# DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM01-12-000]

# Standard Market Design Data and Software Standards; Notice of Conference and Agenda

July 9, 2002.

As announced in the Notice of Conference issued June 6, 2002, the staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) will hold a conference on data and software needs in connection with the implementation of the Commission's Standard Market Design (SMD) rule. The conference will be held on July 18, 2002, starting at 9:00 a.m. (a change from the previously noticed starting time) at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., in Washington DC, in the Commission Meeting Room.

The conference will discuss data and software standards needed to implement SMD efficiently. The focus will be on exploring what should be standardized; whether there should be a standard data model; on examining the potential for developing data sets to benchmark the needed software; and on finding userfriendly, transparent interfaces that will help to instill confidence in the process. Attached is the Conference Agenda.

All interested parties are invited to attend. There is no registration or fee.

The conference will be transcribed. Those interested in acquiring the transcript should contact Ace Reporters at 202–347–3700, or 800–336–6646. Transcripts will be placed in the public record ten days after the Commission receives the transcripts. Additionally, Capitol Connection offers the opportunity for remote listening and viewing of the conference. It is available for a fee, live over the Internet, via C-Band Satellite. Persons interested in receiving the broadcast, or who need information on making arrangements should contact David Reininger or Julia Morelli at the Capitol Connection (703– 993–3100) as soon as possible or visit the Capitol Connection website at http:// /www.capitolconnection.gmu.edu and click on "FERC."

All interested parties are invited to attend. For additional information, please contact Rene Forsberg at 202– 208–0425 or *Reneé.Forsberg@ferc.gov*.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

#### **Conference** Agenda

Opening Remarks: 9 a.m. Software Developments: 9:05 a.m.–11:30 a.m.

- Ongun Alsac, Senior Vice President, Nexant, Inc.
- John Finney, Director of Technology, ABB, Inc.
- Guillermo Irisarri, Executive Vice President and Principal Engineer, OATI, Inc.
- Petar Ristanovic, Executive Consultant, Siemens Power Transmission and Distribution, Inc. David Sun, Corporate Engineer,
- ALSTOM, Corp.
- Lunch and Software Demos: 11:30 a.m.– 1 p.m.
- Security Issues: 1 p.m.–1:30 p.m. Howard Schmidt, Vice Chairman, President's Critical Infrastructure Protection Board.
- Chuck Noble, Information Security Coordinator, New England ISO.
- ISO Software Experience: 1:30 p.m.– 3:30 p.m.
  - Cherie Broadrick, Manager Corporate Planning, ERCOT.
  - David La Plante, Vice President Market Development, New England ISO.
  - Andy Ott, General Manager of Market Coordination, PJM ISO.
  - Roberto Paliza, Principal Consultant, Midwest ISO.
  - Don Watkins, Chairman, Common Systems Interface Coordination Group, Seams Steering Group— Western Interconnection (SSG–WI).
- Planning Process for Software and Data Standards: 3:45 p.m.–5 p.m.
  - Clark Gellings, Vice President Power Delivery and Markets Electric Power Research Institute.
  - Ongun Alsac, Senior Vice President, Nexant, Inc.
  - John Finney, Director of Technology, ABB, Inc.
  - Guillermo Irisarri, Executive Vice President and Principal Engineer, OATI, Inc.
  - Petar Ristanovic, Executive Consultant, Siemens Power Transmission and Distribution. Inc.
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  - Roberto Paliza, Principal Consultant, Midwest ISO.
  - Don Watkins, Chairman, Common Systems Interface Coordination Group, Seams Steering Group— Western Interconnection (SSG–WI).
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[Project No. 11566–000—Maine; Damariscotta Mills Project]

Ridgewood Maine Hydro Partners, L.P.; Notice Modifying a Restricted Service List for Comments on a Programmatic Agreement for Managing Properties Included in or Eligible for Inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places

July 9, 2002.

On October 18, 2001, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) issued a notice for the Damariscotta Mills Hydroelectric Project (FERC No. 11566–000) proposing to establish a restricted service list for the purpose of developing and executing a Programmatic Agreement for managing properties included in or eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places. The Damariscotta Mills Hydroelectric Project is located on the Damariscotta River, in Lincoln County, Maine. Ridgewood Maine Hydro Partners, L.P. is the licensee.

Rule 2010 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure provides that, to eliminate unnecessary expense or improve administrative efficiency, the Secretary may establish a restricted service list for a particular phase or issue in a proceeding.<sup>1</sup> The restricted service list should contain the names of persons on the service list who, in the judgment of the decisional authority establishing the list, are active participants with respect to the phase or issue in the proceeding for which the list is established.

The following additions are made to the restricted service list notice issued on October 18, 2001, for Project No. 11566–000:

- Mr. Dale Wright, Chairman, Town of Nobleboro, 192 US Highway 1, Nobleboro, ME 04555;
- Mr. Jonathan C. Hull, Esq., P.O. Box 880, Damariscotta, ME 04543;
- Ms. Rosa Sinclair, Chair, Town of Jefferson, 58 Washington Road, Jefferson, ME 04348
- Alec Giffen, Land & Water Associates, 9 Union Street, Hallowell, ME 04347

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