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Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL25-11-000]

Lakewood Cogeneration, L.P.; Notice of Institution of Section 206 Proceeding and Refund Effective Date

On November 21, 2024, the Commission issued an order in Docket No. EL25-11-000, pursuant to section 206 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), 16 U.S.C. 824e, instituting an investigation to determine whether Lakewood Cogeneration, L.P.'s Rate Schedule is unjust, unreasonable, unduly discriminatory or preferential, or otherwise unlawful. *Lakewood Cogeneration, L.P.*, 189 FERC ¶ 61,119 (2024).

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL25-11-000, established pursuant to section 206(b) of the FPA, will be the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Any interested person desiring to be heard in Docket No. EL25-11-000 must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate, with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission,

in accordance with Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.214 (2024), within 21 days of the date of issuance of the order.

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://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. From FERC's Home Page on the internet, this information is available on eLibrary. The full text of this document is available on eLibrary in PDF and Microsoft Word format for viewing, printing, and/or downloading. To access this document in eLibrary, type the docket number excluding the last three digits of this document in the docket number field. User assistance is available for eLibrary and the FERC's website during normal business hours from FERC Online Support at 202-502-6652 (toll free at 1-866-208-3676) or email at *ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov*, or the Public Reference Room at (202) 502-8371, TTY (202) 502-8659. Email the Public Reference Room at *public.referenceroom@ferc.gov*.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings of comments, protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFile" link at <https://www.ferc.gov>. In lieu of electronic filing, you may submit a paper copy. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Docket No. EL25-7-000]

Institution of Section 206 Proceeding and Refund Effective Date; Essential Power OPP, LLC

On November 21, 2024, the Commission issued an order in Docket No. EL25-7-000, pursuant to section 206 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), 16 U.S.C. 824e, instituting an investigation to determine whether Essential Power OPP, LLC's Rate Schedule is unjust, unreasonable, unduly discriminatory or preferential, or otherwise unlawful. *Essential Power OPP, LLC*, 189 FERC ¶ 61,118 (2024).

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL25-7-000, established pursuant to section 206(b) of the FPA, will be the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Any interested person desiring to be heard in Docket No. EL25-7-000 must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate, with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, in accordance with Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.214 (2024), within 21 days of the date of issuance of the order.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2628–066]

Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the R.L. Harris Hydroelectric Project, Alabama Power Company, and Public Meetings Soliciting Comments

November 21, 2024.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969¹ and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission’s (Commission)

¹ National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, amended (Pub. L. 91–190, 42 U.S.C. 4321–4347, as amended by Pub. L. 94–52, July 3, 1975, Pub. L. 94–83, August 9, 1975, Pub. L. 97–258, 4(b), September 13, 1982, Pub. L. 118–5, June 3, 2023). On May 20, 2024, CEQ issued updated regulations that went into effect for new NEPA processes begun after July 1, 2024. 40 CFR 1506.12 (2024). This action is subject to CEQ’s previous regulations; thus, citations throughout this document will refer to the 2023 regulations.

regulations, 18 CFR part 380, the Office of Energy Projects has reviewed the application for relicensing for the R.L. Harris Hydroelectric Project (Harris Project) (FERC No. 2628) and has prepared a draft environmental impact statement (EIS) for the project. The project is located on the Tallapoosa River near the City of Lineville in Randolph, Clay, and Cleburne Counties, Alabama. The Harris Project also includes land within the James D. Martin-Skyline Wildlife Management Area located approximately 110 miles north of Harris Lake in Jackson County, Alabama.

The draft EIS contains staff’s analysis of the applicant’s proposal and the alternatives for relicensing the Harris Project. The draft EIS documents the views of governmental agencies, non-governmental organizations, affected Native-American tribes, the public, the license applicant, and Commission staff.

The Commission provides all interested persons with an opportunity to view and/or print the draft EIS via the internet through the Commission’s Home Page (<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, contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, or toll-free at (866) 208–3676, or for TTY, (202) 502–8659.

You may also register online at <https://ferconline.ferc.gov/ferconline.aspx> to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

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All comments must be filed by January 20, 2025.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments using the Commission’s eFiling system at <https://ferconline.ferc.gov/eFiling.aspx>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at [\[ferconline.ferc.gov/QuickComment.aspx\]\(https://ferconline.ferc.gov/QuickComment.aspx\). For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at \[FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov\]\(mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov\), \(866\) 208–3676 \(toll free\), or \(202\) 502–8659 \(TTY\). In lieu of electronic filing, you may submit a paper copy. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852. The first page of any filing should include docket number P–2628–066.](https://</p>
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Anyone may intervene in this proceeding based on this draft EIS (18 CFR 380.10). You must file your request to intervene as specified above.² You do not need intervenor status to have your comments considered.

In addition to or in lieu of sending written comments, you are invited to attend a public meeting that will be held to receive comments on the draft EIS. Commission staff will hold two public meetings for the purpose of receiving comments on the draft EIS. All interested individuals and entities will be invited to attend one or both of the public meetings. The dates and times of the public meetings are listed below.

Evening Meeting

Date: Monday, December 16, 2024.

Time: 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Central Daylight Time.

Location: Wedowee Marine South, 9681 Highway 48, Lineville, Alabama 36266.

Daytime Meeting

Date: Tuesday, December 17, 2024.

Time: 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Central Daylight Time.

Location: Wedowee Marine South, 9681 Highway 48, Lineville, Alabama 36266.

Commission staff will moderate the meetings. The meetings will begin promptly at their respective start times listed above. At the start of each meeting, Commission staff will provide a brief overview of the meeting format and objectives. Individual oral comments will be taken on a one-on-one basis with a court reporter (with Commission staff present). This format is designed to receive the maximum number of oral comments in a convenient way during the timeframe

² Interventions may also be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper. See the previous discussion on filing comments electronically.