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4282; Queue No. AA1–100 to be effective 9/23/2015.

*Filed Date:* 10/22/15. *Accession Number:* 20151022–5117. *Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 11/12/15.

Docket Numbers: ER16–135–000. Applicants: Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: 1637R2 Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. NITSA and NOA to be effective 10/1/2015.

Filed Date: 10/22/15. Accession Number: 20151022–5143. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 11/12/15.

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 22, 2015.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr., Deputy Secretary. [FR Doc. 2015–27408 Filed 10–27–15; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6717–01–P

#### DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 12629-004]

# Milltown Hydroelectric, LLC, Green Power USA, LLC; Notice of Transfer of Exemption

1. By letter filed October 6, 2015, Milltown Hydroelectric, LLC and Green Power USA, LLC informed the Commission that the exemption from licensing for the Corriveau Project, No. 12629, originally issued October 24, 2006,<sup>1</sup> has been transferred to Green Power USA, LLC. The project is located on the Swift River in Oxford County, Maine. The transfer of an exemption does not require Commission approval.

2. Green Power USA, LLC is now the exemptee of the Corriveau Project, No. 12629. All correspondence should be forwarded to: Ms. Nancy Lausier, Green Power USA, LLC, 24 Standpipe Road, Mechanic Falls, Maine 04256.

Dated: October 22, 2015.

#### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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# DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

# Notice of Commissioner and Staff Attendance at North American Electric Reliability Corporation Meetings

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) hereby gives notice that members of the Commission and/or Commission staff may attend the following meetings:

- North American Electric Reliability Corporation
- Member Representatives Committee and Board of Trustees Meetings
- Board of Trustees Corporate Governance and Human Resources Committee, Finance and Audit Committee, Compliance Committee, and
- Standards Oversight and Technology Committee Meetings
- The Westin Buckhead, 3391 Peachtree Road NE., Atlanta, GA 30326.

November 4 (7:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.) and November 5 (8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.), 2015.

Further information regarding these meetings may be found at: *http://www.nerc.com/Pages/Calendar.aspx*.

The discussions at the meetings, which are open to the public, may address matters at issue in the following Commission proceedings:

- Docket No. RR15–12, North American Electric Reliability Corporation
- Docket No. RR15–16, North American Electric Reliability Corporation

Docket No. RD15–5, North American Electric Reliability Corporation

For further information, please contact Jonathan First, 202–502–8529, or *jonathan.first@ferc.gov.* 

Dated: October 21, 2015.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

#### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2790-064]

# Boott Hydropower, Inc.; Eldred L. Field Hydro Facility Trust; Notice of Application for Partial Transfer of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions to Intervene, and Protests

On October 9, 2015, Boott Hydropower, Inc., co-licensee and Eldred L. Field Hydro Facility Trust, colicensee (transferors) jointly filed an application for the partial transfer of the license of the Lowell Hydroelectric Project No. 2790 to remove as colicensee Eldred L. Hydro Facility Trust and to convert Boott Hydropower, Inc. to an LLC. The project is located on the Merrimack River in Middlesex County, Massachusetts.

Boott Hydropower, Inc. is a subsidiary of Enel Green Power North America, Inc. As part of an internal reorganization Boott Hydropower, Inc. intends to convert to an LLC, (Boott Hydropower, LLC). Boott Hydropower, Inc. seeks Commission approval to transfer the license for the Lowell Hydroelectric Project to Boott Hydropower, LLC as sole licensee in association with the conversion, effective on the date Boott Hydropower, LLC submits certified copies of its articles of conversion, plan of conversion, and limited liability company operating agreement to the Commission.

Applicant Contact: For Applicants: Ms. Megan Beauregard, Senior Associate General Counsel, Enel Green Power North America, Inc., One Tech Drive, Suite 220, Andover, MA 01810, telephone: 978–681–1900, email: megan.beauregard@enel.com.

*FERC Contact:* Patricia W. Gillis, (202) 502–8735.

Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, and protests: 30 days from the date that the Commission issues this notice. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file motions to intervene, comments, and protests using the Commission's eFiling system at http://www.ferc.gov/docsfiling/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, please

 $<sup>^1</sup>$  117 FERC  $\P$  62,059, Order Granting Exemption from Licensing (5 MW or Less (2006).

send a paper copy to: Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426. The first page of any filing should include docket number P–2790–064.

Dated: October 22, 2015.

#### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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# DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

#### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP15-552-000]

## Northern Natural Gas Company; Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Gaines County Crossover Compressor Station and Request for Comments on Environmental Issues

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) will prepare an environmental assessment (EA) that will discuss the environmental impacts of the Gaines County Crossover Compressor Station (Project) involving construction and operation of facilities by Northern Natural Gas Company (Northern) in Gaines County, Texas. The Commission will use this EA in its decision-making process to determine whether the Project is in the public convenience and necessity.

This notice announces the opening of the scoping process the Commission will use to gather input from the public and interested agencies on the Project. You can make a difference by providing us with your specific comments or concerns about the Project. Your comments should focus on the potential environmental effects, reasonable alternatives, and measures to avoid or lessen environmental impacts. Your input will help the Commission staff determine what issues they need to evaluate in the EA. To ensure that your comments are timely and properly recorded, please send your comments so that the Commission receives them in Washington, DC on or before November 23, 2015.

If you sent comments on this Project to the Commission before the opening of this docket on September 9, 2015, you will need to file those comments in Docket No. CP15–552–000 to ensure they are considered as part of this proceeding.

This notice is being sent to the Commission's current environmental mailing list for this Project. State and local government representatives should notify their constituents of this proposed Project and encourage them to comment on their areas of concern.

If you are a landowner receiving this notice, a Northern representative may contact you about the acquisition of an easement to construct, operate, and maintain the proposed facilities. The company would seek to negotiate a mutually acceptable agreement. However, if the Commission approves the Project, that approval conveys with it the right of eminent domain. Therefore, if easement negotiations fail to produce an agreement, the pipeline company could initiate condemnation proceedings where compensation would be determined in accordance with state law.

Northern has provided landowners with a fact sheet prepared by the FERC entitled "An Interstate Natural Gas Facility On My Land? What Do I Need To Know?" This fact sheet addresses a number of typically asked questions, including the use of eminent domain and how to participate in the Commission's proceedings. It is also available for viewing on the FERC Web site (www.ferc.gov/resources/guides/ gas/gas.pdf).

## **Public Participation**

For your convenience, there are three methods you can use to submit your comments to the Commission. The Commission encourages electronic filing of comments and has expert staff available to assist you at (202) 502–8258 or *efiling@ferc.gov*. Please carefully follow these instructions so that your comments are properly recorded.

(1) You can file your comments electronically using the *eComment* feature on the Commission's Web site (*www.ferc.gov*) under the link to *Documents and Filings.* This is an easy method for submitting brief, text-only comments on a project;

(2) You can file your comments electronically by using the *eFiling* feature on the Commission's Web site (*www.ferc.gov*) under the link to *Documents and Filings*. With eFiling, you can provide comments in a variety of formats by attaching them as a file with your submission. New eFiling users must first create an account by clicking on "*eRegister*." If you are filing a comment on a particular project, please select "Comment on a Filing" as the filing type; or

(3) You can file a paper copy of your comments by mailing them to the following address. Be sure to reference the Project docket number (CP15–552– 000) with your submission: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426.

## Summary of the Proposed Project

Northern proposes to construct and operate a new compressor station in Gaines County, Texas. The Project would include two new natural gasfired turbine compressor units rated at approximately 18,089 horsepower (HP) and would deliver about 210 million standard cubic feet of natural gas per day to supply natural gas for electrical power plants.

If approved as proposed, the Project would include installation of two units: (1) Solar Taurus 70-10802S with approximately 11,152 HP; and (2) Solar Taurus 60–7302S with approximately 6,937 HP. The suction side of the compressor station would be connected to the existing 30-inch-diameter Spraberry to Plains pipeline. The station would discharge to the existing 30-inchdiameter Kermit to Beaver pipeline. The proposed Project would also include the installation of two compressor buildings, a control building, an auxiliary building, a septic system and associated above-grade and below-grade piping, and valves and instrumentation.

The general location of the proposed Project facilities is shown in appendix  $1.^1$ 

## Land Requirements for Construction

Construction of the proposed Project facilities and temporary workspace would disturb approximately 27.8 acres of land. The total acreage maintained for permanent operation of the compressor station would be approximately 20 acres of land. Northern would acquire an approximately 20-acre site for the new compressor station and access road. The predominant land use that would be impacted by the proposed Project is agricultural and fallow cropland.

## **The EA Process**

The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requires the Commission to take into account the environmental impacts that could result from an action whenever it considers the issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The appendices referenced in this notice will not appear in the **Federal Register**. Copies of appendices were sent to all those receiving this notice in the mail and are available at *www.ferc.gov* using the link called "eLibrary" or from the Commission's Public Reference Room, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, or call (202) 502–8371. For instructions on connecting to eLibrary, refer to the last page of this notice.