

subcommittees, task forces, or working groups to support the Board, and all subcommittees must operate under the provisions of FACA and the Government in the Sunshine Act. Subcommittees will not work independently of the Board and must report all recommendations and advice solely to the Board for full deliberation and discussion. Subcommittees, task forces, or working groups have no authority to make decisions and recommendations, verbally or in writing, on behalf of the Board. No subcommittee or any of its members can update or report, verbally or in writing, directly to the DoD or any Federal officers or employees. The Board's DFO, pursuant to DoD policy, must be a full-time or permanent part-time DoD employee, and must be in attendance for the duration of each and every Board/subcommittee meeting. The public or interested organizations may submit written statements to the Board membership about the Board's mission and functions. Such statements may be submitted at any time or in response to the stated agenda of planned Board meetings. All written statements must be submitted to the Board's DFO who will ensure the written statements are provided to the membership for their consideration.

Dated: June 6, 2016.

**Aaron Siegel,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2556-077]

#### **Messalonskee Stream Hydro, LLC—Maryland; Messalonskee Stream Hydro, LLC—Maine; Notice of Application for Partial Transfer of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests**

On May 20, 2016, Messalonskee Stream Hydro, LLC—Maryland (transferor) and Messalonskee Stream Hydro, LLC—Maine (transferee) filed an application for the transfer of license of the Messalonskee Project No. 2556. The project is located on Messalonskee Stream, a tributary of the Kennebec River, in Kennebec County, Maine. The project does not occupy Federal lands.

The applicants seek Commission approval to transfer the license for the Messalonskee Project from the transferor

to the transferee. This transfer of license reflects an internal corporate reorganization. The transferor will be merged into newly created transferee.

**Applicants Contact:** Mr. Andrew Locke, Messalonskee Stream Hydro, LLC, c/o Essex Hydro Assets, 55 Union Street, Boston, MA 02108, Phone: 617-367-0032, Email: [alocke@essexhydro.com](mailto:alocke@essexhydro.com).

**FERC Contact:** Patricia W. Gillis, (202) 502-8735, [patricia.gillis@ferc.gov](mailto:patricia.gillis@ferc.gov).

**Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, and protests:** 30 days from the date that the Commission issues this notice. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments, motions to intervene, and protests using the Commission's eFiling system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, please send a paper copy to: Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426. The first page of any filing should include docket number P-2556-077.

Dated: June 6, 2016.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**

*Secretary.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OGC-2016-0301; FRL-9947-57-OGC]

#### **Proposed Consent Decree, Clean Air Act Citizen Suit; Request for Public Comment**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed consent decree.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 113(g) of the Clean Air Act, as amended ("CAA" or the "Act"), notice is hereby given of a proposed consent decree to address a lawsuit filed by Partnership for Policy Integrity ("Plaintiffs") in the United States District Court for the Middle District of Georgia: *Partnership for Policy Integrity v. McCarthy*, Civil Action No. 5:16-cv-00038-CAR (M.D.

G.A.). On January 25, 2016, Plaintiffs filed a complaint alleging that Gina McCarthy, in her official capacity as Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), failed to perform a non-discretionary duty to grant or deny within 60 days a petition submitted by Plaintiffs on May 26, 2015 requesting that EPA object to a CAA Title V permit issued by the Environmental Protection Division ("EPD") of Georgia's Department of Natural Resources, to Piedmont Green Power, LLC, authorizing the operation of a 60.5 megawatt (MW) steam-turbine generator powered by a 700 million British thermal unit per hour (MMBtu) biomass boiler in Barnesville, Georgia. The proposed consent decree would establish a deadline for EPA to take such action.

**DATES:** Written comments on the proposed consent decree must be received by July 11, 2016.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, identified by Docket ID number EPA-HQ-OGC-2016-0301, online at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) (EPA's preferred method); by email to [oei.docket@epa.gov](mailto:oei.docket@epa.gov); by mail to EPA Docket Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Mailcode: 2822T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460-0001; or by hand delivery or courier to EPA Docket Center, EPA West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. Comments on a disk or CD-ROM should be formatted in Word or ASCII file, avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption, and may be mailed to the mailing address above.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John Krallman, Air and Radiation Law Office (2344A), Office of General Counsel, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone: (202) 564-0904; email address: [krallman.john@epa.gov](mailto:krallman.john@epa.gov).

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **I. Additional Information About the Proposed Consent Decree**

The proposed consent decree would resolve a lawsuit filed by the Plaintiffs seeking to compel the Administrator to take actions under CAA section 505(b)(2). Under the terms of the proposed consent decree, EPA would agree to sign its response granting or denying the petition filed by Plaintiffs regarding Piedmont Green Power's biomass boiler located in Barnesville, Georgia, pursuant to section 505(b)(2) of