

technologies, and economics, and (3) projects that involve the creation of expert teams to conduct "trade missions" designed to inform community leaders of the potential for geothermal development in their area of the state. (\$475,000)

- *Energy Storage for Transmission Congestion Relief, Price Response, and System Security*: Evaluating the feasibility and potential economic advantages of deferring power transmission system upgrades and relieving transmission congestion using modern electricity storage technologies. (\$125,000)

- *Biofuels for Power Generation*: Assessing the feasibility of site-specific power projects using biofuels and/or implementing actual site-specific biopower projects. (\$600,000)

Restricted Eligibility

Eligible applicants for purposes of funding under this program are limited to the 50 States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and any territory or possession of the United States, specifically, the State energy or other agency responsible for administering the State Energy Program pursuant to 10 CFR part 420. For convenience, the term State in this notice refers to all eligible State applicants. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number assigned to the State Energy Program Special Projects is 81.119. Requirements for cost sharing contributions are addressed in the December 20, 2001 program announcement for each special project activity, as appropriate. (See http://www.eren.doe.gov/buildings/state_energy/pdfs/special_projects_02.pdf). Cost sharing contributions beyond any required percentage are desirable. Any application must be signed by an authorized State official, in accordance with the program announcement.

Evaluation Review and Criteria

A first tier review for completeness will occur at the appropriate DOE Regional Office. Applications found to be complete will undergo a merit review process by panels comprised of members representing the participating end-use sector programs in DOE's Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy. The end-use sector offices select projects for funding. The Office of Building Technology Assistance then recommends project allocations to the Assistant Secretary for Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy for final determination. DOE reserves the right to fund, in whole or in part, any, all, or none of the applications submitted in response to this notice.

Issued in Washington, DC, on January 29, 2002.

David K. Garman,

Assistant Secretary, Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

State Energy Advisory Board Meeting

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the State Energy Advisory Board. Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463; 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: February 28, 2002 from 8 am to 5:30 pm, and March 1, 2002 from 8:30 am to 5 pm.

PLACE: The Madison Hotel, Fifteenth and M Street, NW., Washington, DC 20005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William J. Raup, Office of Planning, Budget, and Outreach, Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Washington, DC 20585, Telephone 202/586-2214.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: To make recommendations to the Assistant Secretary for Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy regarding goals and objectives and programmatic and administrative policies, and to otherwise carry out the Board's responsibilities as designated in the State Energy Efficiency Programs Improvement Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101-440).

Tentative Agenda

- STEAB Committee updates
- STEAB Annual Report Kickoff
- EERE State Success Stories
- Homeland and Energy Security Discussion
- Open Discussion with the Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, USDOE
- Update on Current Energy Legislation
- STEAB Budget Committee Meeting
- Public Comment Period

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board before or after the meeting. Members of the public who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should

contact William J. Raup at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests to make oral presentations must be received five days prior to the meeting; reasonable provision will be made to include the statements in the agenda. The Chair of the Board is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business.

Minutes: The minutes of the meeting will be available for public review and copying within 60 days at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued at Washington, DC, on January 29, 2002.

Rachel Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP01-17-003]

Algonquin Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

January 29, 2002.

Take notice that on January 24, 2002, Algonquin Gas Transmission Company (Algonquin) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Fourth Revised Volume No. 1, the following revised tariff sheets, to become effective January 24 2002:

Fourth Revised Sheet No. 36A
Eleventh Revised Sheet No. 37
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 241
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 245
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 247
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 248
Ninth Revised Sheet No. 940
Seventh Revised Sheet No. 942

Algonquin asserts that the purpose of this filing is to include the Phelps Dodge Lateral in its Rate Schedule AFT-CL and AFT-CL Form of Service Agreement, and to include the applicable rates on the rate sheets, in compliance with the Commission's order issued April 27, 2001 in Docket No. CP01-17-000, authorizing Algonquin to provide firm lateral transportation service to Phelps Dodge Copper Products Company under Rate Schedule AFT-CL.

Algonquin states that copies of the filing were mailed to all affected

customers and interested state commissions, as well as all parties on the service list.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed in accordance with Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. 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 proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, 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.

C.B. Spencer,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER02-645-001]

American Transmission Company, LLC; Notice of Filing

January 29, 2002.

Take notice that on January 16, 2002, American Transmission Company LLC (ATCLLC) tendered for filing a Letter of Clarification related to its December 28, 2001 filing of OATT revisions to accommodate retail access in Michigan, for which ATCLLC requested an effective date of January 1, 2002.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing should file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 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.

Comment Date: February 6, 2002.

C.B. Spencer,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP96-389-043]

Columbia Gulf Transmission Company; Notice of Negotiated Rate Filing

January 29, 2002.

Take notice that on January 24, 2002, Columbia Gulf Transmission Company (Columbia Gulf) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheets with an effective date of February 1, 2002:

Fifth Revised Sheet No. 20
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 20A
Fourth Revised Sheet No. 20B

Columbia Gulf states that it is filing the tariff sheets to comply with the Commission's October 24, 2001 orders approving negotiated rate agreements in Docket Nos. RP96-389-031, and -032.

Columbia Gulf states further that it has served copies of the filing on all parties identified on the official service list in Docket No. RP96-389.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest said filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 or 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed in accordance with Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. 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 proceedings.

Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, 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.

C.B. Spencer,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP02-45-001]

Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership; Notice of Tariff Filing

January 29, 2002.

Take notice that on January 18, 2002, Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership (Great Lakes) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume No. 1, Substitute Thirteenth Revised Sheet No. 7, proposed to be effective January 1, 2002.

Great Lakes states that the tariff sheet described above corrects an oversight made in its November 9, 2001 filing to reflect the revised funding surcharges for the Gas Research Institute for the year 2002. Specifically, the November 9 filing failed to update the GRI amounts shown in Footnote 3 of Thirteenth Revised Sheet No. 7. The November 9, 2001 filing was accepted by the Commission in its December 14, 2001 Letter Order under Docket No. RP02-45-000.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed in accordance with Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. 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 proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This