

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 March 22, 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 [Electricity.Exports@hq.doe.gov](mailto:Electricity.Exports@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 April 17, 2014, DOE issued Order No. EA-257-D, which authorized EES to transmit electric energy from the United States to Canada as a power marketer for a five-year term using existing international transmission facilities. That authorization expires on April 5, 2019. On February 22, 2018, EES filed an application with DOE for renewal of the export authorization contained in Order No. EA-257-D for an additional five-year term.

In its application, the Applicant states that it “does not own or control any electric power generation or transmission facilities and does not have a franchised electric power service area.” The electric energy that the Applicant proposes to export to Canada would be surplus energy purchased from third parties such as electric utilities and Federal power marketing agencies pursuant to voluntary agreements. The existing international transmission facilities to be utilized by EES 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 EES’s application to export electric energy to Canada should be clearly marked with OE Docket No. EA-257-E. An additional copy is to be provided directly to both Michael G. Henry, Emera Energy Services, Inc., 101 Federal St., Suite 1101, Boston, MA 02110, and Bonnie A. Suchman, Suchman Law LLC, 8104 Paisley Place, Potomac, MD 20854.

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](mailto:Angela.Troy@hq.doe.gov).

Signed in Washington, DC, on February 11, 2019.

**Christopher Lawrence,**

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### DOE/NSF Nuclear Science Advisory Committee; Meeting

**AGENCY:** Office of Science, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a meeting of the DOE/NSF Nuclear Science Advisory Committee (NSAC). The Federal Advisory Committee Act requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

**DATES:** Monday, April 8, 2019; 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Hilton Rockville, 1750 Rockville Pike, Roosevelt/Madison Room, Rockville, Maryland, (301) 468-1100.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Brenda L. May, U.S. Department of

Energy; SC-26/Germantown Building, 1000 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20585; Telephone: (301) 903-0536 or email: [brenda.may@science.doe.gov](mailto:brenda.may@science.doe.gov). The most current information concerning this meeting can be found on the website: <http://science.gov/np/nsac/meetings/>.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Purpose of the Board:** The purpose of the Board is to provide advice and guidance on a continuing basis to the Department of Energy and the National Science Foundation on scientific priorities within the field of basic nuclear science research.

**Tentative Agenda:** Agenda will include discussions of the following:

- Perspectives from Department of Energy and National Science Foundation
- Update from the Department of Energy and National Science Foundation’s Nuclear Physics Office’s
- Presentation and Discussion of the Mo-99 Report
- Update on the activities of the QIS Subcommittee
- Physics Priority Updates from the 2015 Long Range Plan
- NSAC Business/Discussions

**Note:** The NSAC Meeting will be broadcast live on the internet. You may find out how to access this broadcast by going to the Office of Science website at <http://science.gov/np/nsac/meetings/> prior to the start of the meeting. A video record of meeting including the presentations that are made will be archived at this site after the meeting.

**Public Participation:** The meeting is open to the public. If you would like to file a written statement with the Committee, you may do so either before or after the meeting. If you would like to make oral statements regarding any of these items on the agenda, you should contact Brenda L. May, telephone: (301) 903-0536 or email: [Brenda.May@science.doe.gov](mailto:Brenda.May@science.doe.gov). You must make your request for an oral statement at least five business days before the meeting. Reasonable provision will be made to include the scheduled oral statements on the agenda. The Chairperson of the Committee will conduct the meeting to facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Public comment will follow the 10-minute rule.

**Minutes:** The minutes of the meeting will be available for review on the U.S. Department of Energy’s Office of Nuclear Physics website at <http://science.gov/np/nsac/meetings/>.

Signed in Washington, DC, on February 13, 2019.

**LaTanya Butler,**

*Deputy Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[OE Docket No. EA-391-A]

### Application To Export Electric Energy; Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 6 LLC

**AGENCY:** Office of Electricity, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of application.

**SUMMARY:** Emera Energy Services Subsidiary No. 6 LLC (Applicant or EESS-6) has applied to renew its 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 March 22, 2019.

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On May 16, 2014, DOE issued Order No. EA-391, which authorized the Applicant to transmit electric energy from the United States to Canada as a power marketer for a five-year term using existing international transmission facilities. That authorization expires on May 16, 2019. On February 22, 2018, EESS-6 filed an application with DOE for renewal of the export authorization contained in Order No. EA-391 for an additional five-year term.

In its application, the Applicant states that it “does not own or control any electric power generation or transmission facilities and does not

have a franchised electric power service area.” The electric energy that the Applicant proposes to export to Canada would be surplus energy purchased from third parties such as electric utilities and Federal power marketing agencies pursuant to voluntary agreements. The existing international transmission facilities to be utilized by EESS-6 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 EESS-6’s application to export electric energy to Canada should be clearly marked with OE Docket No. EA-391-A. An additional copy is to be provided directly to both Michael G. Henry, Emera Energy Services, Inc., 101 Federal St., Suite 1101, Boston, MA 02110, and Bonnie A. Suchman, Suchman Law LLC, 8104 Paisley Place, Potomac, MD 20854.

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.

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Signed in Washington, DC, on February 11, 2019.

**Christopher Lawrence,**

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Savannah River Site; Meeting

**AGENCY:** Office of Environmental Management, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Savannah River Site. The Federal Advisory Committee Act requires that public notice of this meeting be announced in the **Federal Register**.

**DATES:** Monday, March 25, 2019; 1:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 26, 2019; 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Partridge Inn, 2110 Walton Way, Augusta, Georgia 30904.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Amy Boyette, Office of External Affairs, Department of Energy, Savannah River Operations Office, P.O. Box A, Aiken, SC 29802; Phone: (803) 952-6120.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Purpose of the Board:* The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE-EM and site management in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

#### Tentative Agenda

*Monday, March 25, 2019*

Opening, Chair Update, and Agenda Review  
Agency Updates

Break

Administrative & Outreach Committee Update

Facilities Disposition & Site Remediation Committee Update

Nuclear Materials Committee Update

Strategic & Legacy Management Committee Update

Waste Management Committee Update

Break

Presentation: *Environmental Surveillance and Oversight Program of the S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC)*

Discussion of Draft Recommendations:

- Pollinator Management Program
- Savannah River Site National Environmental Research Park Support

Discussion on Integrated Priority List  
Public Comments

Recess

*Tuesday, March 26, 2019*

Reconvene

Agenda Review

Update on Building 235-F Deactivated State:

- Risk Reduction Status
- Closure Activities

Lunch Break

H-Canyon and L-Basin Alternatives:

- Overview of Options for Operating H-Canyon