

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, ED is proposing a new information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before October 25, 2019.

**ADDRESSES:** To access and review all the documents related to the information collection listed in this notice, please use <http://www.regulations.gov> by searching the Docket ID number ED-2019-ICCD-0075. Comments submitted in response to this notice should be submitted electronically through the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov> by selecting the Docket ID number or via postal mail, commercial delivery, or hand delivery. If the regulations.gov site is not available to the public for any reason, ED will temporarily accept comments at [ICDocketMgr@ed.gov](mailto:ICDocketMgr@ed.gov). Please include the docket ID number and the title of the information collection request when requesting documents or submitting comments. *Please note that comments submitted by fax or email and those submitted after the comment period will not be accepted.* Written requests for information or comments submitted by postal mail or delivery should be addressed to the Director of the Information Collection Clearance Division, U.S. Department of Education, 550 12th Street SW, PCP, Room 9089, Washington, DC 20202-0023.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For specific questions related to collection activities, please contact Michael Fong, 202-401-7462.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department of Education (ED), in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), provides the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps the Department assess the impact of its information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand the Department's information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format. ED is soliciting comments on the proposed information collection request (ICR) that is described below. The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the

information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology. Please note that written comments received in response to this notice will be considered public records.

*Title of Collection:* Profiles of Selected Practices of Charter Schools, Charter Management Organizations, and Charter School Authorizers.

*OMB Control Number:* 1875-NEW.

*Type of Review:* A new information collection.

*Respondents/Affected Public:* Individuals or Households.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses:* 240.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours:* 265.

*Abstract:* This project will support the development and dissemination of profiles of innovative practices to create learning resources that highlight how some in the charter sector have addressed persistent educational challenges, such as improving whole schools, supporting high-needs students, and building teacher and leader capacity. The profiles will be disseminated to educators, policymakers, parents, and other stakeholders to help them learn from and potentially replicate innovative practices that will give more students and families more public school options that take their unique needs and preferences into account.

Dated: September 20, 2019.

**Stephanie Valentine,**

*PRA Coordinator, Information Collection Clearance Program, Information Management Branch, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Notice of Request for Information (RFI) on Identifying Wells of Opportunity for Critical Geothermal Field Research Applications

**AGENCY:** Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE), Department of Energy (DOE).

**ACTION:** Request for information (RFI).

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) invites public comment on its Request for Information (RFI) regarding the identification of wells of opportunity for critical geothermal field research application. DOE is seeking information from the geothermal community about underutilized wells in

known geothermal resource areas in the United States. The goal is to obtain feedback on industry willingness to partner with DOE's Geothermal Technologies Office (GTO) to test downhole tools, technologies, and methodologies that can improve the probability of successful geothermal commercialization.

**DATES:** Responses to the RFI must be received by October 25, 2019.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested parties are to submit comments electronically to [GeothermalRFI@ee.doe.gov](mailto:GeothermalRFI@ee.doe.gov). Include Wells of Opportunity in the subject of the title. The complete RFI document is located at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Questions may be addressed to [GeothermalRFI@ee.doe.gov](mailto:GeothermalRFI@ee.doe.gov), or Lauren Boyd, 202-287-1854. Further instruction can be found in the RFI document posted on EERE Exchange.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The purpose of this RFI is to solicit feedback from industry, academia, research laboratories, government agencies, and other stakeholders on existing Wells of Opportunity (underutilized wells in known geothermal resources) that DOE and partners can use for downhole testing of tools, technologies, and methodologies. EERE is specifically interested in information from stakeholders with available well infrastructure on their willingness to participate and allow research and testing for downhole tools, technologies, and methods in their well. Additionally, EERE is interested in stakeholder feedback on their well asset acquisition experiences for technology testing, development, or other purposes, particularly on what incentives were important towards obtaining the necessary infrastructure. The RFI is available at: <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/>.

### Confidential Business Information

Pursuant to 10 CFR 1004.11, any person submitting information that he or she believes to be confidential and exempt by law from public disclosure should submit via email two well marked copies: One copy of the document marked "confidential" including all the information believed to be confidential, and one copy of the document marked "non-confidential" with the information believed to be confidential deleted. DOE will make its own determination about the confidential status of the information and treat it according to its determination.

*Factors of interest to DOE when evaluating requests to treat submitted information as confidential include:* (1) A description of the items; (2) whether and why such items are customarily treated as confidential within the industry; (3) whether the information is generally known by or available from other sources; (4) whether the information has previously been made available to others without obligation concerning its confidentiality; (5) an explanation of the competitive injury to the submitting person that would result from public disclosure; (6) when such information might lose its confidential character due to the passage of time; and (7) why disclosure of the information would be contrary to the public interest.

Signed in Washington, DC, on September 12, 2019.

**Susan Hamm,**

*Director Geothermal Technologies Office.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Combined Notice of Filings

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

#### Filings Instituting Proceedings

*Docket Numbers:* RP19-1574-000.  
*Applicants:* Natural Gas Pipeline Company of America.

*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: Amendment to a Negotiated Rate Agreement—Peoples Gas Light and Coke to be effective 9/18/2019.

*Filed Date:* 9/18/19.

*Accession Number:* 20190918-5000.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 9/30/19.

*Docket Numbers:* RP19-1575-000.

*Applicants:* Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.

*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: 091819 Negotiated Rates—Macquarie Energy LLC R-4090-19 to be effective 11/1/2019.

*Filed Date:* 9/18/19.

*Accession Number:* 20190918-5021.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 9/30/19.

*Docket Numbers:* RP19-1576-000.

*Applicants:* Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.

*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: 091819 Negotiated Rates—Sequent Energy Management, L.P. R-3075-11 to be effective 11/1/2019.

*Filed Date:* 9/18/19.

*Accession Number:* 20190918-5024.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 9/30/19.

*Docket Numbers:* RP19-1577-000.

*Applicants:* Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.

*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: 091819 Negotiated Rates—Sequent Energy Management, L.P. R-3075-12 to be effective 11/1/2019.

*Filed Date:* 9/18/19.

*Accession Number:* 20190918-5027.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 9/30/19.

*Docket Numbers:* RP19-1578-000.

*Applicants:* Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.

*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: 091819 Negotiated Rates—Shell Energy North America (US) L.P. R-2170-12 to be effective 11/1/2019.

*Filed Date:* 9/18/19.

*Accession Number:* 20190918-5028.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 9/30/19.

*Docket Numbers:* RP19-1579-000.

*Applicants:* Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.

*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: 091819 Negotiated Rates—Shell Energy North America (US) L.P. R-2170-13 to be effective 11/1/2019.

*Filed Date:* 9/18/19.

*Accession Number:* 20190918-5031.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 9/30/19.

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.

Dated: September 19, 2019.

**Nathaniel J. Davis Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL19-87-000]

#### Idaho Power Company; Notice of Institution of Section 206 Proceeding and Refund Effective Date

On September 19, 2019, the Commission issued an order in Docket No. EL19-87-000, pursuant to section 206 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), 16 U.S.C. 824e (2018), instituting an investigation into whether Idaho Power's market-based rate authority in the Idaho Power balancing authority area remains just and reasonable. *Idaho Power Company*, 168 FERC ¶ 61,156 (2019).

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL19-87-000, established pursuant to section 206(b) of the FPA, will be the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Any interested person desiring to be heard in Docket No. EL19-87-000 must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate, with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.214 (2019), within 21 days of the date of issuance of the order.

Dated: September 19, 2019.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Combined Notice of Filings #1

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

*Docket Numbers:* EG19-186-000.

*Applicants:* 224WB 8me LLC.

*Description:* Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status of 224WB 8me LLC.

*Filed Date:* 9/19/19.

*Accession Number:* 20190919-5053.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 10/10/19.

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

*Docket Numbers:* ER12-2310-008.

*Applicants:* Zephyr Wind, LLC.

*Description:* Notice of Non Material Change in Status of Zephyr Wind, LLC.