

environmental mailing list, will receive copies of the environmental documents, and will be notified of meetings associated with the Commission's environmental review process. Environmental commentors will not be required to serve copies of filed documents on all other parties. However, the non-party commentors will not receive copies of all documents filed by other parties or issued by the Commission (except for the mailing of environmental documents issued by the Commission) and will not have the right to seek court review of the Commission's final order.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings of comments, protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at <http://www.ferc.gov>. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

This filing is accessible on-line at <http://www.ferc.gov>, using the "eLibrary" link and is available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an "eSubscription" link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Comment Date: April 24, 2009.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL09-45-000]

Old Dominion Electric Cooperative, Complainant, v. Northern Virginia Electric Cooperative and PJM Interconnection, L.L.C., Respondents; Notice of Complaint

April 6, 2009.

Take notice that on April 3, 2009, pursuant to section 206 of the Commission's Rules and Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.206 and sections 206 and 306 of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 824(e) and 825(e), Old Dominion Electric Cooperative (Complainant) filed a formal complaint

against Northern Virginia Electric Cooperative (NOVEC) and PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM) requesting that the Commission (1) Determine and rule that section 3.5 of the Termination Agreement among the Complainant, NOVEC, New Dominion Energy Cooperative and TEC Trading, Inc. obligates NOVEC to seek an annual allocation of Auction Revenue Rights from PJM that is no more than a 28 percent share of Complainant's capacity resources as specified in Exhibit N to the Termination Agreement, (2) direct PJM to implement that provision of the Termination Agreement consistent with the Commission's determination, and (3) provide for conditional relief.

The Complainant has requested fast track processing of the complaint.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. The Respondent's answer and all interventions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. The Respondent's answer, motions to intervene, and protests must be served on the Complainants.

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

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EG09-18-000; EG09-22-000]

Milford Power Company, LLC, Penascal Wind Power LLC; Notice of Effectiveness of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status

April 3, 2009.

Take notice that during the month of February 2009, the status of the above-captioned entities as Exempt Wholesale Generators Companies became effective by operation of the Commission's regulations 18 CFR 366.7(a).

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2146-111]

Alabama Power Company; Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment

April 6, 2009.

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 FR 47897), the Office of Energy Projects has reviewed the application for a New Major License for the Coosa River Hydroelectric Project (Coosa), which includes the Weiss, H. Neely Henry, Logan Martin, Lay and Bouldin developments; the Mitchell Hydroelectric Project (P-82); and the Jordan Hydroelectric Project (P-618). Alabama Power Company has requested that Project Nos. 2146, 82, and 618 be consolidated into one project. We are processing these three projects under Project No. 2146-111.

The Coosa River Project is located on the Coosa River, in the states of Alabama and Georgia. The Logan Martin development affects less than an acre of Federal lands, the Lay development affects 133.5 acres of Federal lands, the Mitchell Project affects 127.3 acres of Federal lands, and the Jordan Project affects 10.1 acres of Federal lands. Staff has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the project.

The EA contains staff's analysis of the potential environmental effects of the project and concludes that licensing the

project, with appropriate environmental protective measures, would not constitute a major Federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

A copy of the EA is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at 1-866-208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Any comments should be filed within 30 days from the date of this notice and should be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. Please affix Project No. 2146-111 to all comments. Comments may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site (<http://www.ferc.gov>) under the "e-Filing" link.

For further information, please contact Janet Hutzel at (202) 502-8675 or at janet.hutzel@ferc.gov.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP09-61-000]

Texas Eastern Transmission, LP 671701; Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Kosciusko Project and Request for Comments on Environmental Issues

April 3, 2009.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) will prepare an environmental assessment (EA) that will discuss the environmental impacts of the Kosciusko Project (Kosciusko) involving construction and operation of facilities by Texas Eastern Transmission LP (Texas Eastern) in Attala County, Mississippi. This EA will be used by the Commission in its decision-making process to determine whether the

project is in the public convenience and necessity.

This notice announces the opening of the scoping process we will use to gather input from the public and interested agencies on the project. Your input will help the Commission staff determine which issues need to be evaluated in the EA. Please note that the scoping period will close on May 3, 2009.

This notice is being sent to affected landowners within one-half mile of the compressor station, Federal, State, and local government representatives and agencies; elected officials; environmental and public interest groups; Native American Tribes; other interested parties; and local libraries and newspapers. State and local government representatives are asked to notify their constituents of this planned project and encourage them to comment on their areas of concern.

A fact sheet prepared by the FERC entitled "An Interstate Natural Gas Facility On My Land? What Do I Need To Know?" is available for viewing on the FERC Web site (<http://www.ferc.gov>). This fact sheet addresses a number of typically asked questions, including the use of eminent domain and how to participate in the Commission's proceedings. It is available for viewing on the FERC Internet Web site (<http://www.ferc.gov>).

Summary of the Proposed Project

Texas Eastern proposes to construct and modify its existing Kosciusko Compressor Station as well as abandon certain existing facilities. These facilities to be abandoned include one outdated compressor unit, turbine, as well as approximately 150 feet of 24-inch diameter pipeline and other related piping and valving associated with the compressor unit. Texas Eastern states that the project would benefit Texas Eastern's customers by providing reliable access to a significant new source of supply throughout the Texas Eastern network.

Texas Eastern is proposing to install:

- One Solar Model C452 centrifugal compressor;

- One Convertteam 12,500 horsepower 13.2 kilovolt (kV) motor;
- One 300 kilowatt standby generator with a Waukesha VGF 18GL;

- Approximately 1,800 linear feet of new 30-inch diameter pipeline header system all within the Kosciusko Compressor Station yard;

- One 115 kV to 15 kV electrical substation with switchgear building and access road;

- Associated valves, piping, underground electric utility line, and appurtenant facilities; and
- Control/operating upgrades to the existing reciprocating integral compressors.

The general location of the project facilities is shown in Appendix 1.¹

If approved, Texas Eastern proposes to commence construction of the proposed facilities in February 2010.

Land Requirements for Construction

Construction and renovation of the Kosciusko Compressor Station would require approximately 10.75 acres within the Kosciusko Compressor Station property.

Texas Eastern is proposing to utilize existing access roads and existing right-of-way for the proposed project. No land disturbance would be required for additional access roads or construction activities.

The EA Process

The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requires the Commission to take into account the environmental impacts that could result from an action whenever it considers the issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity. NEPA also requires us to discover and address concerns the public may have about proposals. This process is referred to as "scoping." The main goal of the scoping process is to focus the analysis in the EA on the important environmental issues. By this Notice of Intent, the Commission staff requests public comments on the scope of the issues to address in the EA. All comments received are considered during the preparation of the EA. State and local government representatives are encouraged to notify their constituents of this proposed action and encourage them to comment on their areas of concern.

In the EA we² will discuss impacts that could occur as a result of the construction and operation of the proposed project under these general headings:

- Geology and soils.
- Land use.
- Water resources, fisheries, and wetlands.

¹ The appendices referenced in this notice are not being printed in the **Federal Register**. Copies of all appendices are available on the Commission's Web site at the "eLibrary" link or from the Commission's Public Reference Room, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, or call (202) 502-8371. For instructions on connecting to eLibrary, refer to the last page of this notice. Copies of the appendices were sent to all those receiving this notice in the mail.

² "We", "us", and "our" refer to the environmental staff of the Office of Energy Projects (OEP).