

Docket Numbers: ER20–204–000.
Applicants: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC.

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: NCMAPA1 RS No. 318 Amendment (2020) to be effective 1/1/2020.

Filed Date: 10/28/19.

Accession Number: 20191028–5017.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/18/19.

Docket Numbers: ER20–205–000.

Applicants: Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc.
Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: 2019–10–28_SA 3367 NSP–NSP–GRE–MRES–OTP–CMMP FCA (J460) to be effective 10/14/2019.

Filed Date: 10/28/19.

Accession Number: 20191028–5025.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/18/19.

Docket Numbers: ER20–206–000.

Applicants: Gilroy Energy Center, LLC.

Description: Tariff Cancellation: Gilroy Energy Termination of Rate Schedule FERC No. 4 to be effective 12/31/2019.

Filed Date: 10/28/19.

Accession Number: 20191028–5048.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/18/19.

Docket Numbers: ER20–208–000.

Applicants: Alabama Power Company.

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: Tri-State Solar Project LGIA Filing to be effective 10/17/2019.

Filed Date: 10/28/19.

Accession Number: 20191028–5065.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/18/19.

Docket Numbers: ER20–209–000.

Applicants: San Diego Gas & Electric Company.

Description: Informational Filing of Transmission Owner Rate Appendix XII [Cycle 2] of San Diego Gas & Electric Company.

Filed Date: 10/28/19.

Accession Number: 20191028–5141.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/18/19.

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

Docket Numbers: ES19–28–000.

Applicants: Entergy New Orleans, LLC.

Description: Supplement to April 30, 2019 Application under Section 204 of the Federal Power Act for Authorization to Issue Securities, et al. of Entergy New Orleans, LLC.

Filed Date: 10/25/19.

Accession Number: 20191025–5253.
Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 10/30/19.

Take notice that the Commission received the following public utility holding company filings:

Docket Numbers: PH20–2–000.

Applicants: Valener Inc.

Description: Valener Inc. submits FERC 65–B Waiver Notification.

Filed Date: 10/25/19.

Accession Number: 20191025–5154.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/15/19.

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: October 28, 2019.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. AD19–20–000 and ER02–2001–000]

Electric Quarterly Report Users Group Meeting and Electric Quarterly Reports

On September 17, 2019, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) issued a notice that Commission staff will hold an Electric Quarterly Report (EQR) Users Group meeting on December 4, 2019. The meeting will take place from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. (EST) in the Commission Meeting Room at 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426. All interested persons are invited to attend. For those unable to attend in person, access to the meeting will be available via webcast.

Commission staff is hereby supplementing the September 17, 2019 notice with the agenda for discussion. During the meeting, Commission staff and EQR users will discuss potential improvements to the EQR program and the EQR filing process. While discussion topics are outlined in the agenda, suggestions for additional discussion topics may be emailed to EQRUsersGroup@ferc.gov.

Please note that matters pending before the Commission and subject to ex parte limitations cannot be discussed at this meeting.

Due to the nature of the discussion, those interested in participating are encouraged to attend in person. All interested persons (whether attending in person, via webcast, or telephone) are asked to register <http://www.ferc.gov/whats-new/registration/12-04-19-form.asp>. There is no registration fee. Anyone with internet access can listen to the meeting by navigating to the FERC website Calendar of Events (<https://www.ferc.gov/EventCalendar/EventsList.aspx?View=listview>), locating the EQR Users Group Meeting on the Calendar, and clicking on the link to the Event Details and selecting webcast. The webcast will allow persons to listen to the meeting. In the event you would also like to participate in the meeting dialogue by phone, please select the telephone option when registering.

Commission conferences are accessible under section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. For accessibility accommodations, please send an email to accessibility@ferc.gov or call toll free 1–866–208–3372 (voice) or 202–502–8659 (TTY), or send a FAX to 202–208–2106 with the required accommodations.

For more information about the EQR Users Group meeting, please contact Jeff Sanders of the Commission's Office of Enforcement at (202) 502–6455 or send an email to EQRUsersGroup@ferc.gov.

Dated: October 25, 2019.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA–HQ–OAR–2018–0279; FRL–10001–31–OAR]

Release of Draft Policy Assessment for the Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: On or about October 31, 2019, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) will make available the document, *Policy Assessment for the Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards, External Review Draft* (draft PA). This draft document was prepared as part of the current review of the national ambient air quality standards

(NAAQS) for photochemical oxidants including ozone (O₃). The PA, when final, serves to “bridge the gap” between the currently available scientific and technical information and the judgments required of the Administrator in determining whether to retain or revise the existing O₃ NAAQS. The primary and secondary O₃ NAAQS are set to protect the public health and the public welfare from O₃ and other photochemical oxidants in ambient air.

DATES: Comments should be received on or before December 16, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, identified by Docket ID No. EPA–HQ–OAR–2018–0279, by any of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <https://www.regulations.gov> (our preferred method). Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.
- *Email:* a-and-r-Docket@epa.gov. Include the Docket ID No. EPA–HQ–OAR–2018–0279 in the subject line of the message.
- *Fax:* (202) 566–9744. Include the Docket ID No. EPA–HQ–OAR–2018–0279 in the subject line of the message.
- *Mail:* U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, EPA Docket Center, Office of Air and Radiation Docket, Mail Code 28221T, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20460.
- *Hand Delivery/Courier:* EPA Docket Center, WJC West Building, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20004. The Docket Center’s hours of operations are 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m., Monday–Friday (except Federal Holidays).

Instructions: All submissions received must include the Docket ID No. for this notice. Comments received may be posted without change to <https://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided. For detailed instructions on sending comments, see the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this document. This document will be available on the EPA’s website at <https://www.epa.gov/naaqs/ozone-o3-air-quality-standards>. The document will be accessible under “Policy Assessments” from the current review.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Deirdre L. Murphy, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards, (Mail Code C504–06), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Research Triangle Park, NC 27711; telephone number: 919–541–0729, fax number: 919–541–027; or email: murphy.deirdre@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

Written Comments

Submit your comments, identified by Docket ID No. EPA–HQ–OAR–2018–0279, at <https://www.regulations.gov> (our preferred method), or the other methods identified in the **ADDRESSES** section. Once submitted, comments cannot be edited or removed from the docket. The EPA may publish any comment received to its public docket. Do not submit electronically any information you consider to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. Multimedia submissions (audio, video, etc.) must be accompanied by a written submission. The written submission is considered the official submission and should include discussion of all points you wish to make. The EPA will generally not consider submissions or submission content located outside of the primary submission (*i.e.*, on the web, cloud, or other file sharing system). For additional submission methods, the full EPA public comment policy, information about CBI or multimedia submissions, and general guidance on making effective comments, please visit <https://www.epa.gov/dockets/commenting-epa-dockets>.

II. Information About the Document

Two sections of the Clean Air Act (CAA or the Act) govern the establishment and revision of the NAAQS. Section 108 directs the Administrator to identify and list certain air pollutants and then issue “air quality criteria” for those pollutants. The air quality criteria are to “accurately reflect the latest scientific knowledge useful in indicating the kind and extent of all identifiable effects on public health or welfare which may be expected from the presence of such pollutant in the ambient air . . .” (CAA section 108(a)(2)). Under section 109 of the Act, the EPA is then to establish primary (health-based) and secondary (welfare-based) NAAQS for each pollutant for which the EPA has issued air quality criteria. Section 109(d)(1) of the Act requires periodic review and, if appropriate, revision of existing air quality criteria. Revised air quality criteria are to reflect advances in scientific knowledge on the effects of the pollutant on public health and welfare. Under the same provision, the EPA is also to periodically review and, if appropriate, revise the NAAQS, based on the revised air quality criteria.

The Act additionally requires appointment of an independent scientific review committee that is to

periodically review the existing air quality criteria and NAAQS and to recommend any new standards and revisions of existing criteria and standards as may be appropriate (CAA section 109(d)(2)(A)–(B)). Since the early 1980s, the requirement for an independent scientific review committee has been fulfilled by the Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC).

Presently the EPA is reviewing the air quality criteria and NAAQS for photochemical oxidants and O₃.¹ The EPA’s overall plan for this review is presented in the Integrated Review Plan for the Ozone NAAQS (IRP).² As described in the IRP, the EPA is preparing an Integrated Science Assessment for (ISA), a draft of which was released in September 2019 for public comment and review by the CASAC (84 FR 50836).³ The PA, when final, serves to “bridge the gap” between the scientific and technical information in the final ISA and any air quality, exposure and risk analyses available in the review, and the judgments required of the Administrator in determining whether to retain or revise the existing ozone NAAQS. The draft PA builds upon information presented in the draft ISA and the draft exposure and risk analyses (presented in an appendix to the draft PA). The draft PA document will be available on or about October 31, 2019, on the EPA’s website at <https://www.epa.gov/naaqs/ozone-o3-air-quality-standards>. The EPA is soliciting advice and recommendations from the CASAC by means of a review of this draft document at an upcoming public meeting of the CASAC. Information about this public meeting, including the dates and location, will be published as a separate notice in the **Federal Register**. Following the CASAC meeting, the EPA will consider comments received from the CASAC and the public in preparing revisions to these documents.

The draft document briefly described above does not represent and should not be construed to represent any final EPA policy, viewpoint, or determination. The EPA will consider any public comments submitted in response to this notice when revising the document.

¹ The EPA’s call for information for this review was issued on June 26, 2018 (83 FR 29785).

² The IRP (EPA–452/R–19–002, August 2019) is available at <https://www.epa.gov/naaqs/ozone-o3-standards-planning-documents-current-review>.

³ The draft ISA is available at: <https://www.epa.gov/naaqs/ozone-o3-standards-integrated-science-assessments-current-review>.

Dated: October 28, 2019.

Panagiotis Tsirigotis,

Director, Office of Air Quality Planning and Standards.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-9047-7]

Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information 202-564-5632 or <https://www.epa.gov/nepa/>.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements

Filed 10/21/2019 10 a.m. ET Through 10/28/2019 10 a.m. ET

Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

Notice

Section 309(a) of the Clean Air Act requires that EPA make public its comments on EISs issued by other Federal agencies. EPA's comment letters on EISs are available at: <https://cdxnodengn.epa.gov/cdx-enepa-public/action/eis/search>.

EIS No. 20190261, Draft, USAF, NM, Special Use Airspace Optimization Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico, Comment Period Ends: 12/16/2019, Contact: Robin Divine 210-925-2730

EIS No. 20190262, Draft, USFWS, CA, Fort Ord Multi-Species Habitat Conservation Plan Public Draft EIS/EIR, Comment Period Ends: 12/16/2019, Contact: Steve Henry 805-644-1766

EIS No. 20190263, Final Supplement, NRC, FL, Generic Environmental Impact Statement for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants, Supplement 5, Second Renewal, Regarding Subsequent License Renewal for Turkey Point Nuclear Generating Unit Nos. 3 and 4, Review Period Ends: 12/02/2019, Contact: Robert Schaaf 301-415-6020

EIS No. 20190264, Final, APHIS, PRO, Rangeland Grasshopper and Mormon Cricket Suppression Program, Review Period Ends: 12/02/2019, Contact: Jim Warren 202-316-3216

EIS No. 20190265, Final, BIA, BLM, OK, Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas Final Joint EIS, BLM RMP, and BIA Integrated RMP, Review Period Ends: 12/31/2019, Contact: Patrick Rich 405-579-7154

EIS No. 20190266, Draft, BLM, CA, Crimson Solar Project Draft

Environmental Impact Statement and Environmental Impact Report and Draft Land Use Plan Amendment to the California Desert Conservation Area Plan, *Comment Period Ends: 01/30/2020, Contact: Miriam Liberatore 541-618-2412*

EIS No. 20190267, Final Supplement, BLM, CA, Bakersfield Field Office Hydraulic Fracturing Final Supplemental EIS, Review Period Ends: 12/02/2019, Contact: Carly Summers 661-391-6000

Amended Notice

EIS No. 20190239, Draft, USFWS, OR, Deschutes Basin Habitat Conservation Plan, Comment Period Ends: 12/03/2019, Contact: Bridget Moran 541-383-7146. Revision to FR Notice Published 10/04/2019; Extending the Comment Period from 11/18/2019 to 12/03/2019.

Dated: October 28, 2019.

Robert Tomiak,

Director, Office of Federal Activities.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-10001-58-OA]

Notification of a Public Meeting of the Chartered Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC)

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The EPA Science Advisory Board (SAB) Staff Office announces a public face-to-face meeting of the Chartered Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC). The CASAC will discuss its Draft Report on EPA's *Policy Assessment for the Review of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for Particulate Matter (External Review Draft—September 2019)* and will peer review EPA's *Integrated Science Assessment for Ozone and Related Photochemical Oxidants (External Review Draft—September 2019)* and EPA's *Policy Assessment for the Review of the Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards (External Review Draft)*.

DATES: The public face-to-face meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 3, 2019, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (ET), Wednesday, December 4, 2019, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (ET), Thursday, December 5, 2019, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (ET), and Friday, December 6, 2019, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (ET).

ADDRESSES: The public face-to-face meeting will be held at the Embassy Suites by Hilton Raleigh Durham Research Triangle, 201 Harrison Oaks Boulevard, Cary, North Carolina 27513.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Any member of the public wishing to obtain information concerning these public meetings may contact Mr. Aaron Yeow, Designated Federal Officer (DFO), at (202) 564-2050 or at yeow.aaron@epa.gov. General information about the CASAC, as well as any updates concerning the meeting announced in this notice, may be found on the CASAC website at <http://www.epa.gov/casac>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background: The Clean Air Scientific Advisory Committee (CASAC) was established under section 109(d)(2) of the Clean Air Act (CAA or Act) (42 U.S.C. 7409) as a scientific advisory committee. The CASAC provides independent advice, information and recommendations on the scientific and technical aspects of air quality criteria and the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS). The CASAC shall also: Advise the EPA Administrator of areas in which additional knowledge is required to appraise the adequacy and basis of existing, new, or revised NAAQS; describe the research efforts necessary to provide the required information; advise the EPA Administrator on the relative contribution to air pollution concentrations of natural as well as anthropogenic activity; and advise the EPA Administrator of any adverse public health, welfare, social, economic, or energy effects which may result from various strategies for attainment and maintenance of such NAAQS. The CAA requires that the Agency, at five-year intervals, review and revise, as appropriate, the air quality criteria and the NAAQS for the six "criteria" air pollutants, including particulate matter and ozone. EPA is currently reviewing the NAAQS for particulate matter and the NAAQS for ozone.

The CASAC is a Federal Advisory Committee chartered under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), 5 U.S.C., App. 2. The Chartered CASAC will comply with the provisions of FACA and all appropriate SAB Staff Office procedural policies. Pursuant to FACA and EPA policy, notice is hereby given that the Chartered CASAC will hold a public face-to-face meeting to discuss its Draft Report on EPA's *Policy Assessment for the Review of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for Particulate Matter (External Review Draft—September 2019)* and to peer review