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**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 July 13, 2016 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. Eastern Time on July 8, 2016. 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 up to 15 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. Eastern Time on July 8, 2016 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 Ms. Jennifer Michael at least ten business days prior

to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Issued in Washington, DC, on June 21, 2016.

**LaTanya R. Butler,**

*Deputy Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. AD16-18-000]

#### Competitive Transmission Development Technical Conference; Further Supplemental Notice of Technical Conference

As announced in the Notice of Technical Conference issued on March 17, 2016, and the Supplemental Notice of Technical Conference and Request for Speakers issued on May 10, 2016, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission will hold a Commissioner-led technical conference on June 27, 2016, from approximately 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., and on June 28, 2016, from approximately 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the Commission's headquarters at 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The purpose of the technical conference is to discuss issues related to competitive transmission development processes, including, but not limited to, the use of cost containment provisions, the relationship of competitive transmission development to transmission incentives, and other ratemaking issues.<sup>1</sup> In addition, participants will have the opportunity to discuss issues relating to interregional transmission coordination and regional transmission planning as well as other transmission development issues.<sup>2</sup>

An updated Agenda for the technical conference, including speakers, is attached.

The conference will be open for the public to attend. Information on the technical conference will also be posted on the Calendar of Events on the Commission's Web site, <http://www.ferc.gov>, prior to the event. Advance registration is not required but is encouraged. Attendees may register at

<sup>1</sup> Topics to be discussed include, but are not limited to, those that the Commission described in *NextEra Energy Transmission West, LLC*, 154 FERC ¶ 61,009, at PP 76-78 (2015) and *ITC Grid Development, LLC*, 154 FERC ¶ 61,206, at P 49 (2016).

<sup>2</sup> See *Northern Indiana Public Service Co. v. Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc. and PJM Interconnection L.L.C.*, 155 FERC ¶ 61,058, at P 54 (2016).

the following Web page: <https://www.ferc.gov/whats-new/registration/06-27-16-form.asp>.

This event will be webcast and transcribed. Anyone with internet access can navigate to the "FERC Calendar" at [www.ferc.gov](http://www.ferc.gov), and locate the technical conference in the Calendar of Events. Opening the technical conference in the Calendar of Events will reveal a link to its webcast. The Capitol Connection provides technical support for the webcast and offers the option of listening to the meeting via phone-bridge for a fee. If you have any questions, visit

[www.capitolconnection.org](http://www.capitolconnection.org) or call 703-993-3100. The webcast will be available on the Calendar of Events at [www.ferc.gov](http://www.ferc.gov) for three months after the conference. Transcripts of the conference will be immediately available for a fee from Ace-Federal Reporters, Inc. (202-347-3700).

Commission conferences are accessible under section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. For accessibility accommodations, please send an email to [accessibility@ferc.gov](mailto:accessibility@ferc.gov) or call toll free 1-866-208-3372 (voice) or 202-502-8659 (TTY), or send a FAX to 202-208-2106 with the required accommodations.

Interested parties may submit post-technical conference comments for consideration in Docket No. AD16-18-000.

While this conference is not for the purpose of discussing specific cases, we note that the discussions at the conference may address matters at issue in the following Commission proceedings that are either pending or within their rehearing period:

	Docket Nos.
ISO New England Inc .....	RT04-2 & ER09-1532
Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.	ER11-1844
Northern Indiana Public Service Company v. Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc. and PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.	EL13-88
New York Independent System Operator, Inc.	ER13-102
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. ...	ER13-1924
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. ...	ER13-1942
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. ...	ER13-1944
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. ...	ER13-1945
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. ...	ER14-972
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. ...	ER14-1485
Xcel Energy Southwest Transmission Co., LLC.	ER14-2751
Consolidate Edison Company of New York, Inc. v. PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.	EL15-18
Linden VFT, LLC v. PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.	EL15-67
TranSource, LLC v. PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.	EL15-79

	Docket Nos.
Delaware Public Service Commission and Maryland Public Service Commission v. PJM and Certain Transmission Owners Designated Under Attachment A to the Consolidated Transmission Owners Agreement.	EL15-95
San Diego Gas & Electric Company.	EL15-103
New York Transco, LLC .....	ER15-572
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER15-1344
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER15-1387
New York Independent System Operator, Inc.	ER15-2059
NextEra Energy Transmission West, LLC.	ER15-2239
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER15-2562
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER15-2563
Southwestern Public Service Co. and Xcel Energy Southwest Transmission Co., LLC.	EC16-64
Pacific Gas and Electric Company.	EL16-47
DesertLink, LLC .....	EL16-68
Boundless Energy NE., LLC v. New York Independent System Operator, Inc.	EL16-84
New York Independent System Operator, Inc.	ER16-120
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER16-453
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER16-736
New York Independent System Operator, Inc.	ER16-835
New York Independent System Operator, Inc.	ER16-966
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER16-1232
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER16-1335
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C ...	ER16-1499
Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc.	ER16-1534

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Dated: June 20, 2016.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. EL16-88-000]

**La Paloma Generating Company, LLC v. California Independent System Operator Corporation; Notice of Complaint**

Take notice that on June 17, 2016, pursuant to sections 206 and 306 of the Federal Power Act<sup>1</sup> and Rule 206 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Rules of Practice and Procedure,<sup>2</sup> La Paloma Generating Company, LLC (La Paloma or Complainant) filed a formal complaint against California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO or Respondent). In its complaint, La Paloma is requesting that the Commission issue an order requiring CAISO to grant a Reliability Must Run designation effective as of July 1, 2016 for Units 1, 3, and 4, or otherwise provide a mechanism for cost recovery to allow La Paloma to continue operation of those units, as more fully explained in the complaint.

The Complainant states that copies of the complaint were served on representatives of 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 and 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 5 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 email notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please email [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on July 7, 2016.

Dated: June 21, 2016.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ER16-1878-000]

**Ringer Hill Wind, LLC; Supplemental Notice That Initial Market-Based Rate Filing Includes Request for Blanket Section 204 Authorization**

This is a supplemental notice in the above-referenced proceeding of Ringer Hill Wind, LLC's application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying rate tariff, noting that such application includes a request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest should file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests with regard to the applicant's request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability, is July 11, 2016.

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.

<sup>1</sup> 16 U.S.C. 824e, 825h (2012).

<sup>2</sup> 18 CFR 385.206 (2015).