

located along the Montana State Highway 200; (3) and 7.1 acres of property which contains a State Shop facility: Including gravel, stock pile, and maintenance shops. In the filing, Avista indicated that the lands to be removed are not necessary for project operation, and no federal lands are located within the parcels to be removed.

l. *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. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item (h) above.

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

n. *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, 385.211, 385.214. 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.

o. *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. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

p. *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.

**David P. Boergers,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Notice of Application and Applicant Prepared Environmental Assessment Ready for Environmental Analysis and Requesting Comments, Final Terms and Conditions, Recommendations and Prescriptions; and Requesting Reply Comments

November 5, 2001.

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application and Applicant Prepared Environmental Assessment (APEA) has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

- a. *Type of Application:* Major New License (Non-power).
- b. *Project No.:* 2852-015.
- c. *Date filed:* February 27, 2001.
- d. *Applicant:* New York State Electric & Gas Corporation.
- e. *Name of Project:* Keuka Project.
- f. *Location:* The project is located on the Waneta and Lamoka Lakes, Keuka Lake, and Mud Creek, in Steuben and Schuyler Counties, New York. The project would not utilize any federal lands or facilities.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act 16 USC 791(a)-825(r).
- h. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. Robert L. Malecki; Manager, Licensing & Environmental Operations; New York State Electric & Gas Corporation; Corporate Drive, Kirkwood Industrial Park; Binghamton, NY 13902, (607) 762-7763; and Ms. Carol Howland, Project Environmental Specialist; New York State Electric & Gas Corporation; Corporate Drive, Kirkwood Industrial Park; Binghamton, NY 13902, (607) 762-8881.

i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to William Guey-Lee, E-mail address: [william.gueylee@ferc.fed.us](mailto:william.gueylee@ferc.fed.us), or telephone (202) 219-2808.

j. *Deadline for filing comments, final terms and conditions, recommendations, and prescriptions:* 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.

The Commission directs, pursuant to 18 CFR 4.34(b) of the regulations, that all comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions

concerning the application and APEA be filed with the Commission within 60 days from the issuance date of this notice. All reply comments must be filed with the Commission within 105 days from the date of this notice. All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St. NE, Washington, DC 20426.

k. *Status of Environmental Analysis:* The application has been accepted for filing by earlier notice. The application is now ready for environmental analysis at this time.

l. *Description of Project:* The project consists of the following: (1) The Bradford Dam with an overall length of about 580 feet and crest elevation of 1,099 feet msl, consisting of a concrete section, earthen embankments, outlet works, and spillway; (2) Waneta and Lamoka Lakes with surface areas of 781 acres and 826 acres at elevation 1,099 feet msl, and total storage of 27,200 acre-feet; (3) a 9,300-foot-long power canal having an average width of 48 feet and an average depth of 3 feet; (4) a twin gated concrete box culvert, known as Wayne Gates, measuring 8 feet high by 6 feet wide; and (5) a 70-foot-long by 16-foot-high headgate structure. Under the non-power license, the 3,450-foot-long, 4-foot-diameter concrete penstock, the 835-foot-long, 42-inch-diameter steel penstock, and the 2.0-MW generating unit would be removed.

m. *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. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions. Call (202) 208-2222 for assistance. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

n. *All filings must:* (1) Bear in all capital letters the title, "COMMENTS," "RECOMMENDATIONS," "TERMS AND CONDITIONS," "PRESCRIPTIONS," or "REPLY COMMENTS;" (2) set forth in the heading the name of the applicant and the project number of the application and APEA to which the filing responds; (3) furnish the name, address, and telephone number of the person submitting the filing; and (4) otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 385.2001 through 385.2005. All comments, recommendations, terms and conditions or prescriptions must set forth their evidentiary basis and

otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 4.34(b). Agencies may obtain copies of the application and APEA directly from the applicant. Any of these documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies required by the Commission's regulations to: Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. An additional copy must be sent to: Director, Division of Environmental and Engineering Review, Office of Energy Projects, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, at the above address. Each filing must be accompanied by proof of service on all persons listed on the service list prepared by the Commission in this proceeding, in accordance with 18 CFR 4.34(b) and 385.2010.

o. Comments 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 under the "e-Filing" link.

**David P. Boergers,**  
Secretary.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7101-3]

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces the submission of three proposed Information Collection Requests (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) entitled Superfund Orphan Share Compensation Reform Survey ICR, EPA ICR 2035.01; Superfund De Minimis Settlement Reform Survey ICR, EPA ICR 2036.01; and PRP Oversight Reform Survey ICR, EPA ICR 2037.1.

Before submitting the ICRs to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the information collections as described at the beginning of Supplementary Information.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before January 8, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** United States Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Site Remediation Enforcement

(MC 2273A), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20460. Comments can also be submitted electronically via e-mail to [SFReformsICR@epa.gov](mailto:SFReformsICR@epa.gov). A copy of an ICR and the associated survey may be obtained on EPA's web site at <http://es.epa.gov/oeca/osre/superfund.html>, or a hard copy of an ICR and the associated survey may be obtained without charge by contacting Kim Simms at 202-564-2420.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For specific information on the individual ICRs, please contact Bruce Pumphrey at (202) 564-6076, (202) 564-0074 (Fax), e-mail: [pumphrey.bruce@epa.gov](mailto:pumphrey.bruce@epa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### For All ICRs

An Agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are displayed in 40 CFR part 9.

The EPA would like to solicit comments to:

(i) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(ii) Evaluate the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information;

(iii) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(iv) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

##### A. List of ICRs Planned To Be Submitted

In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that EPA is planning to submit the following three proposed Information Collection Requests (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB):

(1) Superfund Orphan Share Compensation Reform Survey ICR, EPA ICR 2035.01.

(2) Superfund De Minimis Settlement Reform Survey ICR, EPA ICR 2036.01.

(3) PRP Oversight Reform Survey ICR, EPA ICR 2037.1

##### B. Contact Individual for ICRs

Bruce Pumphrey, (202) 564-6076, (202) 564-0074 (Fax), e-mail: [pumphrey.bruce@epa.gov](mailto:pumphrey.bruce@epa.gov).

##### C. Individual ICRs

(1) Superfund Orphan Share Compensation Reform Survey ICR, EPA ICR 2035.01.

*Affected Entities:* Entities potentially affected by this action are persons who have participated in the orphan share compensation reform.

*Abstract:* This voluntary one-time information collection is for a survey of orphan share compensation reform participants who were offered orphan share compensation as part of the reform. The survey will be administered to a non-random sample consisting of one-third (33 percent) of the settlers and one-third (33 percent) of the non-settlers for each offer extended by the Agency, subject to a minimum of three offerees in each category. The information will not be generalized to the population of relevant offerees. The information collected from this survey will be used in a broader evaluation of the orphan share compensation reform's overall effectiveness. The information will also be used to identify any revisions to the reform necessary to achieve the goal of promoting settlements with responsible parties to perform or pay for response actions. No confidential information is being collected under this ICR.

*Burden Statement:* This ICR has an estimated respondent burden of 825 hours and \$25,403. EPA estimates that 300 respondents will participate, with an average respondent burden of 2.75 hours and \$84.68. Responses will be one-time and voluntary, and no capital or start-up expenses will be required.

(2) Superfund De Minimis Settlement Reform Survey ICR, EPA ICR 2036.01.

*Affected Entities:* Entities potentially affected by this action are persons who have participated in the de minimis settlement reform.

*Abstract:* This voluntary one-time information collection is for a survey of