

proposals may be submitted electronically, by mail, or by courier. Electronic submissions are preferred. The application form has been approved by OMB in compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act and is OMB No. 0710-0014 with an expiration date of November 30, 2011. Electronic submissions are encouraged and should be sent to estuary.restoration@usace.army.mil. Multiple e-mail messages may be required to ensure successful receipt if the files exceed 5MB in size. Questions may also be sent to the same e-mail address. Hard copy submissions may be sent or delivered to HQUSACE, ATTN: CECW-PB, 7701 Telegraph Road #3D72, Alexandria, VA 22315-3860. The part of the nomination prepared to address the "proposal elements" portion of the application should be no more than twelve double-spaced pages, using a 10- or 12-point font. Paper copies should be printed on 8.5 in. x 11 in. paper and may be double sided but must not be bound as multiple copies will be necessary for review. Only one hard copy is required. A PC-compatible CD-ROM in either Microsoft Word or WordPerfect format may accompany the paper copy. Nominations for multiple projects submitted by the same applicant must be submitted in separate e-mail messages and/or envelopes.

Brenda S. Bowen,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Agency Information Collection Extension

AGENCY: U.S. Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of Energy (DOE), pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, intends to extend for three years, an information collection request with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the extended collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be

collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before May 12, 2009. If you anticipate difficulty in submitting comments within that period, contact the person listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be sent to all of the following:
Information_Collection@hq.doe.gov.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to Denise Clarke at the above address, or by telephone at (202) 287-1748.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This information collection request contains: (1) OMB No. 1910-0400; (2) Information Collection Request Title: DOE Financial Assistance Information Clearance; (3) Type of Review: Continuation of Mandatory Information Collection under Paperwork Reduction Act; (4) Purpose: This information collection package covers collections of information necessary to annually plan, solicit, negotiate, award and administer grants and cooperative agreements under the Department's financial assistance programs. The information is used by Departmental management to exercise management oversight with respect to implementation of applicable statutory and regulatory requirements and obligations. The collection of this information is critical to ensure that the government has sufficient information to judge the degree to which awardees meet the terms of their agreements; that public funds are spent in the manner intended; and that fraud, waste, and abuse are immediately detected and eliminated; (5) Respondents: 24,241; and (6) *Estimated Number of Burden Hours:* 239,458.

Statutory Authority: Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13).

Issued in Washington, DC on March 6, 2009.

Edward R. Simpson,

Director, Office of Procurement and Assistance Management, Department of Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings #1

March 5, 2009.

Take notice that the Commission received the following exempt wholesale generator filings:

Docket Numbers: EG09-33-000.

Applicants: Windy Flats Partners, LLC.

Description: Notice of Self Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status of Windy Flats Partners, LLC.

Filed Date: 03/02/2009.

Accession Number: 20090302-5075.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, March 23, 2009.

Take notice that the Commission received the following electric rate filings:

Docket Numbers: ER00-3039-002.

Applicants: Exeter Energy Limited Partnership.

Description: Request for Category 1 Seller Status Classification Pursuant to Order 697 and 697-A; Exeter Energy Limited Partnership.

Filed Date: 03/04/2009.

Accession Number: 20090304-5141.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 25, 2009.

Docket Numbers: ER03-114-005; ER04-183-004.

Applicants: Great Bay Power Marketing, Inc.; Great Bay Hydro Corporation.

Description: Updated version of Great Bay Power Marketing's Application for qualification as Category I Seller.

Filed Date: 02/24/2009.

Accession Number: 20090224-5100.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 17, 2009.

Docket Numbers: ER06-864-012; ER00-2885-019; ER01-2765-018; ER02-1582-016; ER02-2102-018; ER03-1283-013; ER05-1232-011; ER06-1543-009; ER07-1112-003; ER07-1113-003; ER07-1115-003; ER07-1116-003; ER07-1117-003;