Description: Tariff Cancellation: Notice of Cancellation of WMPA SA No. 3320, Queue No. X3-043 to be effective 3/7/2016.

Filed Date: 1/21/16. Accession Number: 20160121-5070. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/11/16.

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: January 21, 2016.

#### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

#### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP16-58-000]

#### Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.; Notice of Application

Take notice that on January 15, 2016, Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P. (Iroquois), One Corporate Drive. Shelton, Connecticut 06484, filed an application pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations for authorization to enter into a paymentin-lieu-of-taxes (PILOT) transaction, including a lease and leaseback arrangement, with the Schoharie County Industrial Development Agency (Agency) in the State of New York. Specifically, Iroquois requests that the Commission (i) grant Iroquois authority to abandon passive leasehold interests in certain jurisdictional facilities located in Schoharie County, New York, by transferring such passive leasehold interests to the Agency; (ii) issue a certificate of public convenience and necessity to Iroquois to simultaneously lease back the leasehold interests from

the Agency; and (3) grant Iroquois' request for pre-granted authorization to reacquire the leasehold interests from the Agency at the time the lease/ leaseback agreements terminate.

The filing may be viewed on the Web at http://www.ferc.gov using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or call toll-free, (886) 208-3676 or TYY, (202) 502-8659.

Any questions regarding this application should be directed to Helen M. Gallagher, Director of Legal Services and Secretary, Iroquois Pipeline Operating Company, One Corporate Drive, Suite 600, Shelton, CT 06484, phone: (203) 925–7201, or email: helen -gallagher@iroquois.com.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this project should, on or before the comment date stated below, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the NGA (18 CFR 157.10). A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties. A party must submit 5 copies of filings made with the Commission and must mail a copy to the applicant and to every other party in the proceeding. Only parties to the proceeding can ask for court review of Commission orders in the proceeding.

However, a person does not have to intervene in order to have comments considered. The second way to participate is by filing with the Secretary of the Commission, as soon as possible, an original and two copies of comments in support of or in opposition to this project. The Commission will consider these comments in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but the filing of a comment alone will not serve to make the filer a party to the proceeding. The Commission's rules require that persons filing comments in opposition to the project provide copies of their protests only to the party or parties directly involved in the protest.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the

"eFiling" link at http://www.ferc.gov. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC

Comment Date: 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on February 1, 2016.

Dated: January 21, 2016.

#### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

#### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL16-28-000]

#### NRG Wholesale Generation LP; Seward Generation, LLC: Notice of Institution of Section 206 Proceeding and Refund Effective Date

On January 14, 2016, the Commission issued an order in Docket No. EL16-28-000, pursuant to section 206 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), 16 U.S.C. 824e (2012), instituting an investigation into the justness and reasonableness of NRG Wholesale Generation LP's reactive power rates for the Seward Generation Facility. NRG Wholesale Generation LP, 154 FERC ¶ 61,017 (2016).

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL16-28-000, established pursuant to section 206(b) of the FPA, will be the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register.

Dated: January 21, 2016.

### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

#### **Federal Energy Regulatory** Commission

#### **Notice Concerning Submissions Made During Federal Government Closures**

Take notice that the Commission is adopting the following practice with respect to submittals to the Commission during Federal government office closures.

Effective January 22, 2016, the Commission will not accept submittals—either in electronic format submitted through "FERC Online" (including through eFiling and eTariff) or in hardcopy format—when the Commission is closed at the direction of the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) or Presidential Executive Order closing Federal government offices in Washington, DC.<sup>1</sup>

At such time as the Commission reopens, it will again accept submittals both in electronic format through "FERC Online" (including through eFiling and eTariff) and in hardcopy format.

Dated: January 22, 2016.

#### Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[OMB 3060-0265]

#### Information Collection Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission Under Delegated Authority

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** As part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, and as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520), the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or the Commission) invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection. Comments are requested concerning: Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and ways to further reduce the information collection burden on small business concerns with fewer than 25 employees. The FCC may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with

a collection of information subject to the PRA that does not display a valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number.

**DATES:** Written PRA comments should be submitted on or before April 4, 2016. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all PRA comments to Cathy Williams, FCC, via email *PRA@ fcc.gov* and to *Cathy.Williams@fcc.gov*.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information about the information collection, contact Cathy Williams at (202) 418–2918.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 3060–0265. Title: Section 80.868, Card of Instructions.

Form Number: N/A.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other forprofit entities, not-for-profit institutions and state, local or tribal government.

Number of Respondents: 4,506 respondents; 4,506 responses.

Estimated Time per Response: 10 minutes (0.167 hours).

Frequency of Response: Third party disclosure requirement.

Obligation to Respond: Required to obtain or retain benefits. Statutory authority for this information collection is contained in 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 307(e), 309 and 332.

Total Annual Burden: 753 hours. Total Annual Cost: No cost.

Privacy Impact Assessment: No impact(s).

Nature and Extent of Confidentiality: There is no need for confidentiality with this collection of information.

Needs and Uses: The third party disclosure requirement contained in 47 CFR 80.868 of the Commission's rules is necessary to ensure that radiotelephone distress procedures must be securely mounted and displayed in full view of the principal operating position on board certain vessels (300 gross tons) required by the Communications Act or the International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea to be equipped with a radiotelephone station.

The information is used by a vessel radio operator during an emergency situation, and is designed to assist the radio operator to utilize proper distress procedures during a time when he or she may be subject to considerable stress or confusion.

Federal Communications Commission.

#### Gloria J. Miles,

Federal Register Liaison Officer, Office of the Secretary.

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[OMB 3060-0678]

# Information Collection Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications

Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** As part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, and as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520), the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or the Commission) invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection. Comments are requested concerning: Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and ways to further reduce the information collection burden on small business concerns with fewer than 25 employees. The FCC may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the PRA that does not display a valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number.

**DATES:** Written PRA comments should be submitted on or before April 4, 2016. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all PRA comments to Cathy Williams, FCC, via email *PRA@ fcc.gov* and to *Cathy.Williams@fcc.gov*.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> On January 22, 2016, OPM announced that all Federal Government offices in the District of Columbia metropolitan area will be closed at 12 noon. The above-described practice will be in effect that day.