DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[OE Docket No. EA-381-A]

Application To Export Electric Energy; E-T Global Energy, LLC

AGENCY: Office of Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability, DOE. **ACTION:** Notice of application.

SUMMARY: E–T Global Energy, LLC (Applicant or E–T Global) has applied to renew its authority to transmit electric energy from the United States to Mexico pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act.

DATES: Comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be submitted on or before June 23, 2016.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests, motions to intervene, or requests for more information should be addressed to: Office of Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability, Mail Code: OE–20, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585–0350. Because of delays in handling conventional mail, it is recommended that documents be transmitted by overnight mail, by electronic mail to Electricity.Exports@hq.doe.gov, or by

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country are regulated by the Department of Energy (DOE) pursuant to sections 301(b) and 402(f) of the Department of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7151(b), 7172(f)) and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C.824a(e)).

facsimile to 202-586-8008.

On June 10, 2011, DOE issued Order No. EA–381 to E–T Global, which authorized the Applicant to transmit electric energy from the United States to Mexico as a power marketer for a five-year term using existing international transmission facilities. That authority expires on June 10, 2016. On May 13, 2016, E–T Global filed an application with DOE for renewal of the export authority contained in Order No. EA–381 for an additional five-year term.

In its application, E–T Global states that it does not own or operate any electric generation or transmission facilities, and it does not have a franchised service area. The electric energy that E–T Global proposes to export to Mexico would be surplus energy purchased from third parties such as electric utilities and Federal power marketing agencies pursuant to voluntary agreements. The existing international transmission facilities to be utilized by the Applicant have

previously been authorized by Presidential permits issued pursuant to Executive Order 10485, as amended, and are appropriate for open access transmission by third parties.

Procedural Matters: Any person desiring to be heard in this proceeding should file a comment or protest to the application at the address provided above. Protests should be filed in accordance with Rule 211 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (FERC) Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR 385.211). Any person desiring to become a party to these proceedings should file a motion to intervene at the above address in accordance with FERC Rule 214 (18 CFR 385.214). Five copies of such comments, protests, or motions to intervene should be sent to the address provided above on or before the date listed above.

Comments and other filings concerning E–T Global's application to export electric energy to Mexico should be clearly marked with OE Docket No. EA–381–A. An additional copy is to be provided directly to Rebecca DuPont, E–T Global Energy, LLC, 2121 Sage Road, Suite 270, Houston, TX 77056.

A final decision will be made on this application after the environmental impacts have been evaluated pursuant to DOE's National Environmental Policy Act Implementing Procedures (10 CFR part 1021) and after a determination is made by DOE that the proposed action will not have an adverse impact on the sufficiency of supply or reliability of the U.S. electric power supply system.

Copies of this application will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above, by accessing the program Web site at http://energy.gov/node/11845, or by emailing Angela Troy at Angela.Troy@hq.doe.gov.

Issued in Washington, DC, on May 18, 2016.

Christopher Lawrence,

Electricity Policy Analyst, Office of Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

International Energy Agency Meetings

AGENCY: Department of Energy. **ACTION:** Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: The Industry Advisory Board (IAB) to the International Energy Agency (IEA) will meet on May 31 through June 1, 2016, at the headquarters of the IEA in Paris, France in connection with a joint meeting of

the IEA's Standing Group on Emergency Questions (SEQ) and the IEA's Standing Group on the Oil Market (SOM) on May 31, 2016, in connection with a meeting of the SEQ on that day and on June 1, 2016.

DATES: May 31 through June 1, 2016. **ADDRESSES:** 9, rue de la Fédération, Paris, France.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Thomas Reilly, Assistant General Counsel for International and National Security Programs, Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585, 202–586– 5000.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with section 252(c)(1)(A)(i) of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6272(c)(1)(A)(i)) (EPCA), the following notice of meetings is provided:

Meetings of the Industry Advisory Board (IAB) to the International Energy Agency (IEA) will be held at the headquarters of the IEA, 9, rue de la Fédération, Paris, France, on May 31, 2016, commencing at 2:00 p.m.. The purpose of this notice is to permit attendance by representatives of U.S. company members of the IAB at a joint meeting of the IEA's Standing Group on Emergency Questions (SEQ) and the IEA's Standing Group on the Oil Markets (SOM) on May 31, to be held at the same location commencing at 2:00 p.m. The IAB will also hold a preparatory meeting among company representatives at the same location at 8:30 a.m. on June 1. The agenda for this preparatory meeting is to review the agenda for the SEQ meeting. The SEQ meeting will commence, at the same location, on June 1, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.

The agenda of the joint meeting of the SEQ and SOM is under the control of the SEQ and SOM. It is expected that the SEQ and SOM will adopt the following agenda:

- 1. Adoption of the Agenda
- 2. Approval of the Summary Record of the 17 March 2106 Joint Session
- 3. Reports on Recent Oil Market and Policy Developments in IEA Countries
- 4. The Current Oil Market Situation "Presentation of OMR MAY 2106" + Questions & Answers
- 5. Presentation from IEA Division and discussion (TBC)
- Presentation from External Speaker and discussion, on "Oil Pricing Issues"
- 7. Other Business
 - —Tentative schedule of upcoming SEQ and SOM meetings for 2016:
 - -27-29 September 2016

The agenda of the SEQ meeting on June 1, 2106 is under the control of the SEQ. It is expected that the SEQ will adopt the following agenda:

- 1. Adoption of the Agenda
- 2. Approval of the Summary Record of the 147th Meeting
- 3. Status of Compliance with IEP Agreement Stockholding Obligations
- 4. Australian Compliance Update
- 5. Bilateral Stockholding in non-OECD Countries—progress report
- Countries—progress report 6. Association—"Oil Umbrella" concept
- 7. ERR Programme
- 8. Emergency Response Review of the Netherlands
- 9. Mid-term Review of Italy
- 10. Industry Advisory Board Update
- 11. Emergency Response Review of France
- 12. Mid-Term Review of Estonia
- 13. Update on ERE8 Arrangements
- 14. Mexican Accession
- 15. Outreach Activities
- 16. Oral Reports by Administrations
- 17. Other Business

Schedule of SEQ and SOM Meetings, 2016 provisional dates: 27–29 September

As provided in section 252(c)(1)(A)(ii) of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6272(c)(1)(A)(ii)), the meetings of the IAB are open to representatives of members of the IAB and their counsel; representatives of members of the IEA's Standing Group on Emergency Questions and the IEA's Standing Group on the Oil Markets; representatives of the Departments of Energy, Justice, and State, the Federal Trade Commission, the General Accounting Office, Committees of Congress, the IEA, and the European Commission; and invitees of the IAB, the SEQ, the SOM, or the IEA.

Issued in Washington, DC May 18, 2016. **Thomas Reilly,**

Assistant General Counsel for International and National Security Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER16-1724-000]

Paulding Wind Farm III LLC; Supplemental Notice That Initial Market-Based Rate Filing Includes Request for Blanket Section 204 Authorization

This is a supplemental notice in the above-referenced proceeding of

Paulding Wind Farm III LLC's application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying rate tariff, noting that such application includes a request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest 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). Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests with regard to the applicant's request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability, is June 7, 2016.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at http://www.ferc.gov. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above-referenced proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for electronic review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an eSubscription link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive email notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please email FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov. or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Dated: May 18, 2016.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy 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: EC16–64–000. Applicants: Southwestern Public Service Company, Xcel Energy Southwest Transmission Company, LLC.

Description: Amendment to January 28, 2016 Joint Application for Authorization for Disposition of Jurisdictional Transmission Facilities of Southwestern Public Service Company, et al.

Filed Date: 5/17/16.

Accession Number: 20160517–5183. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 6/7/16.

Docket Numbers: EC16–120–000. Applicants: Otter Tail Power

Company.

Description: Request For Approvals Pursuant To Section 203 Of The Federal Power Act.

Filed Date: 5/17/16.

Accession Number: 20160517–5185. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 6/7/16.

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

Docket Numbers: EG16–102–000.
Applicants: Aurora Generation, LLC.
Description: Notice of SelfCertification of Exempt Wholesale
Generator Status.

Filed Date: 5/18/16.

Accession Number: 20160518–5067. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 6/8/16.

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

Docket Numbers: ER15–1825–006. Applicants: California Independent System Operator Corporation.

Description: Compliance filing: 2016–05–17 Petition for Ltd Waiver re RSI—Request Short Comment Period to be effective N/A.

Filed Date: 5/17/16.

Accession Number: 20160517–5128. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 5/24/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16–897–004. Applicants: California Independent System Operator Corporation.

Description: Compliance filing: 2016–05–17 Petition for Ltd Waiver re CPM—Request Short Comment Period to be effective N/A.

Filed Date: 5/17/16.

Accession Number: 20160517–5134. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 5/24/16. Docket Numbers: ER16–1725–000.