

single, independent, and distinct invention. The applicant is responsible to ensure the same invention is elected in both the U.S. and all corresponding counterpart applications for concurrent treatment in Expanded CSP.

*VI. First Action on the Merits (FAOM):* During examination, the USPTO examiner will consider all exchanged search results and all references submitted by the applicant in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97 and 37 CFR 1.98. Search results that are not received by the USPTO within four months may not be included in the FAOM. The examiner will prepare and issue an Office action and notify the applicant if any designated partner IP office did not provide search results prior to the issuance of the Office action. Once an FAOM issues, the application will no longer be treated as special under Expanded CSP.

Dated: October 25, 2017.

**Joseph Matal,**

*Associate Solicitor, performing the functions and duties of the Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.*

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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:* EC17-184-000.

*Applicants:* Puget Sound Energy, Inc., Macquarie Infrastructure Partners Inc.

*Description:* Supplement to September 19, 2017 Application for Authorization Under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act of Puget Sound Energy, Inc., et al.

*Filed Date:* 10/23/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171023-5173.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 10/30/17.

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

*Docket Numbers:* ER08-1281-013.

*Applicants:* New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

*Description:* Motion to Terminate the Reporting Obligation of the New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

*Filed Date:* 3/27/2017.

*Accession Number:* 20170327-5298.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER17-2027-001.

*Applicants:* Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

*Description:* Tariff Amendment: Deficiency Response—Integrated Transmission Planning Process Tariff Revisions to be effective 10/1/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/23/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171023-5477.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/13/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER17-2560-001.

*Applicants:* Avista Corporation.

*Description:* Tariff Amendment: Avista Corp NITSA BPA Kalispel SA T-1140 Amendment to be effective 10/1/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171024-5114.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-135-000.

*Applicants:* AEP Texas Inc.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: AEP TX-Oncor IA Second Amended & Restated to be effective 9/26/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/23/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171023-5475.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/13/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-136-000.

*Applicants:* Midcontinent

Independent System Operator, Inc.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: 2017-10-23\_Revisions to MISO-PJM JOA to address congestion overlap issues to be effective 3/1/2018.

*Filed Date:* 10/23/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171023-5483.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/13/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-137-000.

*Applicants:* PJM Interconnection,

L.L.C.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: Revisions to MISO-PJM JOA re: Overlapping Congestion Charges to be effective 3/1/2018.

*Filed Date:* 10/23/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171023-5484.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/13/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-138-000.

*Applicants:* First Solar Development, LLC.

*Description:* Petition for Limited Waiver of Tariff Submission Deadline of First Solar Development, LLC.

*Filed Date:* 10/23/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171023-5628.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/6/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-139-000.

*Applicants:* PJM Interconnection,

L.L.C.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: Amendment to ISA No. 3198 and CSA Nos. 2642 and 2643; Queue No. T157/W4-037 to be effective 9/1/2010.

*Filed Date:* 10/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171024-5072.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-140-000.

*Applicants:* Lackawanna Energy Center LLC.

*Description:* Baseline eTariff Filing: Application for Market-Based Rate Authorization to be effective 12/24/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171024-5079.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-141-000.

*Applicants:* Southern California Edison Company.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: LGIA Alamitos Energy Center Project SA No 197 to be effective 10/25/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171024-5080.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-142-000.

*Applicants:* Southern California Edison Company.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: LGIA Huntington Beach Energy Project SA No 196 to be effective 10/25/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171024-5081.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-143-000.

*Applicants:* PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: Revisions to OATT 10.4 and OA 15.6 RE: Limitation on Claims to be effective 12/23/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171024-5084.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-144-000.

*Applicants:* Southern California Edison Company.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: Interconnection Agreement Bob Switch-Eldorado 220-kV Transmission Line to be effective 10/25/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171024-5112.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER18-145-000.

*Applicants:* Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: 2017-10-24 SA 2637 Border Winds-NSP E&P (J290) Termination to be effective 10/25/2017.

*Filed Date:* 10/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20171024-5127.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/14/17.

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.

Dated: October 24, 2017.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER18-128-000]

#### 54KR 8ME 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 54KR 8ME 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 November 13, 2017.

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](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or 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. ER18-126-000]

#### AL Solar A, 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 AL Solar A, 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.

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## FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

[OMB No. 3064-0198]

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC).

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The FDIC, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the renewal of the existing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. On August 18, 2017, the FDIC requested comment for 60 days on a proposal to renew the information collection described below. No comments were received. The FDIC hereby gives notice of its plan to submit to OMB a request to approve the renewal of this collection, and again invites comment on this renewal.