

with any agency's ability to perform its statutory obligations. The Leader, Information Management Group, Office of the Chief Financial and Chief Information Officer, publishes that notice containing proposed information collection requests prior to submission of these requests to OMB. Each proposed information collection, grouped by office, contains the following: (1) Type of review requested, e.g., new, revision, extension, existing or reinstatement; (2) Title; (3) Summary of the collection; (4) Description of the need for, and proposed use of, the information; (5) Respondents and frequency of collection; and (6) Reporting and/or Recordkeeping burden. OMB invites public comment at the address specified above. Copies of the requests are available from Patrick J. Sherrill at the address specified above.

Dated: November 9, 1998.

Kent H. Hannaman,

Leader, Information Management Group,
Office of the Chief Financial and Chief
Information Officer.

Office of Postsecondary Education

Type of Review: Revision.

Title: Addendum to Federal Direct PLUS Loan Promissory Note Endorser.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 44,160.

Burden Hours: 22,080

Abstract: This form is the means by which an endorser for a Federal Direct PLUS Loan borrower with an adverse

credit history applies for and promises to repay the Federal Direct PLUS Loan if the borrower does not repay it.

Office of Postsecondary Education

Type of Review: Revision.

Title: Federal Direct PLUS Loan Application and Promissory Note.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Reporting and Recordkeeping Hour Burden:

Responses: 176,640.

Burden Hours: 88,320

Abstract: This form is the means by which a Federal PLUS Loan borrower promises to repay his or her loan.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[FE Docket Nos. 98-73-NG, 98-75-NG, 98-70-NG, 98-74-NG, 98-79-NG, 98-78-NG, 98-77-NG, 97-78-NG, 98-81-NG, 98-80-LNG, 96-80-NG, 96-02-NG, 96-03-NG, 98-84-NG, and 98-82-NG]

Orders Granting, Amending, and Transferring Authorizations to Import and/or Export Natural Gas, Including Liquefied Natural Gas

Clinton Energy Management Services, Inc.,
Rumford Power Associates Limited,
Partnership

Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation
Enron Energy Services, Inc.
TransCanada Gas Services Inc.
Duke Energy Trading and Marketing, L.L.C.
BC Gas Utility Ltd.
Dyneegy Marketing and Trade (Formerly)
Natural Gas Clearinghouse

Interenergy Corporation and Interenergy
Resources Corporation
Ferrell International Limited
Statoil Energy, Inc. (Formerly Eastern
Energy Marketing, Inc.)
Statoil Energy, Inc. (Formerly Eastern
Energy Marketing, Inc.)
Statoil Energy, Inc. (Formerly Eastern
Energy Marketing, Inc.)
Koch Energy Trading, Inc.
CXY Energy Marketing (U.S.A.) Inc.

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of Orders.

SUMMARY: The Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy gives notice that it has issued Orders granting, amending, and transferring various natural gas, including liquefied natural gas, import and export authorizations. These Orders are summarized in the attached appendix.

These Orders may be found on the FE web site at <http://www.fe.doe.gov>, or on the electronic bulletin board at (202) 586-7853.

They are also available for inspection and copying in the Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import and Export Activities, Docket Room 3E-033, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, (202) 586-9478. The Docket Room is open between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued in Washington, D.C., on November 9, 1998.

John W. Glynn,

Manager, Natural Gas Regulation, Office of
Natural Gas & Petroleum, Import and Export
Activities, Office of Fossil Energy.

Appendix—Orders Granting, Amending, and Transferring Import/Export Authorization

DOE/FE Authority

Order No.	Date issued	Importer/Exporter FE docket no.	Two-Year Maximum		Comments
			Import volume	Export volume	
1420	10/13/98	Clinton Energy Management Services, Inc., 98-73-NG.	400 Bcf		Import and export up to a combined total from and to Canada and Mexico, over a two-year term beginning on the date of first delivery.
1421	10/22/98	Rumford Power Associates Limited Partnership, 98-75-NG.	34 Bcf		Import and export up to a combined total from and to Canada over a two-year term beginning on the date of first delivery.
1422	10/22/98	Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation, 98-70-NG.	200 Bcf	.....	Import from Canada over a two-year term beginning December 1, 1998, through November 30, 2000.
1423	10/23/98	Enron Energy Services, Inc., 98-74-NG.	200 Bcf		Import and export up to a combined total from and to Canada and Mexico, over a two-year term beginning on the date of first delivery.
1424	10/26/98	TransCanada Gas Services Inc., 98-79-NG.	700 Bcf	300 Bcf	Import from Canada, and export up to a combined total to Canada and Mexico, over a two-year term beginning on the date of first delivery.
1425	10/26/98	Duke Energy Trading and Marketing, L.L.C. 98-78-NG.	200 Bcf		Import and export up to an aggregate total, including LNG from and to Canada and Mexico, and import LNG from other countries over a two-year term beginning October 31, 1998, and ending October 30, 2000.

Order No.	Date issued	Importer/Exporter FE docket no.	Two-Year Maximum		Comments
			Import volume	Export volume	
1426	10/26/98	BC Gas Utility Ltd., 98-77-NG.	25 Bcf	25 Bcf	Import and export from and to Canada, over a two-year term beginning on the date of first delivery after November 30, 1998.
1316-A	10/27/98	Dynegy Marketing and Trade, (Formerly Natural Gas Clearinghouse), 97-78-NG.	.....	.....	Name change.
1427	10/29/98	Interenergy Corporation and Interenergy Resources Corporation, 98-81-NG.	73 Bcf	73 Bcf	Import and export from and to Canada over a two-year term beginning on date of first delivery after October 31, 1998.
1428	10/29/98	Ferrell International Limited, 98-80-LNG.	45 Bcf	.....	Import LNG from foreign countries over a two-year term beginning on date of first shipment.
1224-A	10/29/98	Statoil Energy, Inc. (Formerly Eastern Energy Marketing, Inc.), 96-80-NG.	.....	.....	Name change.
1151-A	10/29/98	Statoil Energy, Inc. (Formerly Eastern Energy Marketing, Inc.), 96-02-NG.	.....	.....	Name change.
1152-A	10/29/98	Statoil Energy, Inc. (Formerly Eastern Energy Marketing, Inc.), 96-03-NG.	.....	.....	Name change.
1429	10/30/98	Koch Energy Trading, Inc., 98-84-NG.	73 Bcf	.....	Import from Canada over a two-year term beginning on November 3, 1998, through November 2, 2000.
1431	10/30/98	CXY Energy Marketing (U.S.A.) Inc., 98-82-NG.	200 Bcf		Import and export up to an aggregate from and to Canada and Mexico, over a two-year term beginning January 1, 1999, through December 31, 2000.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

Golden Field Office; Broad Based Solicitation for Submission of Financial Assistance

AGENCY: Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Notice of solicitation number DE-PS36-99GO10383, broad based solicitation for submission of financial assistance applications involving research, development, and demonstration for renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies.

SUMMARY: The DOE Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) has a continuing interest in receiving applications for grants and cooperative agreements supporting renewable energy and energy efficiency basic research, directed and applied research, cooperative demonstrations, and related activities. The Broad Based Solicitation will provide specific information and will consist of two parts: the first part is generic and will consist of guidelines and requirements for submitting applications; the second part will be specific to designated program areas of interest and will consist of individual supplemental announcements issued at a later date. These individual supplemental

announcements will contain technology specific information, anticipated programmatic funding levels, eligibility requirements, evaluation criteria, any cost sharing requirements, application deadlines, and any other requirements specific to the supplemental announcements.

Notices of release of the detailed supplemental announcements will be published separately in the **Federal Register** as they become available. It is anticipated that the initial supplemental announcements will be in the following program areas: (1) Innovative technologies that will increase the efficiency or lower the cost of producing and converting biomass to transportation fuels; (2) demonstration programs to obtain operational data regarding alternative fuel and advanced technologies for use by fleet managers in making vehicle acquisition decisions; (3) research, development and demonstration of innovative concepts applicable to trucks and other heavy vehicles so they can be more energy efficient and able to use alternative fuels while simultaneously reducing emissions; (4) the use of artificial intelligence techniques to synthesize and extract patterns of heavy-duty truck performance under a variety of real-world operating conditions from real-time operational data on fuel efficiency, cost effectiveness, and emissions of heavy-duty trucks; (5) component

technology development in the areas of hydrogen production, storage, and utilization; and (6) geothermal technology innovation in the areas of drilling, energy conversion, fracture detection and analysis, heat recovery systems, by-product recovery, and waste management.

All information regarding the solicitation will be posted on the DOE Golden Field Office Home page at the address identified below.

DATES: DOE expects to issue the first part of the Solicitation the week of November 9, 1998.

ADDRESSES: The first part of the Solicitation will be posted on the DOE Golden Field Office Home Page at <http://www.eren.doe.gov/golden/solicitations.htm>. It is DOE's intention not to issue hard copies of the Solicitation.

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Issued in Golden, Colorado, on November 4, 1998.

John W. Meeker,
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