

TABLE 1—FEDERAL STUDENT AID APPLICATION COMPONENTS—Continued

Component	Description	Submission method
FAA Access—EZ Renewal	Online tool that an FAA can utilize to submit a FAFSA for applicants who have previously completed the FAFSA and who qualify for the SNT or Auto Zero needs analysis formulas.	The FAA may be using their main-frame computer or software to facilitate the EDE process. Mailed by the applicant.
Electronic Other	This is a submission done by an FAA, on behalf of the applicant, using the Electronic Data Exchange (EDE).	
Printed FAFSA	The printed version of the PDF FAFSA for applicants who are unable to access the Internet or complete the form using FOTW.	
Correcting Submitted FAFSA Information and Reviewing FAFSA Information		
FOTW—Corrections	Any applicant who has a Federal Student Aid ID (FSA ID)—regardless of how they originally applied—may make corrections using FOTW Corrections.	Submitted by the applicant via <i>fafsa.gov</i> .
Electronic Other—Corrections.	With the applicant's permission, corrections can be made by an FAA using the EDE.	The FAA may be using their main-frame computer or software to facilitate the EDE process. Mailed by the applicant.
Paper SAR—This is a SAR and an option for corrections..	The full paper summary that is mailed to paper applicants who did not provide an e-mail address and to applicants whose records were rejected due to critical errors during processing. Applicants can write corrections directly on the paper SAR and mail for processing.	
FAA Access—Corrections ..	An institution can use FAA Access to correct the FAFSA	Submitted through <i>faaaccess.ed.gov</i> by an FAA on behalf of an applicant.
Internal Department Corrections.	The Department will submit an applicant's record for system-generated corrections.	There is no burden to the applicants under this correction type as these are system-based corrections.
FSAIC Corrections	Any applicant, with their Data Release Number (DRN), can change the postsecondary institutions listed on their FAFSA or change their address by calling FSAIC.	These changes are made directly in the CPS system by a FSAIC representative.
SAR Electronic (eSAR)	The eSAR is an online version of the SAR that is available on FOTW to all applicants with an FSA ID. Notifications for the eSAR are sent to students who applied electronically or by paper and provided an e-mail address. These notifications are sent by e-mail and include a secure hyperlink that takes the user to the FOTW site.	Cannot be submitted for processing.

This information collection also documents an estimate of the annual public burden as it relates to the application process for federal student aid. The Applicant Burden Model (ABM) measures applicant burden through an assessment of the activities each applicant conducts in conjunction with other applicant characteristics and in terms of burden, the average applicant's experience. Key determinants of the ABM include:

- ☐ The total number of applicants that will potentially apply for federal student aid;
- ☐ How the applicant chooses to complete and submit the FAFSA (*e.g.*, by paper or electronically via FOTW®);
- ☐ How the applicant chooses to submit any corrections and/or updates (*e.g.*, the paper SAR or electronically via FOTW Corrections);
- ☐ The type of SAR document the applicant receives (eSAR, SAR acknowledgment, or paper SAR);
- ☐ The formula applied to determine the applicant's expected family contribution (EFC) (full need analysis formula, Simplified Needs Test or Automatic Zero); and

☐ The average amount of time involved in preparing to complete the application.

The ABM is largely driven by the number of potential applicants for the application cycle. The total application projection for 2017–2018 is based upon two factors—estimating the growth rate of the total enrollment into post-secondary education and applying the growth rate to the FAFSA submissions. The ABM is also based on the application options available to students and parents. The Department accounts for each application component based on web trending tools, survey information, and other Department data sources.

For this 2017–2018 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) collection, the Department is reporting a net burden decrease of –524,469 hours.

The reporting hour burden calculations in this notice reflect the Department's best estimates using data from the 2015–16 FAFSA application cycle in which Federal Student Aid traditionally has estimated reporting burden. However, in order to reflect a change in which prior tax year's information will be utilized in the

application, a conservative estimate has been reflected as part of the reporting hour burden calculation. As such, we will continuously monitor and capture statistical information in order to reflect more accurate calculations in future cycles.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98–1–000]

Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding, to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in

reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a

cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e)(1)(v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received by the Secretary of the Commission. The communications listed are grouped by docket numbers in ascending order. These filings are available for electronic review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the eLibrary link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits, in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

Docket No.	File date	Presenter or requester
Prohibited:		
1. CP15-138-000	6-27-2016	Sharon and Russell Olt.
2. P-2082-027	6-28-2016	Siskiyou County Water Users Association.
3. CP15-500-000	7-8-2016	Luc Novovitch.
Exempt:		
1. P-2464-000, P-2484-000	6-27-2016	FERC Staff. ¹
2. CP16-10-000	6-27-2016	U.S. House Representative H. Morgan Griffith.
3. CP16-38-000	6-28-2016	FERC Staff. ²
4. CP16-10-000	6-29-2016	Franklin County, Virginia County Administrator W. Brent Robertson.
5. CP15-514-000	6-29-2016	State of Pennsylvania Senator Camera Bartolotta.
6. P-2485-000, P-1889-000	7-1-2016	FERC Staff. ³
7. EL15-95-000	7-5-2016	State of Maryland Governor Larry Hogan.
8. CP15-138-000	7-5-2016	State of Pennsylvania House Representative Bryan Cutler.
9. CP15-115-000, CP15-115-001	7-8-2016	FERC Staff. ⁴
10. CP15-539-000	7-11-2016	FERC Staff. ⁵
11. CP15-514-000	7-11-2016	FERC Staff. ⁶

¹ Email dated June 23, 2016 with Grace Schwefel from Village of Gresham.

² Memo dated June 28, 2016 reporting email with Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC.

³ Email dated May 12, 2016 between Paul Richmond and John Bullard from National Marine Fisheries Services.

⁴ Email dated July 7, 2016 between Bruce Clark from Natfuel and Jeff Thommes from ERM.

⁵ Memo dated July 8, 2016 forwarding emails with Columbia Pipeline Group.

⁶ Memo dated July 8, 2016 forwarding emails with Columbia Pipeline Group.

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Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings

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

Filings Instituting Proceedings

Docket Numbers: RP16-1086-000.

Applicants: Questar Overthrust Pipeline Company.

Description: Annual Fuel Reimbursement Report of Questar Overthrust Pipeline Company.

Filed Date: 7/11/16.

Accession Number: 20160711-5096.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 7/25/16.

Docket Numbers: RP16-1087-000.

Applicants: High Island Offshore System, L.L.C.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Revise NGL Bank BTU Calculation to be effective 12/1/2015.

Filed Date: 7/11/16.

Accession Number: 20160711-5169.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 7/25/16.

Docket Numbers: RP16-1088-000.

Applicants: Trailblazer Pipeline Company LLC.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: PALS Service to be effective 9/1/2016.

Filed Date: 7/12/16.

Accession Number: 20160712-5000.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 7/25/16.

Docket Numbers: RP16-1089-000.

Applicants: Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, L.L.C.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Volume No. 2—Neg. Rate Agmts Enerplus Resources SP319104 and SP319105 to be effective 8/1/2016.

Filed Date: 7/12/16.

Accession Number: 20160712-5029.

Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 7/25/16.

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.

Filings in Existing Proceedings

Docket Numbers: RP16-329-001.