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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

International Energy Agency Meeting

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Industry Advisory Board (IAB) to the International Energy Agency (IEA) will meet on March 21, 2006, at the headquarters of the IEA in Paris, France, in connection with a meeting of the IEA's Standing Group on Emergency Questions.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

In accordance with section 252(c)(1)(A)(i) of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6272(c)(1)(A)(i)) (EPCA), the following notice of meeting is provided:

A meeting of the Industry Advisory Board (IAB) to the International Energy Agency (IEA) will be held at the headquarters of the IEA, 9, rue de la Fédération, Paris, France, on March 21, 2006, beginning at 8:30 a.m. The purpose of this notice is to permit attendance by representatives of U.S. company members of the IAB at a meeting of the IEA's Standing Group on Emergency Questions (SEQ), which is scheduled to be held at the IEA on March 21 beginning at 10:30 a.m., including a preparatory encounter among company representatives from approximately 8:30 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. The agenda for the preparatory encounter is a review of the agenda for the SEQ meeting.

The agenda for the SEQ meeting is under the control of the SEQ. It is expected that the SEQ will adopt the following agenda:

1. Adoption of the Agenda.
2. Approval of the Summary Record of the 115th Meeting.
3. The IEA Collective Action Agreed on September 2, 2005, in Response to Disrupted Oil Supplies.
 - Summary of the IEA Collective Action of 2005.
 - Evaluation of the IEA Collective Action of 2005.

4. Status of Compliance with IEP Stockholding Commitments.
 - Status of Replenishment Plans.
 - Reports by Non-Complying Member Countries.
5. Program of Work.
 - The SEQ's Responses to the Governing Board Brainstorming Process.
 - Evaluation of Program of Work 2005.
 - SEQ Activities Planned for 2006.
 - First Steps in the SEQ Program of Work for 2007-2008.
6. Emergency Response Review Program.
 - Emergency Response Review of Hungary.
 - Emergency Response Review of Spain.
 - Questionnaire Response of Turkey.
 - Updated Emergency Response Review Schedule.
 - Plans for a Questionnaire on Oil Storage Capacity.
7. Report on Current Activities of the IAB.
8. Policy and Other Developments in Member Countries.
 - Belgium.
9. Other Emergency Response Activities.
 - Plans for First Meeting of SEQ Working Group on IEA Emergency Reserve Calculation Methodology.
10. Activities with Non-Member Countries and International Organizations.
 - NMC Activities Related to Emergency Preparedness.
 - Chinese Translation of "Oil Supply Security" Book.
 - Draft Emergency Response Questionnaire for Non-Member Countries.
11. Documents for Information.
 - Emergency Reserve Situation of IEA Member Countries on January 1, 2006.
 - Emergency Reserve Situation of IEA Candidate Countries on January 1, 2006.
 - Base Period Final Consumption: 1Q2005-4Q2005.
 - Monthly Oil Statistics: December 2005.
 - Update of Emergency Contacts List.
12. Other Business.
 - Dates of Next SEQ Meetings (tentative):
 - June 20-21, 2006.
 - November 16-17, 2006.

As provided in section 252(c)(1)(A)(ii) of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6272(c)(1)(A)(ii)), the meetings of the IAB are open to representatives of members of the IAB and their counsel; representatives of

members of the IEA's Standing Group on Emergency Questions; representatives of the Departments of Energy, Justice, and State, the Federal Trade Commission, the General Accounting Office, Committees of Congress, the IEA, and the European Commission; and invitees of the IAB, the SEQ, or the IEA.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER06-441-000]

Decatur Energy Center, LLC; Notice of Issuance of Order

March 6, 2006.

Decatur Energy Center, LLC (Decatur Energy) filed an application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying tariff. The proposed market-based rate tariff provides for the sales of energy, capacity and ancillary services at market-based rates. Decatur Energy also requested waiver of various Commission regulations. In particular, Decatur Energy requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Decatur Energy.

On February 6, 2006, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Tariffs and Market Development—West, granted the request for blanket approval under part 34. The Director's order also stated that the Commission would publish a separate notice in the **Federal Register** establishing a period of time for the filing of protests. Accordingly, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Decatur Energy should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. 18 CFR 385.211, 385.214 (2004).

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protest is March 17, 2006.

Absent a request to be heard in opposition by the deadline above, Decatur Energy is authorized to issue

securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Decatur Energy, compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approval of Decatur Energy's issuances of securities or assumptions of liability.

Copies of the full text of the Director's Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Room, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also 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 filed to access the document. Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM05-32-000]

Repeal of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 and Enactment of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005; Notice of New "FC" Docket Prefix and Filing Guidelines for Self-Certification Notices Under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005

March 6, 2006.

By this Notice the Commission issues guidelines on the procedures for obtaining exempt wholesale generator and foreign utility company status under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005 (PUHCA 2005) and 18 CFR 366.7. The guidelines are attached to this notice and will be included in the set of guidelines for filings under PUHCA 2005 that are available on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov/help/how-to.asp>. Notices of self-certification for exempt

wholesale generator status will receive a new EG docket prefix, even if a prior EG docket applied to the facility. Notices of self-certification of foreign utility company status will receive a docket number with a newly created "FC" prefix.

Both the notices of self-certification of exempt wholesale generator status and notices of self-certification of foreign utility company status should be submitted using the Commission's electronic filing system accessible at the FERC Online link on <http://www.ferc.gov>.

For exempt wholesale generator notices filed on or before September 30, 2006, the heading of the document should refer to EG06-____-000. For foreign utility company notices filed on or before that date, the heading should include FC06-____-000.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

Attachment

Filing Guidelines for Holding Company Filings Under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005 and 18 CFR Part 366

This document contains the guidelines for the following filings pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005 and Commission Order No. 667, issued December 8, 2005:

- (1) FERC-65, Notification of Holding Company Status (18 CFR 366.4(a)),
- (2) FERC-65A, Exemption Notification (18 CFR 366.4(b)),
- (3) FERC-65B, Waiver Notification (18 CFR 366.4(c)), and
- (4) SEC Financing Authorization Orders or Letters/Reports/Other Submissions (18 CFR 366.6(b)),
- (5) Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status (18 CFR 366.7),
- (6) Notice of Self-Certification of Foreign Utility Company Status (18 CFR 366.7).

FERC-65, FERC-65A, and FERC-65-B refer to FERC reporting designations and do not represent actual forms.

FERC-65, Notification of Holding Company Status (18 CFR 366.4(a))

Companies that are holding companies as of February, 8, 2006, shall notify the Commission of their status as a holding company no later than 14 days after the Commission issues an order on rehearing. Holding companies formed after February 8, 2006, shall notify the Commission of their status no later than the later of 14 days after the Commission issues an order on

rehearing or 30 days after their formation.

These notification filings should be submitted using the Commission's eFiling system available at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ferconline.asp>. Do not include waiver or exemption notifications with these filings. The document you submit should include HC06-1-000 in the caption or heading of the document for any notification filed on or before September 30, 2006. During the eFiling submission process:

1. Select the filing type "Production of Document."
2. On the Select Docket screen, enter HC06-1 in the docket number search block and select HC06-1-000 from the results.
3. Before you browse, select, and attach the file, make sure that the file name is less than 25 characters and contains no spaces or special characters.
4. On the Submission Description screen, edit the description by replacing "Production of Document" with "Notification of Holding Company Status."

If you are unable to file electronically, you must submit an original and 14 paper copies of the filing to: Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

It is not necessary to include a form of notice for the **Federal Register**.

Please be advised that the United States Postal Service scans all documents addressed to the Commission with a heat-treatment process that may corrupt diskettes and render filings unusable. You are recommended to use express mail or courier delivery services.

FERC-65A (Exemption Notification) (18 CFR 366.4(b))

FERC-65B (Waiver Notification) (18 CFR 366.4(c))

These filings must be submitted on paper at this time. The document you submit should include PH06-____-000 in the caption or heading of the document, for filings made on or before September 30, 2006.

Submit an original and 14 copies of all "PH" filings, with a form of notice of the "PH" filing suitable for publication in the **Federal Register** on a 3½" diskette, to: Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

Forms of notice for "PH" exemption and waiver requests are available on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/not-form.asp>.

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