

IRO-010-5—RELIABILITY COORDINATOR DATA AND INFORMATION SPECIFICATION AND COLLECTION FOR YEARS 1 AND 2—Continued

Type of entity	Number of respondents ⁶	Annual number of responses per respondent	Total number of responses	Average burden & cost per response	Total annual burden hours & total annual cost
	(1)	(2)	(1) * (2) = (3)	(4) ⁷	(3) * (4) = (5)
FERC-725Z for IRO-010-5 Total Year 3 and beyond.	No Change to existing burden.

The total annual estimated burden and cost for the FERC-725A(1D) information collection is 43,440 hours and \$2,948,272.80. FERC 725Z is 25,392 hours and \$1,723,355.04 respectively.

Comments: Comments are invited on: (1) whether the collections of information are necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burdens and costs of the collections of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collections; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collections of information on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Dated: December 6, 2023.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EF24-1-000]

Western Area Power Administration; Notice of Filing

Take notice that on November 22, 2023, Western Area Power Administration submitted tariff filing: Rates for Western Area Power Administration—Rate Order No. WAPA-206 to be effective 1/1/2024.

⁶ Values represent unique U.S. entities as based on the NERC compliance registry information as of September 22, 2023.

⁷ The estimated hourly cost (salary plus benefits) is a combination based on the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), as of 2022, for 75% of the average of an Electrical Engineer (17-2071) \$77.29/hr., 77.29 × .75 = 57.9675 (\$57.97-rounded) (\$57.97/hour) and 25% of an Information and Record Clerk (43-4199) \$39.58/hr, 39.58 × .25% = 9.895 (\$9.90 rounded) (\$9.90/hour), for a total (\$57.97 + \$9.90 = \$67.87/hour).

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Comment Date: 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on December 22, 2023.

Dated: December 5, 2023.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 10661-051]

Indiana Michigan Power Company; Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations, 18 CFR part 380, the Office of Energy Projects has reviewed the application for a subsequent license to continue to operate and maintain the Constantine Hydroelectric Project (project). The project is located on the St. Joseph River, in the Village of Constantine, in St. Joseph County, Michigan. Commission staff has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the project.

The EA contains the staff's analysis of the potential environmental impacts of the project and concludes that licensing the project, with appropriate environmental protective measures, would not constitute a major federal