

2. Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology, Inc.
3. Accrediting Council for Continuing Education and Training.
4. American Optometric Association, Council on Optometric Education.
5. Council on Occupational Education.
6. National Association of Schools of Art and Design, Commission on Accreditation.
7. National Association of Schools of Dance, Commission on Accreditation.
8. National Association of Schools of Music, Commission on Accreditation, Commission on Non-Degree-Granting Accreditation, Commission on Community/Junior College Accreditation.
9. National Association of Schools of Theatre, Commission on Accreditation.
10. North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Institutions of Higher Education.
11. New England Association of Schools and Colleges, Commission on Technical and Career Institutions.
12. New England Association of Schools and Colleges, Commission on Institutions of Higher Education.
13. Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges, Commission on Colleges.
14. Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Commission on Colleges.
15. Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges.

State Agency Recognized for the Approval of Public Postsecondary Vocational Education

Petitions for Renewal of Recognition

1. Missouri State Board of Education.

State Agencies Recognized for the Approval of Nurse Education

Petitions for Renewal of Recognition

1. Missouri State Board of Nursing.
2. New Hampshire Board of Nursing.

Public Inspection of Petitions and Third-Party Comments

All petitions and interim reports, and those third-party comments received in advance of the meeting, will be available for public inspection in copying at the U.S. Department of Education, ROB-3, Room 3915, 7th and D Streets, SW, Washington, DC 20202-5244, telephone (202) 708-7417 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, until April 15, 1999. They will be available again after the May 11-13 Advisory Committee meeting. It is preferred that an appointment be made

in advance of such inspection or copying.

Greg Woods,

Chief Operating Officer Office of Student Financial Assistance Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Fossil Energy

[Docket No. FE C&E 98-10—Certification Notice—165]

The City of Tallahassee; Notice of Filing of Coal Capability Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of filing.

SUMMARY: On December 2, 1998, the City of Tallahassee submitted a coal capability self-certification pursuant to section 201 of the Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978, as amended.

ADDRESSES: Copies of self-certification filings are available for public inspection, upon request, in the Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex, Fossil Energy, Room 4G-039, FE-27, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellen Russell at (202) 586-9624.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title II of the Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978 (FUA), as amended (42 U.S.C. 8301 *et seq.*), provides that no new baseload electric powerplant may be constructed or operated without the capability to use coal or another alternate fuel as a primary energy source. In order to meet the requirement of coal capability, the owner or operator of such facilities proposing to use natural gas or petroleum as its primary energy source shall certify, pursuant to FUA section 201(d), to the Secretary of Energy prior to construction, or prior to operation as a base load powerplant, that such powerplant has the capability to use coal or another alternate fuel. Such certification establishes compliance with section 201(a) as of the date filed with the Department of Energy. The Secretary is required to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** that a certification has been filed. The following owner/operator of the proposed new baseload powerplant has filed a self-certification in accordance with section 201(d).

Owner: City of Tallahassee.

Operator: City of Tallahassee.

Location: City of St. Marks, Florida.

Plant Configuration: Base load combined-cycle generating facility (combustion turbine/generator, unfired heat recovery steam generator and a steam turbine/generator).

Capacity: 247 megawatts.

Fuel: Natural gas.

Purchasing Entities: The plant will be directly interconnected with the City of Tallahassee's electric system. The net electricity generated by the Plant will be utilized by the City of Tallahassee.

In-Service Date: May 15, 2000.

Issued in Washington, DC, December 17, 1998.

Anthony J. Como,

Manager, Electric Power Regulation, Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex, Office of Coal & Power Systems, Office of Fossil Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Hanford Site

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Hanford Site.

DATES:

Thursday, February 11, 1999: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Friday, February 12, 1999: 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Cavanaugh's, 1101 N. Columbia Center Blvd., Kennewick, WA 99336, ph: 509-783-0611; fax: 509-735-3087.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gail McClure, Public Involvement Program Manager, Department of Energy Richland Operations Office, P.O. Box 550 (A7-75), Richland, WA, 99352; Ph: (509) 373-5647; Fax: (509) 376-1563.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda

The Board will receive information on and discuss issues related to the Office of River Protection; the Interim Stabilization Consent Decree; the Plutonium Finishing Plant; and the

Groundwater/vadose Zone Draft
Baseline Document.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Gail McClure's office at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments near the beginning of the meeting.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Gail McClure, Department of Energy Richland Operations Office, P.O. Box 550, Richland, WA 99352, or by calling her at (509) 373-5647.

Issued at Washington, DC on December 17, 1998.

Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Rocky Flats

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Rocky Flats.

DATES: Thursday, January 7, 1999: 6 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

ADDRESS: College Hill Library, (Front Range Community College), 3705 West 112th Avenue, Westminster, CO.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ken Korkia, Board/Staff Coordinator, EM SSAB-Rocky Flats, 9035 North Wadsworth Parkway, Suite 2250,

Westminster, CO 80021, phone: (303) 420-7855, fax: (303) 420-7579.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda:

1. The Board will host a presentation on the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). Many actions at Rocky Flats, including the upcoming interim storage of transuranic waste, fall under NEPA requirements.

2. The Board will continue to learn about and discuss storage plans for transuranic waste at Rocky Flats. The site must now make interim storage decisions for these wastes, as lawsuits have delayed the opening of the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP).

3. Other Board business will be conducted as necessary.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Ken Korkia at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments at the beginning of the meeting.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying 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-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available at the Public Reading Room located at the Board's office at 9035 North Wadsworth Parkway, Suite 2250, Westminster, CO 80021; telephone (303) 420-7855. Hours of operation for the Public Reading Room are 9:00 am and 4:00 pm on Monday through Friday. Minutes will also be made available by writing or calling Deb Thompson at the Board's office address or telephone number listed above.

Issued at Washington, DC on December 18, 1998.

Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Fossil Energy

[Docket No. FE-R-79-43B]

Electric and Gas Utilities Covered in 1999 by Titles I and III of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 and Requirements for State Regulatory Authorities To Notify the Department of Energy

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Sections 102(c) and 301(d) of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA) require the Secretary of Energy (Secretary) to publish a list, before the beginning of each calendar year, identifying each electric utility and gas utility to which Titles I and III of PURPA apply during such calendar year. In addition, sections 102(c) and 301(d) of PURPA require each State regulatory authority to notify the Secretary of each electric utility and gas utility on the list for which such State regulatory authority has ratemaking authority. This Notice is to announce the availability of the 1999 list of electric and gas utilities and to request written comments on the accuracy of the list.

The list is available both in hard copy and electronically. The hard copy version of the 1999 list is being provided by mail to all State regulatory authorities. Other parties interested in receiving the hard copy of the list may contact the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** identified below. In addition, the Office of Coal & Power Import and Export operates a web site as a service to commercial and government users, as well as the general public. The 1999 list is available by accessing the web site at: http://www.fe.doe.gov/coal_power/elec_reg/elec_reg.htm

DATES: Notifications by State regulatory authorities and written comments must be received no later than 4:30 p.m. on February 15, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Notifications and written comments should be forwarded to: U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Coal & Power Import and Export, FE-27, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Room 4G-