

no. 2485-012, Western Massachusetts Electric Company (WMECO)—transferor for project no. 1889-034 and co-transferor for project no. 2485 and Northeast Generation Company (NGC)—transferee for all five projects.

e. *Names of Projects:* Turner Falls (1889-034), Northfield (2485-012), Housatonic (2576-023), Falls Village (2597-018), and Scotland (2662-004).

f. *Locations:* Turner Falls—on the Connecticut River, in Franklin County, Massachusetts and Windham County Vermont; Northfield—on the Connecticut River, in Franklin County, Massachusetts; Housatonic—on the Housatonic River in Fairfield, New Haven, and Litchfield Counties, Connecticut; Falls Village—on the Housatonic River in Litchfield County, Connecticut; and, Scotland—on the Shetucket River in Windham County, Connecticut. The projects do not utilize federal or tribal lands.

g. *Filed pursuant to:* 18 CFR 4.200.

h. *Applicants Contacts:* For transferors and co-transferors—Ms. Donna M. Gilbane and Ms. Cynthia Brodhead, Senior Counsel, Northeast Utilities Service Company, P.O. Box 270, Hartford, CT 06141, tel. (860) 665-5000, e-mail addresses: gilbadm@nu.com, brodhead@nu.com. For transferee—Mr. Philip M. Small, Assistant General Counsel, Northeast Utilities Service Company, P.O. Box 270, Hartford, CT 06141, tel. (860) 665-5000, e-mail address: smallpm@nu.com and Mr. James B. Vasile, Steptoe & Johnson LLP, 1330 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20036, e-mail address: jvasile@steptoe.com.

i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Tom Papsidero at (202) 219-2715, e-mail address: Thomas.Papsidero@ferc.fed.us.

j. *Deadline for filing comments and/or motions:* October 12, 1999.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426.

Please include the project numbers (1889-034, 2485-012, 2576-023, 2597-018, and/or 2662-004) on any comments or motions filed.

k. *Description of Transfer:* CL&P and WMECO request to transfer the licenses related to the sale of generating assets to NCG as a result of corporate restructuring and divestiture of assets in accordance with the retail restructuring order of the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy.

The transfer application was filed within five years of the expiration of the licenses for Project Nos. 2576 and 2597, which are subject to a pending

application for new license, filed August 31, 1999. In Hydroelectric Relicensing Regulations Under the Federal Power Act, 54 Fed. Reg. 23,756 (June 2, 1989); FERC Statutes and Regulations, Regulations Preambles 1986-1900 ¶ 30,854 at p. 31,438 n. 318 (May 17, 1989) (Order No. 513), the Commission declined to forbid all license transfers during the last five years of an existing license, and instead indicated that it would scrutinize all such transfer requests to determine if the transfer's primary purpose was to give the transferee an advantage in relicensing.

1. *Locations of the application:* A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE, Room 2A, Washington, D.C. 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371. This filing may be viewed on <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call (202) 208-2222 for assistance). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at each address in item h above.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTEST", or "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies provided by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

Agency Comments—Federal, state, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described application. A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant. If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Application Tendered for Filing With the Commission and Soliciting Additional Study Requests

September 27, 1999.

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and available for public inspection:

a. *Type of Application:* Original Minor License.

b. *Project No.:* 11685-001.

c. *Dated filed:* September 10, 1999.

d. *Applicant:* The Stockport Mill Country Inn.

e. *Name of Project:* Stockport Mill Country Inn Water Power Project.

f. *Location:* On the Muskingum River, near the town of Stockport, in Morgan County, Ohio. The project would not utilize federal lands.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. §§ 791(a)-825(r).

h. *Applicant Contact:* David Brown Kinloch, Soft Energy Associates, 414 South Wensel Street, Louisville, KY 40204, (502) 589-0975.

i. *FERC Contact:* Tom Dean, thomas.dean@ferc.fed.us, (202) 219-2778.

j. *Deadline for filing additional study request:* November 9, 1999.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all intervenors filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person whose name appears on the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervenor files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a

particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

k. *Status of environmental analysis:* This application is not ready for environmental analysis at this time.

l. *Description of the Project:* The proposed project would consist of the following facilities: (1) the exiting 20-foot-high, 482-foot-long Muskingum Lock and Dam No. 6; (2) an existing 476-acre reservoir with a normal pool elevation of 640.1 feet msl; (3) an exiting 20 foot by 24 foot forebay with a 19-foot-wide vertical trashrack; (4) an existing powerhouse in the basement of the mill containing two proposed generating units with a total installed capacity of 235 kW; and (5) other appurtenances. The lock and dam is owned by the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Parks and Recreation.

m. *Locations of the application:* A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commisison's Public Reference Room, located 888 First Street, NE, Room 2A, Washington, DC 20246, or by calling (202) 208-1371. The application may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call (202) 208-2222 for assistance). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

n. With this notice, we are initiating consultation with the State Historic Preservation Officer as required by § 106, National Historic Preservation Act, and the regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, 36 CFR 800.4.

o. Under Section 4.32(b)(7) of the Commission's regulations (18 CFR 4.32(b)(7)), if any resource agency, Indian Tribe, or person believes that the applicant should conduct an additional scientific study to form an adequate factual basis for a complete analysis of the application on its merits, they must file a request for the study with the Commisison, not later than 60 days after the date application is filed, and must serve a copy of the request on the applicant.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPPTS-00279; FRL-6383-3]

Voluntary Cover Sheet for TSCA Submissions; Request for Comment on Renewal of Information Collection Activities

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that EPA is planning to submit the following existing Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the information collection. The ICR is a renewal ICR entitled "Voluntary Cover Sheet for TSCA Submissions," EPA ICR No. 1780.02, OMB No. 2070-0156. The use of this ICR will enable the Agency more easily to collect, process, store, retrieve and disseminate information on health and environmental risks associated with toxic chemicals. An Agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are listed in 40 CFR part 9. **DATES:** Written comments, identified by the docket control number OPPTS-00279 and administrative record number 219 must be received on or before November 30, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted by mail, electronically, or in person. Please follow the detailed instructions for each method as provided in Unit III. of the "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION." To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number OPPTS-00279 and administrative record number 219 in the subject line on the first page of your response.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: *For general information contact:* Christine M. Augustyniak, Associate Director, Environmental Assistance Division (7408), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 554-1404; TDD: (202) 554-0551; e-mail address: TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov.

For technical information contact: John Myers, Information Management Division (7407), Office of Pollution

Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460, telephone number: 202-260-3543; fax number: 202-260-2347; e-mail address: meyers.john@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Does this Action Apply to Me?

You may be potentially affected by this action if you manufacture, process, use, import or distribute in commerce chemical substances that are subject to reporting requirements under sections 4, 8(d) or 8(e) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA). Potentially affected categories and entities may include, but are not limited to:

Type of business	SIC codes
Industrial organic chemicals	2819
Adhesives and sealants	2891
Paints and allied products	2851
Textile goods	2299
Petroleum products	5172

This table is not intended to be exhaustive, but rather provides a guide for readers regarding entities likely to be affected by this action. Other types of entities not listed in this table could also be affected. The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) codes are provided to assist you and others in determining whether or not this action might apply to certain entities. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the technical person listed in the "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT."

II. How Can I Get Additional Information, Including Copies of this Document and Other Related Documents?

A. Electronically

You may obtain electronic copies of this document, and certain other related documents that might be available electronically, from the EPA Internet Home Page at <http://www.epa.gov/>. On the Home Page select "Laws and Regulations" and then look up the entry for this document under the "Federal Register-Environmental Documents." You can also go directly to the **Federal Register** listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

B. Fax-on-Demand

Using a faxphone call (202) 401-0527 and select item 4072 for a copy of the ICR.