

k. *Description of Request:* The applicant requests an amendment of license to construct a compacted earthfill stability berm on the downstream slope of the earthen embankment dam at the south end of the powerhouse at the Mountain Island development. The berm would have approximately the same crest elevation and length as the existing earthen embankment but would widen the dam and extend the footprint of the dam approximately 150 feet farther downstream. The applicant would obtain the material for the proposed berm from a 17-acre onsite borrow area to the southwest of the existing embankment. The applicant also proposes to close the upstream tailrace fishing platform and associated parking lot for the duration of the construction activities and would reroute access to the downstream fishing platform. Construction would last approximately 3 years and is necessary to reduce the risk of dam failure during a seismic event.

l. 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. For assistance, contact FERC at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or call toll-free, (886) 208-3676 or TTY, (202) 502-8659.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

n. *Comments, Motions to Intervene, or Protests:* Anyone may submit comments, a motion to intervene, or a protest in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, motions to intervene, or protests must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

o. *Filing and Service of Responsive Documents:* Any filing must (1) bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "MOTION TO INTERVENE", or "PROTEST" as applicable; (2) set forth in the heading

the name of the applicant and the project number(s) of the application to which the filing responds; (3) furnish the name, address, and telephone number of the person intervening or protesting; and (4) otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 385.2001 through 385.2005. All comments, motions to intervene, or protests must set forth their evidentiary basis. 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 385.2010.

Dated: March 1, 2023.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Notice of Staff Attendance at North American Electric Reliability Corporation Industry Webinar

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission hereby gives notice that members of the Commission and/or Commission staff may attend the following meeting:

North American Electric Reliability Corporation Project 2021-07 Extreme Cold Weather Grid Operations, Preparedness, and Coordination Virtual Industry Webinar on:

March 14, 2023 (1:00 p.m.–2:30 p.m. eastern time)

Further information regarding these meetings may be found at: <http://www.nerc.com/Pages/Calendar.aspx>.

The discussions at the meetings, which are open to the public, may address matters at issue in the following Commission proceeding:

Docket No. RD23-1-000 Extreme Cold Weather Reliability Standards EOP-011-3 and EOP-012-1

For further information, please contact Chanel Chasanov, 202-502-8569, or [chanel.chasanov@ferc.gov](mailto:chanel.chasanov@ferc.gov).

Dated: March 1, 2023.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**

*Secretary.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-10742-01-OW]

### Clean Water Act; Contractor Access to Confidential Business Information

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice of intended transfer of confidential business information to contractor and its subcontractors.

**SUMMARY:** The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) intends to transfer confidential business information (CBI) collected from numerous industries under a newly awarded contract, effective November 1, 2022, to Eastern Research Group (ERG) and its subcontractors. Transfer of this information is necessary for ERG to assist the Office of Water in the preparation of effluent guidelines and standards and with its effluent guidelines planning and review activities. Much of the information being transferred was or will be collected under the authority of section 308 of the Clean Water Act (CWA). Interested persons may submit comments on this intended transfer of information to the person listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this document.

**DATES:** Comments on the transfer of data are due March 13, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments may be sent to M. Ahmar Siddiqui, Document Control Officer, Engineering and Analysis Division (4303T), U.S. EPA, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20460, or via email at [siddiqui.ahmar@epa.gov](mailto:siddiqui.ahmar@epa.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** M. Ahmar Siddiqui, Document Control Officer, at (202) 566-1044, or via email at [siddiqui.ahmar@epa.gov](mailto:siddiqui.ahmar@epa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** EPA has transferred CBI to various contractors and subcontractors over the history of the effluent guidelines program under 40 CFR 2.302(h). EPA determined that this transfer was necessary to enable the contractors and subcontractors to perform their work in supporting EPA in planning, developing, and reviewing effluent guidelines and standards for certain industries.

Pursuant to 40 CFR 2.302(h)(2), EPA is giving notice that, effective November 1, 2022, it has entered into a new contract with ERG, contract number 68HERC23D0001, located in Chantilly, Virginia. The purpose of this contract is to secure technical and engineering analysis support for EPA in its development, review, implementation, and defense of water-related initiatives

for a variety of industries. To obtain assistance in responding to this contract, ERG has entered into contracts with the following subcontractors and consultant: Avanti Corporation (located in Alexandria, Virginia), Corollo Engineering (located in Walnut Creek, California), Craftwater (located in San Diego, California), GrantTech (located in New London, Connecticut), Great Lakes Environmental Center (GLEC, located in Traverse City, Michigan), Horsley Witten Group, Inc. (located in Sandwich, Massachusetts), Rumley Solutions, Inc., dba/Hummingbird Firm (located in Atlanta, Georgia), LimnoTech, Inc., dba/LimnoTech (located in Washington, District of Columbia), Mabbett & Associates, Inc. (located in Stoneham, Massachusetts), PG Environmental, LLC (located in Chantilly, Virginia and Golden, Colorado), and RESPEC Inc. (located in Rapid City, South Dakota and Decatur, Georgia).

All EPA contractor, subcontractor, and consultant personnel are bound by the requirements and sanctions contained in their contracts with EPA and in EPA's confidentiality regulations found at 40 CFR part 2, subpart B. ERG will adhere to an EPA-approved security plan which describes procedures to protect CBI. ERG will apply the procedures in this plan to CBI previously gathered by EPA and to CBI that may be gathered in the future. The security plan specifies that contractor personnel are required to sign non-disclosure agreements and are briefed on appropriate security procedures before they are permitted access to CBI. No person is automatically granted access to CBI: a need to know must exist.

The information that will be transferred to ERG consists of information previously collected by EPA to support the development and review of effluent limitations guidelines and standards under the CWA and that EPA had transferred to ERG under a previous contract with them. In particular, information, including CBI, collected for the planning, development, and review of effluent limitations guidelines and standards for the following industries may be transferred to ERG under the new contract: airport deicing; aquaculture; centralized waste treatment; coal bed methane; concentrated animal feeding operations; coal mining; construction and development; drinking water treatment; industrial container and drum cleaning; industrial laundries; industrial waste combustors; iron and steel manufacturing; landfills; meat and poultry products; metal finishing; metal

products and machinery; nonferrous metals manufacturing; oil and gas extraction (including coalbed methane); ore mining and dressing; organic chemicals, plastics, and synthetic fibers; pesticide chemicals; petroleum refining; pharmaceutical manufacturing; pulp, paper, and paperboard manufacturing; shale gas extraction; steam electric power generation; textile mills; timber products processing; tobacco; transportation equipment cleaning; and other industrial categories that EPA has reviewed or may review as part of its CWA required annual review activities.

EPA also intends to transfer to ERG all information listed in this notice, of the type described above (including CBI) that may be collected in the future under the authority of section 308 of the CWA or voluntarily submitted (e.g., in comments in response to a **Federal Register** notice), as is necessary to enable ERG to carry out the work required by its contract to support EPA's effluent guidelines planning and review process and the development of effluent limitations guidelines and standards.

**Deborah Nagle,**

*Director, Office of Science and Technology,  
Office of Water.*

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## EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION

### Agency Information Collection Activities

**AGENCY:** Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection—extension without change: Demographic Information on Applicants for Federal employment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC or Commission) announces that it intends to submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request for a three-year extension of a Commission form (Demographic Information on Applicants OMB No. 3046-0046).

**DATES:** Written comments on this notice must be submitted on or before May 8, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments by any of the following methods—please use only one method:

*Federal eRulemaking Portal:* Go to <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

*Fax:* (202) 663-4114. Only comments of six or fewer pages will be accepted via FAX transmittal to assure access to the equipment. Receipt of FAX transmittals will not be acknowledged, except that the sender may request confirmation of receipt by calling the Executive Secretariat staff at (202) 921-2815 (voice), 1-800-669-6820 (TTY), or 1-844-234-5122 (ASL video phone).

*Mail:* Comments may be submitted by mail to Raymond Windmiller, Executive Officer, Executive Secretariat, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, 131 M Street NE, Washington, DC 20507.

*Hand Delivery/Courier:* Raymond Windmiller, Executive Officer, Executive Secretariat, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, 131 M Street NE, Washington, DC 20507.

*Instructions:* All comments received will be posted without change to <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided.

However, the Commission reserves the right to refrain from posting libelous or otherwise inappropriate comments, including those that contain obscene, indecent, or profane language; that contain threats or defamatory statements; that contain hate speech based upon race, color, sex, national origin, age, religion, disability, or genetic information; or that promote or endorse services or products.

*Docket:* Copies of comments received are also available for review at the Commission's library. Copies of comments received in response to this notice will be made available for viewing by appointment only at 131 M Street NE, Suite 4NW08R, Washington, DC 20507. Members of the public may schedule an appointment by sending an email to [OEDA@eoc.gov](mailto:OEDA@eoc.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Wendy Doernberg, Federal Sector Programs, Office of Federal Operations, at (202) 921-2948 (voice) or [wendy.doernberg@eoc.gov](mailto:wendy.doernberg@eoc.gov). Requests for this notice in an alternative format should be made to the Office of Communications and Legislative Affairs at (202) 921-3191 (voice), (800) 669-6820 (TTY), or (844) 234-5122 (ASL Video Phone).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The EEOC's Demographic Information on Applicants (OMB No. 3046-0046) is intended for use by Federal agencies in gathering data on the race, ethnicity, sex, and disability status of job applicants. This form is used by the EEOC and other agencies to gauge progress and trends over time with