

**ACTION:** Notice of renewal.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, and in accordance with Title 41 of the Code of Federal Regulations, and following consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration, notice is hereby given that the Biological and Environmental Research Advisory Committee's (BERAC) charter will be renewed for a two-year period beginning December 10, 2021.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Tristram West at (301) 903-5155 or email: [Tristram.west@science.doe.gov](mailto:Tristram.west@science.doe.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Committee provides advice and recommendations to the Director, Office of Science on the biological and environmental research programs.

Additionally, the renewal of BERAC has been determined to be essential to conduct business of the Department of Energy's mission and to be in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Department of Energy by law and agreement. The Committee will operate in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, and rules and regulations issued in implementation of that Act.

#### Signing Authority

This document of the Department of Energy was signed on December 10, 2021, by Miles Fernandez, Acting Committee Management Officer, pursuant to delegated authority from the Secretary of Energy. That document with the original signature and date is maintained by DOE. For administrative purposes only, and in compliance with requirements of the Office of the Federal Register, the undersigned DOE Federal Register Liaison Officer has been authorized to sign and submit the document in electronic format for publication, as an official document of the Department of Energy. This administrative process in no way alters the legal effect of this document upon publication in the **Federal Register**.

Signed in Washington, DC, on December 14, 2021.

**Treena V. Garrett,**

*Federal Register Liaison Officer, U.S. Department of Energy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Nuclear Energy Advisory Committee

**AGENCY:** Office of Nuclear Energy, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of renewal.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, and following consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration, notice is hereby given that the Nuclear Energy Advisory Committee's charter has been renewed for a two-year period.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Teddy Echeverria, Designated Federal Officer at (240) 313-8669; email: [teddy.echeverria@hq.doe.gov](mailto:teddy.echeverria@hq.doe.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Committee will provide advice and recommendations to the Assistant Secretary for Nuclear Energy and advise on national policy and scientific aspects of nuclear issues of concern to the Department of Energy (DOE); provide periodic reviews of the various program elements within DOE's nuclear programs and recommendations based thereon; ascertain the needs, views, and priorities of DOE's nuclear programs, and advise on long-range plans, priorities, and strategies to address more effectively the technical, financial, and policy aspects of such programs; and advise on appropriate levels of resources to develop those plans, priorities, and strategies.

Additionally, the renewal of the Nuclear Energy Advisory Council has been determined to be essential to conduct business of the Department of Energy's and to be in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Department of Energy, by law and agreement. The Committee will continue to operate in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the rules and regulations in implementation of that Act.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP22-24-000]

#### Equitrans, L.P.; Notice of Application and Establishing Intervention Deadline

Take notice that on December 2, 2021, Equitrans, L.P. (Equitrans), 2200 Energy Drive, Canonsburg, Pennsylvania 15317, filed an application under sections 7(c) and 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA), and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations requesting authorization to convert two observation wells to injection/withdrawal wells in the existing Truittsburg Storage Field in Clarion County, Pennsylvania and sell the excess cushion gas resulting from the conversion. Specifically, Equitrans proposes to add approximately 1,119 feet of 4-inch diameter well lines to convert Truittsburg wells 2483 and 2484 from observation wells to injection/withdrawal wells. The conversion of the wells is intended to increase the maximum inventory at the Truittsburg Storage Field from 2,781 million cubic feet (MMcf) to 2,869 MMcf; increase working gas capacity from 1,634 MMcf to 1,829; and the cushion gas will decrease from 1,147 MMcf to 1,040 MMcf. Equitrans estimates the cost of the project to be \$739,000, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open for public inspection.

In addition to publishing the full text of this document in the **Federal Register**, the Commission provides all interested persons an opportunity to view and/or print the contents of this document via the internet through the Commission's Home Page (<http://ferc.gov>) using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. At this time, the Commission has suspended access to the Commission's Public Reference Room, due to the proclamation declaring a National Emergency concerning the Novel