postsecondary certificates, diplomas, and degrees in the practice of massage therapy.)

Petitions for Renewal of Recognition

1. Accrediting Association of Bible Colleges, Commission on Accreditation (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation and preaccreditation ("Candidate for Accreditation") of Bible colleges and institutes offering undergraduate programs.)

2. American Academy for Liberal Education (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation and preaccreditation ("Candidate for Accreditation") of institutions of higher education and programs within institutions of higher education that offer liberal arts degrees at the baccalaureate level or a documented equivalency.)

3. American Physical Therapy Association, Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation and preaccreditation ("Candidate for Accreditation" status) of programs for the preparation of physical therapists and physical therapist assistants. Requested scope of recognition: The accreditation and preaccreditation ("Candidate for Accreditation") of physical therapist education programs leading to the first professional degree at the master's or doctoral level and physical therapist assistant education programs at the associate degree level, including the use of distance education.)

4. American Veterinary Medical Association, Council on Education (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation and preaccreditation ("Reasonable Assurance") of programs leading to professional degrees (D.V.M. or D.M.V.) in veterinary medicine.)

5. Association for Clinical Pastoral Education, Inc., Accreditation Commission (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation of clinical pastoral education (CPE) centers and CPE and supervisory CPE programs.)

6. Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation of nursing education programs at the baccalaureate and graduate degree levels.)

7. Distance Education and Training Council, Accrediting Commission (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation of private and non-private distance education institutions offering non-degree and associate, baccalaureate, and master's degree programs primarily through the distance learning method. Requested scope of recognition: The accreditation of private and non-private distance education institutions offering non-degree and associate, baccalaureate, master's, and first professional degree programs primarily through the distance learning method.)

8. National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation of programs in practical nursing, and diploma, associate, baccalaureate and higher degree nurse education programs.)

Petition for an Expansion of Scope

1. Accrediting Council for Continuing Education and Training (Current scope of recognition: The accreditation of institutions of higher education that offer non-collegiate continuing education programs. Requested scope of recognition: The accreditation of institutions of higher education that offer non-collegiate continuing education programs and occupational associate degrees (Associate in Occupational Studies (A.O.S) and Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.))

Where Can I Inspect Petitions and Third-Party Comments Before and After the Meeting?

All petitions and those third-party comments received in advance of the meeting, will be available for public inspection and copying at the U.S. Department of Education, 1990 K Street, NW., 7th Floor, Room 7105, Washington, DC 20006–8509, telephone (202) 219–7011 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, until November 16, 2001. They will be available again after the December 10–11 Advisory Committee meeting. An appointment must be made in advance of such inspection or copying.

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Dated: June 27, 2001.

Maureen A. McLaughlin,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy, Planning, and Innovation, Office of Postsecondary Education. [FR Doc. 01–17536 Filed 7–12–01; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4000–01–U

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Science; Energy Biosciences Program, et al.; Extension of Due Date for Notices Inviting Grant Applications

AGENCY: Department of Energy (DOE). **ACTION:** Extension of due dates for notices inviting grant applications.

The Office of Science (SC), U. S. Department of Energy (DOE), hereby extends the due dates for the following notices: *Notice 01–15:* Energy Biosciences Program.

- Published in FR, Vol. 66, No. 2, pages 356–357, January 3, 2001.
- The deadline for formal applications has been extended to July 13, 2001.
- *Notice 01–24:* Theoretical Research in Plasma and Fusion Science.
- Published in FR, Vol. 66, No. 61, pages 17165–17167, March 29, 2001.
- The deadline for formal applications has been extended to July 13, 2001.

Notice 01–25: Development of Diagnostic Systems for Magnetic Fusion Energy Sciences.

- Experiments Published in FR, Vol. 66, No. 78, pages 20442–20443, April 23, 2001.
- The deadline for the Letter-of-Intent has been extended to July 27, 2001.
- The deadline for formal applications has been extended to August 31, 2001.

Notice 01–26: Program for Ecosystem Research (PER).

Published in FR, Vol. 66, No. 97, pages 27636–27638, May 18, 2001.

The deadline for preapplications has been extended to August 2, 2001.

The deadline for formal applications has been extended to September 13, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Notice 01–15: Energy Biosciences Program

Ms. Pat Snyder, Chemical Sciences, Geosciences and Biosciences Division, Office of Basic Energy Sciences, SC– 143, 19901 Germantown Road, Germantown, MD 20874–1290, telephone (301) 903–2873; E-mail *pat.snyder@science.doe.gov.*

Notice 01–24: Theoretical Research in Plasma and Fusion Science

Office of Fusion Energy Sciences, U.S. Department of Energy, 19901 Germantown Road, Germantown, MD 20874–1290. Specific contacts for each area of interest, along with telephone numbers and Internet addresses, are listed below:

Magnetohydrodynamics and Stability: Rostom Dagazian, Research Division, SC–55, Telephone: (301) 903–4926, or by Internet address, rostom.dagazian@science.doe.gov.

Confinement and Transport: Curt Bolton, Research Division, SC–55, Telephone: (301) 903–4914, or by Internet address.

curt.bolton@science.doe.gov.

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Plasma Heating and Non-inductive Current Drive: Walter Sadowski, Research Division, SC–55, Telephone: (301) 903-4678, or by Internet address, walt.sadowski@science.doe.gov.

Innovative Confinement Concepts: Steve Eckstrand, Research Division, SC-55, Telephone: (301) 903-5546, or by Internet address,

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Atomic and Molecular Processes in Plasmas: Mike Crisp, Research Division, SC-55, Telephone: (301) 903-4883, or by Internet address, michael.crisp@science.doe.gov.

Notice 01-25: Development of **Diagnostic Systems for Magnetic Fusion Energy Sciences Experiments**

Darlene Markevich, SC-55 GTN, U.S. Department of Energy, 19901 Germantown Road, Germantown, MD 20874-1290, telephone (301) 903-4920, or by e-mail address,

darlene.markevich@science.doe.gov. Or contact John Sauter, SC-55 GTN, U.S. Department of Energy, 19901 Germantown Road, Germantown, MD 20874-1290, telephone 301-903-3287, or by e-mail address, john.sauter@science.doe.gov.

Notice 01-26: Program for Ecosystem **Research (PER)**

Dr. Jeffrey S. Amthor, Environmental Sciences Division, SC-74, Office of Biological and Environmental Research, U.S. Department of Energy, 19901 Germantown Road, Germantown, MD 20874-1290, telephone (301) 903-2507, e-mail: Jeff.Amthor@science.doe.gov, fax: (301) 903-8519.

Issued in Washington DC on July 3, 2001. John Rodney Clark,

Associate Director of Science for Resource Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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Office of Fossil Energy; Pan-Alberta Gas (U.S.) Inc.; et. al.; Orders Granting and Amending Authority to Import and **Export Natural Gas**

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

[DOE/FE authority]

ACTION: Notice of orders.

SUMMARY: The Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy gives notice that during June 2001, it issued Orders granting and amending authority to import and export natural gas. These Orders are summarized in the attached appendix and 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 & Export Activities, Docket Room 3E-033, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 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, DC, on July 9, 2001.

Clifford P. Tomaszewski,

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

Appendix—Orders Granting and **Amending Import/Export** Authorizations

Order No.	Date issued	Importer/exporter FE Docket No.	Import volume	Export volume	Comments
1688	06–07–01	Pan-Alberta Gas (U.S.) Inc.; 01–25– NG.	730 Bcf		Import from Canada beginning on July 4, 2001, and extending through July 3, 2003.
1689	06–13–01	Dartmouth Power Associates Limited Partnership; 01–27–NG.	11.68 Bcf		Import from Canada beginning on May 7, 2001, and extending through May 6, 2003.
1690	06–13–01	Pawtucket Power Associates Limited Partnership; 01–26–NG.	10.584 Bcf		Import from Canada beginning on May 31, 2001, and extending through May 30, 2003.
1691	06–21–01	AEC Marketing (USA) Inc.; 01–30–NG	200 Bcf		Import from Canada beginning on June 30, 2001, and extending through June 29, 2003.
1677–A	06–21–01	AltaGas Marketing (U.S.) Inc.; 01–14– NG.		15 Bcf	Amendment to Import authority to in- clude exports to Canada, over a two- year term beginning on the date of first delivery.
1692	06–25–01	Cascade Natural Gas Corporation; 01– 29–NG.	100 Bcf		Import from Canada beginning on July 1, 2001, and extending through June 30, 2003.
1693	06–25–01	Dynegy Power Marketing, Inc.; 01–33– NG.	600 Bcf	330 Bcf	Import a combined total from Canada and Mexico, and export a combined total to Canada and Mexico begin- ning on June 25, 2001, and extend- ing through June 24, 2003.
1695	06–26–01	Coral Canada US Inc.; 01–31–NG	350 Bcf	350 Bcf	Import and export from and to Canada, over a two-year term beginning on the date of first delivery.
1696	06–28–01	Sithe/Independence Power Partners, LP; 01–34–NG.	60 Bcf		Import from Canada beginning on July 1, 2001, and extending through June 30, 2003.