The City of Woonsocket; Notice of Intent To File License Application, Filing of Pre-Application Document, and Approving Use of the Traditional Licensing Process

a. Type of Filing: Notice of Intent to File License Application and Request to Use the Traditional Licensing Process.

b. Project No.: 2972–024.

c. Date Filed: October 19, 2015.

d. Submitted By: The City of Woonsocket.

e. Name of Project: Woonsocket Falls Project.

f. Location: On the Blackstone River, in Providence County, Rhode Island. No federal lands are occupied by the project or located within the project boundary.

g. Filed Pursuant to: 18 CFR 5.3 of the Commission’s regulations.

h. Potential Applicant Contact: Charles Rosenfield, Thundermist Hydropower, 87 Senexet Road, Woodstock, CT 06281; (860) 928–7100; or by email—putnamhydro@charter.net.

i. FERC Contact: Patrick Crile at (202) 502–8042; or email at patrick.crile@ferc.gov.

j. The City of Woonsocket filed its request to use the Traditional Licensing Process on October 19, 2015. The City of Woonsocket provided public notice of its request on December 21, 2015. In a letter dated February 9, 2016, the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing approved the City of Woonsocket’s request to use the Traditional Licensing Process.

k. With this notice, we are initiating informal consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and NOAA Fisheries under section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and the joint agency regulations thereunder at 50 CFR, Part 402. We are also initiating consultation with the Rhode Island Historical Preservation and Heritage Commission, the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO), as required by section 106, National Historic Preservation Act, and the implementing regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation at 36 CFR 800.2.

l. With this notice, we are designating the City of Woonsocket as the Commission’s non-federal representative for carrying out informal consultation pursuant to section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and consultation pursuant to section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

m. The City of Woonsocket filed a Pre-Application Document (PAD; including a proposed process plan and schedule) with the Commission, pursuant to 18 CFR 5.6 of the Commission’s regulations.

n. A copy of the PAD is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission’s Web site (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 Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208–3676 (toll free), or (202) 502–8659 (TTY). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in paragraph h.

o. The licensee states its unequivocal intent to submit an application for a new license for Project No. 2972–024. Pursuant to 18 CFR 16.8, 16.9, and 16.10 each application for a new license and any competing license applications must be filed with the Commission at least 24 months prior to the expiration of the existing license. All applications for license for this project must be filed by October 31, 2018.

p. Register online at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/subscription.asp to be notified via email of new filing and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

Dated: February 9, 2016.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,
Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings #1

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


Description: Notification of Change in Status of the BHE MBR Sellers.

Filed Date: 2/8/16.

Accession Number: 20160208–5181. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/29/16.


Applicants: Nevada Power Company.

Description: Compliance filing: OATT

Errata to Attachment P NPC to be effective 2/16/2016.

Filed Date: 2/9/16.

Accession Number: 20160209–5056.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 3/1/16.

Docket Numbers: ER15–1627–001.

Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: Compliance filing: Correction Filing to Beech Ridge II ISA No. 3087, Queue No. M24 to be effective 3/31/2015.

Filed Date: 2/8/16.

Accession Number: 20160208–5089.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/29/16.

Docket Numbers: ER15–958–004.

Applicants: Transsource Kansas, LLC.

Description: Compliance filing: Transsource Kansas Compliance Filing to be effective 4/3/2015.

Filed Date: 2/8/16.

Accession Number: 20160208–5161.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/29/16.


Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: Original Service Agreement No. 4400; Queue Position Z2–046/AA1–066 to be effective 1/8/2016.

Filed Date: 2/8/16.

Accession Number: 20160208–5086.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/29/16.


Applicants: EPP New Jersey Solar, LLC.

Description: Tariff Cancellation: Cancellation of market-based rate tariff to be effective 2/8/2016.

Filed Date: 2/8/16.

Accession Number: 20160208–5147.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/29/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16–911–000.

Applicants: EPP New Jersey Biogas, LLC.

Description: Tariff Cancellation: Cancellation of market-based rate tariff to be effective 2/8/2016.

Filed Date: 2/8/16.

Accession Number: 20160208–5148.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/29/16.


Applicants: Arizona Public Service Company.

Description: Compliance filing: Transsource Wisconsin Compliance Filing to be effective 12/1/2014.

Filed Date: 2/8/16.

Accession Number: 20160208–5171.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/29/16.


Applicants: Nevada Power Company.

Description: Compliance filing: OATT