

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP99-113-000]

Algonquin LNG, Inc. Notice of Availability of the Environmental assessment for the Proposed ALNG Plant Modifications Project

April 8, 1999.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) has prepared this environmental assessment (EA) on the modification of existing facilities proposed by Algonquin LNG, Inc. (ALNG Plant Modifications Project) in the above-referenced docket. The application and other supplemental filings in this docket are available for viewing on the FERC Internet website (www.ferc.fed.us). Click on the "RIMS" link, select "Docket #" from the RIMS Menu, and follow the instructions.

Similarly, the "CIPS" link on the FERC Internet website provides access to the texts of formal documents issued by the Commission, such as orders, notices, and rulemakings. From the FERC Internet website, click on the "CIPS" link, select "Docket #" from the CIPS menu, and follow the instructions.

The EA was prepared to satisfy the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act. The staff concludes that approval of the proposed project, with appropriate mitigating measures, would not constitute a major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

The EA assesses the potential environmental effects of the proposed modification, construction, and operation at an existing liquefied natural gas (LNG) storage facility. The proposed modifications would include:

- Abandoning the three existing direct-fired LNG vaporizers, and installing three new horizontal indirect-fired 150 million standard cubic feet per day (MMscfd) LNG vaporizers;
- Increasing the capacity of the existing LNG pumps from 100 MMscfd to 150 MMscfd;
- Installing two new 600 horsepower boiloff gas compressors consisting of flooded screw type compressors driven by fixed speed electric motors.

Installing additional emergency power generation equipment, control systems, and safety systems; and

- Modifying metering facilities for the delivery of vaporized LNG and boiloff gas.

The proposed facilities would allow ALNG to continue to provide LNG storage, LNG truck loading and

unloading, and LNG vaporization services on a firm and interruptible non-discriminatory open access basis.

The EA has been placed in the public files of the FERC. A limited number of copies of the EA are available for distribution and public inspection at: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Public Reference and Files Maintenance Branch, 888 First Street, NE, Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, (202) 208-1371.

Copies of the EA have been mailed to Federal, state and local agencies, public interest groups, interested individuals, newspapers, and parties to this proceeding.

Any person wishing to comment on the EA may do so. To ensure consideration prior to a Commission decision on the proposal, it is important that we receive your comments before the date specified below. Please carefully follow the instructions to ensure that your comments are received in time and properly recorded.

- Send two copies of your comments to: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426.

- Label one copy of the comments for the attention of the Environmental Review and Compliance Branch, PR11.1;

- Reference Docket No. CP99-113-000; and

- Mail your comments so that they will be received in Washington, DC on or before May 7, 1999.

Comments will be considered by the Commission but will not serve to make the commentor a party to the proceeding. Any person seeking to become a party to the proceeding must file a motion to intervene pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 CFR 385.214).

The date for filing timely motions to intervene in this proceeding has passed. Therefore, parties not seeking to file late interventions must show good cause, as required by section 395.214(b)(3), why this time limitation should be waived. Environmental issues have been viewed as good cause for late intervention. You do not need intervenor status to have your environmental comments considered. Additional information about the proposed project is available from Mr. Paul McKee of the Commission's Office of External Affairs at (202) 208-1088 or on the FERC website (www.ferc.fed.us) using the "RIMS" link to information in this docket number. For assistance with access to RIMS, the RIMS helpline can be reached at (202) 208-2222. Access to the texts of formal documents issued by

the Commission with regard to this docket, such as orders and notices, is also available on the FERC website using the "CIPS" link. For assistance with access to CIPS, the CIPS helpline can be reached at (202) 208-2474.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Project No. 1494-160 Oklahoma]

Grand River Dam Authority; Notice of Availability of Draft Environmental Assessment

April 8, 1999.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's regulations, 18 CFR Part 380 (Order No. 486, 52 FR 47910), the Office of Hydropower Licensing (OHL) has reviewed an application for approval of additional marina facilities. Grand River Dam Authority proposes to permit Gene Gregg, d/b/a Tera Miranda Marina, (permittee) to improve and enlarge an existing commercial marina facility located on the east side of Grand Lake's Monkey Island. The existing marina facility includes 20 boat docks with a total of 129 slips. The permittee requests permission to remove from the site an existing jetty and two manmade breakwaters and to install and operate certain additional facilities. The new proposed facilities include five new boat docks with a total of 116 slips, two floating breakwaters, a building containing showers and a restroom facility, and a waste disposal system. The Pensacola Project is on the Grand River, in Craig, Delaware, Mayes, and Ottawa Counties, Oklahoma.

The DEA was written by staff in the Office of Hydropower licensing, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. Copies of the DEA can be obtained by calling the Commission's Public Reference Room at (202) 208-1371 or may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (please call (202) 208-2222 for assistance). In the DEA, staff concludes that approval of the licensee's proposal would not constitute a major Federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

lease submit any comments within 30 days from the date of this notice. Comments should be addressed to: Mr. David P. Boergers, Acting Secretary,

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. Please affix Project No. 1494-160 to all comments. For further information, please contact the project manager, Jon Cofrancesco at (202) 219-0079.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Meeting on Nevada Independent System Administrator

April 9, 1999.

Take notice that, on April 15, 1999, Mr. C.M. Naeve of Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom, other representatives of Nevada utilities, and other stakeholders will meet with members of the Commission's staff and interested members of the public concerning the formation of an independent system administrator for the transmission facilities of Nevada utilities.

The meeting will be held on April 15, 1999, at 4:00 PM, in a Hearing or Conference Room to be determined

later, at the Commission's Headquarters, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-66266; FRL 6071-8]

Notice of Receipt of Requests to Voluntarily Cancel Certain Pesticide Registrations

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 6(f)(1) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, EPA is issuing a notice of receipt of requests by registrants to voluntarily cancel certain pesticide registrations.

DATES: Unless a request is withdrawn by October 12, 1999, orders will be issued cancelling all of these registrations.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: James A. Hollins, Office of

Pesticide Programs (7502C), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location for commercial courier delivery, telephone number and e-mail address: Rm. 224, Crystal Mall No. 2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202, (703) 305-5761; e-mail:

hollins.james@epamail.epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Introduction

Section 6(f)(1) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, provides that a pesticide registrant may, at any time, request that any of its pesticide registrations be cancelled. The Act further provides that EPA must publish a notice of receipt of any such request in the **Federal Register** before acting on the request.

II. Intent to Cancel

This Notice announces receipt by the Agency of requests to cancel some 48 pesticide products registered under section 3 or 24(c) of FIFRA. These registrations are listed in sequence by registration number (or company number and 24(c) number) in the following Table 1.

TABLE 1—REGISTRATIONS WITH PENDING REQUESTS FOR CANCELLATION

| Registration No. | Product Name | Chemical Name |
|-------------------|---|--|
| 000192-00206 | Dexol Preemergent Weed and Grass Preventer 2 | Dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate |
| 000239-02532 | Ortho Grass & Weed Preventer | Dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate |
| 000352 OR-92-0003 | Du Pont Sinbar Herbicide | 3-tert-Butyl-5-chloro-6-methyluracil |
| 000352 OR-92-0015 | Dupont Karmex DF Herbicide | 3-(3,4-Dichlorophenyl)-1,1-dimethylurea |
| 000352 OR-93-0020 | Dupont Karmex DF Herbicide | 3-(3,4-Dichlorophenyl)-1,1-dimethylurea |
| 000352 OR-94-0009 | Dupont Karmex DF Herbicide | 3-(3,4-Dichlorophenyl)-1,1-dimethylurea |
| 000655-00328 | Prentox Carbamate Concentrate Contains 10% Propoxur | o-Isopropoxyphenyl methylcarbamate |
| 000769-00836 | Miller Dacthal 5G | Dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate |
| 000769-00837 | Miller Turf Food 12-6-6 Plus 3 | Dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate |
| 000769-00911 | Science Garden Weeder | Dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate |
| 001203-00005 | Delta Foremost 4820 Del-Kill Insecticide | o-Isopropoxyphenyl methylcarbamate |
| 001270-00172 | Zep 10-X Insecticide | o-Isopropoxyphenyl methylcarbamate |
| 001270-00197 | Zep Tox II Pressurized Spray | o-Isopropoxyphenyl methylcarbamate |
| | | N-Octyl bicycloheptene dicarboximide |
| | | (Butylcarbityl)(6-propylpiperonyl) ether 80% and related compounds 20% |
| | | Pyrethrins |
| 001270-00199 | Zep Stop | o-Isopropoxyphenyl methylcarbamate |
| 001685-00069 | Formula 296 State Roach & Ant Killer | o-Isopropoxyphenyl methylcarbamate |
| 001685-00071 | State Formula 298 RAS Residual Roach & Ant Spray | o-Isopropoxyphenyl methylcarbamate |
| 002155-00059 | R.I.S. 15 Residual Insecticide | o-Isopropoxyphenyl methylcarbamate |