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Deadline for Filing Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests: 30 days from the date that the Commission issues this notice. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments, motions to intervene, and protests using the Commission's eFiling system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, please send a paper copy to: Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426. The first page of any filing should include docket number P-906-028.

Dated: August 17, 2017.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,
Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL17-52-000]

Republic Transmission, LLC; Notice of Update to the Petition for Declaratory Order

Take notice that on August 15, 2017, Republic Transmission, LLC (Republic) filed an update to its March 22, 2017 Petition for Declaratory Order for Incentive Rate Treatment, as more fully explained in the update to its petition.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest in this proceeding must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern

time on the specified 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 notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Petitioner.

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 proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for 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.

Comment Date: 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on August 22, 2017.

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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: EC17-159-000.
Applicants: Cuyama Solar, LLC.

Description: Application for Authorization Under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act and Request for Waivers, Confidential Treatment, Expedited Action, and Shortened Comment Period of Cuyama Solar, LLC.
Filed Date: 8/16/17.

Accession Number: 20170816-5148.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/6/17.

Docket Numbers: EC17-160-000.
Applicants: Georgia Power Company.

Description: Application of Georgia Power Company for Authorization under FPA Section 203 to Acquire Jurisdictional Facilities.

Filed Date: 8/16/17.

Accession Number: 20170816-5151.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/6/17.

Docket Numbers: EC17-162-000.
Applicants: Bruce Power, LLC, Dynegy Lee II, LLC.

Description: Application for Approval Pursuant to Section 203 of the Federal Power Act and Requests for Waivers and Expedited Consideration of Dynegy Lee II, LLC, et. al.

Filed Date: 8/16/17.

Accession Number: 20170816-5153.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/6/17.

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

Docket Numbers: EG17-139-000.
Applicants: Cuyama Solar, LLC.

Description: Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status of Cuyama Solar, LLC.
Filed Date: 8/16/17.

Accession Number: 20170816-5147.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/6/17.

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

Docket Numbers: ER06-1128-001.

Applicants: Mankato Energy Center, LLC.

Description: Supplement to April 28, 2017 Notification of non-material change in status of Mankato Energy Center, LLC.

Filed Date: 8/16/17.

Accession Number: 20170816-5157.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/6/17.

Docket Numbers: ER10-2564-005; ER10-2289-005; ER10-2600-005; EL15-42-000.

Applicants: FortisUS Energy Corporation, Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corp., Tucson Electric Power Company, UNS Electric, Inc., UniSource Energy Development Company.

Description: Supplement Information to January 15, 2015 Notification of Changes in Status of Tucson Electric Power Company, et al.

Filed Date: 8/14/17.

Accession Number: 20170814-5127.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/5/17.
Docket Numbers: ER15–1644–002.
Applicants: Dynegy Lee II, LLC.
Description: Compliance filing: Informational Filing Regarding the Planned Indirect Transfer of Control to be effective N/A.

Filed Date: 8/17/17.

Accession Number: 20170817–5112.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/7/17.

Docket Numbers: ER17–2041–001.

Applicants: Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Description: Tariff Amendment: 3334 Associated Electric Cooperative NITSA and NOA to be effective 6/1/2017.

Filed Date: 8/17/17.

Accession Number: 20170817–5060.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/7/17.

Docket Numbers: ER17–2319–000.

Applicants: Idaho Power Company.

Description: Idaho Power Company submits Average System Cost Filing for Sales of Electric Power to the Bonneville Power Administration, FY 2018–2019.

Filed Date: 8/17/17.

Accession Number: 20170817–5021.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/7/17.

Docket Numbers: ER17–2320–000.

Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: Revisions to OATT and OA RE: Pseudo-Tie Settlement Changes to be effective 11/1/2017.

Filed Date: 8/17/17.

Accession Number: 20170817–5023.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/7/17.

Docket Numbers: ER17–2321–000.

Applicants: Dynegy Lee II, LLC.

Description: Request for Waiver of Dynegy Lee II, LLC.

Filed Date: 8/16/17.

Accession Number: 20170816–5152.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/6/17.

Docket Numbers: ER17–2322–000.

Applicants: Nexus Energy Inc.

Description: Baseline eTariff Filing: Nexus Energy Market-based Rate Tariff v2 to be effective 11/1/2017.

Filed Date: 8/17/17.

Accession Number: 20170817–5047.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/7/17.

Docket Numbers: ER17–2323–000.

Applicants: Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc., Ameren Illinois Company.

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: 2017–08–17 Filing to revise Ameren Attachment O Formula Rate Templates to be effective 1/1/2018.

Filed Date: 8/17/17.

Accession Number: 20170817–5058.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/7/17.

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

Docket Numbers: RD17–6–000.

Applicants: North American Electric Reliability Corporation.

Description: Revisions to the Violation Risk Factors for Reliability Standard BAL–002–2 of the North American Electric Reliability Corporation.

Filed Date: 8/14/17.

Accession Number: 20170814–5191.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/18/17.

The filings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the links or querying the docket number.

Any person desiring to intervene or protest in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. Protests may be considered, but intervention is necessary to become a party to the proceeding.

eFiling is encouraged. More detailed information relating to filing requirements, interventions, protests, service, and qualifying facilities filings can be found at: <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling/filing-req.pdf>. For other information, call (866) 208–3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502–8659.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP17–469–000]

WBI Energy Transmission, Inc.; Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Billy Creek Storage Field Abandonment Project, and Request for Comments on Environmental Issues

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) will prepare an environmental assessment (EA) that will discuss the environmental impacts of the Billy Creek Storage Field Abandonment Project involving construction and operation of facilities by WBI Energy Transmission, Inc (WBI) in Johnson County, Wyoming. The Commission will use this EA in its decision-making process to determine whether the project is in the public convenience and necessity.

This notice announces the opening of the scoping process the Commission

will use to gather input from the public and interested agencies on the project. You can make a difference by providing us with your specific comments or concerns about the project. Your comments should focus on the potential environmental effects, reasonable alternatives, and measures to avoid or lessen environmental impacts. Your input will help the Commission staff determine what issues they need to evaluate in the EA. To ensure that your comments are timely and properly recorded, please send your comments so that the Commission receives them in Washington, DC on or before September 18, 2017.

If you sent comments on this project to the Commission before the opening of this docket on June 30, 2017, you will need to file those comments in Docket No. CP17–469–000 to ensure they are considered as part of this proceeding.

This notice is being sent to the Commission's current environmental mailing list for this project. State and local government representatives should notify their constituents of this proposed project and encourage them to comment on their areas of concern.

If you are a landowner receiving this notice, a pipeline company representative may contact you about the acquisition of an easement to construct, operate, and maintain the proposed facilities. The company would seek to negotiate a mutually acceptable agreement. However, if the Commission approves the project, that approval conveys with it the right of eminent domain. Therefore, if easement negotiations fail to produce an agreement, the pipeline company could initiate condemnation proceedings where compensation would be determined in accordance with state law.

WBI provided landowners with a fact sheet prepared by the FERC entitled "An Interstate Natural Gas Facility On My Land? What Do I Need To Know?" This fact sheet addresses a number of typically asked questions, including the use of eminent domain and how to participate in the Commission's proceedings. It is also available for viewing on the FERC Web site (www.ferc.gov).

Public Participation

For your convenience, there are three methods you can use to submit your comments to the Commission. The Commission encourages electronic filing of comments and has expert staff available to assist you at (202) 502–8258 or FercOnlineSupport@ferc.gov. Please carefully follow these instructions so