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INFORMATION: Sadye E. Dunn, Office of the Secretary, 4330 East West Highway, Bethesda, MD 20207 (301) 504-0800.

Dated: October 1, 1996.

Sadye E. Dunn,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Navy

Notice of Proposed Information Collection; Navy Recruiting Command

SUMMARY: In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Navy Recruiting Command announces the proposed extension of a previously approved public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by December 2, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Commander, Navy Recruiting Command (Code 10D), 801 N. Randolph Street, Arlington, VA 22203.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and

associated collection instruments, please write to the above address, or call Mrs. Lambert at (703) 696-4185.

TITLE AND OMB NUMBER: Navy Advertising Effectiveness Study (NAES); OMB Control Number 0703-0032.

NEEDS AND USES: The Navy Advertising Effectiveness Study measures advertising effectiveness and provides data for strategies to be used in advertising. This information is used to determine management decisions on objectives and strategies of advertising, media selection, and the evaluation of the advertising and recruiting process.

Affected Public: Individuals or Households; **Annual Burden Hours:** 500; **Number of Respondents:** 1,000; **Responses per Respondent:** 1; **Average Burden per Response:** 30 minutes; **Frequency:** Semi-annually.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Navy Advertising Effectiveness Study will be used by the Navy Recruiting Command to provide the Navy with a tailored tool for the allocation of resources, management decisions on objectives and strategies of advertising, operating guidelines on media selection, reach, frequency, copy content, market penetration and evaluation of the advertising and recruiting process.

Dated: September 20, 1996.

D.E. Koenig, Jr.,
LCDR, JAGC, USN, Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[Dockets EA-121 and EA-122]

Application To Export Electric Energy; Electric Clearinghouse, Inc.

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of application.

SUMMARY: Electric Clearinghouse, Inc. (ECI) has submitted applications to export electric energy to Mexico and Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act. ECI is a marketer of electric energy. It does not own or control any electric generation or transmission facilities.

DATES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before October 18, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Electricity (FE-52), Office of Fuels Programs, Office of Fossil Energy, Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585 (FAX 202-287-5736).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellen Russell (Program Office) 202-586-9624 or Michael Skinker (Program Attorney) 202-586-6667.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country are regulated and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C. 824a(e)).

On September 17, 1996, ECI filed two applications with the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) for authorization to export electric energy, as a power marketer, to Mexico (Docket EA-121) and Canada (Docket EA-122) pursuant to section 202(e) of the FPA. ECI neither owns nor controls any facilities for the generation or transmission of electricity, nor does it have a franchised service area. Rather, ECI is a power marketer authorized by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) to engage in the wholesale sale of electricity in interstate commerce at negotiated rates pursuant to its filed rate schedules.

The electric energy ECI proposes to transmit to Mexico and Canada will be purchased from electric utilities and other entities as permitted by the FERC. ECI agrees to comply with the terms and conditions contained in the export authorization issued for those cross-border facilities it proposes to use as well as any other conditions imposed by DOE, including providing written evidence that sufficient transmission access to complete the export transaction has been obtained.

In Docket EA-121, ECI proposed to export the electric energy to Mexico over one or more of the following international transmission lines for which Presidential permits (PP) have been previously issued:

Owner	Location	Voltage	Presidential permit No.
San Diego Gas & Elect.	Miguel, CA	230 kV	PP-68.
El Paso Electric	Imperial Valley, CA	230 kV	PP-79.
	Diablo, NM	115 kV	PP-92.
	Ascarate, TX	115 kV	PP-48.
Central Power and Light	Brownsville, TX	138 kV	PP-94.
Comision Federal De Electricidad	Eagle Pass, TX	138 kV	PP-50.

Owner	Location	Voltage	Presidential permit No.
	Laredo, TX	138 kV	PP-57.
	Falcon Dam, TX	138 kV	Not required.

In Docket EA-122, ECI proposes to export the electric energy to Canada over one or more of the following international transmission lines for which Presidential permits (PP) have been previously issued:

Owner	Location	Voltage	Presidential permit No.
Basin Electric	Tioga, ND	230-kV	PP-64.
Bonneville Power Administration	Blaine, WA	2-500-kV	PP-10.
	Nelway, WA	230-kV	PP-36.
	Nelway, WA	230-kV	PP-46.
Citizens Utilities	Derby Line, VT	120-kV	PP-66.
Detroit Edison	St. Clair, MI	345-kV	PP-38.
	Maryville, MI	230-kV	PP-21.
	Detroit, MI	230-kV	PP-21.
	St. Clair, MI	345-kV	PP-58.
Eastern Maine Elect. Coop.	Calais, ME	69-kV	PP-32.
Joint Owners of Highgate Project	Highgate, VT	345-kV ¹	PP-82.
Maine Electric Power Co.	Houlton, ME	345-kV	PP-43.
Maine Public Service Co.	Limestone, ME	69-kV	PP-12.
	Fort Fairfield, ME	69-kV	PP-12.
	Aroostook County, ME	138-kV	PP-29.
	Madawaska, ME	2-69-kV	PP-29.
Minnesota Power and Light Co	International Falls, MN	115-kV	PP-78.
Minnkota Power	Roseau County, MN	230-kV	PP-61.
New York Power Authority	Massena, NY	765-kV	PP-56.
	Massena, NY	2-230-kV	PP-25.
	Niagara Falls, NY	2-345-kV	PP-74.
	Devils Hole, NY	230-kV	PP-30.
Niagara Mohawk Power Corp.	Devils Hole, NY	230-kV	PP-31.
Northern States Power	Red River, ND	230-kV	PP-45.
	Roseau County, MN	500-kV	PP-63.
Vermont Electric Transmission Co	Norton, VT	±450-kV DC	PP-76.

¹ These facilities were constructed at 345-kV but operated at 120-kV.

Procedural Matters

Any persons desiring to be heard or to protest this application should file a petition to intervene or protest at the address provided above in accordance with §§ 385.211 or 385.214 of the FERC's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Fifteen copies of such petitions and protests should be filed with the DOE on or before the date listed above. Comments on ECI's request to export to Mexico should be clearly marked with Docket EA-121. Comments on ECI's request to export to Canada should be clearly marked with Docket EA-122. Additional copies are to be filed directly with: Peter G. Esposito, John Hengerer & Esposito, 1200 17th Street, NW, Suite 600, Washington, D.C. 20036 (facsimile 202-429-8805) AND Kathryn L. Patton, Regulatory Counsel, Electric Clearinghouse, Inc., 13430 Northwest Freeway, Suite 1200, Houston, TX 77040-6095 (facsimile 713-507-6834).

A final decision will be made on these applications after the environmental impacts of the proposed actions have been evaluated pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969

(NEPA), and a determination is made by the DOE that the proposed action will not adversely impact on the reliability of the U.S. electric power supply system.

Copies of these applications will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above.

Issued in Washington, DC on September 27, 1996.

Anthony J. Como,

Director, Office of Coal & Electricity, Office of Fuels Programs, Office of Fossil Energy.

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Office of Fossil Energy

[Docket EA-123]

Application to Export Electric Energy; PECO Energy Company

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE

ACTION: Notice of application.

SUMMARY: PECO Energy Company (PECO), an investor-owned utility, has submitted an application to export

electric energy to Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act.

DATES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before October 17, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Electricity (FE-52), Office of Fuels Programs, Office of Fossil Energy, Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 (FAX 202-287-5736).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellen Russell (Program Office) 202-586-9624 or Michael Skinker (Program Attorney) 202-586-6667.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Exports of electric energy from the United States to a foreign country are regulated and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C. 824a(e)).

On September 6, 1996, PECO filed an application with the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) for authorization to export electric energy to Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the FPA. PECO, an