## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

### Combined Notice of Filings #1

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

| Description: Joint Application for Authorization for Disposition and Acquisition of Jurisdictional Transmission Facilities of the Arkansas Corporation, et al. |
| Filed Date: 3/15/17. |

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

| Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: Filing of a CIAC Agreement to be effective 3/18/2017. |
| Filed Date: 3/17/17. |

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### [Project No.: 14813–000](#)

Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation; Notice of Preliminary Permit Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Competing Applications

On January 4, 2017, Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation (AECC), filed an application for a preliminary permit, pursuant to section 4(b) of the Federal Power Act, proposing to study the feasibility of the River Mountain Pumped Storage Project, at the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) Lake Dardanelle on the Arkansas River in Logan County, Arkansas. The sole purpose of a preliminary permit, if issued, is to grant the permit holder priority to file a license application during the permit term. A preliminary permit does not authorize the permit holder to perform any land disturbing activities or otherwise enter upon lands or waters owned by others without the owners’ express permission.

The proposed project would consist of: (1) A 120-foot-high compacted rock fill embankment surrounding; (2) a 208-acre upper reservoir, with an impervious liner, having 11,650 acre-foot gross storage capacity; (3) a intake/outlet structure in the upper reservoir; (4) a 680-foot-long, 30-foot-diameter, impervious liner, having 11,650 acre-foot embankment surrounding; (5) a 208-acre upper reservoir, with an impervious liner, having 11,650 acre-foot gross storage capacity; (6) a intake/outlet structure in the upper reservoir.

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](http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/eFiling/filing-req.pdf). For other information, call (866) 208–3876 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502–8659.

Dated: March 17, 2017.

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