

20. In this regard, we note that there are fundamental differences between the Commission's process and that of the Antitrust Agencies. The Commission's review process is public and parties can intervene and submit comments, while the review process at the Antitrust Agencies is nonpublic and closed. The Commission's merger decision is based on a factual record shaped not only by the applicant, but by intervenors and subject to analysis by Commission staff. The merger decisions by the Antitrust Agencies are based on information submitted by the applicant, non-public information gathered by the agency staff, as well as the economic analysis performed by agency staff. The Commission seeks comment on whether the differences between the Commission's process for considering applications under §§ 203 and 205 of the FPA and the process used by the Antitrust Agencies for considering mergers affect the extent to which the Commission should adopt the 2010 Guidelines.

21. Finally, the Commission also seeks comment on what impact the 2010 Guidelines should have, if any, on the Commission's analysis of horizontal market power in its electric market-based rate program.

#### IV. Comment Procedures

22. The Commission invites interested persons to submit comments, and other information on the matters and issues identified in this notice. Comments are due May 23, 2011. Comments must refer to Docket No. RM11-14-000, and must include the commenter's name, the organization they represent, if applicable, and their address in their comments.

23. The Commission encourages comments to be filed electronically via the eFiling link on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov>. The Commission accepts most standard word processing formats. Documents created electronically using word processing software should be filed in native applications or print-to-PDF format and not in a scanned format. Commenters filing electronically do not need to make a paper filing.

24. Commenters that are not able to file comments electronically must send an original copy of their comments to: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Secretary of the Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

25. All comments will be placed in the Commission's public files and may be viewed, printed, or downloaded remotely as described in the Document Availability section below. Commenters on this proposal are not required to

serve copies of their comments on other commenters.

#### V. Document Availability

26. In addition to publishing the full text of this document in the **Federal Register**, the Commission provides all interested persons an opportunity to view and/or print the contents of this document via the Internet through FERC's Home Page (<http://www.ferc.gov>) and in FERC's Public Reference Room during normal business hours (8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eastern time) at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington DC 20426.

27. From FERC's Home Page on the Internet, this information is available on eLibrary. The full text of this document is available on eLibrary in PDF and Microsoft Word format for viewing, printing, and/or downloading. To access this document in eLibrary, type the docket number excluding the last three digits of this document in the docket number field.

28. User assistance is available for eLibrary and the FERC's Web site during normal business hours from FERC Online Support at (202) 502-6652 (toll free at 1-866-208-3676) or e-mail at [ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov](mailto:ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov), or the Public Reference Room at (202) 502-8371, TTY (202) 502-8659. E-mail the Public Reference Room at [public.referenceroom@ferc.gov](mailto:public.referenceroom@ferc.gov).

By direction of the Commission.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**

Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Combined Notice of Filings #3

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

*Docket Numbers:* ER10-2288-004.

*Applicants:* Optim Energy Marketing LLC.

*Description:* Optim Energy Marketing LLC submits tariff filing per 35: Optim Market Based Rates Tariff to be effective 8/20/2010.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5216.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER10-2763-001.

*Applicants:* Bangor Hydro Electric Company.

*Description:* Bangor Hydro Electric Company submits tariff filing per 35:

Amendment to MBR Tariff to be effective 5/13/2011.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5213.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-1835-002.

*Applicants:* Kingsport Power Company.

*Description:* Kingsport Power Company submits tariff filing per 35: 20110314 Kingsport AEP Op Co MBR Concurrence to be effective 10/8/2010.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5039.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-1838-002.

*Applicants:* Wheeling Power Company.

*Description:* Wheeling Power Company submits tariff filing per 35: 20110314 Wheeling AEP Op Co MBR Concurrence to be effective 10/8/2010.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5041.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-2334-009.

*Applicants:* Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.

*Description:* Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc. submits tariff filing per 35.17(b): ATC Notice of Succession Amendment II to be effective 2/9/2011.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5050.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-2530-001.

*Applicants:* Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

*Description:* Pacific Gas and Electric Company submits tariff filing per 35: Compliance Filing: SVP IA Modifications to be effective 2/28/2011.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5000.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-3068-000.

*Applicants:* PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

*Description:* Cancellation of WMPAs of PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

*Filed Date:* 03/11/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110311-5162.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, April 1, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-3069-000.

*Applicants:* Viridian Energy, Inc.

*Description:* Viridian Energy, Inc. submits tariff filing per 35.12: Viridian Energy, Inc. Market Based Rate Tariff to be effective 3/14/2011.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5169.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-3070-000.  
*Applicants:* Wisconsin Electric Power Company.

*Description:* Wisconsin Electric Power Company submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): Crystal Falls WDS Agreement Filing to be effective 5/15/2011.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5187.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-3071-000.  
*Applicants:* Wisconsin Electric Power Company.

*Description:* Wisconsin Electric Power Company submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): Ontonagon WDS Agreement Filing to be effective 5/15/2011.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5198.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-3072-000.  
*Applicants:* Wisconsin Electric Power Company.

*Description:* Wisconsin Electric Power Company submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): Alger Delta WDS Agreement filing to be effective 5/15/2011.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5211.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-3073-000.  
*Applicants:* Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

*Description:* Southwest Power Pool, Inc. submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): 1636R2 Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. to be effective 10/1/2010.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5214.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

*Docket Numbers:* ER11-3074-000.  
*Applicants:* Optim Energy Marketing LLC.

*Description:* Optim Energy Marketing LLC submits tariff filing per 35.15: Cancellation of 3/08/2011 filing to be effective 8/20/2010.

*Filed Date:* 03/14/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110314-5215.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, April 4, 2011.

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

*Docket Numbers:* ES11-11-000.

*Applicants:* Northern Pass Transmission LLC.

*Description:* Amendment to Application of Northern Pass Transmission LLC for an Order Pursuant to Section 204 of the FPA Authorizing the Issue and Sale of Securities.

*Filed Date:* 03/11/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110311-5164.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, March 21, 2011.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. It is not necessary to separately intervene again in a subdocket related to a compliance filing if you have previously intervened in the same docket. 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. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. In reference to filings initiating a new proceeding, interventions or protests submitted on or before the comment deadline need not be served on persons other than the Applicant.

As it relates to any qualifying facility filings, the notices of self-certification [or self-recertification] listed above, do not institute a proceeding regarding qualifying facility status. A notice of self-certification [or self-recertification] simply provides notification that the entity making the filing has determined the facility named in the notice meets the applicable criteria to be a qualifying facility. Intervention and/or protest do not lie in dockets that are qualifying facility self-certifications or self-recertifications. Any person seeking to challenge such qualifying facility status may do so by filing a motion pursuant to 18 CFR 292.207(d)(iii). Intervention and protests may be filed in response to notices of qualifying facility dockets other than self-certifications and self-recertifications.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at <http://www.ferc.gov>. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies

of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St., NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above proceedings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also 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](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Dated: March 14, 2011.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Combined Notice of Filings #2

Take notice that the Commission received the following qualifying facility filings:

*Docket Numbers:* QF11-158-000.

*Applicants:* Alcor Energy Solutions, LLC.

*Description:* Form 556 of Alcor Energy Solutions, LLC.

*Filed Date:* 02/28/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110228-5120.

*Comment Date:* None Applicable.

*Docket Numbers:* QF11-160-000.

*Applicants:* Peak Oilfield Service Company.

*Description:* Form 556 of Peak Oilfield Service Company under QF11-160.

*Filed Date:* 03/02/2011.

*Accession Number:* 20110302-5058.

*Comment Date:* None Applicable.

As it relates to any qualifying facility filings, the notices of self-certification [or self-recertification] listed above, do not institute a proceeding regarding qualifying facility status. A notice of self-certification [or self-recertification] simply provides notification that the entity making the filing has determined the facility named in the notice meets the applicable criteria to be a qualifying facility. Intervention and/or protest do not lie in dockets that are qualifying facility self-certifications or self-recertifications. Any person seeking to challenge such qualifying facility status