

Number of respondents annually (1)	Number of re- sponses per re- spondent (2)	Average burden hours per re- sponse (3)	Total annual bur- den hours (1)×(2)×(3)
140	1	1,418	198,520

In the Commission's initial submission to OMB it included an estimate based on information obtained from technical journals of the annualized Capital/Startup costs necessary for setting out a world wide web site on the Internet. Additional costs included developing the procedures for calculating ATC and operating an OASIS, and creating the necessary links between control center computers and OASIS computers. To annualize, the Commission assumed that the system would last conservatively for three years. On an annual basis, the Commission estimated startup costs to be \$190,000 per system. For operating and maintenance costs ("ongoing"), the Commission estimated the costs to be \$110,000 per system. In addition, the Commission assumed that it would take six staff members working full time (five to cover reporting requirements and one to maintain the record keeping requirements).

However, six years have passed since that initial estimate and three years since the last submission to OMB. OASIS has been in full operation for several years as the Commission noted in its last submission, therefore, it will only consider costs for the continued operation of OASIS. (Operations and Maintenance costs include the use of staff to maintain the web site plus human resources necessary for developing and handling data for OASIS. The Commission had assumed in its last submission that only 4.5 personnel (a reduction from the six as noted above) were necessary for staffing, but with improvements in information technology, consolidations within the industry and sharing of staff time between the OASIS site and control room operations, it is anticipated that staffing levels has been further reduced to an average of four personnel. The total annualized cost of the OASIS requirement is 140 respondents × operations and maintenance costs + staffing costs (using a personnel cost of \$70,000). The latter figure represents an average of mean annual earnings for professions in Information Technology and Engineering as reported in Federal government occupational statistics for the year 2000. (140 respondents × \$390,000 = \$ 54,600,000 for total costs). The reporting burden includes the total time, effort, or financial resources

expended to generate, maintain, retain, disclose, or provide the information including: (1) Reviewing instructions; (2) developing, acquiring, installing, and utilizing technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, verifying, processing, maintaining, disclosing and providing information; (3) adjusting the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; (4) training personnel to respond to a collection of information; (5) searching data sources; (6) completing and reviewing the collection of information; and (7) transmitting, or otherwise disclosing the information.

The estimate of cost for respondents is based upon salaries for professional and clerical support, as well as direct and indirect overhead costs. Direct costs include all costs directly attributable to providing this information, such as administrative costs and the cost for information technology. Indirect or overhead costs are costs incurred by an organization in support of its mission. These costs apply to activities which benefit the whole organization rather than any one particular function or activity.

Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is 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 burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER02-1406-000]

Acadia Power Partners, LLC; Notice of Issuance of Order

June 17, 2002.

Acadia Power Partners, LLC (Acadia) filed a tariff under which Acadia will make sales of capacity, energy, and ancillary services at market-based rates, and for the reassignment of transmission capacity. Acadia also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, Acadia requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Acadia.

On May 28, 2002, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Office of Markets, Tariffs and Rates—Central, granted requests for blanket approval under part 34, subject to the following:

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Acadia 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).

Absent a request to be heard in opposition within this period, Acadia is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Acadia, compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of Acadia's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is June 27, 2002.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Internet at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm>.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER02-1638-000]

Buchanan Generation, LLC; Notice of Issuance of Order

June 17, 2002.

Buchanan Generation, LLC (Buchanan) filed an application requesting authority to engage in the sale of wholesale energy, capacity, and ancillary services at market-based rates, franchised affiliate sales at market-based rates and the reassignment of transmission capacity. Buchanan also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, Buchanan requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Buchanan.

On May 29, 2002, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Office of Markets, Tariffs and Rates-East, granted requests for blanket approval under part 34, subject to the following:

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Buchanan 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).

Absent a request to be heard in opposition within this period, Buchanan is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate

purposes of Buchanan, compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of Buchanan's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is June 28, 2002.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Internet at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm>.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER96-149-007]

Dartmouth Power Associates Limited Partnership; Notice of Filing

June 17, 2002.

Take notice that on June 6, 2002, Dartmouth Power Associates Limited Partnership (Dartmouth) filed a triennial market analysis in support of its existing market-based rates authority.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing should file 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). 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. All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date, and, to the extent applicable, must be served on the applicant and on any other person designated on the official service list. This filing is available for review at the

Commission or may be viewed on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket #" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper; see 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

Comment Date: June 27, 2002.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER02-1632-000]

Energy America, LLC; Notice of Issuance of Order

June 17, 2002.

Energy America, LLC (Energy America) filed an application requesting authority to engage in the sale of wholesale energy, capacity, and ancillary services at market-based rates, and for the reassignment of transmission capacity. Energy America also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, Energy America requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Energy America.

On May 29, 2002, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Office of Markets, Tariffs and Rates-East, granted requests for blanket approval under part 34, subject to the following:

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Energy America 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).

Absent a request to be heard in opposition within this period, Energy America is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Energy America, compatible