

[Project No. 10756-001]

Blue Diamond Power Partners; Notice of Public Meeting in Las Vegas, Nevada, To Discuss the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Licensing of the Blue Diamond South Hydroelectric Project

January 31, 1996.

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) issued a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (Draft EIS) for the Blue Diamond South Hydroelectric Project, No. 10756-001, on January 26, 1996. The proposed 200-megawatt pumped storage project would be located about five miles west of Las Vegas in Clark County, Nevada.

Commission staff will conduct a public meeting to: (1) present the Draft EIS finding, (2) solicit public comment on the Draft EIS, and (3) answer questions about the Draft EIS. All interested individuals, organizations, and agencies are invited to attend the meeting.

The public meeting will be conducted on Monday evening, February 26, 1996, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., at the West Charleston Library, 6301 West Charleston Boulevard, in Las Vegas, Nevada.

The public meeting will be recorded by a court reporter, and all meeting statements (oral and written) will become part of the Commission's public record of this proceeding. Individuals presenting statements at the meeting will be asked to sign in before the meeting starts and to identify themselves for the record. Anyone wishing to receive a copy (for a fee) of the transcript of the meeting may contact Ann Riley & Associates by calling (202) 482-0034.

For further information, please contact Dianne Rodman at (202) 219-2830.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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[Docket No. RM95-3-000; Docket No. RM95-4-000]

Filing and Reporting Requirements for Interstate Natural Gas Companies Rate Schedules and Tariffs; Revisions to Uniform System of Accounts Forms, Statements, and Reporting Requirements for Natural Gas Companies; Notice of Time and Agenda for Working Groups

January 31, 1996.

Take notice that the dates for the second meetings of the working groups

established pursuant to the orders issued in Docket Nos. RM95-3-000 and RM95-4-000¹ are as follows: The meeting for WORKING GROUP-FORMS will begin at 9 a.m., *Wednesday, February 7, 1996*. The meeting for WORKING GROUP-FILINGS will begin at 9 a.m., *Thursday, February 8, 1996*.

These meetings will take place in a room of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

All interested persons are invited to attend. Participation in the working groups is not limited to those who have already signed up.

The goals for the February 7, 1996 meeting of Working Group-Forms are to:

- Complete work on Form No. 11;
- Discuss the data model for Form No. 2;
- Discuss some of the problem pages in Form No. 2 identified at the last working group meeting.

The goals for the February 8, 1996 meeting of Working Group-Filings are to discuss:

- The test pipelines' experiences creating their sample rate case schedules in tab delimited format;
- File naming conventions;
- Amount of data to be included in each file; and
- Statements G, O, and P.

In order for the meetings to be as productive as possible, the Commission has established a separate menu item on the Gas Pipeline Data (GPD) portion of the Commission's bulletin board system entitled "Order 581/582 Working Groups." This portion of the GPD will be further subdivided into subsections for Form 2, Form 11, rate filings, and comments. The following Information may be found under these subsections:

Comments

- All comments submitted to staff dealing with issues under discussion in the working groups.
- Summaries of the working group meetings.

Form 2; Form 11; Rate Filings

- Items upon which staff wishes working group participants to comment.
- Sample electronic filing specifications.

¹ Filing and Reporting Requirements for Interstate Natural Gas Companies Rate Schedules and Tariffs, Order No. 582, 60 FR 52960 (October 11, 1995), 72 FERC ¶ 61,300 (1995); and, Revisions to Uniform System of Accounts Forms, Statements, and Reporting Requirements for Natural Gas Companies, Order No. 581, 60 FR 53019 (October 11, 1995), 72 FERC ¶ 61,301 (1995).

—Sample delimited files.

Under the subsection for Form 11, staff has made available several items discussed at the working group meeting on December 12, including:

- A *pro forma* file specification for Form 11 for discussion purposes,
- A sample tab delimited file for Form 11, and
- An image of the sample spreadsheet containing the Form 11 data prepared for printing.

The Comments section contains the comments received on December 15, 1995, discussing the appropriate treatment of text in the electronic filings.

The rate filings section contains the test files and related comments of the pipelines who agreed to create tab delimited files for selected cost of service statements. We encourage working group participants to download and review these files prior to our next working group meeting.

Staff is making every effort to complete the Form No. 2 data model so it can be available on GPD prior to the next working group meeting. When available, the file will be found under the Form 2 subsection of the Order 581/582 Working Groups menu. Similarly, staff will attempt to make a more detailed agenda available prior to the meetings. If available in time, this agenda will appear in the Comments subsection of the Order 581/582 Working Groups menu.

The sample spreadsheet and file specifications for Form No. 11 and some of the comments are in a file format produced by Adobe Acrobat software. To read these files, you must download the Acrobat Reader. With this software, you will be able to read or print all files with the extension .pdf. If you experience printing problems, please refer to the file entitled, *readme_r.txt*, accompanying the Acrobat software.

Staff invites written comments on the above listed issues and topics of discussion. Comments should be addressed to Richard A. White, Office of General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. Comments should be received by February 2, 1996. We encourage commenters to submit their comments on a 3½" diskette in Rich Text Format or ASCII so they can be posted on the Commission's bulletin board.

Any parties wishing to make a presentation at the meetings should contact Richard White, PHONE: (202) 208-0491, FAX: (202) 208-0017.

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Commission Issuance Posting System (CIPS). CIPS and GPD are part of the Commission's electronic bulletin board service providing access to documents issued by or available electronically from the Commission. CIPS and GPD are available at no charge to the user and may be accessed using a personal computer with a modem by dialing (202) 208-1397, if local, or 1-800-856-3920, if long distance.

In addition to this notice, the most current list of those that signed up for participation in the working groups will also be posted on CIPS. Information concerning working group meetings will be posted on CIPS on a regular basis. Up-to-date information can be found in bulletin 20 on CIPS or bulletin 9 on GPD. A summary of the meeting held on December 12, 1995, can be found on GPD under the Working Group section of the menu in the Comments subsection.

To access the Commission's bulletin board system, set your communications software to 19200, 14400, 12000, 9600, 7200, 4800, 2400, 1200, or 300 bps, full duplex, no parity, 8 data bits, and 1 stop bit. The full text of this document will be available on CIPS for 60 days from the date of issuance in ASCII and WordPerfect 5.1 format.

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Through the Internet:

Telnet to: fedworld.gov

Select the option: [1] FedWorld

Logon to the FedWorld system

Type: /go FERC

Or:

Point your Web Browser to: http://www.fedworld.gov

Scroll down the page to select FedWorld Telnet Site

Select the option: [1] FedWorld

Logon to the FedWorld system

Type: /go FERC

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Proposed Rate Adjustment, Public Hearing, and Opportunities for Public Review and Comment

AGENCY: Southeastern Power Administration (Southeastern), Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of proposed rate extension, public hearing, and opportunities for public review and comment.

SUMMARY: Southeastern proposes to extend Rate Schedules KP-1-D, JHK-2-B, JHK-3-B, and PH-1-B, currently applicable to Kerr-Philpott Projects' power, October 1, 1996, through September 30, 2001. Opportunities will be available for interested persons to review the present rates, the proposed rates and supporting studies, to participate in a hearing and to submit written comments.

Southeastern will evaluate all comments received in this process.

DATES: Written comments are due on or before May 16, 1996. A public Information and public comment forum will be held in Raleigh, North Carolina, on March 14, 1996. Persons desiring to speak at the forum should notify Southeastern at least 7 days before the forum is scheduled so that a list of forum participants can be prepared. Others present may speak, if time permits. Persons desiring to attend the forum should notify Southeastern at least 7 days before the forum is scheduled. If Southeastern has not been notified by close of business on March 7, 1996, that at least one person intends to be present at the forum, the forum will be cancelled with no further notice.

ADDRESSES: Five copies of written comments should be submitted to: Administrator, Southeastern Power Administration, Department of Energy, Samuel Elbert Building, 2 South Public Square, Elberton, Georgia 30635. The public comment forum will begin at 10 a.m. on March 14, 1996, in the Sheraton Inn Raleigh at Crabtree Valley, 4501 Creedmoor Road, Raleigh, North Carolina 27612.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Leon Jourolmon, Assistant Administrator, Finance & Marketing, Southeastern Power Administration, Department of Energy, Samuel Elbert Building, 2 South Public Square, Elberton, Georgia 30635, (706) 213-3800.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Power Commission by order issued December 5, 1991, in Docket No. EF91-3041-000, confirmed and approved Wholesale Power Rate Schedules KP-1-D, JHK-2-B, JHK-3-B, and PH-1-B applicable to Kerr-Philpott Projects' power for a period ending September 30, 1996.

Discussion

Existing rate schedules are predicated upon a June 1991 repayment study and

other supporting data all of which are contained in EF91-3041-000. A January 1996 repayment study prepared using present rates demonstrates that all costs are paid within their repayment life. Therefore, Southeastern is proposing to extend the four present rate schedules. The demand charge applicable to preference customers remains at the \$1.86 per kilowatt of monthly demand and the energy charge remains at 7.67 mills per kilowatt-hour.

The referenced January 1996 system repayment study along with previous system repayment studies are available for examination at the Samuel Elbert Building, 2 South Public Square, Elberton, Georgia 30635. Proposed Rate Schedules KP-1-D, JHK-2-B, JHK-3-B, and PH-1-B are also available.

Issued at Elberton, Georgia, January 25, 1996.

Charles A. Borchardt,
Administrator.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5417-7]

Agency Information Collection Activities Under OMB Review; Used Oil Management Standards Recordkeeping and Reporting Requirements

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the following Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: Used Oil Management Standards Recordkeeping and Reporting Requirements, ICR No. 128604, OMB No. 2050-0124, expires 3/31/99. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected burden and cost; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before [Insert date 30 days after publication in the Federal Register].

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY CALL:

Sandy Farmer at EPA, (202) 260-2740, and refer to EPA ICR No. 1286.04.