19. Florida Power & Light Company

[Docket No. ER02-2414-000]

Take notice that on August 2, 2002, Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission an unexecuted Interconnection and Operation Agreement between FPL and Duke Energy Fort Pierce, LLC (Duke) that sets forth the terms and conditions governing the interconnection between Duke's generating project and FPL's transmission system. A copy of this filing has been served on Duke and the Florida Public Service Commission. Comment Date: August 23, 2002.

20. PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

[Docket No. ER02-2415-000]

Take notice that on August 2, 2002, PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM), submitted amendments to the PIM Open Access Transmission Tariff to add provisions under which generators that benefit from transmission capability created by facilities or upgrades that were built to accommodate, and at the expense of, generators previously interconnected with the transmission system will be responsible for a proportional share of the costs of the previous facilities or upgrades, provided that the generator that originally paid for the relevant facilities or upgrades agrees to relinquish Incremental FTRs proportional to the cost responsibility assigned to the subsequent generator.

Copies of this filing have been served on all PJM members, and the state electric utility commissions in the PJM region.

Comment Date: August 23, 2002.

21. PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

[Docket No. ER02-2416-000]

Take notice that on August 2, 2002 PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM), submitted for filing an executed interconnection service agreement between PJM and Sweetheart Cup Company, Inc. PJM requests a waiver of the Commission's 60-day notice requirement to permit the effective date agreed to by the parties.

Copies of this filing were served upon each of the parties to the agreement and the state regulatory commissions within the PJM region.

Comment Date: August 23, 2002.

Standard Paragraph

E. Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing should file 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

and 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 motion to intervene. All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date, and, to the extent applicable, must be served on the applicant and on any other person designated on the official service list. This filing is available for review at the Commission or may be viewed on the Commission's web site at http:// www.ferc.gov using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket #" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7257-9]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Continuing Collection; Comment Request; National Health Protection Survey of Beaches

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.), this document announces that EPA is planning to submit the following continuing Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval: National Health Protection Survey of Beaches, EPA ICR Number 1814.02, OMB Control Number 2040-0189, expiration date 01/31/2003. Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the proposed information collection as described below.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before October 15, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Send or deliver comments to the following addresses: Mr. Rick Hoffmann, Office of Water, Office of Science and Technology, Standards and Health Protection Division (4305T), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, DC 20460. Location for Hand Delivery: EPA West (Connecting Wing, Room 5233LL, 1301 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC. Interested persons may obtain a copy of the ICR without charge by contacting EPA staff listed in the section below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Rick Hoffmann at EPA, (202) 566–0388, by email at hoffmann.rick@epa.gov, or facsimile at 202–566–0409. Or download a copy of the ICR off the Internet at http://www.epa.gov/icr and refer to EPA ICR No. 1814.02.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: National Health Protection Survey of Beaches (OMB Control No. 2040–0189; EPA ICR No. 1814.02; expiring 01/31/03).

Abstract: Bacterial and other microbiological contaminants continue to pose potentially serious human health problems for the Nation's recreational waters, including bathing beaches. These adverse effects have been one of EPA's long-standing concerns. They are directly related to such Clean Water Act responsibilities as water quality standards and surface water quality, and to the Agency's efforts to ensure that the waters of the United States are "fishable" and "swimmable." In response to this concern. EPA initiated its annual National Health Protection Survey of Beaches (Beach Survey) starting in 1997. This voluntary nationwide survey collects, and makes available to the public, information related to beach water quality including: monitoring agency and organization, monitoring and public notification procedures and responsibilities; water quality standards; advisories and closings; and reasons for advisories and closings.

Currently, all beach information collected by EPA is obtained through the Beach Survey. However, EPA plans to significantly reduce the amount of information collected through the survey and instead obtain this information through grants to state and local governments awarded under the authority of the Beaches Environmental Assessment and Coastal Health (BEACH) Act. Since the information will be collected either through the Beach Survey or BEACH Act grants (but not both), there will be no duplication of effort and the net burden will be the same.

An Information Collection Request for the BEACH Act grant program has been approved by the Office of Management and Budget (EPA ICR Number 2048.01, OMB Control Number 2040–0244). Congress passed the BEACH Act in October 2000. The BEACH Act amended the Clean Water Act by adding section 406 "Coastal Recreation Water Monitoring and Notification." Section 406(b) authorizes EPA to make grants to States and local governments to develop and implement programs for monitoring and public notification for coastal recreation waters adjacent to beaches or similar points of access that are used by the public, if the State or local government satisfies the requirements of the BEACH Act. Several of these requirements require a grant awardee to collect and submit information to EPA as a condition of receiving a grant. Section 406(b) requires a grant awardee to identify the factors that the awardee uses to prioritize use of the grant funds, and a list of waters that will be monitored using grant funds. Section 406(b) also requires that a grant awardee's program be consistent with the grant program performance criteria established by EPA under section 406(a). EPA published these program performance criteria on July 19, 2002 (Federal Register: July 19, 2002 (67 FR 47540)). EPA needs information from the grant awardee to determine if the monitoring and notification programs are consistent with these criteria. Section 406(b) of the Clean Water Act also requires a grant awardee to submit a report to EPA that describes the data collected as part of a monitoring and notification program, and the actions taken to notify the public when water quality standards are exceeded. Section 406(c) of the Clean Water Act requires a grant awardee to identify lists of coastal recreation waters, processes for States to delegate to local governments the responsibility for implementing a monitoring and notification program, and the content of the monitoring and notification program. The information is required of States and local governments that seek to obtain BEACH Act funding. It allows EPA to properly review State and local governments' monitoring and notification programs to determine if they are eligible for BEACH Act grant funding. This information also enables EPA to fulfill its obligations to make this information available to the public as required by sections 406(e) and (g).

This BEACH Act requirement will greatly reduce the amount of information collected by the National Health Protection Survey of Beaches. However, there is still a need to conduct a limited survey. EPA proposes to send its voluntary survey to those agencies that are not eligible for BEACH grants. For example, agencies responsible for monitoring inland recreational waters are not eligible to receive grants under

the BEACH Act. EPA proposes to continue collecting information about these inland waters because they are an important concern. For example, the National Health Protection Survey of Beaches for the 2001 swim season received information about more than 600 inland beaches. Approximately 23% of these beaches were under advisory or closed at least once during the swim season due to the potential risk of bacteriological contamination. Therefore, water quality at inland bathing beach areas remains an important concern to EPA. If an eligible state decides not to apply for a grant, EPA would send its voluntary surveys to appropriate agencies. EPA will ensure that these surveys are not sent to agencies receiving beach grants.

The annual Beach Survey will be sent to appropriate environmental health officials from State, tribal, county, and city agencies, as well as representatives from various interest groups. It will obtain and verify information on the location and condition of swimming beaches and the agencies and persons responsible for maintaining and issuing advisories or closings for those beaches. Responses to the questionnaire will be gathered either on paper questionnaires or electronically via the Internet.

EPA will assemble the information into an electronic database and that can be readily analyzed and shared with responsible parties (e.g., EPA program and regional offices, other federal, state, tribal, county, and city agencies), as well as the public. The nationwide collection of information is conducted annually, with an average estimated number of respondents of approximately 300 agencies in the first year, declining to an estimated 50 agencies in the third year. The estimated annual cost for the survey per respondent is anticipated to decrease each year, since respondents will only be requested to provide information that has changed during the year.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are listed in 40 CFR part 9 and 48 CFR Chapter 15.

The EPA would like to solicit comments to:

- (i) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- (ii) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the

- proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- (iii) Enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- (iv) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Burden Statement: The annual public reporting and record keeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 2.4 hours per response. For the first year of the survey covered by this Information Collection Request it is estimated that 300 surveys will be completed. During the second and third years of the survey covered by this ICR it is estimated that 50 surveys will be received each year. Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

This burden estimate assumes that there will be a major drop in current participants due to reporting of data through BEACH Act grants. However, there may be a very gradual increase in the inland, freshwater beach participants as interest increases in the survey.

Respondents/Affected Entities:
Entities potentially affected by this action are State, County, City, and Tribal representative with responsibilities for assessing the impact of water contaminated by microbiological pollutants on persons using beaches and related recreational waters.

Comments: You may submit comments by mail, e-mail, or delivered by hand to the addresses shown in the ADDRESSES section of this notice.

Dated: August 2, 2002. **Geoffrey H. Grubbs,**

Director, Office of Science and Technology. [FR Doc. 02–20450 Filed 8–12–02; 8:45 am]

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7258-1]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Continuing Collection; Comment Request; General Hazardous Waste Facility Standards

AGENCY: Environmental Protection

Agency (EPA). **ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.), this notice announces that EPA is planning to submit the following continuing Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB): General Hazardous Waste Facility Standards, EPA ICR # 1571.07, OMB Control Number 2050–0120, expires December 31, 2002. Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the proposed information collection as described below.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before October 15, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted by mail, through hand delivery/courier, or electronically. Follow the detailed instructions as provided in the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section.

The mailing address, referencing Docket ID No. RCRA-1999-0027, is: RCRA Docket Information Center, Office of Solid Waste (5305G), U.S. **Environmental Protection Agency** Headquarters, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20460-001. Hand deliveries of comments should be made to the Arlington. Virginia address below. Comments may also be submitted electronically through the Internet to: rcra-docket@epa.gov. Comments in electronic format should also be identified by the Docket ID No. RCRA-1999-0027. All electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption.

Commenters should not submit any confidential business information (CBI) electronically. An original and two copies of CBI must be submitted under separate cover to: RCRA CBI Document Control Officer, Office of Solid Waste

(5303W), U.S. EPA, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington DC 20460– 001.

Hand deliveries must be brought to the RCRA Information Center (RIC), located at Crystal Gateway I, First Floor, 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA. The RIC is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding federal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
David Eberly by phone at (703) 308–8645, by mail at the Office of Solid
Waste (5303W), U.S. Environmental
Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania
Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20460–
001, or by e-mail at
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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. How Can I Get Copies of the ICR Supporting Statement and Other Related Information?

1. Docket. EPA has established an official public docket for this ICR under Docket ID No. RCRA-1999-0027. The official public docket consists of the documents specifically referenced in the ICR, any public comments received, and other information related to this ICR. Although a part of the official docket, the public docket does not include Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. The official public docket is the collection of materials that is available for public viewing at the RCRA Information Center (see ADDRESSES above). This Docket Facility is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding federal holidays. It is recommended that the public make an appointment by calling (703) 603-9230. The public may copy a maximum of 100 pages from any regulatory docket at no charge. Additional copies are \$0.15/page

2. Electronic Access. You may access this Federal Register document electronically through the EPA Internet under the "Federal Register" listings at http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/.

You may use EPA Dockets at http://www.epa.gov/edocket/ to submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the official public docket, and to access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Once in the system, select "search," then key in the docket identification number.

Certain types of information will not be placed in the EPA Dockets. Information claimed as CBI, and other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute, which is not included in the official public docket, will not be available for public viewing

in EPA's electronic public docket. EPA's policy is that copyrighted material will not be placed in EPA's electronic public docket but will be available only in printed, paper form in the official public docket. To the extent feasible, publicly available docket materials will be made available in EPA's electronic public docket. When a document is selected from the index list in EPA Dockets, the system will identify whether the document is available for viewing in EPA's electronic public docket. Although not all docket materials may be available electronically, you may still access any of the publicly available docket materials through the docket facility identified in A.1 above.

For public commenters, it is important to note that EPA's policy is that public comments, whether submitted electronically or in paper, will be made available for public viewing in EPA's electronic public docket as EPA receives them and without change, unless the comment contains copyrighted material, CBI, or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. When EPA identifies a comment containing copyrighted material, EPA will provide a reference to that material in the version of the comment that is placed in EPA's electronic public docket. The entire printed comment, including the copyrighted material, will be available in the public docket.

Public comments submitted on computer disks that are mailed or delivered to the docket will be transferred to EPA's electronic public docket. Public comments that are mailed or delivered to the Docket will be scanned and placed in EPA's electronic public docket. Where practical, physical objects will be photographed, and the photograph will be placed in EPA's electronic public docket along with a brief description written by the docket staff.

B. How and to Whom Do I Submit Comments?

You may submit comments electronically, by mail, or through hand delivery/courier. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, identify the appropriate docket identification number in the subject line on the first page of your comment. Please ensure that your comments are submitted within the specified comment period. Comments received after the close of the comment period will be marked "late." EPA is not required to consider these late comments in formulating a final decision.

1. *Electronically*. If you submit an electronic comment as prescribed