In 3.1.4.3. Cooling Intermediate Air Volume Rate, include:
d. For ducted variable-speed compressor systems tested with a coil-only indoor unit, the cooling intermediate air volume rate is the same as the cooling full-load air volume rate determined in section 3.1.4.1.1.c.

In 3.1.4.6. Heating Intermediate Air Volume Rate, include:
d. For ducted variable-speed compressor systems tested with a coil-only indoor unit, the heating intermediate air volume rate is the same as the heating full-load air volume rate determined in section 3.1.4.1.1.c.

(2) The alternate test procedure for the TCL AC basic models identified in paragraph (1) of this Order is the test procedure for central air conditioners and heat pumps prescribed by DOE at 10 CFR part 430, subpart B, appendix M ("Appendix M"), except that as described below, for coil-only combinations: the cooling full-load air volume rate as determined in section 3.1.4.4.1.a.

(3) Representations. TCL AC may not make representations about the efficiency of the basic models referenced in paragraph (1) of this Order for compliance, marketing, or other purposes unless the basic model has been tested in accordance with the provisions set forth above and such representations fairly disclose the results of such testing.

(4) This waiver shall remain in effect according to the provisions of 10 CFR 430.27.

(5) This waiver is issued on the condition that the statements, representations, and documents provided by TCL AC are valid. If TCL AC makes any modifications to the controls or configurations of these basic models, the waiver will no longer be valid and TCL AC will either be required to use the current Federal test method or submit a new application for a test procedure waiver. DOE may rescind or modify the waiver if TCL AC discovers an error in the information provided to DOE as part of its petition, determines that the waiver is no longer needed, or for other appropriate reasons. 10 CFR 430.27(k)(2).

(6) Granting of this waiver does not release TCL AC from the certification requirements set forth at 10 CFR part 429.

Signed in Washington, DC, on March 25, 2019.

Steven Chalk,
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, for Energy Efficiency, Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[OE Docket No. EA–469]

Application To Export Electric Energy; Puget Sound Energy, Inc.

AGENCY: Office of Electricity, Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Notice of application.

SUMMARY: Puget Sound Energy, Inc. (Applicant or PSE) has applied for authorization to transmit electric energy...
from the United States to Canada pursuant to the Federal Power Act.

DATES: Comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be submitted on or before April 29, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests, motions to intervene, or requests for more information should be addressed to: Office of Electricity, Mail Code: OE–20, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20585–0350. Because of delays in handling conventional mail, it is recommended that documents be transmitted by overnight mail, by electronic mail to ElectricityExports@hq.doe.gov, or by facsimile to 202–586–8008.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of Energy (DOE) regulates exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country, pursuant to sections 301(b) and 402(f) of the Department of Energy Organization Act (42 U.S.C. 7151(b) and 7172(f)). Such exports require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C. 824a(e)).

On March 1, 2019, DOE received an application from PSE for authorization to transmit electric energy from the United States to Canada as a power marketer for a five-year term using existing international transmission facilities. DOE most recently granted export authorization to PSE on May 6, 2014 for a five-year term, in Order No. EA–98–M. That Order authorized electricity exports by PSE and certain other members of WSPP Inc., which the Order described as “a non-profit organization with approximately 300 electric utility members.” In its present application, PSE requests authorization effective by May 6, 2019, to prevent a lapse in its current authorization under Order No. EA–98–M. That Order authorized electricity exports by PSE and certain other members of WSPP Inc., which the Order described as “a non-profit organization with approximately 300 electric utility members.” In its present application, PSE requests authorization effective by May 6, 2019, to prevent a lapse in its current authorization under Order No. EA–98–M, which expires on that date.

In its application, PSE’s resale and wholesale utility business includes the generation, purchase, transmission, distribution, and sale of electric energy. The electric energy that PSE proposes to export to Canada would be surplus energy sold to a portfolio of resources, including electric energy generated by PSE’s system resources and electric energy acquired from other sellers within the United States and Canada. The existing international transmission facilities to be utilized by the Applicant have previously been authorized by Presidential permits issued pursuant to Executive Order 10485, as amended, and are appropriate for open access transmission by third parties.

Procedural Matters: Any person desiring to be heard in this proceeding should file a comment or protest to the application at the address provided above. Protests should be filed in accordance with Rule 211 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission’s (FERC) Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211). Any person desiring to become a party to this proceeding should file a motion to intervene at the above address in accordance with FERC Rule 214 (18 CFR 385.214). Five (5) copies of such comments, protests, or motions to intervene should be sent to the address provided above on or before the date listed above.

Comments and other filings concerning PSE’s application to export electric energy to Canada should be clearly marked with OE Docket No. EA–469. An additional copy is to be provided directly to both Robert E. Neate, Puget Sound Energy, Inc., Puget Sound Energy, EST–11N, P.O. Box 97034, Bellevue, Washington 98009–9734 and Jason Kuzma, Perkins Cole LLP, 10885 NE 4th Street, Suite 700, Bellevue, Washington 98004.

A final decision will be made on this application after the environmental impacts have been evaluated pursuant to DOE’s National Environmental Policy Act Implementing Procedures (10 CFR part 1021) and after DOE determines that the proposed action will not have an adverse impact on the sufficiency of supply or reliability of the U.S. electric power supply system.

Copies of this application will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above, by accessing the program website at http://energy.gov/node/11845, or by emailing Angela Troy at Angela.Troy@hq.doe.gov.

Signed in Washington, DC, on March 25, 2019.

Christopher Lawrence, Management and Program Analyst, Transmission Permitting and Technical Assistance, Office of Electricity.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Case Number 2018–002; EERE–2018–BT–WAV–0002]

Energy Conservation Program: Notice of Petition for Waiver of Store It Cold From the Department of Energy Walk-In Cooler Refrigeration System Test Procedure, and Notice of Grant of Interim Waiver


ACTION: Notice of petition for waiver, notice of grant of an interim waiver, and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Energy (“DOE”) announces receipt of and publishes a petition for waiver from Store It Cold, which seeks a waiver from the test procedure used for determining the efficiency of walk-in cooler refrigeration system basic models. Store It Cold seeks to use an alternate test procedure to address issues involved in testing certain basic models identified in its petition. Store It Cold asserts in its petition that for the specified “CoolBot® Walk-In Cooler refrigeration system basic models taking “refrigerant-side” measurements with refrigerator mass flow meters yields results that are unrepresentative of the basic models’ true energy consumption characteristics and provides materially inaccurate comparative data. Accordingly, Store It Cold seeks to test and rate the basic models identified in its petition using its recommended alternate test procedure, in which the refrigeration capacity is measured using psychrometric “air-side” measurements. This document announces that DOE is granting Store It Cold with an interim waiver from DOE’s walk-in cooler refrigeration system test procedure for the specified basic models, subject to use of the alternate test procedure as set forth in the Interim Waiver Order. DOE solicits comments, data, and information concerning Store It Cold’s petition and its suggested alternate test procedure to inform its final decision on Store It Cold’s waiver request.

DATES: DOE will accept comments, data, and information with respect to the Store It Cold petition until April 29, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are encouraged to submit comments using the Federal eRulemaking Portal at http://www.regulations.gov. Alternatively, interested persons may submit comments, identified by case number “2018–002,” and Docket number “EERE–2018–BT–WAV–0002,” by any of the following methods:

• Federal eRulemaking Portal: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

• E-mail: storeitcold2018wav0002@ee.doe.gov. Include the case number [Case No. 2018–002] in the subject line of the message.