

ADDRESSES: National Academy of Sciences, 2101 Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC (in the Lecture Room).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Information regarding the meeting agenda, time, location, and how to register for the meeting is available on the PCAST Web site at: <http://whitehouse.gov/ostp/pcast>. A live video webcast and an archive of the webcast after the event are expected to be available at <http://whitehouse.gov/ostp/pcast>. The archived video will be available within one week of the meeting. Questions about the meeting should be directed to Dr. Amber Hartman Scholz, PCAST Acting Executive Director, at ascholz@ostp.eop.gov, (202) 456-4444. Please note that public seating for this meeting is limited and is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST) is an advisory group of the Nation's leading scientists and engineers, appointed by the President to augment the science and technology advice available to him from inside the White House and from cabinet departments and other Federal agencies. See the Executive Order at <http://www.whitehouse.gov/ostp/pcast>. PCAST is consulted about and provides analyses and recommendations concerning a wide range of issues where understandings from the domains of science, technology, and innovation may bear on the policy choices before the President. PCAST is co-chaired by Dr. John P. Holdren, Assistant to the President for Science and Technology, and, Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy, Executive Office of the President, The White House; and Dr. Eric S. Lander, President, Broad Institute of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Harvard.

Type of Meeting: Open and Closed.

Proposed Schedule and Agenda: The President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST) is scheduled to meet in open session on November 30, 2012 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Open Portion of Meeting: During this open meeting, PCAST is tentatively scheduled to hear from speakers who will provide information on on-line courses, and K-12 and post-secondary science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education. PCAST will also receive an update on its study of the Networking and Information Technology Research and Development (NITRD) program. Additional information and the agenda, including

any changes that arise, will be posted at the PCAST Web site at: <http://whitehouse.gov/ostp/pcast>.

Closed Portion of the Meeting: PCAST may hold a closed meeting of approximately one hour with the President on November 30, 2012, which must take place in the White House for the President's scheduling convenience and to maintain Secret Service protection. This meeting will be closed to the public because such portion of the meeting is likely to disclose matters that are to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1).

Public Comments: It is the policy of the PCAST to accept written public comments of any length, and to accommodate oral public comments whenever possible. The PCAST expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously submitted oral or written statements.

The public comment period for this meeting will take place on November 30, 2012 at a time specified in the meeting agenda posted on the PCAST Web site at <http://whitehouse.gov/ostp/pcast>. This public comment period is designed only for substantive commentary on PCAST's work, not for business marketing purposes.

Oral Comments: To be considered for the public speaker list at the meeting, interested parties should register to speak at <http://whitehouse.gov/ostp/pcast>, no later than 12:00 p.m. (EST) on November 23, 2012. Phone or email reservations will not be accepted. To accommodate as many speakers as possible, the time for public comments will be limited to two (2) minutes per person, with a total public comment period of 30 minutes. If more speakers register than there is space available on the agenda, PCAST will randomly select speakers from among those who applied. Those not selected to present oral comments may always file written comments with the committee. Speakers are requested to bring at least 25 copies of their oral comments for distribution to the PCAST members.

Written Comments: Although written comments are accepted continuously, written comments should be submitted to PCAST no later than 12:00 p.m. (EST) on November 23, 2012 so that the comments may be made available to the PCAST members prior to this meeting for their consideration. Information regarding how to submit comments and documents to PCAST is available at <http://whitehouse.gov/ostp/pcast> in the section entitled "Connect with PCAST."

Please note that because PCAST operates under the provisions of FACA,

all public comments and/or presentations will be treated as public documents and will be made available for public inspection, including being posted on the PCAST Web site.

Meeting Accommodations: Individuals requiring special accommodation to access this public meeting should contact Dr. Amber Hartman Scholz at least ten business days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

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LaTanya R. Butler,

Acting Deputy Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Nuclear Energy Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Department of Energy, Office of Nuclear Energy.

ACTION: Notice of Open Meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Nuclear Energy Advisory Committee (NEAC). Federal Advisory Committee Act requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: Thursday, December 6, 2012; 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: L'Enfant Plaza Hotel, 480 L'Enfant Plaza, SW., Washington, DC 20024.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bob Rova, Designated Federal Officer, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585; telephone (301) 903-9096; email: Robert.rova@nuclear.energy.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background: The Nuclear Energy Advisory Committee (NEAC), formerly the Nuclear Energy Research Advisory Committee (NERAC), was established in 1998 by the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) to provide advice on complex scientific, technical, and policy issues that arise in the planning, managing, and implementation of DOE's civilian nuclear energy research programs. The committee is composed of 18 individuals of diverse backgrounds selected for their technical expertise and experience, established records of distinguished professional service, and their knowledge of issues that pertain to nuclear energy.

Purpose of the Meeting: To inform the committee of recent developments and current status of research programs and

projects pursued by the Department of Energy's Office of Nuclear Energy and receive advice and comments in return from the committee.

Tentative Agenda: The meeting is expected to include presentations that cover such topics as the Office of Nuclear Energy's FY2013 Budget and FY2014 Budget Request, status of the Department of Energy's Low Dose Program and the Million U.S. Worker Study. In addition, there will be presentations by Nuclear Energy Advisory Committee subcommittees. The agenda may change to accommodate committee business. For updates, one is directed to the NEAC Web site: <http://www.ne.doe.gov/neac/neNeacMeetings.html>.

Public Participation: Individuals and representatives of organizations who would like to offer comments and suggestions may do so on the day of the meeting, Thursday, December 6, 2012. Approximately thirty minutes will be reserved for public comments. Time allotted per speaker will depend on the number who wish to speak but is not expected to exceed 5 minutes. Anyone who is not able to make the meeting or has had insufficient time to address the committee is invited to send a written statement to Bob Rova, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585, or email: Robert.rova@nuclear.energy.gov.

Minutes: The minutes of the meeting will be available by contacting Mr. Rova at the address above or on the Department of Energy, Office of Nuclear Energy Web site at: <http://www.ne.doe.gov/neac/neNeacMeetings.html>.

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LaTanya R. Butler,

Acting Deputy Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings #1

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

Docket Numbers: EG13-7-000.
Applicants: Black Bear SO, LLC.
Description: Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status of Black Bear SO, LLC.
Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5071.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.
Docket Numbers: EG13-8-000.
Applicants: Black Bear Development Holdings, LLC.

Description: Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status of Black Bear Development Holdings, LLC.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5073.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.

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

Docket Numbers: ER12-2055-002.
Applicants: San Gorgonio Farms, Inc.
Description: San Gorgonio Farms, Inc. submits tariff filing per 35: Updated Market-Based Tariff Revised Limitations and Exemptions Section to be effective 8/15/2012.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5083.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.

Docket Numbers: ER13-313-000.
Applicants: Southern California Edison Company.

Description: Amended SGIA & DSA to Cascade Solar Project, Cascade Solar, LLC to be effective 11/6/2012.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5041.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.

Docket Numbers: ER13-314-000.
Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): Queue Position #W4-001A AT9 ? Original SA No. 3407 to be effective 10/4/2012.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5052.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.

Docket Numbers: ER13-315-000.
Applicants: Startrans IO, LLC.

Description: Startrans IO, LLC submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): 2013 Update to TRBAA in Appendix I to be effective 1/1/2013.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5060.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.

Docket Numbers: ER13-317-000.
Applicants: ISO New England Inc.

Description: ISO New England Inc. submits Resource Termination Filing.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5094.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.

Docket Numbers: ER13-318-000.
Applicants: Entergy Arkansas, Inc.
Description: Entergy Arkansas, Inc. submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): Service Agreement No. 668 to be effective 1/1/2013.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.

Accession Number: 20121105-5103.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.
Docket Numbers: ER13-319-000.
Applicants: Entergy Arkansas, Inc.
Description: Entergy Arkansas, Inc. submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): Oxy-SPO-ED DTOA to be effective 11/1/2012.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5129.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.

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

Docket Numbers: ES13-8-000.
Applicants: Northern Pass Transmission LLC.
Description: Northern Pass Transmission LLC submits Application for Short-Term and Long-Term Debt Authority under ES13-8.

Filed Date: 11/5/12.
Accession Number: 20121105-5092.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/26/12.

The filings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the links or querying the docket number.

Any person desiring to intervene or protest in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. Protests may be considered, but intervention is necessary to become a party to the proceeding.

eFiling is encouraged. More detailed information relating to filing requirements, interventions, protests, service, and qualifying facilities filings can be found at: <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling/filing-req.pdf>. For other information, call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Dated: November 6, 2012.

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 electric rate filings:

Docket Numbers: ER10-2719-010; ER10-2718-010; ER10-2578-012; ER10-2633-010; ER10-2570-010; ER10-2717-010; ER10-3140-009.
Applicants: East Coast Power Linden Holding, L.L.C., Cogen Technologies