

Commission. Amendment 14 effected a substantial redesign of the ISO's Ancillary Services Markets, and the PX's Amendment No. 11 modifies the PX Tariff and Protocols to adapt to Amendment No. 14.

In addition to the changes to adapt to the ISO's Amendment No. 14, the PX also proposed relatively modest changes to its Tariff and Protocols, including provisions related to losses and to the settlement and payment time lines.

The PX requests an effective date to coincide with the effective date of the ISO's Amendment No. 14.

Comment date: June 24, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

13. California Independent System Operator Corporation

[Docket No. ER99-3158-000]

Take notice that on June 4, 1999, the California Independent System Operator Corporation (ISO), tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission its "Annual Report on Market Issues and Performance" prepared by the Market Surveillance Unit of the ISO. This report is the first Annual Report assessing the activities of the ISO and the state of competition in the California electricity market.

The ISO states that copies of the Annual Report have been served upon the Public Utilities Commission of California, the California Energy Commission, and the California Electricity Oversight Board. The ISO is also posting the Annual Report on its Home Page, www.caiso.com.

Comment date: June 24, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

14. Geysers Power Company, LLC

[Docket No. ER99-3177-000]

Take notice that on June 7, 1999, Geysers Power Company, LLC (Geysers), tendered for filing an Offtake Agreement dated May 7, 1999 between Geysers and Calpine Power Services Company. The agreement was filed as a long-term transaction pursuant to paragraph 7(a) of Appendix B of the Letter Order issued April 28, 1999 in Docket No. ER99-1983-000.

Comment date: June 25, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

15. Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.

[Docket No. ES99-40-000]

Take notice that on June 8, 1999, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (Con Edison) filed an application for an order, pursuant to

Section 204 of the Federal Power Act, authorizing Con Edison during the period from July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2001 to issue and sell unsecured evidences of indebtedness maturing not more than twelve months after their date of issue up to an amount not to exceed \$650 million outstanding at any one time. The requested authorization would supersede the order issued under Docket No. ES98-16-000.

Comment date: June 25, 1999, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice.

Standard Paragraphs

E. Any person desiring to be heard or to protest such filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of these filings are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the Internet at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

David P. Boergers,
Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[AD-FRL-6362-8]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request; National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards for Consumer Products

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501, *et seq.*), this document announces that EPA is planning to submit for renewal the following continuing Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB): "Reporting and Recordkeeping Requirements for National Volatile

Organic Compound Emission Standards for Consumer Products," EPA No. 1764.01, OMB No. 2060-0348, expires June 30, 1999. Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the proposed information collection as described below.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before August 17, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Information concerning the ICR and the rule. Information on the ICR and the Consumer Products Rule can be obtained from the docket (below) and is also available for downloading from EPA's internet website for this rule at "<http://www.epa.gov/ttn/uatw/183e/cp/cppg.html>."

Docket: Docket Number A-95-40, containing the ICR and supporting statement, is available for public inspection and copying from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday at the EPA's Air and Radiation Docket and Information Center, Waterside Mall, Room M-1500, Ground Floor, 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460. A reasonable fee may be charged for copying.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Bruce Moore at (919) 541-5460, Coatings and Consumer Products Group, Emission Standards Division (MD-13), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711, e-mail (moore.bruce@epa.gov).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Affected entities: Entities potentially affected by this action are those which manufacture, distribute, or import consumer products for sale or distribution in the United States, including the District of Columbia and all United States territories.

Title: National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards for Consumer Products, OMB Control No. 2060-0348; EPA ICR No. 1764.01; expires June 30, 1999.

Abstract: The information collection includes initial reports and periodic recordkeeping necessary for EPA to ensure compliance with Federal standards for volatile organic compounds in consumer products. Respondents are manufacturers, distributors, and importers of consumer products. Responses to the collection are mandatory under 40 CFR part 59, subpart C—National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards for Consumer Products. All information submitted to the EPA for which a claim of confidentiality is made will be safeguarded according to the Agency policies set forth in 40 CFR part 2, subpart B—Confidentiality of Business Information. An agency may not

conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are listed in 40 CFR part 9 and 48 CFR Chapter 15.

The EPA would like to solicit comments to:

- (i) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- (ii) Evaluate the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- (iii) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- (iv) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology (e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses).

Burden Statement: Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information. Total industry burden is estimated to be 29,550 hours per year, at a total labor cost of \$970,500 per year. Labor costs were estimated based on Table 2 of the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) Employment Cost Trends. After adding overhead costs of 100 percent to the BLS figures, the resulting hourly labor rates for management, technical, and clerical labor are \$69, \$48, and \$32, respectively. There are no capital costs associated with this collection. Burden was calculated based on the following assumptions:

(i) Initial Notification Reports will have been submitted by nearly all regulated entities (approximately 3000) prior to expiration of the existing ICR.

Therefore, the burden calculation is based on 30 notifications per year beginning in 1999.

(ii) Reading the rule to obtain the recordkeeping and reporting instructions would require 2 hours.

(iii) Completion of the Initial Notification Report would involve 1 hour for data gathering and 1 hour for preparation of the initial notification report.

(iv) Notification of change in date code would require 1 hour preparation time.

(v) Annual planning for recordkeeping activities would require 2 hours.

(vi) Implementation of recordkeeping would require 8 hours per month.

Dated: June 9, 1999.

John S. Seitz,

Director, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6362-6]

Review of Clean Water Act Continuing Planning Process in California

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, is announcing that the Clean Water Act Continuing Planning Process for California is available for public review, and that EPA is reviewing the State's Continuing Planning Process with respect to the listing of impaired waters and establishment of total maximum daily loads.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David W. Smith, Water Division (WTR-2), U.S. EPA, Region 9, 75 Hawthorne St., San Francisco, CA 94105, 415-744-2012.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 303(e) of the Clean Water Act requires that each State establish and maintain a continuing planning process (CPP) consistent with the Act. EPA reviews the State's CPP from time to time. Section 303(d) of the Act requires that each State identify waters within its boundaries not meeting water quality standards, and establish total maximum daily loads for such waters. EPA is reviewing that portion of California's CPP related to section 303(d) to determine whether it is consistent with section 303(e) and EPA's implementing

regulations at 40 CFR 130.5. EPA is providing notice that California's CPP is available for public review. By September 22, 1999, EPA will prepare and make available to interested parties upon request for their review and comment EPA's preliminary written summary of its review. Interested persons may request copies of the CPP and EPA's preliminary written summary of its review when available. EPA will consider any comments on the preliminary written summary submitted not later than forty-five (45) days after the summary becomes available. By December 22, 1999, EPA will determine whether that portion of the CPP related to the section 303(d) program is consistent with the Act and its implementing regulations. EPA will also provide to interested persons upon request a final written summary of EPA's review of the CPP that will include any recommendations for improvement.

Dated: June 9, 1999.

Janet Y. Hashimoto,

Acting Director, Water Division.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-6243-7]

Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 OR (202) 564-7153.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed June 07, 1999

Through June 11, 1999 Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

EIS No. 990190, DRAFT EIS, COE, TN, KY, Reelfoot lake Project, Implementation of Wetland Preservation, Waterfowl Habitat Restoration, Fishery Improvement, Lake and Obion Counties, TN and Fulton County, KY, Due: August 02, 1999, Contact: Richard Hite (901) 544-0706.

EIS No. 990191, DRAFT SUPPLEMENT, AFS, SD, Veteran/Boulder Area Project, Updated Information on Additional Analysis for the Forbes Gulch Portion within the Beaver Park Roadless Area, Implementation, Black Hills National Forest, Spearfish and Nemo Ranger District, Lawrence and Meade Counties, SD, Due: August 02, 1999, Contact: Joy Trowbridge (605) 642-4622.

EIS No. 990192, FINAL EIS, FHW, MO, MO-13 AND MO-7 Highway/Freeway