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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2100–180—California]

California Department of Water Resources; Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission’s (Commission or FERC’s) regulations, 18 Code of Federal Regulations Part 380, the Office of Energy Projects has reviewed an application filed by the California Department of Water Resources on May 17, 2017, and supplemented June 16 and June 20, 2017, to permanently reroute three existing primary transmission lines at the Feather River Project No. 2100 between the Hyatt Pumping-Generating Plant and the Table Mountain Substation. The proposal would allow California Department of Water Resources to continuously deliver electricity along a different route away from repair activities at the project’s damaged main spillway and emergency spillway area. The Feather River Project is located on the Feather River in Butte County, California.

Staff prepared an environmental assessment (EA) for the application which analyzes the potential environmental effects of approving the requested transmission line modification. In the EA, staff concludes that such an approval, with specified environmental protection measures, would not constitute a major federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

A copy of the EA is available for review at the Commission’s Public Reference Room or it may be viewed on the Commission’s Web site at www.ferc.gov using the eLibrary link. Enter the docket number P–2100–180 in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERConlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at 1–866–208–3676, or for TTY, 202–502–8659.

For further information, contact Mr. John Aedo at (415) 369–3335 or by email at john.aedo@ferc.gov.


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Combined Notice of Filings #1

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

Docket Numbers: EC17–158–000.
Applicants: CPV Towantic, LLC, Towantic Energy Holdings, LLC, Aircraft Services Corporation.
Description: Correction to August 15, 2017 Application for Authorization under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act and Request for Waivers, Confidential Treatment, Expedited Action and Shortened Comment Period of CPV Towantic, LLC, et al.
Filed Date: 8/21/17.
Accession Number: 20170821–5157.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/5/17.
Applicants: MDU Resources Group, Inc.
Description: Application of MDU Resources Group, Inc. for Authorization under FPA Section 203(a)(1)(B) and Request for Expedited Consideration and Confidential Treatment.
Filed Date: 8/22/17.
Accession Number: 20170822–5159.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/12/17.
Take notice that the Commission received the following exempt wholesale generator filings:

Docket Numbers: EG17–144–000.
Applicants: St. Joseph Energy Center, LLC.
Description: St. Joseph Energy Center, LLC Submits Self-Certification of EWG Status.
Filed Date: 8/23/17.
Accession Number: 20170823–5015.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/13/17.
Take notice that the Commission received the following electric rate filings:

Docket Numbers: ER17–2342–000.
Applicants: Bladen Solar, LLC.
Description: Baseline eTariff Filing: Baseline new to be effective 10/10/2017.
Filed Date: 8/22/17.
Accession Number: 20170822–5135.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 9/12/17.
Docket Numbers: ER17–2343–000.
Applicants: Bullock Solar, LLC.
Description: Baseline eTariff Filing: Baseline new to be effective 10/4/2017.
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[Project No. 14227–000]

Nevada Hydro Company, Inc.; Notice of Intent To File License Application, Filing of Draft License Application, and Request To Waive Pre-Filing Requirements

a. Type of Filing: Notice of Intent to File License Application and Request to Waive Pre-Filing Requirements.

b. Project No.: 14227–000.

c. Dated Filed: June 1, 2017.

d. Submitted By: Nevada Hydro Company, Inc. (Nevada Hydro).

e. Name of Project: Lake Elsinore Advanced Pumped Storage (LEAPS) Project.

f. Location: On Lake Elsinore and San Juan Creek near the town of Lake Elsinore in Riverside and San Diego counties, California. The project would occupy about 845 acres of federal land.

g. Filed Pursuant to: 18 CFR part 5 of the Commission’s Regulations.

h. Applicant Contact: Rexford Wait, Nevada Hydro Company, Inc., 2414 Cades Way Vista, California (760) 599–1815.

i. FERC Contact: Jim Fargo at (202) 502–6095 or email at james.fargo@ferc.gov.

j. On June 1, 2017, Nevada Hydro filed a request that the Commission waive certain of the pre-filing consultation requirements of Part 5 of the Commission’s regulations for the proposed LEAPS Project to include: pre-filing scoping; 1 comments and information or study requests; the preparation of and comments on a proposed study plan; resolution of disputes over studies; 2 and notice of the applicant’s intent to file a draft license application. 3 Nevada Hydro’s justification for the waivers is that a Final Environmental Impact Statement, prepared by Commission staff, was issued in 2007 for essentially the same project proposal under P–11858 and the consultation on the current project proposal that has already occurred meets the intent of the Commission’s pre-filing consultation requirements.

With this notice we are soliciting comments on Nevada Hydro’s notice of intent and request to waive pre-filing requirements. All comments should be sent to the address in paragraph i below. The NOI, waiver request, and associated filings are available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission’s Web site [http://www.ferc.gov], using the “eLibrary” link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERCOntLineSupport@ferc.gov (866) 208–3676 (toll free), or (202) 502–8659 (TTY). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in paragraph i.

Register online at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ esubscription.asp to be notified via email of new filing and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file all documents using the Commission’s eFiling system at [http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp]. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at [http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp]. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOntLineSupport@ferc.gov. In lieu of electronic filing, please send a paper copy to the address in paragraph i.