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h. *FERC Contact*: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to James Hunter at (202) 219-2839.

i. *Deadline for filing comments and/or motions*: November 27, 2000.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington DC 20426. Comments and protests may be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm>.

Please include the noted project numbers on any comments or motions filed.

j. *Description of Proposal*: The applicants state that the transfer will assure the continued operation of these hydroelectric projects and will effect the desired change of ownership of the generating facilities consistent with the restructuring plans of these members of the electric industry.

k. *Locations of the application*: A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE, Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371. The application may be viewed on the web at [www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm](http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm) (Call (202) 208-2222 for assistance). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the addresses in item g above.

l. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS

AND CONDITIONS", "PROTEST", or "MOTION TO INTERVENE" as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies provided by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

Agency Comments—Federal, state, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described application. A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant. If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

**Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Sunshine Act Meeting

November 14, 2000.

The following notice of meeting is published pursuant to section 3(A) of the Government in the Sunshine Act (Pub. L. No. 94-409), 5 U.S.C 552B:

**AGENCY HOLDING MEETING**: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

**DATE AND TIME**: November 21, 2000, 10 a.m.

**PLACE**: Room 2C, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

**STATUS**: Open.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED**: Agenda

**NOTE**: Items listed on the agenda may be deleted without further notice.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION**: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Telephone (202) 208-0400, For a recording listing items stricken from or added to the meeting, call (202) 208-1627.

This is a list of matters to be considered by the Commission. It does not include a listing of all papers relevant to the items on the agenda; however, all public documents may be examined in the reference and information center.

#### 754th—Meeting November 21, 2000, Regular Meeting (10:00 a.m.)

*Consent Agenda—Markets, Tariffs and Rates—Electric*

CAE-1.

Docket# ER00-3771, 000, Firstenergy Operating Companies

CAE-2.

Docket# ER00-3740, 000, New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

CAE-3.

Docket# ER00-3785, 000, Virginia Electric & Power Company

CAE-4.

Omitted

CAE-5.

Docket# ER01-62, 000, Entergy Services, Inc.

Other#s ER00-2621, 000, Entergy Services, Inc.

ER00-3671, 000, Entergy Services, Inc.

CAE-6.

Docket# ER01-66, 000, Pacific Gas and Electric Company

CAE-7.

Docket# ER01-80, 000, California Power Exchange Corporation

Other#s ER01-81, 000, California Power Exchange Corporation

CAE-8.

Omitted

CAE-9.

Docket# ER01-180, 000, New York Independent System Operator, Inc.

CAE-10.

Docket# ER01-102, 000, Cinergy Services, Inc.

CAE-11.

Docket# ER00-3577, 000, New England Power Pool

CAE-12.

Docket# ER00-3691, 000, Sithe Edgar LLC, Sithe New Boston LLC, Sithe Framingham LLC, Sithe West Medway LLC, Sithe Wyman LLC, Sithe Mystic LLC, AE-Energy, L.P., Power City Partners, L.P., Seneca Power Partners, L.P., Sterling Power Partners, L.P., Sithe Power Marketing, L.P. and Sithe Power Marketing, Inc.

CAE-13.

Docket# ER01-53, 000, Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon, a Federally Recognized Indian Tribe, and Warm Springs Power Enterprises, a Chartered Enterprise of the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon

CAE-14.

Docket# ER00-188, 001, PSI Energy, Inc.

CAE-15.

Docket# ER99-3531, 000, Southern Company Services, Inc.

Other#s ER99-3531, 001, Southern Company, Services, Inc.

ER99-4384, 000, Southern Company, Services, Inc.

ER99-4384, 001, Southern Company, Services, Inc.

CAE-16.

Docket# EC00-63, 000, Sierra Pacific Power Company, Nevada Power Company and Portland General Electric Company

Other#s ER00-1801, 000, Sierra Pacific Power Company, Nevada Power

- Company and Portland General Electric Company  
CAE-17.  
Docket# EC00-136, 000, Madison Gas & Electric Company, Wisconsin Public Service Corporation and American Transmission Company, LLC
- CAE-18.  
Docket# EC00-80, 000 Portland General Electric Company
- CAE-19.  
Docket# EC00-118, 000, Arizona Public Service Company, Pinnacle West Capital Corporation and Pinnacle West Energy Corporation  
Other#s EC00-118, 001, Arizona Public Service Company, Pinnacle West Capital Corporation and Pinnacle West Energy Corporation
- CAE-20.  
Docket# EC00-106, 000, Entergy Power Marketing Corporation and Koch Energy Trading, Inc.
- CAE-21.  
Docket# ER90-54, 002, People's Electric Cooperative  
Other#s ER91-221, 001, Peoples Electric Cooperative  
EL91-20, 003, Peoples Electric Cooperative
- CAE-22.  
Docket# EC99-81, 002, Dominion Resources, Inc. and Consolidated Natural Gas Company  
Other#s MG00-6, 001, Consolidated Natural Gas Company
- CAE-23.  
Docket# EL00-118, 000, Public Service Company of New Mexico
- CAE-24.  
Docket# EL00-114, 000, Dynege Power Marketing, Inc. v. Ameren Services Company
- CAE-25.  
Docket# EL01-4, 000, Western Farmers Electric Cooperative
- CAE-26.  
Docket# ER01-94, 000, New York Independent System Operator, Inc.
- Consent Agenda—Markets, Tariffs and Rates—Gas*
- CAG-1.  
Docket# RP01-63, 000, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation
- CAG-2.  
Docket# RP96-383, 012, Dominion Transmission, Inc.
- CAG-3.  
Docket# RP96-383, 013, Dominion Transmission, Inc.
- CAG-4.  
Docket# RP01-4, 001, Midcoast Interstate Transmission, Inc.
- CAG-5.  
Docket# RP01-5, 001, Mid Louisiana Gas Company
- CAG-6.  
Docket# RP98-54, 032, Colorado Interstate Gas Company
- CAG-7.  
Docket# RP01-64, 000, Southern Natural Gas Company
- CAG-8.  
Docket# RP00-374, 000, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation
- CAG-9.  
Docket# RP95-364, 010, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company  
Other#s RP95-364, 000, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company  
RP95-364, 005, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company  
RP95-364, 007, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company  
RP95-364, 009, Williston Basin Interstate Pipeline Company
- CAG-10.  
Docket# GP91-8, 010, Jack J. Grynberg, Individually and as General Partner for the Greater Green River Basin Drilling Program: 72-73 v. Rocky Mountain Natural Gas Company, a Division of K N Energy Inc.  
Other#s GP91-10, 010, Rocky Mountain Natural Gas Company, a Division of K N Energy Inc. v. Jack J. Grynberg, Individually and as General Partner for the greater Green River Basin Drilling Program: 72-73
- CAG-11.  
Docket# GP97-1, 003, Rocky Mountain Natural Gas Company
- CAG-12.  
Docket# TM00-1-25, 004, Mississippi River Transmission Corporation
- CAG-13.  
Docket# RP00-162, 006, Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company  
Other#s RP00-162, 005, Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company
- CAG-14.  
Docket# RP00-354, 002, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation  
Other#s RP00-354, 001, Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation
- CAG-15.  
Docket# RM96-1, 015, Standards for Business Practices of Interstate Natural Gas Pipelines
- CAG-16.  
Docket# PR00-15, 000, Overland Trail Transmission Company  
Other#s PR00-15, 001, Overland Trail Transmission Company
- CAG-17.  
Docket# GT01-3, 000, El Paso Natural Gas Company
- CAG-18.  
Docket# RP96-320, 033, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company
- CAG-19.  
Docket# RP01-76, 000, Northern Natural Gas Company
- CAG-20.  
Docket# RP00-257, 004, Ozark Gas Transmission, L.L.C.
- CAG-21.  
Docket# RP99-518, 018 PG&E Gas Transmission, Northwest Corporation
- CAG-22.  
Docket# RP01-73, 000, Southwest Gas Transmission Company
- CAG-23.  
Docket# RP01-56, 000, Transwestern Pipeline Company
- CAG-24.  
Docket# RP01-72, 000, Wyoming Interstate Company, Ltd.
- Consent Agenda—Miscellaneous*
- CAM-1.  
Docket# RM98-1, 001, Regulations Governing Off-the-Record Communications
- Consent Agenda—Energy Projects—Hydro*
- CAH-1.  
Omitted
- CAH-2.  
Docket# DI00-1, 001, City and County of San Francisco
- CAH-3.  
Docket# UL96-1, 003, Blackstone Mill Depot Street Trust
- CAH-4.  
Docket# P-2030, 031, Portland General Electric Company  
Other#s P-2030, 032, Portland General Electric Company  
P-11832, 000, Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon, a Federally Recognized Indian Tribe, and Warm Springs Power Enterprises, a Chartered Enterprise of the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon
- Consent Agenda—Energy Projects—Certificates*
- CAC-1.  
Docket# CP00-140, 000, Black Marlin Pipeline Company, WBI Offshore Pipeline, Inc. and MCNIC Black Marlin Offshore Company
- CAC-2.  
Docket# CP00-456, 000, Montana Power Company and 3698157 Canada Ltd.
- CAC-3.  
Docket# CP00-457, 000, Canadian-Montana Pipeline Corporation and 3698157 Canada Ltd.
- CAC-4.  
Docket# CP00-40, 000, Florida Gas Transmission Company  
Other#s CP00-39, 000, Koch Gateway Pipeline Company  
CP00-40, 001, Florida Gas Transmission Company  
CP00-40, 002, Florida Gas Transmission Company
- CAC-5.  
Docket# CP97-119, 001, Dauphin Island Gathering System  
Other#s CP97-300, 001, Dauphin Island Gathering Partners  
CP97-301, 001, Dauphin Island Gathering Partners  
CP97-302, 001, Dauphin Island Gathering Partners  
RP97-371, 001, Dauphin Island Gathering Partners
- CAC-6.  
Docket# CP00-421, 001, Distrigas LLC
- Energy Projects—Hydro Agenda*
- H-1.  
Reserved
- Energy Projects—Certificates Agenda*
- C-1.  
Reserved
- Markets, Tariffs and Rates—Electric Agenda*
- E-1.  
Reserved
- Markets, Tariffs and Rates—Gas Agenda*
- G-1.

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David P. Boergers,  
Secretary.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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### Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) or Superfund, Section 104; Announcement of Proposal Deadline for the Competition for Fiscal Year 2001 Supplemental Assistance to the National Brownfields Assessment Demonstration Pilots

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency.

**ACTION:** Notice of proposal deadline and guidelines.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) will begin to accept proposals for supplemental assistance for the National Brownfields Assessment Pilots on November 16, 2000. Assessment pilots awarded on or before September 30, 1999, may apply for up to \$150,000 for continuance and expansion of their brownfields assessment efforts. This supplemental funding will be awarded on a competitive basis. Recipients of supplemental assessment pilot funding in FY2000 and Showcase Community funding in FY2001 are not eligible to apply.

In fiscal year 2001, an additional \$50,000 may be awarded to an applicant to assess the contamination of a brownfields site(s) that is or will be used for greenspace purposes. Greenspace purposes may include, but are not limited to, parks, playgrounds, trails, gardens, habitat restoration, open space, and/or greenspace preservation.

EPA expects to select up to 10 National brownfields assessment pilots to receive supplemental assistance by April 2001. The deadline for proposals for the 2001 supplemental assistance is January 8, 2001. Proposals must be post-marked or sent to EPA via registered or tracked mail by the stated deadline.

The supplemental assistance for the National brownfields assessment pilots will be administered on a competitive basis. To ensure a fair selection process, evaluation panels consisting of EPA Regional and Headquarters staff will assess how well the proposals meet the selection criteria outlined in the application booklet *The Brownfields Economic Redevelopment Initiative*:

Proposal Guidelines for Supplemental Assistance for the Brownfields Assessment Demonstration Pilots (October 2000). Applicants are encouraged to contact and, if possible, meet with EPA Regional Brownfields Coordinators.

**DATES:** All proposals must be post-marked or sent to EPA via registered or tracked mail by January 8, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** The proposal guidelines can be obtained by calling the Superfund Hotline at the following numbers: Washington, DC Metro Area at 703-412-9810, Outside Washington, DC Metro at 1-800-424-9346, TDD for the Hearing Impaired at 1-800-553-7672.

Copies of the guidelines are also available via the Internet:

<http://www.epa.gov/brownfields/>

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The Superfund Hotline, 800-424-9346.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** As a part of the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Brownfields Economic Redevelopment Initiative, the Brownfields Assessment Demonstration Pilots are designed to empower States, communities, tribes, and other stakeholders in economic redevelopment to work together in a timely manner to prevent, assess, and safely cleanup brownfields to promote their sustainable reuse. EPA has awarded cooperative agreements to States, cities, towns, counties and Tribes for demonstration pilots that test brownfields assessment models and facilitate coordinated public and private efforts at the Federal, State, tribal and local levels. To date, the Agency has funded 362 Brownfields Assessment Pilots.

In fiscal year 2001, EPA has determined that brownfields assessment pilots awarded on or before September 30, 1999, may apply for up to \$150,000 for continuance and expansion of their brownfields assessment efforts. Recipients of supplemental assessment pilot funding in FY2000 and Showcase Community funding in FY2001 are not eligible to apply. These pilots focus on EPA's primary mission—protecting human health and the environment. They are also an essential piece of the nation's overall community revitalization efforts. EPA works closely with other federal agencies through the Interagency Working Group on Brownfields, and builds relationships with other stakeholders on the national and local levels to develop coordinated approaches for community revitalization.

Supplemental funding for the brownfields assessment pilots is

authorized under Section 104(d)(1) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended, (CERCLA or Superfund), 42 U.S.C. 9604(d)(1). States (including U.S. Territories), political subdivisions (including cities, towns, counties), and federally recognized Indian Tribes which received a brownfields assessment pilot grant on or before September 30, 1999, are eligible to apply. EPA welcomes and encourages brownfields projects by coalitions of such entities, but only a single eligible entity may receive a cooperative agreement. Cooperative agreement funds will be awarded only to a state, a political subdivision of a state, or a federally recognized Indian tribe.

Through a brownfields cooperative agreement, EPA provides funds to an eligible state, political subdivision, or Indian Tribe to undertake activities authorized under CERCLA section 104. Use of these supplemental assistance pilot funds must be in accordance with CERCLA, and all CERCLA restrictions on use of funds also apply to the assessment pilots.

The evaluation panels will review the proposals carefully and assess each response based on how well it addresses the selection criteria, briefly outlined below:

#### Part I (Required)

1. *Established Brownfields Program*
2. *Accomplishments under Existing Brownfields Assessment Pilot*
3. *Demonstrated Ability to Administer Existing Brownfields Assessment Demonstration Pilot*
4. *Work to be Performed*

#### Part II (Optional)

5. *Greenspace*
  - Authority and Context
  - Community Involvement
  - Site Identification, Site Assessment Plan, Flow of Ownership, and Reuse Planning

#### Submission to Congress and the General Accounting Office

The Congressional Review Act, 5 U.S.C. 801 *et seq.*, as added by the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996, generally provides that before a rule may take effect, the agency promulgating the rule must submit a rule report, which includes a copy of the rule, to each House of the Congress and to the Comptroller General of the United States. EPA will submit a report containing this action and other required information to the U.S. Senate, the U.S. House of Representatives, and