

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Susan Schneider, PDUSD (AT&L) DP (DAR), Defense Acquisition Regulations Council, 3062 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-3062, telephone (703) 602-0326.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to the authority granted to 10 U.S.C. 2323(e), DoD has previously granted SDBs a 10 percent price preference in certain acquisitions. This price preference is implemented in Subpart 19.11 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation. Section 801 of the Strom Thurmond National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2000 (Public Law 105-261) amended 10 U.S.C. 2323(e)(3) to prohibit DoD from granting such a price preference for a 1-year period following a fiscal year in which DoD achieved the 5 percent goal for contract awards established in 10 U.S.C. 2323(a). Since, in fiscal year 1999, DoD exceeded this 5 percent goal, use of this price preference in DoD acquisitions must be suspended for a 1-year period, from February 24, 2000, to February 23, 2000. A similar suspension was required for the period from

February 24, 1999, to February 23, 2000 (64 FR 4847, February 1, 1999).

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Revised Non-Foreign Overseas Per Diem Rates

**AGENCY:** DoD, Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee.

**ACTION:** Notice of Revised Non-Foreign Overseas Per Diem Rates.

**SUMMARY:** The Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee is publishing Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletin Number 213. This bulletin lists revisions in the per diem rates prescribed for U.S. Government employees for official travel in Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands and Possessions of the

United States. AEA changes announced in Bulletin Number 194 remain in effect. Bulletin Number 213 is being published in the **Federal Register** to assure that travelers are paid per diem at the most current rates.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 1, 2000.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This document gives notice of revisions in per diem rates prescribed by the Per Diem Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee for non-foreign areas outside the continental United States. It supersedes Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletin Number 212. Distribution of Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletins by mail was discontinued. Per Diem Bulletins published periodically in the **Federal Register** now constitute the only notification of revisions in per diem rates to agencies and establishments outside the Department of Defense. For more information or questions about per diem rates, please contact your local travel office. The text of the Bulletin follows:

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Maximum Per Diem Rates for official travel in Alaska, Hawaii, the Commonwealths of Puerto Rico and the Northern Mariana Islands and Possessions of the United States by Federal Government civilian employees.

LOCALITY	MAXIMUM LODGING		M&IE RATE	MAXIMUM PER DIEM		EFFECTIVE DATE
	AMOUNT (A)	+		=	RATE (C)	
THE ONLY CHANGE IN CIVILIAN BULLETIN 213 UPDATES RATES FOR MIDWAY ISLANDS.						
ALASKA						
ANCHORAGE [INCL NAV RES]						
05/01 - 09/15	161		68	229		01/01/2000
09/16 - 04/30	80		60	140		01/01/2000
BARROW	115		73	188		03/01/1999
BETHEL	92		65	157		01/01/2000
CLEAR AB	80		54	134		01/01/2000
COLD BAY	140		73	213		01/01/2000
COLDFOOT	135		71	206		10/01/1999
CORDOVA	85		62	147		03/01/1998
CRAIG						
05/01 - 08/31	95		66	161		10/01/1998
09/01 - 04/30	79		64	143		10/01/1998
DEADHORSE	80		67	147		03/01/1999
DENALI NATIONAL PARK						
06/01 - 08/31	125		56	181		01/01/2000
09/01 - 05/31	90		53	143		01/01/2000
DILLINGHAM	100		58	158		01/01/2000
DUTCH HARBOR-UNALASKA	110		71	181		03/01/1999
EARECKSON AIR STATION	80		54	134		01/01/2000
EIELSON AFB						
05/01 - 09/15	149		62	211		01/01/2000
09/16 - 04/30	75		55	130		01/01/2000
ELMENDORF AFB						
05/01 - 09/15	161		68	229		01/01/2000
09/16 - 04/30	80		60	140		01/01/2000
FAIRBANKS						
05/01 - 09/15	149		62	211		01/01/2000
09/16 - 04/30	75		55	130		01/01/2000
FT. RICHARDSON						
05/01 - 09/15	161		68	229		01/01/2000
09/16 - 04/30	80		60	140		01/01/2000
FT. WAINWRIGHT						
05/01 - 09/15	149		62	211		01/01/2000
09/16 - 04/30	75		55	130		01/01/2000
GLENNALLEN	94		54	148		01/01/2000
HEALY						
06/01 - 08/31	125		56	181		01/01/2000
09/01 - 05/31	90		53	143		01/01/2000
HOMER						
05/15 - 09/15	109		61	170		01/01/2000
09/16 - 05/14	76		58	134		01/01/2000
JUNEAU	95		66	161		01/01/2000
KAKTOVIK	165		75	240		01/01/2000
KAVIK CAMP	125		69	194		03/01/1999
KENAI-SOLDOTNA						
04/01 - 10/31	104		65	169		01/01/2000
11/01 - 03/31	67		61	128		01/01/2000

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	LODGING	RATE	PER DIEM	
	AMOUNT	+	RATE	DATE
	(A)	=	(C)	
KENNICOTT	149	68	217	10/01/1998
KETCHIKAN				
04/01 - 10/15	104	71	175	01/01/2000
10/16 - 03/31	80	69	149	01/01/2000
KING SALMON				
05/01 - 10/01	160	88	248	01/01/2000
10/02 - 04/30	100	82	182	01/01/2000
KLAWOCK				
05/01 - 08/31	95	66	161	10/01/1998
09/01 - 04/30	79	64	143	10/01/1998
KODIAK	90	68	158	01/01/2000
KOTZEBUE				
05/01 - 08/31	137	63	200	01/01/2000
09/01 - 04/30	95	54	149	01/01/2000
KULIS AGS				
05/01 - 09/15	161	68	229	01/01/2000
09/16 - 04/30	80	60	140	01/01/2000
MCCARTHY	149	68	217	10/01/1998
METLAKATLA				
05/30 - 10/01	85	52	137	03/01/1999
10/02 - 05/29	78	51	129	03/01/1999
MURPHY DOME				
05/01 - 09/15	149	62	211	01/01/2000
09/16 - 04/30	75	55	130	01/01/2000
NOME	85	58	143	01/01/2000
NUIQSUT	120	47	167	01/01/2000
PETERSBURG	87	57	144	03/01/1999
POINT HOPE	130	70	200	03/01/1999
POINT LAY	105	67	172	03/01/1999
PRUDHOE BAY	80	67	147	03/01/1999
SEWARD				
05/01 - 09/30	122	65	187	03/01/1999
10/01 - 04/30	86	61	147	03/01/1999
SITKA-MT. EDGECOMBE				
05/16 - 09/16	139	73	212	01/01/2000
09/17 - 05/15	129	72	201	01/01/2000
SKAGWAY				
04/01 - 10/15	104	71	175	01/01/2000
10/16 - 03/31	80	69	149	01/01/2000
SPRUCE CAPE	90	68	158	01/01/2000
TANANA	85	58	143	01/01/2000
UMIAT	107	33	140	03/01/1999
VALDEZ				
05/01 - 10/01	117	68	185	01/01/2000
10/02 - 04/30	99	66	165	01/01/2000
WAINWRIGHT	111	81	192	01/01/2000
WASILLA	95	60	155	01/01/2000
WRANGELL				
04/01 - 10/15	104	71	175	01/01/2000
10/16 - 03/31	80	69	149	01/01/2000

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	AMOUNT (A)	+		=	RATE (C)	
YAKUTAT	110		68		178	03/01/1999
[OTHER]	80		54		134	01/01/2000
AMERICAN SAMOA						
AMERICAN SAMOA	73		53		126	03/01/1997
GUAM						
GUAM (INCL ALL MIL INSTAL)	135		79		214	01/01/2000
HAWAII						
CAMP H M SMITH	99		61		160	01/01/2000
EASTPAC NAVAL COMP TELE AREA	99		61		160	01/01/2000
FT. DERUSSEY	99		61		160	01/01/2000
FT. SHAFTER	99		61		160	01/01/2000
HICKAM AFB	99		61		160	01/01/2000
HONOLULU (INCL NAV & MC RES CTR)	99		61		160	01/01/2000
ISLE OF HAWAII: HILO	71		50		121	01/01/2000
ISLE OF HAWAII: OTHER	89		50		139	01/01/2000
ISLE OF KAUAI						
05/01 - 11/30	103		58		161	01/01/2000
12/01 - 04/30	131		61		192	01/01/2000
ISLE OF KURE	65		41		106	05/01/1999
ISLE OF MAUI	100		64		164	01/01/2000
ISLE OF OAHU	99		61		160	01/01/2000
KANEOHE BAY MC BASE	99		61		160	01/01/2000
KEKAHA PACIFIC MISSILE RANGE FAC						
05/01 - 11/30	103		58		161	01/01/2000
12/01 - 04/30	131		61		192	01/01/2000
KILAUEA MILITARY CAMP	71		50		121	01/01/2000
LUALUALEI NAVAL MAGAZINE	99		61		160	01/01/2000
NAS BARBERS POINT	99		61		160	01/01/2000
PEARL HARBOR [INCL ALL MILITARY]	99		61		160	01/01/2000
SCHOFIELD BARRACKS	99		61		160	01/01/2000
WHEELER ARMY AIRFIELD	99		61		160	01/01/2000
[OTHER]	72		61		133	01/01/2000
JOHNSTON ATOLL						
JOHNSTON ATOLL	13		9		22	10/01/1998
MIDWAY ISLANDS						
MIDWAY ISLANDS [INCL ALL MILITAR	150		47		197	02/01/2000
NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS						
ROTA	88		69		157	01/01/2000
SAIPAN	140		87		227	01/01/2000
[OTHER]	55		62		117	01/01/2000
PUERTO RICO						
BAYAMON						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
CAROLINA						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
FAJARDO [INCL CEIBA & LUQUILLO]	82		54		136	01/01/2000
FT. BUCHANAN [INCL GSA SVC CTR,						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000

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	LODGING		RATE		PER DIEM	
	AMOUNT		(B)		RATE	DATE
	(A)		(B)		(C)	
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
HUMACAO	82		54		136	01/01/2000
LUIS MUNOZ MARIN IAP AGS						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
MAYAGUEZ	85		59		144	01/01/2000
PONCE	96		69		165	01/01/2000
ROOSEVELT RDS & NAV STA	82		54		136	01/01/2000
SABANA SECA [INCL ALL MILITARY]						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
SAN JUAN & NAV RES STA						
04/11 - 12/23	155		71		226	01/01/2000
12/24 - 04/10	195		75		270	01/01/2000
[OTHER]	62		57		119	01/01/2000
VIRGIN ISLANDS (U.S.)						
ST. CROIX						
04/15 - 12/14	93		72		165	01/01/2000
12/15 - 04/14	129		76		205	01/01/2000
ST. JOHN						
04/15 - 12/14	219		84		303	01/01/2000
12/15 - 04/14	382		100		482	01/01/2000
ST. THOMAS						
04/15 - 12/14	163		73		236	01/01/2000
12/15 - 04/14	288		86		374	01/01/2000
WAKE ISLAND						
WAKE ISLAND	60		32		92	09/01/1998

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Docket No. EA-158-A]

### Applications To Export Electric Energy; Williams Energy Marketing and Trading Company

**AGENCY:** Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

**ACTION:** Notice of Application.

**SUMMARY:** Williams Energy Marketing and Trading Company (Williams), formerly Williams Energy Service Company, has applied for renewal of its authority to transmit electric energy from the United States to Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act.

**DATES:** Comments, protests or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before March 3, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments, protests or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex (FE-27), Office of Fossil Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585-0350 (FAX 202-287-5736).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Xavier Puslowski (Program Office) 202-586-4708 or Michael Skinker (Program Attorney) 202-586-2793.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country are regulated and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C. 824a(e)).

On October 1, 1997, the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) issued Order No. EA-158 authorizing Williams to transmit electric energy from the United States to Canada as a power marketer using the international electric transmission facilities of Basin Electric Power Cooperative, Bonneville Power Administration, Citizens Utilities Company, Detroit Edison Company, Eastern Maine Electric Cooperative, Joint Owners of the Highgate Project, Maine Electric Power Company, Maine Public Service Company, Minnesota Power & Light Company, Minnkota Power Cooperative, New York Power Authority, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation, Northern States Power Company, and Vermont Electric Transmission Company. That two-year

authorization expired on October 1, 1999.

On January 10, 2000, Williams filed an application with FE for renewal of its two-year authorization to export electricity to Canada and requested that the international transmission facilities of Long Sault, Inc. be added to the list of authorized export points.

Williams, a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business in Tulsa, Oklahoma, is a power marketer and does not own or control any facilities for the transmission or distribution of electricity, nor does it have a franchised service area. However, Williams is affiliated with entities that do own power generation facilities. Williams proposes to transmit to Canada electric energy purchased from electric utilities and other suppliers within the U.S.

### Procedural Matters

Any person desiring to become a party to this proceeding or to be heard by filing comments or protests to this application should file a petition to intervene, comment or protest at the address provided above in accordance with §§ 385.211 or 385.214 of the FERC's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Fifteen copies of each petition and protest should be filed with the DOE on or before the date listed above.

Comments on the Williams application to export electric energy to Canada should be clearly marked with Docket EA-158-A. Additional copies are to be filed directly with Charlene K. Stanford, Regulatory Analyst, Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Company, P.O. Box 2848, Tulsa, OK 74101, AND Hillary E. Cinocca, Esq., The Williams Companies, Inc., One Williams Center, Suite 4100, Tulsa, OK 74172.

DOE notes that the circumstances described in this application are virtually identical to those for which export authority had previously been granted in FE Order EA-158. Consequently, DOE believes that it has adequately satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 through the documentation of a categorical exclusion in the FE Docket EA-158 proceeding.

Copies of these applications will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above or by accessing the Fossil Energy Home Page at <http://www.fe.doe.gov>. Upon reaching the Fossil Energy Home page, select "Regulatory", then "Electricity", then "Pending Proceedings" from the options menus.

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& Power Systems, Office of Fossil Energy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Docket No. FE C&E 00-01; Certification Notice-183]

### Office of Fossil Energy; Notice of Filing of Coal Capability of Southaven Power, LLC Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act

**AGENCY:** Office of Fossil Energy, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of filing.

**SUMMARY:** On January 10, 2000, Southaven Power, LLC submitted a coal capability self-certification pursuant to section 201 of the Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978, as amended.

**ADDRESSES:** Copies of self-certification filings are available for public inspection, upon request, in the Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex, Fossil Energy, Room 4G-039, FE-27, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ellen Russell at (202) 586-9624.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Title II of the Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978 (FUA), as amended (42 U.S.C. 8301 et seq.), provides that no new baseload electric powerplant may be constructed or operated without the capability to use coal or another alternate fuel as a primary energy source. In order to meet the requirement of coal capability, the owner or operator of such facilities proposing to use natural gas or petroleum as its primary energy source shall certify, pursuant to FUA section 201(d), to the Secretary of Energy prior to construction, or prior to operation as a base load powerplant, that such powerplant has the capability to use coal or another alternate fuel. Such certification establishes compliance with section 201(a) as of the date filed with the Department of Energy. The Secretary is required to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** that a certification has been filed. The following owner/operator of the proposed new baseload powerplant has filed a self-certification in accordance with section 201(d).

*Owner:* Southaven Power, LLC.