

**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Project No. 14826–001]

**Merchant Hydro Developers, LLC; Notice of Surrender of Preliminary Permit**

Take notice that Merchant Hydro Developers, LLC, permittee for the proposed Hudson Hill Pumped Storage Hydro Project, has requested that its preliminary permit be terminated. The permit was issued on September 5, 2017, and would have expired on August 31, 2020.<sup>1</sup> The project would have been located near Jackson Township in Lycoming County, Pennsylvania.

The preliminary permit for Project No. 14826 will remain in effect until the close of business, January 19, 2018. But, if the Commission is closed on this day, then the permit remains in effect until the close of business on the next day in which the Commission is open.<sup>2</sup> New applications for this site may not be submitted until after the permit surrender is effective.

Dated: December 20, 2017.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. NJ18–5–000]

**Notice of Filing; City of Banning, California**

Take notice that on December 14, 2017, City of Banning, California submitted its tariff filing: City of Banning 2018 TRBAA/ETC Update to be effective 1/1/2018.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the

comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant and all the parties in this proceeding.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at <http://www.ferc.gov>. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426.

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*Comment Date:* 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on January 4, 2018.

Dated: December 20, 2017.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**  
Deputy Secretary.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. EL18–52–000]

**Brookfield Energy Marketing LP v. Green Mountain Power Corporation; Notice of Complaint**

Take notice that on December 18, 2017, pursuant to section 206 of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 824(e), and Rule 206 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.206, Brookfield Energy Marketing LP (Complainant) filed a formal complaint against Green Mountain Power Corporation (Green Mountain or Respondent) requesting that the Commission issue an order finding that the Complainant's transmission service request was valid and order Green Mountain Power Corporation to process the request, all as more fully explained in the complaint.

Complainant certifies that copies of the complaint were served on the contacts for Respondent as listed on the Commission's list of Corporate Officials.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. The Respondent's answer and all interventions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. The Respondent's answer, motions to intervene, and protests must be served on the Complainants.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the eFiling link at <http://www.ferc.gov>. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426.

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Dated: December 20, 2017.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****Notice of Effectiveness of Exempt Wholesale Generator and Foreign Utility Company Status**

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| CA Flats Solar 150, LLC   | EG17–149–000 |
| Florey Knob Energy LLC    | EG17–150–000 |
| RE Gaskell West LLC ..... | EG17–151–000 |
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| RE Gaskell West 4 LLC     | EG17–153–000 |
| RE Gaskell West 5 LLC     | EG17–154–000 |
| RE Gaskell West 3 LLC     | EG17–155–000 |
| Solar Star Oregon II, LLC | EG17–156–000 |

<sup>1</sup> 160 FERC 62,203 (2017).<sup>2</sup> 18 CFR 385.2007(a)(2) (2017).