

DFO may choose to invite the submitter of the comments to orally present their issue during a future open meeting.

The DFO, in consultation with the executive committee, may allot a specific amount of time for members of the public to present their issues for discussion.

Brenda S. Bowen,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Defense Business Board; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: DoD.

ACTION: Meeting notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense is publishing this notice to announce the following Federal advisory committee meeting of the Defense Business Board. This meeting is open to the public.

DATES: The public meeting of the Defense Business Board (“the Board”) will be held on Thursday, July 21, 2016. The meeting will begin at 1:00 p.m. and end at 2:30 p.m. (Escort required; see guidance in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section, “Public’s Accessibility to the Meeting.”)

ADDRESSES: Room 3E863 in the Pentagon, Washington, DC (Escort required; see guidance in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section, “Public’s Accessibility to the Meeting.”)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Board’s Designated Federal Officer (DFO) is Roma Laster, Defense Business Board, 1155 Defense Pentagon, Room 5B1088A, Washington, DC 20301-1155, roma.k.laster.civ@mail.mil, 703-695-7563. For meeting information please contact Steven Cruddas, Defense Business Board, 1155 Defense Pentagon, Room 5B1088A, Washington, DC 20301-1155, steven.m.cruddas.civ@mail.mil, (703) 697-2168. For submitting written comments or questions to the Board, send via email to mailbox address: osd.pentagon.odam.mbx.defense-business-board@mail.mil. Please include in the Subject line “DBB July 2016 Meeting.”

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is being held under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) of 1972 (5 U.S.C., Appendix, as amended), the Government in the Sunshine Act of

1976 (5 U.S.C. 552b, as amended), and 41 CFR 102-3.140.

Purpose of the Meeting: The Board will receive presentations from its task groups on “Logistics as a Competitive War Fighting Advantage” and “Future Issues Facing the Department” (2017 Administration Transition Report).

The mission of the Board is to examine and advise the Secretary of Defense on overall DoD management and governance providing independent advice which reflects an outside private sector perspective on proven and effective best business practices that can be applied to the DoD.

Availability of Materials for the Meeting: A copy of the agenda and the terms of reference for each Task Group study may be obtained from the Board’s Web site at <http://dbb.defense.gov/meetings>.

Meeting Agenda: 1:00 p.m.–2:30 p.m. —Presentations on “Logistics as a Competitive War Fighting Advantage” and “Future Issues Facing the Department,” followed by Board Deliberation and Vote, if necessary.

Submission of written public comments is strongly encouraged, due to meeting time constraints.

Public’s Accessibility to the Meeting: Pursuant to FACA and 41 CFR 102-3.140, this meeting is open to the public. Seating is limited and is on a first-come basis. All members of the public who wish to attend the public meeting must contact Steven Cruddas at the number listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section no later than 12:00 p.m. on Friday, July 15, 2016 to register and make arrangements for a Pentagon escort, if necessary. Public attendees requiring escort should arrive at the Pentagon Visitor’s Center, located near the Pentagon Metro Station’s south exit (the escalators to the left upon exiting through the turnstiles) and adjacent to the Pentagon Transit Center bus terminal, with sufficient time to complete security screening no later than 12:30 p.m. on July 21. Note: Pentagon tour groups enter through the Visitor’s Center, so long lines could form well in advance. To complete security screening, please come prepared to present two forms of identification of which one must be a pictured identification card. Government and military DoD CAC holders are not required to have an escort, but are still required to pass through the Visitor’s Center to gain access to the Building.

Special Accommodations: Individuals requiring special accommodations to access the public meeting should contact Steven Cruddas at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting so

that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Procedures for Providing Public Comments

Pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.105(j) and 102-3.140, and section 10(a)(3) of FACA, the public or interested organizations may submit written comments to the Board about its mission and topics pertaining to this public meeting.

Written comments should be received by the DFO at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting date so that the comments may be made available to the Board for their consideration prior to the meeting. Written comments should be submitted via email to the email address for public comments given in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section in either Adobe Acrobat or Microsoft Word format. Please include in the Subject line “DBB July 2016 Meeting.” Please note that since the Board operates under the provisions of the FACA, as amended, all submitted comments and public presentations will be treated as public documents and may be made available for public inspection, including, but not limited to, being posted on the Board’s Web site.

Dated: June 29, 2016.

Aaron Siegel,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Proposed Agency Information Collection Extension

AGENCY: U.S. Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of Energy (DOE), pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, intends to extend for three years an information collection request with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the extended collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency; (b) the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the

use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before September 6, 2016. If you anticipate difficulty in submitting comments within that period, contact the person listed in ADDRESSES as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: Written comments may be sent to Mark Westergard, U.S. Department of Energy, LPO-70, Room 4B-160, 1000 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20585 or by fax at 202-287-5816.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to Mark S. Westergard, *LPO.PaperworkReduction Act.Comments@hq.doe.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This information collection request contains: (1) OMB No.: 1910-5134; (2) Information Collection Request Title: 10 CFR part 609—Loan Guarantees for Projects that Employ Innovative Technologies; (3) Type of Request: Extension (4) Purpose: This information collection package covers collection of information necessary to evaluate applications for loan guarantees submitted under Title XVII of the Energy Policy Act of 2005, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 16511-16516. Applications for loan guarantees submitted to DOE in response to a solicitation must contain certain information. This information will be used to analyze whether a project is eligible for a loan guarantee and to evaluate the application under criteria specified in 10 CFR part 609. The collection of this information is critical to ensure that the government has sufficient information to determine whether applicants meet the eligibility requirements to qualify for a DOE loan guarantee and to provide DOE with sufficient information to evaluate an applicant's project using the criteria specified in 10 CFR part 609; (5) Annual Estimated Number of Respondents: 100 Applications; (6) Annual Estimated Number of Total Responses: It is estimated that the total number of annual responses will not exceed 100; (7) Annual Estimated Number of Burden Hours: 13,000 hours, most of which is likely to be time committed by firms that seek debt and/or equity financing for their projects, regardless of their intent to apply for a DOE loan guarantee; (8) Annual Estimated Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden: It is estimated that the annual estimated reporting and recordkeeping

cost burden for applicants will not exceed \$25,000 per annum.

Authority: Title XVII of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 42 U.S.C. 16511-16516 authorizes the collection of information.

Issued in Washington, DC, on June 29, 2016.

Mark A. McCall,

Executive Director, Department of Energy Loan Programs Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL16-25-000]

Startrans, IO, LLC; Notice Pursuant to Section 206(b) of the Federal Power Act

On December 30, 2015, pursuant to section 206 of the Federal Power Act (FPA),¹ the Commission instituted a proceeding in Docket No. EL16-25-000. *Startrans IO, LLC*, 153 FERC ¶ 61,360 (2015). The refund effective date for the proceeding instituted in Docket No. EL16-25-000 is January 6, 2016, the date of publication in the **Federal Register**² of notice of the Commission's action in this proceeding.

Under section 206 of the FPA, if no final decision is rendered by the conclusion of the 180-day period commencing upon initiation of a proceeding pursuant to section 206, the Commission must state why it has failed to render a final decision. In that event the Commission must also provide its best estimate as to when it reasonably expects to make such a decision.

The Commission will be unable to render a final decision within the time prescribed in section 206(b) because the proceeding is pending before a settlement judge.

In a June 13, 2016 report to the Commission, the settlement judge estimated that if the proceeding does not settle, a presiding judge would issue an initial decision within 47 weeks of the designation of a presiding judge. The Commission will require approximately four months after briefs on and opposing exceptions to an initial decision are filed to review the record, the initial decision and the briefs, and to issue an opinion. This estimate is influenced by the issues in the proceeding, as well as the complexity of the issues.

¹ 16 U.S.C. 824e (2012).

² 81 FR 476-01 (2016).

Assuming that the proceeding does not settle, the best estimate of when the Commission will reach a final decision in Docket No. EL16-25-000 is December 31, 2017.

The Secretary of the Commission issues this notice pursuant to section 375.302(w) of the Commission's rules, 18 CFR 375.302(w) (2015).

Dated: June 29, 2016.

Kimberly D. Bose,
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: ER11-3013-006; ER10-2870-007; ER10-2865-007.

Applicants: Coolidge Power LLC, TransCanada Power Marketing Ltd, TransCanada Energy Sales Ltd.

Description: Updated Market Power Analysis for the Southwest Region of the TransCanada Entities, et al.

Filed Date: 6/28/16.

Accession Number: 20160628-5188.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 7/19/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16-833-002.

Applicants: Midcontinent

Independent System Operator, Inc.

Description: Compliance filing: 2016-06-28 90 day PRA Compliance Filing to be effective 9/1/2016.

Filed Date: 6/28/16.

Accession Number: 20160628-5144.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 7/19/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16-1462-001.

Applicants: Palmco Power DE LLC.

Description: Asset Appendix to June 27, 2016 Palmco Power DE LLC tariff filing.

Filed Date: 6/24/16.

Accession Number: 20160624-5267.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 7/18/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16-1464-001.

Applicants: Palmco Power ME, LLC.

Description: Asset Appendix to June 27, 2016 Palmco Power ME, LLC tariff filing.

Filed Date: 6/27/16.

Accession Number: 20160627-5334.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 7/18/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16-1465-001.

Applicants: Palmco Power MI LLC.

Description: Asset Appendix to June 27, 2016 Palmco Power MI LLC tariff filing.

Filed Date: 6/24/16.