DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

2023–2024 Award Year Deadline Dates for Reports and Other Records Associated With the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), the Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant Program (FSEOG) Program, the Federal Work-Study (FWS) Program, the Federal Pell Grant (Pell Grant) Program, the William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan (Direct Loan) Program, the Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant Program, and the Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant Program

AGENCY: Federal Student Aid, Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Secretary announces deadline dates for the receipt of documents and other information from applicants and institutions participating in certain Federal student aid programs authorized under title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended (HEA), for the 2023–2024 award year. These programs, administered by the Department of Education (Department), provide financial assistance to students attending eligible postsecondary educational institutions to help them pay their educational costs. The Federal student aid programs (title IV, HEA programs) covered by this deadline date notice are the Pell Grant, Direct Loan, TEACH Grant, Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant, and campus-based (FSEOG and FWS) programs. Assistance Listing Numbers: 84.007 FSEOG Program; 84.033 FWS Program; 84.063 Pell Grant Program; 84.268 Direct Loan Program; 84.379 TEACH Grant Program; 84.408 Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant Program.

DATES: Deadline and Submission Dates: See Tables A and B at the end of this notice.


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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Table A—2023–2024 Award Year Deadline Dates By Which a Student Must Submit the FAFSA, By Which the Institution Must Receive the Student’s Institutional Student Information Record (ISIR) or Student Aid Report (SAR), and By Which the Institution Must Submit Verification Outcomes for Certain Students.

Table A provides information and deadline dates for receipt of the FAFSA, corrections to and signatures for the FAFSA, ISIRs, and SARs, and verification documents. The deadline date for the receipt of a FAFSA by the Department’s Central Processing System (CPS) is June 30, 2024, regardless of the method that the applicant uses to submit the FAFSA. The deadline date for the receipt of a signature page for the FAFSA (if required), corrections, notices of change of address or institution, or requests for a duplicate SAR is September 14, 2024. For all title IV, HEA programs, an ISIR or SAR for the student must be received by the institution no later than the student’s last date of enrollment for the 2023–2024 award year or September 21, 2024, whichever is earlier. Note that a FAFSA must be submitted and an ISIR or SAR received for the dependent student for whom a parent is applying for a Direct PLUS Loan.

Except for students selected for Verification Tracking Groups V4 and V5, verification documents must be received by the institution no later than 120 days after the student’s last date of enrollment for the 2023–2024 award year or September 21, 2024, whichever is earlier. For students selected for Verification Tracking Groups V4 and V5, institutions must submit identity verification results no later than 60 days following the institution’s first request to the student to submit the documentation.

For all title IV, HEA programs except for (1) Direct PLUS Loans that will be made to parent borrowers, and (2) Direct Unsubsidized Loans that will be made to dependent students who have been determined by the institution, pursuant to section 479A(a) of the HEA, to be eligible for such a loan without providing parental information on the FAFSA, the ISIR or SAR must have an official expected family contribution (EFC) and the ISIR or SAR must be received by the institution no later than the earlier of the student’s last date of enrollment for the 2023–2024 award year or September 21, 2024. For the two exceptions mentioned above, the ISIR or SAR must be received by the institution by the same dates noted in this paragraph but the ISIR or SAR is not required to have an official EFC.

For a student who is requesting aid through the Pell Grant, FSEOG, or FWS programs or for a student requesting Direct Subsidized Loans, who does not meet the conditions for a late disbursement under 34 CFR 668.164(j), a valid ISIR or valid SAR must be received by the institution by the student’s last date of enrollment for the 2023–2024 award year or September 21, 2024, whichever is earlier.

In accordance with 34 CFR 668.164(j)(4)(i), an institution may not make a late disbursement of title IV, HEA program funds later than 180 days after the date of the institution’s determination that the student was no longer enrolled. Table A provides that, to make a late disbursement of title IV, HEA program funds, an institution must receive a valid ISIR or valid SAR no later than 180 days after its determination that the student was no longer enrolled, but not later than September 21, 2024.

Table B—2023–2024 Award Year Deadline Dates By Which an Institution Must Submit Disbursement Information for the Pell Grant, Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant, Direct Loan and TEACH Grant Programs.

For the Pell Grant, Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant, Direct Loan, and TEACH Grant programs, Table B provides the earliest disbursement date, the earliest dates for institutions to submit disbursement records to the Department’s Common Origination and Disbursement (COD) System, and the earliest dates for institutions to submit disbursement records to COD, no later than 15 days after making the disbursement or becoming aware of the need to adjust a previously reported disbursement. In accordance with 34 CFR 668.164(a), title IV, HEA program funds are disbursed on the date that the institution: (a) credits those funds to a...
student’s account in the institution’s
genral ledger or any subledger of the
general ledger; or (b) pays those funds
to a student directly. Title IV, HEA
program funds are disbursed even if an
institution uses its own funds in
advance of receiving program funds
from the Department.

An institution’s failure to submit
disbursement records within the
reported timeframe may result in the
Department rejecting all or part of the
reported disbursement. Such failure
may also result in an audit or program
review finding or the initiation of an
adverse action, such as a fine or other
penalty for such failure, in accordance
with subpart G of the General Provisions
regulations in 34 CFR part 668.

Deadline Dates for Enrollment
Reporting by Institutions.

In accordance with 34 CFR 674.19(f),
682.610(c), 685.309(b), and 690.83(b)(2),
upon receipt of an enrollment report
from the Secretary, institutions must
update all information included in the
report and return the report to the
Secretary in a manner and format
prescribed by the Secretary and within
the timeframe prescribed by the
Secretary. Consistent with the
National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS)
Enrollment Reporting Guide, the
Secretary has determined that
institutions must report at least every
two months. Institutions may find the
NSLDS Enrollment Reporting Guide in
the “Knowledge Center” via Federal
Student Aid’s (FSA) Partner Connect
website at: https://fsapartners.ed.gov/
knowledge-center.

Additionally, the 2023–2024 award
year reporting deadline dates for the
Federal Perkins Loan, FWS, and FSEOG
programs were published in the Federal
Register on January 18, 2023 (88 FR
2901).

Applicable Regulations: The
following regulations apply:

(1) Student Assistance General
(2) Federal Pell Grant Program, 34
CRF part 690.
(3) William D. Ford Direct Loan
Program, 34 CFR part 685.
(4) Teacher Education Assistance for
College and Higher Education Grant
Program, 34 CFR part 686.
(5) Federal Work-Study Programs, 34
CRF part 675.
(6) Federal Supplemental Education
Opportunity Grant Program, 34 CFR part
676.

Other Sources for Detailed
Information.
We publish a detailed discussion of
the FAFSA application process in the
Application and Verification Guide
volume of the 2023–2024 Federal
Student Aid Handbook and in the 2023–
2024 ISIR Guide.

Information on the institutional
reporting requirements for the Pell
Grant, Iraq and Afghanistan Service
Grant, Direct Loan, and TEACH Grant
programs is included in the 2023–2024
Common Origination and Disbursement
(COD) Technical Reference. Also, see
the NSLDS Enrollment Reporting Guide.

You may access these publications by
visiting the “Knowledge Center” via
FSA’s Partner Connect website at:
https://fsapartners.ed.gov/knowledge-
center.

TABLE A—2023–2024 AWARD YEAR DEADLINE DATES BY WHICH A STUDENT MUST SUBMIT THE FAFSA, BY WHICH THE INSTITUTION MUST RECEIVE THE STUDENT’S INSTITUTIONAL STUDENT INFORMATION RECORD (ISIR) OR STUDENT AID REPORT (SAR), AND BY WHICH THE INSTITUTION MUST SUBMIT VERIFICATION OUTCOMES FOR CERTAIN STUDENTS

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<td>Student ..................</td>
<td>FAFSA—fasfa.gov (original or renewal)</td>
<td>Electronically to the Department’s Central Processing System (CPS).</td>
<td>June 30, 2024.</td>
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<td>Signature page (if required) ............</td>
<td>To the address printed on the signature page.</td>
<td>September 14, 2024.</td>
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<td>Student through an</td>
<td>An electronic FAFSA (original or</td>
<td>Electronically to the Department’s CPS using “Electronic Data Exchange” (EDE) or “FAA Access to CPS Online”</td>
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<td>Student ..................</td>
<td>A paper original FAFSA ..................</td>
<td>To the address printed on the FAFSA</td>
<td>June 30, 2024.</td>
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<td>Electronic corrections to the FAFSA</td>
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<td>Student ..................</td>
<td>Paper corrections to the FAFSA using</td>
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<td>Student</td>
<td>Change of mailing and email addresses, change of institutions, or requests for a duplicate SAR.</td>
<td>To the Federal Student Aid Information Center by calling 1–800–433–3243.</td>
<td>September 14, 2024.</td>
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<td>Student</td>
<td>A SAR with an official EFC calculated by the Department’s CPS, except for Parent PLUS Loans and Direct Unsubsidized Loans made to a dependent student under HEA section 479A(a), for which the SAR does not need to have an official EFC.</td>
<td>To the institution</td>
<td>The earlier of:</td>
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<tr>
<td>Student</td>
<td>An ISIR with an official EFC calculated by the Department’s CPS, except for Parent PLUS Loans and Direct Unsubsidized Loans made to a dependent student under HEA section 479A(a), for which the ISIR does not need to have an official EFC.</td>
<td>To the institution from the Department’s CPS.</td>
<td>Except for a student meeting the conditions for a late disbursement under 34 CFR 668.164(j), the earlier of:</td>
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<td>Student</td>
<td>Valid SAR (Pell Grant, FSEOG, FWS, and Direct Subsidized Loans).</td>
<td>To the institution</td>
<td>For a student receiving a late disbursement under 34 CFR 668.164(j)(4)(i), the earlier of:</td>
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<td>Student</td>
<td>Valid ISIR (Pell Grant, FSEOG, FWS, and Direct Subsidized Loans).</td>
<td>To the institution from the Department’s CPS.</td>
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<td>Student</td>
<td>Valid SAR (Pell Grant, FSEOG, FWS, and Direct Subsidized Loans).</td>
<td>To the institution</td>
<td>Electronically to the Department’s CPS using “FAA Access to CPS Online”.</td>
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<td>Student</td>
<td>Verification documents</td>
<td>To the institution</td>
<td>Electronically to the Department’s CPS using “FAA Access to CPS Online”.</td>
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<td>Institution</td>
<td>Identity verification results for a student selected for verification by the Department and placed in Verification Tracking Group V4 or V5.</td>
<td>Electronically to the Department’s CPS using “FAA Access to CPS Online”.</td>
<td>60 days following the institution’s first request to the student to submit the required V4 or V5 identity documentation.</td>
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1 The deadline for electronic transactions is 11:59 p.m. (Central Time) on the deadline date. Transmissions must be completed and accepted before 12:00 midnight to meet the deadline. If transmissions are started before 12:00 midnight but are not completed until after 12:00 midnight, those transmissions do not meet the deadline. In addition, any transmission submitted on or just prior to the deadline date that is rejected may not be reprocessed because the deadline will have passed by the time the user gets the information notifying them of the rejection.

2 The date the ISIR/SAR transaction was processed by CPS is considered to be the date the institution received the ISIR or SAR regardless of whether the institution has downloaded the ISIR from its Student Aid Internet Gateway (SAIG) mailbox or when the student submits the SAR to the institution.

3 Although the Secretary has set this deadline date for the submission of verification documents, if corrections are required, deadline dates for submission of paper or electronic corrections and, for Pell Grant applicants and applicants selected for verification, deadline dates for the submission of a valid SAR or valid ISIR to the institution must still be met. An institution may establish an earlier deadline for the submission of verification documents for purposes of the campus-based programs and the Direct Loan Program, but it cannot be later than this deadline date.

4 Note that changes to previously submitted Identity Verification Results must be updated within 30 days of the institution becoming aware that a change has occurred.
### TABLE B—2023–2024 AWARD YEAR DEADLINE DATES BY WHICH AN INSTITUTION MUST SUBMIT DISBURSEMENT INFORMATION FOR THE PELL GRANT, IRAQ AND AFGHANISTAN SERVICE GRANT, DIRECT LOAN AND TEACH GRANT PROGRAMS

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<td>Pell Grant, Direct Loan, TEACH Grant, and Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant programs.</td>
<td>An origination or disbursement record.</td>
<td>The institution has made or intends to make a disbursement.</td>
<td>To the Common Origination and Disbursement (COD) System using the Student Aid Internet Gateway (SAIG); or to the COD System using the COD website at: <a href="https://cod.ed.gov">https://cod.ed.gov</a>.</td>
<td>The earliest disbursement date for Pell Grant and Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant Programs is January 26, 2023. The earliest disbursement date for Direct Loan Program is October 1, 2022. The earliest disbursement date for TEACH Grant Program is January 1, 2023. The earliest submission date for anticipated disbursement information is April 2, 2023. The earliest submission date for actual disbursement information is April 2, 2023, but no earlier than: &lt;ul&gt; &lt;li&gt;a) 7 calendar days prior to the disbursement date under the advance payment method or the Heightened Cash Monitoring Payment Method 1 (HCM1); or&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;b) The disbursement date under the reimbursement method or the Heightened Cash Monitoring Payment Method 2 (HCM2). &lt;/li&gt;&lt;/ul&gt;</td>
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<td>Pell Grant, Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant, and TEACH Grant programs.</td>
<td>An origination or disbursement record.</td>
<td>The institution has made a disbursement and will submit records on or before the deadline submission date.</td>
<td>To COD using SAIG; or to COD using the COD website at: <a href="https://cod.ed.gov">https://cod.ed.gov</a>.</td>
<td>The deadline submission date is the earlier of: &lt;ul&gt; &lt;li&gt;a) 15 calendar days after the institution makes a disbursement or becomes aware of the need to make an adjustment to previously reported disbursement data, except that records for disbursements made between January 26, 2023, and April 2, 2023, must be submitted no later than April 17, 2023; or&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;b) September 30, 2024. &lt;/li&gt;&lt;/ul&gt;</td>
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<td>Direct Loan Program</td>
<td>An origination or disbursement record.</td>
<td>The institution has made a disbursement and will submit records on or before the deadline submission date.</td>
<td>To COD using SAIG; or to COD using the COD website at: <a href="https://cod.ed.gov">https://cod.ed.gov</a>.</td>
<td>The deadline submission date is the earlier of: &lt;ul&gt; &lt;li&gt;a) 15 calendar days after the institution makes a disbursement or becomes aware of the need to make an adjustment to previously reported disbursement data, except that records for disbursements made between October 1, 2022, and April 2, 2023, may be submitted no later than April 17, 2023; or&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;b) July 31, 2025. &lt;/li&gt;&lt;/ul&gt;</td>
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<td>Pell Grant and Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant programs.</td>
<td>A downward (decrease) adjustment to an origination or disbursement record.</td>
<td>It is after the deadline submission date ......</td>
<td>To COD using SAIG; or to COD using the COD website at: <a href="https://cod.ed.gov">https://cod.ed.gov</a>.</td>
<td>No later than the earlier of: &lt;ul&gt; &lt;li&gt;a) 15 calendar days after the institution becomes aware of the need to make an adjustment to previously reported data; or&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;b) September 28, 2029. &lt;/li&gt;&lt;/ul&gt;</td>
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<td>TEACH Grant and Direct Loan.</td>
<td>A downward (decrease) adjustment to an origination or disbursement record.</td>
<td>It is after the deadline submission date ......</td>
<td>To COD using SAIG; or to COD using the COD website at: <a href="https://cod.ed.gov">https://cod.ed.gov</a>.</td>
<td>No later than the earlier of: &lt;ul&gt; &lt;li&gt;a) 15 calendar days after the institution becomes aware of the need to make an adjustment to previously reported data; or&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;b) When the institution is fully reconciled and is ready to submit all additional data for the program and the award year; or&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;c) September 28, 2029. &lt;/li&gt;&lt;/ul&gt;</td>
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<td>Pell Grant and Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant programs.</td>
<td>An upward (increase) adjustment to an origination or disbursement record.</td>
<td>It is after the deadline submission date and the institution has received approval of its request for an upward adjustment to the established submission deadlines. Requests for extensions to the established submission deadlines may be made for reasons including, but not limited to: &lt;ul&gt; &lt;li&gt;a) A program review or initial audit finding under 34 CFR 690.83;&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;b) A late disbursement under 34 CFR 690.164(i); or&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;c) Disbursements previously blocked as a result of another institution failing to post a downward adjustment. &lt;/li&gt;&lt;/ul&gt;</td>
<td>Via the COD website at: <a href="https://cod.ed.gov">https://cod.ed.gov</a>.</td>
<td>No later than the earlier of: &lt;ul&gt; &lt;li&gt;a) 15 calendar days after the institution becomes aware of the need to make an adjustment to previously reported data; or&lt;/li&gt; &lt;li&gt;b) When the institution is fully reconciled and is ready to submit all additional data for the program and the award year. &lt;/li&gt;&lt;/ul&gt;</td>
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<td>TEACH Grant and Direct Loan programs.</td>
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<td>Pell Grant and Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant programs.</td>
<td>An origination or disbursement record.</td>
<td>It is after the deadline submission date and the institution has received approval of its request for an extension to the deadline submission date based on a natural disaster, other unusual circumstances, or an administrative error made by the Department.</td>
<td>Via the COD website at: <a href="https://cod.ed.gov">https://cod.ed.gov</a>.</td>
<td>The earlier of: (a) A date designated by the Secretary after consultation with the institution; or (b) February 1, 2025.</td>
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<td>Pell Grant and Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grant programs.</td>
<td>An origination or disbursement record.</td>
<td>It is after the deadline submission date and the institution has received approval of its request for administrative relief to extend the deadline submission date based on a student’s reentry to the institution within 180 days after initially withdrawing.</td>
<td>Via the COD website at: <a href="https://cod.ed.gov">https://cod.ed.gov</a>.</td>
<td>The earlier of: (a) 15 days after the student reenrolls; or (b) May 3, 2025.</td>
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1 A COD Processing Year is a period of time in which institutions are permitted to submit Direct Loan records to the COD System that are related to a given award year. For a Direct Loan, the period of time includes loans that have a loan period covering any day in the 2023–2024 award year.

2 Transmissions must be completed and accepted before the designated processing time on the deadline submission date. The designated processing time is published annually via an electronic announcement posted to the Knowledge Center via FSA’s Partner Connect website at: https://fsapartners.ed.gov/knowledge-center. If transmissions are started at the designated time, but are not completed until after the designated time, those transmissions will not meet the deadline. In addition, any transmission submitted on or just prior to the deadline date that is rejected may not be reprocessed because the deadline will have passed by the time the user gets the information notifying him or her of the rejection.

3 Applies only to students enrolled in clock-hour and nonterm credit-hour educational programs.

Note: The COD System must accept origination data for a student from an institution before it accepts disbursement information from the institution for that student. Institutions may submit origination and disbursement data for a student in the same transmission. However, if the origination data is rejected, the disbursement data is rejected.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 14775–005]

Marine Renewable Energy Collaborative of New England; Notice of Application Tendered and Accepted for Filing; Soliciting Motions To Intervene and Protests; Ready for Environmental Analysis; Soliciting Comments, Recommendations, Terms and Conditions, and Fishway Prescriptions; Waiving the Timing Requirement for Filing Competing Development Applications; and Intent To Prepare Environmental Assessment

Take notice that the following application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection.

a. Type of Application: Hydrokinetic Pilot Project License.

b. Project No.: 14775–005.

c. Date Filed: June 1, 2023.


e. Name of Project: Bourne Tidal Hydrokinetic Test Site Project.

f. Location: In the Cape Cod Canal near the Town of Bourne, in Barnstable County, MA. The project would occupy land administered by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) and would be within the boundary of the Corps’ Cape Cod Canal Navigation Project.

g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act 16 U.S.C. 791 (a)–825(r).

h. Applicant Contact: Stephen Barrett, Barrett Energy Resources Group, LLC, P.O. Box 1004, Concord, MA 01742; Phone at (339) 234–2696; email at steve@barrettenergygroup.com.

i. FERC Contact: Robert Haltner at (202) 502–8612 or email at robert.haltner@ferc.gov.

j. Deadline for filing motions to intervene and protests, comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions: 30 days from the issuance date of this notice; reply comments are due 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file motions to intervene, protests, comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and fishway prescriptions 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 FERCONlineSupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208–3676 (toll free), or (202) 502–8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, you may submit a paper copy. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852. All filings must clearly identify the project name and docket number on the first page: Bourne Tidal Hydrokinetic Project (P–14775–005).

The Commission’s Rules of Practice require all intervenors filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person on the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervenor files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

k. This application has been accepted for filing and is now ready for environmental analysis. Based on the information in the project record, staff does not anticipate that licensing the project would constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment. Therefore, staff intends to prepare an Environmental Assessment (EA) on the application. The EA will be issued and circulated for public review. Comments filed on the EA will be analyzed by staff and considered in the Commission’s final licensing decision.

1. The proposed Bourne Tidal Hydrokinetic Project would consist of: