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Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER17-1574-000]

#### EUI Affiliate 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 EUI Affiliate 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 May 31, 2017.

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](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Combined Notice of Filings #1

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

*Docket Numbers:* EC17-114-000.

*Applicants:* Wisconsin Public Service Corporation.

*Description:* Application for Approval of Transaction Under Section 203(A)(1)(B) of the Federal Power Act and Request for an Order Within 30 Days of Wisconsin Public Service Corporation.

*Filed Date:* 5/9/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170509-5171.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 5/30/17.

Take notice that the Commission received the following exempt wholesale generator filings:

*Docket Numbers:* EG17-106-000.

*Applicants:* Rock Creek Wind Project, LLC.

*Description:* Notice Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status of Rock Creek Wind Project, —LLC.

*Filed Date:* 5/9/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170509-5149.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 5/30/17.

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

*Docket Numbers:* ER17-912-001.

*Applicants:* Arizona Public Service Company.

*Description:* Compliance filing: Compliance Filing—Attachment H Tariff with Approved Revised Protocols to be effective 6/1/2017.

*Filed Date:* 5/10/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170510-5053.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 5/31/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER17-1580-000.

*Applicants:* Louisiana Generating LLC.

*Description:* Request of Louisiana Generating LLC to recover costs associated with acting as a Local Balancing Authority under MISO Tariff.

*Filed Date:* 5/9/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170509-5169.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 5/30/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER17-1581-000.

*Applicants:* Florida Power & Light Company.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: FPL, JEA, and FPUC-IA for Nassau ? Oneil ? FPUC Stepdown Substations to be effective 5/11/2017.

*Filed Date:* 5/10/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170510-5067.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 5/31/17.

Take notice that the Commission received the following foreign utility company status filings:

*Docket Numbers:* FC17-1-000.

*Applicants:* Vale S.A.

*Description:* Notification of Self-Certification of Foreign Utility Company Status of Vale S.A.

*Filed Date:* 5/9/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170509-5148.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 5/30/17.

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>. For

other information, call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. RD17-1-000]

**Commission Information Collection Activities (FERC-725R); Comment Request**

**AGENCY:** Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission or FERC) is soliciting public comment on the information collection FERC-725R (Mandatory Reliability Standards: BAL Reliability Standards) which will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review of the information collection requirements. Any interested person may file comments directly with OMB and should address a copy of those comments to the Commission as explained below. The Commission previously issued a Notice in the **Federal Register** (82 FR 9565, 2/7/2017)

requesting public comments. The Commission received no comments on the FERC-725R and is making this notation in its submittal to OMB.

**DATES:** Comments on the collection of information are due by June 16, 2017.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments filed with OMB, identified by the OMB Control No. 1902-0268 should be sent via email to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs: [oir\\_submission@omb.gov](mailto:oir_submission@omb.gov). Attention: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Desk Officer. The Desk Officer may also be reached via telephone at 202-395-0710.

A copy of the comments should also be sent to the Commission, in Docket No. RD17-1-000, by the following methods:

- *eFiling at Commission's Web site:* <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>.

- *Mail/Hand Delivery/Courier:* Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Secretary of the Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

*Instructions:* All submissions must be formatted and filed in accordance with submission guidelines at: <http://www.ferc.gov/help/submission-guide.asp>. For user assistance contact FERC Online Support by email at [ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov](mailto:ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov), or by phone at: (866) 208-3676 (toll-free), or (202) 502-8659 for TTY.

*Docket:* Users interested in receiving automatic notification of activity in this docket or in viewing/downloading comments and issuances in this docket may do so at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/docs-filing.asp>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ellen Brown may be reached by email at [DataClearance@FERC.gov](mailto:DataClearance@FERC.gov), by telephone at (202) 502-8663, and by fax at (202) 273-0873.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* FERC-725R, Mandatory Reliability Standards: BAL Reliability Standards.

*OMB Control No.:* 1902-0268.

*Type of Request:* Three-year approval of FERC-725R information collection requirement, as modified.

*Abstract:* On November 10, 2016, the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) filed a petition for Commission approval of retirement, pursuant to section 215(d)(1) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) and Section 39.5 of the Commission's regulations, of currently-effective Reliability Standard BAL-004-0 (Time Error Correction). NERC explains that since Reliability Standard BAL-004-0 became effective, improvements have been made to mandatory Reliability Standards (such as the development of Reliability Standards BAL-003-1.1 and BAL-001-2 and the Interconnection Reliability Operations and Coordination (IRO) Standards) that help ensure continued adherence to frequency approximating 60 Hertz over long-term averages and make Reliability Standard BAL-004-0 redundant.

*Type of Respondents:* Public utilities.

*Estimate of Annual Burden<sup>1</sup>:* The Commission estimates the reduction (due to the retirement of Reliability Standard BAL-004-0) in the annual public reporting burden for the information collection as follows:

FERC 725R, reductions due to RD17-1-000	Number of respondents <sup>2</sup>	Number of responses per respondent	Total number of responses	Average burden hours & cost per response <sup>3</sup>	Annual burden hours & total annual cost
	(1)	(2)	(1)×(2)=(3)	(4)	(3)×(4)=(5)
Retirement of current standard BAL-004-0 (currently in FERC-725R).	110 (BA 99; RC 11)	-1	- 110	3 hrs. (\$167) [(Eng.) 2 hrs. (\$129); (R.K.) 1 hr. (\$38)]	- 330 hrs.; - \$18,370 [Eng., - 220 hrs., - \$14,190; R.K. - 110 hrs., - \$4,180]
Total Reduction (Rounded).	.....	.....	- 110	.....	- 330 hours; - \$18,370

The reduction to total annual burden and cost will be 330 hours and \$18,370.

*Comments:* Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the collection of

information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the

<sup>1</sup> Burden is defined as the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. For further explanation of what is included in the information collection burden, refer to 5 Code of Federal Regulations 1320.3.

<sup>2</sup> The estimated number of respondents is based on the NERC compliance registry as of December 12, 2016. According to the NERC compliance registry, there are 99 U.S. balancing authorities (BA) and 11 reliability coordinators (RC).

<sup>3</sup> The estimates for cost per response are derived using the following formula: Burden Hours per Response \$/hour = Cost per Response. The \$64.29/

hour figure for an engineer (rounded to \$129 for two hours in the above table and the \$37.75/hour figure for a record clerk (rounded to \$38) are based on the average salary plus benefits from the Bureau of Labor Statistics. ([https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/naics2\\_22.htm](https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/naics2_22.htm)), May 2015, Section 22, Utilities. In the burden table, engineering is abbreviated as Eng., and record keeping is abbreviated as R.K.