

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. ER16-2458-000]

Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 14 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 Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 14 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 September 12, 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.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above-referenced proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for electronic 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, or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Dated: August 23, 2016.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Southeastern Power Administration****Notice of Interim Approval**

AGENCY: Southeastern Power Administration, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of Rate Order.

SUMMARY: The Southeastern Power Administration (SEPA) establishes Rate Schedules JW-1-K and JW-2-F. The Deputy Secretary of the Department of Energy confirmed and approved the rates on an interim basis through September 30, 2021, and the rate schedules are subject to confirmation and approval by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) on a final basis.

DATES: The rate schedules are effective, on an interim basis, starting on October 1, 2016.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Virgil G. Hobbs III, Assistant Administrator, Finance and Marketing, Southeastern Power Administration, Department of Energy, 1166 Athens Tech Road, Elberton, Georgia 30635-6711, (706) 213-3800. Relevant documents and transcripts are available for inspection.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission, by Order issued December 22, 2011, in Docket No. EF11-12-000, confirmed and approved Wholesale Power Rate Schedules JW-1-J and JW-2-F through September 19, 2016 (137 FERC ¶ 62,248).

By order published March 31, 2016, (81 FR 18607) the rate schedules were extended to September 30, 2016. Rate schedule JW-1-K replaces rate schedule JW-1-J and rate schedule JW-2-F is extended through September 30, 2021.

Dated: August 22, 2016.

Elizabeth Sherwood-Randall,
Deputy Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**DEPUTY SECRETARY**

In the Matter of: Southeastern Power Administration, Jim Woodruff Project Power Rates

Rate Order No. SEPA-61

ORDER CONFIRMING AND APPROVING POWER RATES ON AN INTERIM BASIS

Pursuant to Sections 302(a) of the Department of Energy Organization Act, Public Law 95-91, the functions of the Secretary of the Interior and the Federal Power Commission under Section 5 of the Flood Control Act of 1944, 16 U.S.C. 825s, relating to the Southeastern Power Administration ("Southeastern" or "SEPA") were transferred to and vested in the Secretary of Energy. By Delegation Order No. 00-037.00A, effective October 25, 2013, the Secretary of Energy delegated to Southeastern's Administrator the authority to develop power and transmission rates, delegated to the Deputy Secretary of Energy the authority to confirm, approve, and place in effect such rates on an interim basis, and delegated to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("Commission") the authority to confirm, approve, and place into effect on a final basis or to disapprove rates developed by the Administrator under the delegation. This rate order is issued by the Deputy Secretary pursuant to this delegation order.

BACKGROUND

Power from the Jim Woodruff Project is presently sold under Wholesale Power Rate Schedules JW-1-J and JW-2-F. These rate schedules were approved by the Commission on December 22, 2011, for a period ending September 19, 2016 (171 FERC ¶62,248). By order dated March 31, 2016, (81 FR 18607) these rate schedules were extended to September 30, 2016.

Public Notice and Comment

Southeastern prepared a Power Repayment Study, dated July 2016, showing revenues at current rates were adequate to meet repayment criteria and generate an estimated cumulative surplus of over \$159 million by fiscal year 2066. The rate reduction is due to reduced United States Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) Operation and Maintenance expense estimates. Southeastern is proposing a rate reduction of about 24 percent to reduce this surplus. On March 31, 2016, by **Federal Register** notice (81 FR 18624), Southeastern proposed a rate adjustment. The notice also announced a Public Information and Comment Forum to be held May 5, 2016, in Chattahoochee, Florida. Two parties asked questions at the forum. Responses to the questions are part of the written record of the forum, and a transcript of the forum is available at Southeastern