

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****[Project No. 2985–000]****MeadWestvaco; Notice of Authorization for Continued Project Operation**

On April 14, 2006 MeadWestvaco, licensee for the Willow Mill Hydroelectric Project, filed an Application for a New License pursuant to the Federal Power Act (FPA) and the Commission's regulations thereunder. The Willow Mill Hydroelectric Project is on the Housatonic River in Berkshire County, Massachusetts.

The license for Project No. 2985 was issued for a period ending April 30, 2011. Section 15(a)(1) of the FPA, 16 U.S.C. 808(a)(1), requires the Commission, at the expiration of a license term, to issue from year-to-year an annual license to the then licensee under the terms and conditions of the prior license until a new license is issued, or the project is otherwise disposed of as provided in section 15 or any other applicable section of the FPA. If the project's prior license waived the applicability of section 15 of the FPA, then, based on section 9(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 USC 558(c), and as set forth at 18 CFR 16.21(a), if the licensee of such project has filed an application for a subsequent license, the licensee may continue to operate the project in accordance with the terms and conditions of the license after the minor or minor part license expires, until the Commission acts on its application. If the licensee of such a project has not filed an application for a subsequent license, then it may be required, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.21(b), to continue project operations until the Commission issues someone else a license for the project or otherwise orders disposition of the project.

If the project is subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that an annual license for Project No. 2985 is issued to MeadWestvaco for a period effective May 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012, or until the issuance of a new license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first. If issuance of a new license (or other disposition) does not take place on or before April 30, 2012, notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.18(c), an annual license under section 15(a)(1) of the FPA is renewed automatically without further order or notice by the Commission, unless the Commission orders otherwise.

If the project is not subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that MeadWestvaco is authorized to continue operation of the Willow Mill Hydroelectric Project, until such time as the Commission acts on its application for a subsequent license.

Dated: May 13, 2011.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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BILLING CODE 6717–01–P**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****[Docket No. OR11–9–000]****Imperial Oil and ExxonMobil Oil Corporation, v. Enbridge Pipelines (Southern Lights) LLC; Notice of Complaint**

Take notice that on May 11, 2011, pursuant to Rule 206 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission), 18 CFR 385.206 (2011), section 343.2 of the Procedural Rules Applicable to Oil Pipeline Proceedings, 18 CFR 343.2, and sections of the Interstate Commerce Act, 49 U.S.C. App. 1(4), 1(5), 3, 8, 9, 13, 15, and 16 (1988), Imperial Oil and ExxonMobil Oil Corporation (Complainants) filed a formal complaint against Enbridge Pipelines (Southern Lights) LLC (Respondent). Complainants are challenging certain rates, terms and conditions of service, and practices of Respondent as unjust and unreasonable, unduly discriminatory and preferential, and anticompetitive. Complainants request that the Commission set this complaint for hearing and consolidate this Complaint with the ongoing rate proceeding in Docket Nos. IS10–399, *et al.*

The Complainant states that a copy of the complaint has been served on the Respondent.

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.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of 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: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on May 31, 2011.

Dated: May 12, 2011.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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BILLING CODE 6717–01–P**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****[Docket No. CP11–159–000]****Perryville Gas Storage LLC; Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Crowville Salt Dome Storage Project Amendment and Request for Comments on Environmental Issues**

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 proposed Crowville Salt Dome Storage Project Amendment (Project Amendment) which involves the expansion, installation and operation of natural gas storage facilities by Perryville Gas Storage LLC (Perryville) in Franklin Parish, Louisiana. This EA will be used by the Commission in its decision-making process to determine whether the Project Amendment is in the public convenience and necessity.

This notice announces the opening of the scoping process the Commission will use to gather input from the public