

Commission staff issued a notice that the project was ready for environmental analysis (REA notice). Based on the information in the record, including comments filed on the REA notice, staff does not anticipate that licensing the project would constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment. On June 7, 2023, the Commission issued a notice indicating that staff intended to prepare a draft and final Environmental Assessment (EA). However, upon further review, staff intends to prepare a single EA on the application to relicense the Meyers Falls Project.

The EA will be issued and circulated for review by all interested parties. All comments filed on the EA will be analyzed by staff and considered in the Commission’s final licensing decision.

The Commission’s Office of Public Participation (OPP) supports meaningful public engagement and participation in Commission proceedings. OPP can help members of the public, including landowners, environmental justice communities, Tribal members and others, access publicly available information and navigate Commission processes. For public inquiries and assistance with making filings such as interventions, comments, or requests for rehearing, the public is encouraged to contact OPP at (202) 502–6595 or *OPP@ferc.gov*.

By this notice, Commission staff is updating the procedural schedule for completing the EA. The revised schedule is shown below. Further revisions to the schedule may be made as appropriate.

Milestone	Target date
Commission issues EA	May 2024. ¹
Comments on EA	June 2024.

Any questions regarding this notice may be directed to Maryam Zavareh at (202) 502–8474 or *maryam.zavareh@ferc.gov*.

Dated: January 17, 2024.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
Acting Secretary.

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¹ The Council on Environmental Quality’s (CEQ) regulations under 40 CFR 1501.10(b)(1) (2022) require that EAs be completed within 1 year of the federal action agency’s decision to prepare an EA. See National Environmental Policy Act, 42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*, as amended by section 107(g)(1)(B)(iii) of the Fiscal Responsibility Act of 2023, Public Law 118–5, 4336a, 137 Stat. 42.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2391–000]

PE Hydro Generation, LLC; Notice of Authorization for Continued Project Operation

The license for the Warren Hydroelectric Project No. 2391 was issued for a period ending December 31, 2023.

Section 15(a)(1) of the FPA, 16 U.S.C. 808(a)(1), requires the Commission, at the expiration of a license term, to issue from year-to-year an annual license to the then licensee(s) under the terms and conditions of the prior license until a new license is issued, or the project is otherwise disposed of as provided in section 15 or any other applicable section of the FPA. If the project’s prior license waived the applicability of section 15 of the FPA, then, based on section 9(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. 558(c), and as set forth at 18 CFR 16.21(a), if the licensee of such project has filed an application for a subsequent license, the licensee may continue to operate the project in accordance with the terms and conditions of the license after the minor or minor part license expires, until the Commission acts on its application. If the licensee of such a project has not filed an application for a subsequent license, then it may be required, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.21(b), to continue project operations until the Commission issues someone else a license for the project or otherwise orders disposition of the project.

If the project is subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that an annual license for Project No. 2391 is issued to PE Hydro Generation, LLC for a period effective January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024, or until the issuance of a new license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first. If issuance of a new license (or other disposition) does not take place on or before December 31, 2024, notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.18(c), an annual license under section 15(a)(1) of the FPA is renewed automatically without further order or notice by the Commission, unless the Commission orders otherwise.

If the project is not subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that PE Hydro Generation, LLC is authorized to continue operation of the Warren Hydroelectric Project under the terms and conditions of the prior license until the issuance of a subsequent

license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first.

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Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings #1

Take notice that the Commission received the following electric corporate filings:

Docket Numbers: EC24–41–000.

Applicants: Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc.

Description: Application for Authorization Under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act of Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc.

Filed Date: 1/16/24.

Accession Number: 20240116–5302.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 2/6/24.

Docket Numbers: EC24–42–000.

Applicants: Hunterstown Gen Holdings, LLC, Kestrel Acquisition, LLC.

Description: Joint Application for Authorization Under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act of Hunterstown Gen Holdings, LLC, et al.

Filed Date: 1/16/24.

Accession Number: 20240116–5305.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 2/6/24.

Take notice that the Commission received the following exempt wholesale generator filings:

Docket Numbers: EG21–97–001.

Applicants: Iris Solar, LLC.

Description: Iris Solar, LLC submits Notice of Change in Facts of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status.

Filed Date: 1/11/24.

Accession Number: 20240111–5116.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 2/1/24.

Docket Numbers: EG24–79–000.

Applicants: Bristol BESS, LLC.

Description: Bristol BESS, LLC submits Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status.

Filed Date: 1/16/24.

Accession Number: 20240116–5288.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 2/6/24.

Docket Numbers: EG24–80–000.

Applicants: Morgan Energy Center, LLC.

Description: Morgan Energy Center, LLC submits Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status.