#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

#### Office of Science; DOE/Advanced Scientific Computing Advisory Committee

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy. **ACTION:** Notice of opening meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Advanced Scientific Computing Advisory Committee (ASCAC). Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92–463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the Federal Register.

DATES: Tuesday, November 6, 2007, 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Wednesday, November 7, 2007, 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. ADDRESSES: Hilton Gaithersburg, 620 Perry Parkway, Gaithersburg, MD 20877.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Melea Baker, Office of Advanced Scientific Computing Research; SC–21/ Germantown Building; U.S. Department of Energy; 1000 Independence Avenue, SW.; Washington, DC 20585–1290; Telephone (301) 903–7486, (E-mail: Melea.Baker@science.doe.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Meeting: The purpose of this meeting is to provide advice and guidance with respect to the advanced scientific computing research program.

Tentative Agenda: Agenda will include discussions of the following:

Tuesday, November 6, 2007

Opening Remarks from the Committee Chair.

View from Washington and Germantown.

Update on SciDAC.

Quantum Simulations of Materials and Nanostructure (Q–SIMAN).

Fusion Simulation Project.

New Charge—ASCR Role in the Fusions Simulation Project (FSP).

The Role of High Performance Computing (HPC) in the Office of Science.

Report Discussion on Charge— Networking.

Report Discussion on Charge—Joint Panel with BERAC on Life Sciences Goal (GTL).

Report Discussion on Charge—Joint Panel with BERAC on Climate. Public Comment.

Wednesday, November 7, 2007

Applied Math Update. Applied Mathematics Strategic Planning.

Pioneer Applications at the Leadership Class Facility (LCF).

New Charge—Committee of Visitors.

Public Comment.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. If you would like to file a written statement with the Committee, you may do so either before or after the meeting. If you would like to make oral statements regarding any of the items on the agenda, you should contact Melea Baker via FAX at 301-903-4846 or via e-mail Melea.Baker@science.doe.gov. You must make your request for an oral statement at least 5 business days prior to the meeting. Reasonable provision will be made to include the scheduled oral statements on the agenda. The Chairperson of the Committee will conduct the meeting to facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Public comment will follow the 10-minute rule. This notice is being published less than 15 days before the date of the

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying within 30 days at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room; 1E–190, Forrestal Building; 1000 Independence Avenue, SW.; Washington, DC 20585; between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

meeting due to programmatic issues.

Issued in Washington, DC on October 22, 2007.

#### Rachel Samuel,

Deputy Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 07–5315 Filed 10–25–07; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6450–01–P

#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. PR08-2-000]

#### Acacia Natural Gas Corporation; Notice of Petition for Rate Approval

October 18, 2007.

Take notice that on October 12, 2007, Acacia Natural Gas Corporation (Acacia) filed a petition for rate approval for NGPA section 311 maximum interruptible transportation rates equal to 12.23 cents per MMBtu, pursuant to section 284.123(b)(2) of the Commission's regulations, with a proposed effective date of January 1, 2008.

Any person desiring to participate in this rate proceeding must file a motion to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in

determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the date as indicated below. Anyone filing an intervention or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. Anyone filing an intervention or protest on or before the intervention or protest date need not serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at http://www.ferc.gov. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

This filing is accessible on-line at http://www.ferc.gov, using the "eLibrary" link and is available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an "eSubscription" link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, or call (866) 208–3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502–8659.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. October 31, 2007.

#### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER07-1175-001]

# Ameren Illinois Transmission Company; Notice of Filing

October 18, 2007.

Take notice that on October 3, 2007, pursuant to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's September 17, 2007, letter order, Ameren Illinois Transmission Company (Ameren Transco) filed a certificate of concurrence Ameren Transco designating the Joint Ownership Agreement, accepted as Rate Schedule No. 1.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. On or before the comment date, it is not necessary to serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

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Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on October 31, 2007.

#### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ID-4025-001]

#### Brown, D. Tim; Notice of Filing

October 18, 2007.

Take notice that on October 15, 2007, Tim D. Brown filed an application for approval to hold interlocking positions, pursuant to section 45.8 of the Commission's regulation, 18 CFR 45.8 (2007).

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant and all the parties in this proceeding.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at http://www.ferc.gov. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

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Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on November 14, 2007.

#### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL08-4-000]

# **Entergy Gulf States, Inc.; Notice of Filing**

October 18, 2007.

Take notice that on October 12, 2007, Entergy Gulf States, Inc., on behalf of Gulf States Louisiana, L.L.C. and Entergy Texas, Inc., filed a petition for declaratory order regarding payment of dividends from paid-in capital.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214).

Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. On or before the comment date, it is not necessary to serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

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Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on November 2, 2007.

#### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP08-6-000 and Docket No. PF07-4-000]

#### Midcontinent Express Pipeline LLC; Notice of Application

October 23, 2007.

Take notice that on October 9, 2007, and supplemented on October 19, 2007, Midcontinent Express Pipeline LLC (Midcontinent), 747 East 22nd Street, Lombard, Illinois 60148, filed an abbreviated application pursuant to section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct and operate a new 502-mile natural gas pipeline system from southeastern