Any person desiring to intervene or to protest should file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests with regard to the applicant's request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability, is February 1, 2016.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at http://www.ferc.gov. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above-referenced proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for electronic 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.

Dated: January 12, 2016.

### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

[FR Doc. 2016–00814 Filed 1–15–16; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6717-01-P

#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER16-711-000]

Pio Pico Energy Center, LLC; Supplemental Notice That Initial Market-Based Rate Filing Includes Request for Blanket Section 204 Authorization

This is a supplemental notice in the above-referenced proceeding of Pio Pico Energy Center, LLC's application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying rate tariff, noting that such application includes a request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest should file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests with regard to the applicant's request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability, is February 1, 2016.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at http://www.ferc.gov. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above-referenced proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for electronic 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.

Dated: January 12, 2016.

#### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

[FR Doc. 2016-00816 Filed 1-15-16; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6717-01-P

#### 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 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. CP15-554-000	12-28-2015	William Long.
2. CP-15-554-000	12-28-2015	Bobby Albrite.
3. CP15-554-000	12–28–2015	James Lee.
4. CP16-21-000	1-4-2016	Peter Stasiowski.
5. EL15–623–000, EL15–29–000, EL15–70–000, EL15–71–000, EL15–72–000, EL15–82–000.	1–5–2016	FERC Staff. <sup>1</sup>
6. CP16–21–000	1-5-2016	Christine Dudley-Marling.
7. CP15–520–000	1-8-2016	FERC Staff. <sup>2</sup>
Exempt:		
1. CP15–558–000	12–28–2015	Delaware Township, New Jersey Municipal Clerk Judith Allen.
2. CP15-558-000	12-28-2015	Township of Hopewell, New Jersey Mayor Harvey Lester.
3. CP16–21–000	1–4–2016	U.S. House Representative Paul D. Tonko.
4. CP16–21–000	1–4–2016	State of Massachusetts Senate President Stan Rosenberg.
5. CP16-9-000	1-4-2016	U.S. House Representative Stephen F. Lynch.
6. CP16–21–000	1–5–2016	U.S. Senator Kirsten Gillibrand.

<sup>1</sup> Memo forwarding post conference notes and transcript for PJM Interconnection, LLM Capacity Performance filing.

Dated: January 12, 2016.

### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

[FR Doc. 2016–00817 Filed 1–15–16; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6717-01-P

### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2343-086]

PE Hydro Generation, LLC; Notice of Application Tendered for Filing With the Commission and Establishing Procedural Schedule for Licensing and Deadline for Submission of Final Amendments

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection.

- a. *Type of Application:* New Major License.
  - b. Project No.: 2343-086.
  - c. Date Filed: December 30, 2015.
- d. *Applicant:* PE Hydro Generation, LLC (PE Hydro).
- e. *Name of Project:* Millville Hydroelectric Project.
- f. Location: The existing project is located on the Shenandoah River, near the town of Harpers Ferry in Jefferson County, West Virginia. No federal lands are occupied by project works or located within the project boundary.

- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791 (a)-825(r).
- h. Applicant Contact: Juan Kimble, President, PE Hydro Generation, LLC, 5425 Wisconsin Avenue, 6th Floor, Chevy Chase, MD 20815; Telephone— (301) 718–4496.
- i. FERC Contact: Michael Spencer, (202) 502–6093, or michael.spencer@ferc.gov.
- j. This application is not ready for environmental analysis (EA) at this time.
- k. Project Description: The Millville project consists of: (1) A 14.0-foot-high concrete and stone dam consisting of three sections: a 36-foot-long nonoverflow abutment on the east bank; an 813-foot long, non-gated spillway section; and a 122-foot-long intake structure, equipped with four vertical lift gates and one canal gate, and extending to the west riverbank; (2) a 100 acre reservoir with gross storage capacity of 900 acre-feet at elevation 324.0 mean sea level; (3) a 1,600-footlong, 30-foot-wide, 12-foot-high masonry and concrete sided headrace canal; (4) a 125-foot-long, 40-foot-wide brick powerhouse containing 3 turbinegenerating units with a combined capacity of 2.84 megawatts; (5) a 550foot-long tailrace, excavated in bedrock and returning flow to the river channel; and (6) a 1,006-foot-long, 2.4 kilovolt (kV) transmission line to a transformer, with a 794-foot-long, 34.5 kV transmission line to the interconnection with the local grid.

PE Hydro operates the project in a run-of-river mode, with a minimum flow of 200 cfs, or inflow, whichever is less. Under an agreement with the US Fish and Wildlife Service the licensee shuts down Project nightly from September 15 to December 15 in an effort to reduce entrainment of downstream-migrating American eels. The project generates an annual average of 10,159.431 MWh.

l. A copy of the application is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <a href="http://www.ferc.gov">http://www.ferc.gov</a>, 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 Online Support at <a href="ferc.gov">FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov</a>, (866) 208–3676 (toll free), or (202) 502–8659 (TTY). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item (h) above.

You may also register online at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

m. Procedural Schedule: The application will be processed according to the following preliminary Hydro Licensing Schedule. Revisions to the schedule will be made as appropriate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Meeting Summary from January 8, 2016 conference call with Shannon Miller and Jacqueline Rocan of Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, LLC.