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*Docket Numbers:* ER17–1035–000.

*Applicants:* NorthWestern Corporation.

*Description:* Tariff Cancellation: Notice of Cancellation: SA 743, Agreement with Montana Environmental Trust Group to be effective 2/27/2017.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224–5130.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER17–1036–000.

*Applicants:* NorthWestern Corporation.

*Description:* Tariff Cancellation: Notice of Cancellation: SA 778, EP&C with Project Spokane, LLC to be effective 2/27/2017.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224–5132.

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Dated: February 24, 2017.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98–1–000]

#### Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding, to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not

be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e)(1)(v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received by the Secretary of the Commission. The communications listed are grouped by docket numbers in ascending order. These filings are available for electronic review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the eLibrary link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits, in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or toll free at (866) 208–3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502–8659.

Docket No.	File date	Presenter or requester
<i>Prohibited:</i>		
1. P–1256–031 .....	2–7–2017	Loup Power District.
<i>Exempt:</i>		
1. CP16–22–000 .....	2–6–2017	U.S. House Representative Robert E. Latta.
2. P–12635–002 .....	2–6–2017	FERC Staff. <sup>1</sup>
3. CP14–497–000 .....	2–8–2017	Tompkins County, NY Legislator Carol Chock.
4. CP16–121–000 .....	2–9–2017	FERC Staff. <sup>2</sup>
5. CP15–138–000 .....	2–10–2017	U.S. House Representative Bonnie Watson Coleman.
6. CP16–10–000 .....	2–10–2017	U.S. House Representative Bob Goodlatte.
7. CP17–28–000 .....	2–13–2017	FERC Staff. <sup>3</sup>
8. CP16–487–000 .....	2–15–2017	FERC Staff. <sup>4</sup>
9. P–13102–000 .....	2–16–2017	FERC Staff. <sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Email correspondence memo forwarding December 9, 2016 email from James Besha of Albany Engineering Corporation.

<sup>2</sup> Memorandum for February 8, 2017 conference with PHMSA, Field Point, and FERC staff.

<sup>3</sup> Telephone call record for February 7, 2017 call with Brian Scofield from U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Pennsylvania Field Office.

<sup>4</sup> Telephone memo for February 10, 2017 call with Andrew Horton from Twin Cities Ecological Services Field Office, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

<sup>5</sup> Summary of technical meeting for January 23, 2017 meeting with U.S. Army Corps, Birch Power Company, and FERC staff.

Dated: February 22, 2017.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ID-8117-000]

#### Perkins, Zac; Notice of Filing

Take notice that on February 28, 2017, Zac Perkins filed a application for authorization to hold interlocking positions, pursuant to section 305(b) of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 825d(b) (2012) and section 45.8 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 45.8 (2016).

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.

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 5 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 electronic 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 email notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please email [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

*Comment Date:* 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on March 21, 2017.

Dated: February 28, 2017.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Combined Notice of Filings #1

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

*Docket Numbers:* EC17-84-000.

*Applicants:* Innovative Solar 37, LLC.

*Description:* Application of Innovative Solar 37, LLC for Authorization Under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act and Confidential Treatment.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224-5172.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

*Docket Numbers:* EC17-85-000.

*Applicants:* Entergy New Orleans, Inc.

*Description:* Application for Approval under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act of Entergy New Orleans, Inc.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224-5175.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

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

*Docket Numbers:* ER10-2331-064;

ER10-2319-055; ER10-2317-055;

ER13-1351-037; ER10-2330-062.

*Applicants:* J.P. Morgan Ventures Energy Corporation, BE Alabama LLC, BE CA LLC, Florida Power Development LLC, Utility Contract Funding, L.L.C.

*Description:* Notice of Non-Material Change in Status of the J.P. Morgan Sellers.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224-5170.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER15-794-003.

*Applicants:* Catalyst Paper Operations Inc.

*Description:* Notice of Change in Status of Catalyst Paper Operations Inc.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224-5168.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER16-453-006.

*Applicants:* Northeast Transmission Development, LLC.

*Description:* Compliance Filing [including unpopulated, Pro Forma version of Attachments H-27A and H-27B] of Northeast Transmission Development, LLC.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224-5173.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER17-1037-000.

*Applicants:* Innovative Solar 37, LLC.

*Description:* Baseline eTariff Filing: Baseline new to be effective 4/26/2017.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224-5158.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER17-1038-000.

*Applicants:* The Connecticut Light and Power Company.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: Two Party Interconnection Agreement with Covanta Southeastern CT Co. to be effective 2/18/2017.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224-5163.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

*Docket Numbers:* ER17-1039-000.

*Applicants:* PacifiCorp.

*Description:* § 205(d) Rate Filing: BPA General Transfer Agreement (West) Rev 8 to be effective 4/25/2017.

*Filed Date:* 2/24/17.

*Accession Number:* 20170224-5167.

*Comments Due:* 5 p.m. ET 3/17/17.

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Dated: February 27, 2017.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Mountaineer Xpress and Gulf Xpress Projects

Docket No.

Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC, CP16-357-000