

emphasizes computational thinking and interdisciplinary problem-solving to equip students with the skills and abilities necessary to apply computation to the digital world.

Computer science does not involve using computers for everyday tasks, such as browsing the internet or using tools like word processors, spreadsheets, or presentation software. Instead, it focuses on creating and developing technology, not just utilizing it.

*High-quality instructional materials (HQIM)* means evidence-based, standards-aligned, content-rich instructional tools that provide a coherent scope and sequence for grade-level academic content. HQIM provide a full suite of resources for teachers, students, and families—including lesson plans, instructional units, embedded formative assessments to support a cohesive relationship between curriculum, instruction, and evaluation. HQIM utilize evidence-based instructional strategies, including guidance for differentiation, enrichment, and acceleration, and provide implementation supports for educators to ensure the learning needs of all students are met. HQIM clearly communicate the goals of learning and criteria for success for students.

*Strategic Staffing* means a team-based approach to school staffing that replaces the traditional one-teacher, one-classroom model. In this model, at least two professional educators, which can include paraprofessionals and other licensed educators, share responsibility for a common roster of students during the same blocks of time in the school day. Teamed educators have differentiated roles and distributed expertise, allowing for flexible student grouping, more effective use of instructional time, and expanded career entry and advancement opportunities.

#### **Executive Orders 12866, 13563, and 14192**

*Regulatory Impact Analysis:* This regulatory action is not a significant regulatory action subject to review by the Office of Management and Budget under section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866. This regulatory action is not considered an “Executive Order 14192 regulatory action.” We have also reviewed this regulatory action under Executive Order 13563. We are issuing the priority and definitions only on a reasoned determination that their benefits would justify their costs. The Department believes that this regulatory action is consistent with the principles in Executive Order 13563. We also have determined that this regulatory action

would not unduly interfere with State, local, and Tribal governments in the exercise of their governmental functions. In accordance with these Executive Orders, the Department has assessed the potential costs and benefits, both quantitative and qualitative, of this regulatory action. The potential costs are those resulting from statutory requirements and those we have determined are necessary for administering the Department’s programs and activities.

*Discussion of Costs and Benefits:* The priority and definitions would impose no or minimal costs on entities that receive discretionary grant award funds from the Department. Additionally, the benefits of implementing the priority and definitions outweigh any associated costs, to the extent these de minimis costs even exist, because the priority and definitions would result in higher quality grant application submissions. Application submission and participation in competitive grant programs that might use the priority and definitions is voluntary. We believe, based on the Department’s administrative experience, that entities preparing an application would not need to expend more resources than they otherwise would have in the absence of the priority and definitions. Because the costs of carrying out activities would be paid for with program funds, the costs of implementation would not be a burden for any eligible applicants that earn a grant award, including small entities.

*Intergovernmental Review:* This action is subject to Executive Order 12372 and the regulations in 34 CFR part 79. This document provides early notification of our specific plans and actions for this program.

*Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification:* This section considers the effects that the final regulations may have on small entities in the educational sector as required by the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.* The Secretary certifies that this regulatory action would not have a substantial economic impact on a substantial number of small entities. The U.S. Small Business Administration Size Standards define proprietary institutions as small businesses if they are independently owned and operated, are not dominant in their field of operation, and have total annual revenue below \$7,000,000. Nonprofit institutions are defined as small entities if they are independently owned and operated and not dominant in their field of operation. Public institutions are defined as small organizations if they are operated by a

government overseeing a population below 50,000.

*Paperwork Reduction Act:* The priority and definitions do not contain information collection requirements or affect currently approved data collections.

*Accessible Format:* On request to the program contact person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**, individuals with disabilities can obtain this document in an accessible format. The Department will provide the requestor with an accessible format that may include Rich Text Format (RTF) or text format (txt), a thumb drive, an MP3 file, braille, large print, audiotape, compact disc, or another accessible format.

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**Linda McMahon,**

*Secretary of Education.*

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## **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### **Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

#### **Combined Notice of Filings**

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings and Accounting Request filings:

#### **Filings Instituting Proceedings**

*Docket Numbers:* AC26–24–000.

*Applicants:* Entergy New Orleans, LLC.

*Description:* Entergy New Orleans, LLC submits proposed post-transaction accounting entries to clear Account 102 re sale of its gas distribution business to Delta New Orleans Gas Company, LLC.

*Filed Date:* 1/30/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260130–5423.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 2/20/26.

*Docket Numbers:* RP26–472–000.

*Applicants:* Northern Natural Gas Company.

*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: 20260206 Negotiated Rate Filing to be effective 2/7/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/6/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260206–5107.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 2/18/26.  
*Docket Numbers:* RP26-473-000.  
*Applicants:* Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.  
*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: 2.9.26 Negotiated Rates—Trafigura Trading LLC H-8150-89 to be effective 2/7/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.  
*Accession Number:* 20260209-5028.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 2/23/26.

*Docket Numbers:* RP26-474-000.  
*Applicants:* Kinder Morgan Illinois Pipeline LLC.

*Description:* Compliance filing: Penalty Revenue Annual Report for 2025 to be effective N/A.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.  
*Accession Number:* 20260209-5052.  
*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 2/23/26.

Any person desiring to intervene, to protest, or to answer a complaint in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211, 214, or 206 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214, or 385.206) 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.

The filings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system (<https://elibrary.ferc.gov/idmws/search/fercgensearch.asp>) by querying the docket number.

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.

For public inquiries and assistance with making filings such as interventions, comments, or requests for rehearing, the public is encouraged to contact OPP at (202) 502-6595 or [OPP@ferc.gov](mailto:OPP@ferc.gov).

Dated: February 9, 2026.

**Carlos D. Clay,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Combined Notice of Filings #2

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

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1182-001.

*Applicants:* Old Gold Energy Center, LLC.

*Description:* Notice of Non-Material Change in Status of Old Gold Energy Center, LLC.

*Filed Date:* 1/30/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260130-5564.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 2/20/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1293-000.

*Applicants:* Duke Energy Florida, LLC.

*Description:* Tariff Amendment: DEF—Cancellations of RS Nos. 355, 356 and 357 to be effective 4/11/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/6/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260206-5168.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 2/27/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1294-000.

*Applicants:* California Independent System Operator Corporation.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: 2026-02-06 Tariff Amendment to Support the Implementation of DAME/EDAM to be effective 12/31/9998.

*Filed Date:* 2/6/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260206-5169.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 2/27/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1295-000.

*Applicants:* Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: 4620 Bison Grid GIA to be effective 1/29/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5027.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1296-000.

*Applicants:* Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: 4621 Ironclad Grid GIA to be effective 1/29/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5030.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1297-000.

*Applicants:* Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: Revisions to Attachments AE and AF Regarding the Market Monitor Dispute Process to be effective 4/11/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5031.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1298-000.

*Applicants:* ISO New England Inc., New England Power Pool Participants Committee.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: ISO New England Inc. submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): ISO-NE/NEPOOL; Rev. Regarding Calculation of Load Weights Used in Zonal Prices to be effective 4/10/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5036.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1299-000.

*Applicants:* Louisville Gas and Electric Company.

*Description:* Tariff Amendment: Notice of Termination of Joint Service Agreement FERC No. 26 to be effective 1/20/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5042.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1300-000.  
*Applicants:* PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: Original GIA SA No. 7832; Project Identifier No. AF1-294/AF2-115/AG1-021 to be effective 4/11/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5065.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1301-000.  
*Applicants:* Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: Revisions to Clarify Use of FSE Transfer Points and WAPA-CRSP Resource Hubs to be effective 4/1/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5077.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1302-000.

*Applicants:* PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: GIA, SA No. 7824; AE1-196/AG2-477 and Notice of Cancellation of SA No. 7824 to be effective 1/8/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5092.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

*Docket Numbers:* ER26-1303-000.

*Applicants:* PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: 8 Original NUCRAs, SA Nos. 7827, 7828, 7829, 7830, 7831, 7852, 7856, 7857 to be effective 4/11/2026.

*Filed Date:* 2/9/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260209-5124.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 3/2/26.

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