Under Section 203 of the Federal Power Act and Request for Expedited Consideration, Confidential Treatment and Waivers of RE Astoria LLC.

Filed Date: 1/20/16.

Accession Number: 20160120–5161. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/1/16.

Take notice that the Commission received the following electric rate filings:

Docket Numbers: ER10-2331-054; ER14-630-029; ER10-2319-045; ER10-2317-045; ER13-1351-027; ER10-2330-052.

Applicants: J.P. Morgan Ventures Energy Corporation, AlphaGen Power LLC, BE Alabama LLC, BE CA LLC, Florida Power Development LLC, Utility Contract Funding, L.L.C.

Description: Non-Material Change in Status of the J.P. Morgan Sellers.

Filed Date: 1/21/16.

Accession Number: 20160121–5189. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/11/16.

Docket Numbers: ER12–2448–012. Applicants: Chisholm View Wind Project, LLC.

Description: Notice of Change in Status of Chisholm View Wind Project, LLC.

Filed Date: 1/21/16.

Accession Number: 20160121–5155. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/11/16. Docket Numbers: ER16–277–001.

Applicants: Talen Energy Marketing,

Description: Tariff Amendment: Response to FERC Request for Additional Information to be effective 12/31/9998.

Filed Date: 1/21/16.

Accession Number: 20160121–5137. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/11/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16–620–001.

Applicants: Safe Harbor Water Power Corporation.

Description: Tariff Amendment: Amendment to Pending Safe Harbor PPA eTariff Filing to be effective 12/31/ 2015.

Filed Date: 1/21/16.

Accession Number: 20160121–5180. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/11/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16–743–000. Applicants: ITC Great Plains, LLC.

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: Settlement Agreement to be effective 1/1/2016.

Filed Date: 1/19/16.

Accession Number: 20160119–5235. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/9/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16–752–000. Applicants: Carousel Wind Farm,

Description: Amendment to January 20, 2016 Carousel Wind Farm, LLC submits tariff filing.

Filed Date: 1/21/16.

Accession Number: 20160121–5167. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/11/16. Docket Numbers: ER16–757–000. Applicants: PJM Interconnection,

L.L.C.

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: Revisions to OATT re: Merchant Network Upgrades to be effective 5/1/2016.

Filed Date: 1/21/16.

Accession Number: 20160121–5211. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/11/16.

Docket Numbers: ER16–758–000.
Applicants: New England Power

Description: § 205(d) Rate Filing: NEP Sched III–B Integrated Facilities Provisions Amdts & Notice Waiver Request to be effective 1/1/2014.

Filed Date: 1/21/16.

Accession Number: 20160121–5215. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/11/16.

The filings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the links or querying the docket number.

Any person desiring to intervene or protest in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. Protests may be considered, but intervention is necessary to become a party to the proceeding.

eFiling is encouraged. More detailed information relating to filing requirements, interventions, protests, service, and qualifying facilities filings can be found at: http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling/filing-req.pdf. For other information, call (866) 208–3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502–8659.

Dated: January 21, 2016.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP16-302-000]

Columbia Gulf Transmission, LLC; Notice of Initiation of Section 5 Proceeding

On January 21, 2016, the Commission issued an order in Docket No. RP16–302–000, pursuant to section 5 of the Natural Gas Act, 15 U.S.C. 717d (2012), instituting an investigation into the justness and reasonableness of

Columbia Gulf Transmission, LLC's (Columbia Gulf) currently effective tariff rates. The Commission's order directs Columbia Gulf to file a full cost and revenue study within 75 days of the issuance of the order. *Columbia Gulf Transmission*, *LLC*, 154 FERC ¶ 61,027 (2016).

Dated: January 21, 2016.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER16-750-000]

Bethel Wind Farm LLC; Supplemental Notice That Initial Market-Based Rate Filing Includes Request for Blanket Section 204 Authorization

This is a supplemental notice in the above-referenced proceeding of Bethel Wind Farm LLC's application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying rate tariff, noting that such application includes a request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest 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). Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests with regard to the applicant's request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability, is February 10, 2016.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at http://www.ferc.gov. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 5 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above-referenced proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for electronic review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an eSubscription link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive email notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please email FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov. or call (866) 208–3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Dated: January 21, 2016.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2558-043]

Green Mountain Power Corporation; Notice of Application Accepted for Filing, Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

- a. Type of Application: Application to amend license.
 - b. Project No.: 2558-043.
 - c. Date Filed: December 15, 2015.
- d. Applicant: Green Mountain Power Corporation.
- e. Name of Project: Otter Creek Hydroelectric Project.
- f. Location: The project is located on Otter Creek in Addison and Rutland counties, Vermont.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791a–825r.
- h. Applicant Contact: Mr. Josh Castonguay, Director, Generation and Renewable Innovation, Green Mountain Power Corporation, 163 Acorn Ln., Colchester, VT 05446, (802) 655–8754.
- i. FERC Contact: Mr. Steven Sachs, (202) 502–8666, or *steven.sachs@* ferc.gov.
- j. Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, protests, and recommendations is 30 days from the date of issuance of this notice. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file motions to

intervene, protests, comments, or recommendations using the Commission's eFiling system at http:// www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ ecomment.asp. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, please send a paper copy to: Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426. Please include the project number (P-2558-043) on any comments, motions to intervene, protests, or recommendations filed.

- k. Description of Request: The applicant requests a temporary amendment to release an interim bypass conservation flow of 48 cubic feet per second (cfs) into the bypassed reach of the Huntington Falls development at the project. The license, issued October 23, 2014, requires the applicant to release a bypass conservation flow of 66 cfs at the development; however, the applicant states it currently lacks the equipment to efficiently release the required flow and is requesting the temporary amendment while it builds a new gate to comply with the requirement. The applicant expects to construct the gate and release the required 66 cfs by the end of 2016.
- l. Locations of the Application: A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 502-8371. This filing may also be viewed on the Commission's Web site at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ elibrary.asp. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. You may also register online at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ esubscription.asp to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, call 1–866–208- 3676 or email FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, for TTY, call (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item (h) above.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

n. Comments, Protests, or Motions To Intervene: Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

o. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents: Any filing must (1) bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "PROTEST", or "MOTION TO INTERVENE" as applicable; (2) set forth in the heading, the name of the applicant and the project number of the application to which the filing responds; (3) furnish the name, address, and telephone number of the person protesting or intervening; and (4) otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 385.2001 through 385.2005. All comments, motions to intervene, or protests must set forth their evidentiary basis and otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 4.34(b). All comments, motions to intervene, or protests should relate to project works which are the subject of the license amendment. Agencies may obtain copies of the application directly from the applicant. A copy of any protest or motion to intervene must be served upon each representative of the applicant specified in the particular application. If an intervener files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency. A copy of all other filings in reference to this application must be accompanied by proof of service on all persons listed in the service list prepared by the Commission in this proceeding, in accordance with 18 CFR 4.34(b) and 385.2010.

Dated: January 21, 2016.

Nathanial J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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