the license application and environmental assessment for the Upper and Weed Dams.

Dated: September 21, 2015.

# Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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## **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### **Federal Energy Regulatory** Commission

[Docket No. OR15-38-000]

# ETP Crude LLC; Notice of Petition for **Declaratory Order**

Take notice that on September 21, 2015, pursuant to Rule 207(a)(2) of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.207(a)(2) (2014), ETP Crude LLC filed a petition for a declaratory order seeking approval of the overall tariff and rate structure, proration procedure and the other matters set forth in Article III for a new crude oil pipeline that will have the capacity to accept approximately 120,000 barrels per day of crude oil from receipt points located in Reeves County, Texas and Lea County, New Mexico for transportation to delivery points in Loving County,

Texas and Lea County, New Mexico, all as more fully explained in the petition.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). 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. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Petitioner.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at http://www.ferc.gov. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

This filing is accessible on-line at http://www.ferc.gov, using the "eLibrary" link and is 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 email notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please email FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Comment Date: 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on October 21, 2015.

Dated: September 21, 2015.

## Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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# **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### **Federal Energy Regulatory** Commission

[Docket No. PF14-22-000]

Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, LLC: Notice of Public Scoping Meeting for the Northeast Energy Direct Project, and Extension of Scoping **Comment Period** 

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) will hold an additional public scoping meeting for the Northeast Energy Direct

 <sup>2</sup>Summary of 9-2-15 telephone conference with Oregon LNG Representatives and DOT PHMSA Staff.
3Minutes from 9-3-15 meeting with National Marine Fisheries Service, US Army Corps of Engineers, Magnolia, and their respective contrac-