

(4) Any other proof of mailing acceptable to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Education.

If you mail your application through the U.S. Postal Service, we do not accept either of the following as proof of mailing:

- (1) A private metered postmark.
- (2) A mail receipt that is not dated by the U.S. Postal Service.

If your application is postmarked after the application deadline date, we will not consider your application.

Note: The U.S. Postal Service does not uniformly provide a dated postmark. Before relying on this method, you should check with your local post office.

c. *Submission of Paper Applications by Hand Delivery.*

If you qualify for an exception to the electronic submission requirement, you (or a courier service) may deliver your paper application to the Department by hand. You must deliver the original and two copies of your application by hand, on or before the application deadline date, to the Department at the following address: U.S. Department of Education, Application Control Center, Attention: (CFDA Number 84.116B), 550 12th Street, SW., Room 7041, Potomac Center Plaza, Washington, DC 20202-4260.

The Application Control Center accepts hand deliveries daily between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Washington, DC time, except Saturdays, Sundays, and Federal holidays.

Note for Mail or Hand Delivery of Paper Applications: If you mail or hand deliver your application to the Department—

(1) You must indicate on the envelope and—if not provided by the Department—in Item 11 of the SF 424 the CFDA number including suffix letter, if any, of the competition under which you are submitting your application; and

(2) The Application Control Center will mail to you a notification of receipt of your grant application. If you do not receive this notification within 15 business days from the application deadline date, you should call the U.S. Department of Education Application Control Center at (202) 245-6288.

V. Application Review Information

Selection Criteria: The selection criteria for this program are from 34 CFR 75.210 and are listed in the application package.

VI. Award Administration Information

1. *Award Notices:* If your application is successful, we notify your U.S. Representative and U.S. Senators and send you a Grant Award Notification (GAN). We may notify you informally, also.

If your application is not evaluated or not selected for funding, we notify you.

2. *Administrative and National Policy Requirements:* We identify administrative and national policy requirements in the application package and reference these and other requirements in the *Applicable Regulations* section in this notice.

We reference the regulations outlining the terms and conditions of an award in the *Applicable Regulations* section in this notice and include these and other specific conditions in the GAN. The GAN also incorporates your approved application as part of your binding commitments under the grant.

3. *Reporting:* At the end of your project period, you must submit a final performance report, including financial information, as directed by the Secretary. If you receive a multi-year award, you must submit an annual performance report that provides the most current performance and financial expenditure information as directed by the Secretary in 34 CFR 75.118. The Secretary may also require more frequent performance reports under 34 CFR 75.720(c). For specific requirements on reporting, please go to: <http://www.ed.gov/fund/grant/apply/appforms.html>.

4. *Performance Measures:* Under the Government Performance and Results Act of 1993 (GPRA), the following measures will be used by the Department in assessing the performance of the Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education's Comprehensive Program:

(1) The percentage of FIPSE grantees reporting project dissemination to others; and

(2) The percentage of FIPSE projects reporting institutionalization on their home campuses.

If funded, you will be asked to collect and report data on these measures in your project's annual performance report (EDGAR, 34 CFR 75.590). Applicants are also advised to consider these two measures in conceptualizing the design, implementation, and evaluation of the proposed project because of their importance in the application review process. Collection of data on these measures should be a part of the project evaluation plan, along with measures of progress on goals and objectives that are specific to your project.

VII. Agency Contact

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Levenia Ishmell, Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education, U.S. Department of Education, 1990 K Street, NW., Room 6147, Washington, DC 20006-8544.

Telephone: (202) 502-7668 or by e-mail: Levenia.Ishmell@ed.gov.

If you use a TDD, call the FRS, toll free, at 1-800-877-8339.

VIII. Other Information

Alternative Format: Individuals with disabilities can obtain this document and a copy of the application package in an alternative format (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, or computer diskette) on request to the program contact person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** in section VII in this notice.

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To use PDF you must have Adobe Acrobat Reader, which is available free at this site. If you have questions about using PDF, call the U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO), toll free, at 1-888-293-6498; or in the Washington, DC, area at (202) 512-1530.

Note: The official version of this document is the document published in the **Federal Register**. Free Internet access to the official edition of the **Federal Register** and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/nara/index.html>.

Dated: March 18, 2008.

Diane Auer Jones,

Assistant Secretary for Postsecondary Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement: Site Selection for the Expansion of the Strategic Petroleum Reserve

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of additional public scoping meeting.

SUMMARY: On March 5, 2008, the Department of Energy (DOE) published a Notice of Intent in the **Federal Register** (73 FR 11895) to prepare a supplemental environmental impact statement (SEIS) to analyze the impacts of potential new locations for certain off site facilities associated with the proposed Strategic Petroleum Reserve expansion site at Richton, Mississippi. That Notice also announced that DOE will hold three meetings at which interested agencies, organizations,

Native American tribes, and members of the public may submit comments or suggestions in identifying alternatives, significant environmental issues, and the appropriate scope of the SEIS. DOE now announces that it will hold an additional public scoping meeting, in Perry County, Mississippi.

New Public Scoping Meeting: A public scoping meeting will be held at New Augusta, Mississippi, on April 7, 2008, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., at Perry Central High School, 9899 Hwy. 98.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Donald Silawsky, Office of Petroleum Reserves (FE-47), U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585-0301. Mr. Silawsky may also be contacted by telephone at 202-586-1892, by facsimile at 202-586-4446, or by electronic mail at donald.silawsky@hq.doe.gov. Additional information may also be found on the DOE Fossil Energy Web site at <http://www.fe.doe.gov>.

Issued in Washington, DC, on March 19, 2008.

James A. Slutz,

Acting Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Fossil Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings # 1

March 17, 2008.

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

Docket Numbers: RP07-34-003, RP07-541-002, CP07-69-002 .

Applicants: Southwest Gas Storage Company.

Description: Southwest Gas Storage Company submits Twenty-Second Revised Sheet 5 to FERC Gas Tariff, First Revised Volume 1, to be effective April 1, 2008.

Filed Date: 03/14/2008.

Accession Number: 20080317-0111.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 26, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP08-70-002.

Applicants: Discovery Gas Transmission LLC.

Description: Discovery Gas Transmission LLC submits Substitute Original Sheet 21A to FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume 1 in compliance with the filing made on 3/6/08, to be effective January 1, 2008.

Filed Date: 03/13/2008.

Accession Number: 20080317-0069.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, March 25, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP08-184-001.

Applicants: SG Resources Mississippi, L.L.C.

Description: SG Resources Mississippi, LLC submits Substitute Original Sheet 23 et al to FERC Gas Tariff, Original Volume 1, to be effective March 1, 2008.

Filed Date: 03/14/2008.

Accession Number: 20080317-0112r

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 26, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP08-272-000.

Applicants: Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp.

Description: Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corp submits First Revised Forty-Fourth Revised Sheet 28C and Substitute Forty-Fifth Revised Sheet 28C to FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume 1, effective November 1, 2007 and April 1, 2008.

Filed Date: 03/14/2008.

Accession Number: 20080317-0110.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 26, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP08-273-000.

Applicants: Wyoming Interstate Company, Ltd.

Description: Wyoming Interstate Company, Ltd submits Fifth Revised Sheet 62 to its FERC Gas Tariff, Second Revised Volume 2, to be effective April 14, 2008.

Filed Date: 03/14/2008.

Accession Number: 20080317-0113.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Wednesday, March 26, 2008.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. It is not necessary to separately intervene again in a subdocket related to a compliance filing if you have previously intervened in the same docket. 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. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. In reference to filings initiating a new proceeding, interventions or protests submitted on or before the comment deadline need not be served on persons other than the Applicant.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at <http://www.ferc.gov>.

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 14 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St. NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above proceedings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for 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 e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings #1

March 18, 2008.

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

Docket Numbers: CP07-4-001.

Applicants: Mississippi Hub, LLC.

Description: Abbreviated Application for Limited Amendment of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity.

Filed Date: 03/03/2008.

Accession Number: 20080305-0071.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, March 28, 2008.

Docket Numbers: RP08-271-000.

Applicants: Black Marlin Pipeline Company.

Description: Petition for Temporary Exemptions from Tariff Provisions and Request for Expedited Action submitted by Black Marlin Pipeline Company.

Filed Date: 03/13/2008.

Accession Number: 20080314-5040.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, March 21, 2008.