

intended to notify the general public of their opportunity to attend the meeting.

DATE: June 25, 1997.

TIME: 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

LOCATION: Southern Regional Education Board, 592 Tenth Street, NW., Atlanta, GA 30318-5790 (Room to be posted).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Thelma Leenhouts, Designated Federal Official, National Educational Research Policy and Priorities Board, Washington, D.C. 20208-7564, Tel.: (202) 219-2065; fax: (202) 219-1528; e-mail: Thelma_Leenhouts@ed.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Educational Research Policy and Priorities Board is authorized by Section 921 of the Educational Research, Development, Dissemination, and Improvement Act of 1994. The Board works collaboratively with the Assistant Secretary for the Office of Educational Research and Improvement to forge a national consensus with respect to a long-term agenda for educational research, development, and dissemination, and to provide advice and assistance to the Assistant Secretary in administering the duties of the Office. The Committee will discuss allocation of its budget and implementation of the Board's work plan.

A final agenda will be available from the Board office on June 18, 1997. Records are kept of all Board proceedings and are available for public inspection at the office of the National Educational Research Policy and Priorities Board, Suite 100, 80 F St., NW., Washington, D.C. 20208-7564.

Dated: June 9, 1997.

Eve M. Bither,

Executive Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Notice of Solicitation for the Development and Implementation of International Projects That Reduce, Avoid, or Sequester Greenhouse Gas Emissions for Submission Under the U.S. Initiative on Joint Implementation Program

AGENCY: Chicago Operations Office, Office of Utility Technologies, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of solicitation availability.

SUMMARY: The Department of Energy (DOE) announces its interest in receiving applications for federal assistance for the development and implementation of international projects

that reduce, avoid, or sequester greenhouse gas emissions in developing countries and countries with economies in transition under the U.S. Initiative on Joint Implementation (USII) Program. As part of the U.S. Climate Change Action Plan launched in 1993, the USII is a pilot program encouraging partnerships between businesses and non-governmental organizations in the United States and those in developing countries and countries with economies in transition.

DATES AND ADDRESSES: The complete solicitation document will be available on or about June 18, 1997 on the Internet by accessing the DOE Chicago Internet Home Page at <http://www.ch.doe.gov/business/ACQ.html> under the heading "Current Acquisition Activities" Solicitation No. DE-PS02-97EE35024. Applications are due no later than 3:00 p.m. Central Daylight Time (CDT), July 18, 1997. Any amendments to the solicitation will be posted on the Internet. Please note that users are not alerted when the solicitation is issued on the Internet or when amendments are posted to the Internet. Prospective applicants are therefore advised to check the above Internet address on a daily basis. This office will provide a printed copy of the solicitation and its amendments to any firm unable to access the solicitation on the Internet upon request. Awards are anticipated by September 15, 1997. Completed applications referencing Solicitation No. DE-PS02-97EE35024 must be submitted to the U. S. Department of Energy, Chicago Operations Office, Attn: Mary Lou Zambrano, Bldg. 201, Rm. 3D-24, 9800 South Cass Avenue, Argonne, IL 60439-4899.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The focus and objectives of these grants are consistent with the goals of the USII program which are: to promote technology cooperation with, and sustainable development in, developing countries and countries with economies in transition; test and evaluate methods to measure, track, and verify emissions reductions, costs and benefits; encourage private sector investment and innovation in developing and disseminating technologies that reduce or sequester greenhouse gas emissions; and establish an empirical base for the formulation of international criteria for joint implementation. DOE anticipates that approximately \$250,000 will be available for funding and that five (5) to ten (10) projects will be selected for funding at approximately \$25,000-\$50,000 for each project awarded. The period of performance is expected to be

twelve (12) months. These federal grant funds are intended to provide assistance for feasibility analysis; USII proposal development; calculation of baselines and greenhouse gas benefits; development of monitoring and verification systems; and travel costs associated with USII proposal development (i.e., host country acceptance, etc.).

Any non-profit or for-profit organization, or other non-federal agency or entity, is eligible to apply. DOE National Laboratories are not eligible to respond directly to this solicitation nor may they participate as a subcontractor under any proposal.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mary Lou Zambrano, Acquisition and Assistance Group, Chicago Operations Office, 9800 South Cass Avenue, Argonne, Illinois 60439; Telephone No. (630) 252-2077, Fax No. (630) 252-5045, or by e-mail at marylou.zambrano@ch.doe.gov

Issued in Chicago, Illinois, on June 5, 1997.

John D. Greenwood,

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. RP97-90-001 and RP97-99-002]

Algonquin LNG, Inc.; Notice of Compliance Filing

June 9, 1997.

Take notice that on June 5, Algonquin LNG, Inc. (ALNG) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume No. 1, tariff sheets listed on Appendix to the filing, to be effective July 1, 1997 and a pro forma tariff sheet included in the Appendix C to the filing, to be effective November 1, 1997.

ALNG asserts that the purpose of this filing is to comply with the Commission's orders in Docket No. RP97-90-000 and RP97-99-000, issued on December 20, 1996 and March 20, 1997, respectively. ALNG states that the two orders had granted ALNG an extension of time to file Order No. 587, Gas Industry Standards Board (GISB) compliance tariff sheets and the compliance with the Commission's Regulation, Section 154.107(b), which requires that rates be "stated in cents or dollars per thermal unit." In both orders the extension of time was granted until 30 days after the Commission's action in ALNG's certificate application in Docket