

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. EL00-95-000; EL00-98-000]

San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Complainant v. Sellers of Energy and Ancillary Services Into Markets Operated by the California Independent System Operator and the California Power Exchange, Respondents; Investigation of Practices of the California Independent System Operator and the California Power Exchange; Notice of Technical Conference

March 20, 2002.

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Staff is convening a technical conference to facilitate a discussion between the California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO), market participants, state agencies and other interested participants on the development of a revised market design for the CAISO. The conference will be held in San Francisco, California, at the Renaissance Parc 55 Hotel, 55 Cyril Magnin Street, San Francisco, CA, on April 4 and 5, 2002, beginning at 9 a.m. This technical conference is to assist the CAISO in preparation of its May 1, 2002, filing, as required by Commission order 97 FERC 61,275 (2001).

For additional information concerning the conference, interested persons may contact Robert Pease at (202) 208-0131 or by electronic mail at "robert.pease@ferc.gov." No telephone communication bridge will be provided at this technical conference.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Project No. 2145-042, Project No. 943-075]

Public Utility District No.1 of Chelan County, Washington; Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment

March 21, 2002.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations, 18 CFR Part 380 (Order No. 486, 52 F.R. 47910), the Office of Energy

Projects has reviewed Public Utility District No.1 of Chelan County's applications for license amendment to install small turbines in fishway attraction water conduits at the Rocky Reach and Rock Island Projects located on the Columbia River in Chelan and Douglas Counties, Washington, and has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA). The project occupies lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management and the U.S. Forest Service.

The EA contains the staff's analysis of the potential environmental impacts of the proposed amendments and concludes that approval of the proposed amendments with staff's modifications would not constitute a major federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

The EA is attached to a Commission order issued on March 14, 2002 for the above applications. Copies of the EA are available for review at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371. The EA may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call (202) 208-2222 for assistance).

For further information, contact Vince Yearick at (202) 219-3073.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****Notice of Petition for Declaratory Order and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests**

March 21, 2002.

Take notice that the following application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

- a. *Application Type*: Petition for Declaratory Order
- b. *Project No*: DI02-2-000
- c. *Date Filed*: March 5, 2002
- d. *Applicant*: Sheldon Jackson College
- e. *Name of Project*: Indian River Project
- f. *Location*: The project is located on the Indian River at Sitka Sound, in Sitka, Alaska, at T. 56 S., R. 63 E. This project will not occupy Federal or Tribal lands.

g. *Filed Pursuant to*: Section 23(b)(1) of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. §§ 817 (b).

h. *Applicant Contact*: Donald H. Clarke, Law Offices of GKRSE, 1500 K Street, NW., Suite 330, Washington, DC 20005, telephone (202) 408-5400.

i. *FERC Contact*: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Henry Ecton (202) 219-2678, or e-mail address: henry.ecton@ferc.gov

j. *Deadline for filing comments and or motions*: April 22, 2002

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington DC 20426. Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. Any questions, please contact the Secretary's Office. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at <http://www.ferc.gov>.

Please include the docket number (DI02-2-000) on any comments or motions filed.

k. *Description of Project*: The Indian River Project, a run-of-river development, owned and operated by Sheldon Jackson College, consists of: (1) a reservoir with a surface area of approximately 1 acre; (2) a 10-foot-high, 110-foot-long, low-head rock-filled dam; (3) a reinforced concrete intake structure; (4) a 1,000-foot-long, 42-inch-diameter steel diversion flume; (5) a screened diversion weir in an unlined canal which diverts water into a 900-foot-long, 42-inch-diameter buried wood-stave pipeline; (6) a powerhouse containing a 75-kilowatt generator; (7) a concrete tailrace discharging through two fish broodstock pens into Crescent Bay; and (8) appurtenant facilities.

When a Petition for Declaratory Order is filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the Federal Power Act requires the Commission to investigate and determine if the interests of interstate or foreign commerce would be affected by the project. The Commission also determines whether or not the project: (1) would be located on a navigable waterway; (2) would occupy or affect public lands or reservations of the United States; (3) would utilize surplus water or water power from a government dam; or (4) if applicable, has involved or would involve any construction subsequent to 1935 that may have increased or would increase the project's head or generating capacity, or have otherwise significantly modified the project's pre-1935 design or operation.

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, D.C. 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).

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, .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.

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 Docket 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. 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.

q. Comments, protests and interventions 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.gov> under the "e-Filing" link.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP00-336-002; RP01-484-000; RP01-486-000; RP00-139-000]

El Paso Natural Gas Co.; Aera Energy, LLC, et al., Complainants v. El Paso Natural Gas Co., Respondent; Texas, New Mexico and Arizona Shippers, Complainants v. El Paso Natural Gas Co., Respondent; KN Marketing, L.P., Complainant v. El Paso Natural Gas Co., Respondent; Notice of Public Conference

March 21, 2002.

At the March 13, 2002 Commission meeting, the Commission directed that a public conference be held to take comments on Staff's recommended basis for assigning capacity and receipt points on the El Paso Natural Gas Company system (El Paso). A description of Staff's proposal is posted on the Commission's website at http://www.ferc.gov/calendar/commissionmeetings/discussion_papers.htm

Take notice that on April 16, 2002 at 10:00 a.m., in a room to be designated at the offices of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, the Commission Staff will hold a public conference to receive comments on Staff's capacity allocation proposal. The conference will consist of short presentations by panels of interested parties, including full requirements shippers, contract demand shippers, state interests, and El Paso. Persons interested in participating in the panels should indicate their interest by March 28, 2002 by a letter addressed to the Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, and should refer to Docket RP00-336-002, *et al.* Each request to participate must include a contact person, telephone number and E-mail address. Comments addressing capacity allocation issues may also be filed on April 16, 2002.

Every effort will be made to accommodate requests to make presentations, but depending on the number of requests received, a limit may have to be placed on the number of participants or the time for presentations. To provide for a more productive conference, interested persons should coordinate their efforts and choose one spokesperson to make a statement on behalf of a group where interests coincide. Upon receipt of these requests, a subsequent notice of the conference presentation schedule will be issued.

The conference will be transcribed, so that those not attending can review the proceedings. Those interested in obtaining transcripts of the proceedings should contact Ace Federal Reporters at (202) 347-3700.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,
Deputy Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7164-1]

Clean Air Act; Contractor Access to Confidential Business Information

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA has contracted with DynCorp I&ET, Incorporated, to provide assistance in the enforcement of regulatory requirements under the Clean Air Act, the Clean Water Act, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, and the Toxic Substances Control Act, until September 30, 2004. DynCorp has been authorized to have access to information submitted to EPA under these statutes that may be claimed and determined to be confidential business information.

DATES: This notice is effective March 27, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Address all comments concerning this notice to Sounjay Gairola, USEPA, Mail Code (2242A), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 564-4003. Fax: (202) 564-0053. Internet mail address: gairola.sounjay@epa.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sounjay Gairola, USEPA, Mail Code (2242A), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 564-4003. Fax: (202) 564-0053. Internet mail address: gairola.sounjay@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has authorized DynCorp I&ET, Incorporated, ("DynCorp"), a contractor, to access information submitted to the EPA under the Clean Air Act, the Clean Water Act, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, and the Toxic Substances Control Act. Some of this information may be claimed and determined to be confidential business information ("CBI"). The EPA contract number is 68-W-99-072. The DynCorp corporate address is: DynCorp I&ET, Incorporated