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(3) You can file a paper copy of your comments by mailing them to the Commission. Be sure to reference the project docket number (CP21-197-000) on your letter. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, MD 20852.

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### Questions?

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summaries, and direct links to the documents. Go to <https://www.ferc.gov/ferc-online/overview> to register for eSubscription.

Dated: November 5, 2021.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. IC21-36-000]

#### Commission Information Collection Activities (FERC-725G1 and FERC-725G4); Comment Request; Extension

**AGENCY:** Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission or FERC) is soliciting public comment on the currently approved information collections, FERC-725G1, Mandatory Reliability Standards for the Bulk-Power System: Reliability Standard PRC-004-6 (Protection System Misoperation Identification and Correction), and FERC-725G4, Mandatory Reliability Standards: Reliability Standard PRC-010-2 (Under Voltage Load Shedding). The Commission will submit these information collections to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) in connection with a request for review and renewal.

**DATES:** Comments on the collection of information are due December 13, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** Send written comments on FERC-725G1 and/or FERC-725G4 to OMB through [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain), Attention: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Desk Officer. Please identify the OMB control number(s) (1902-0284 for FERC-725G1) and/or (1902-0282 for FERC-725G4) in the subject line. Your comments should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Please submit copies of your comments (identified by Docket No. IC21-36-000) to the Commission as noted below. Electronic filing through <http://www.ferc.gov>, is preferred.

• Electronic Filing: Documents must be filed in acceptable native applications and print-to-PDF, but not in scanned or picture format.

• For those unable to file electronically, comments may be filed by USPS mail or by hand (including courier) delivery.

○ Mail via U.S. Postal Service Only: Addressed to: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Secretary of the Commission, 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426.

○ Hand (including courier) delivery: Deliver to: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, MD 20852.

#### Instructions:

OMB submissions must be formatted and filed in accordance with submission guidelines at [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain); Using the search function under the "Currently Under Review field," select Federal Energy Regulatory Commission; click "submit" and select "comment" to the right of the subject collection.

FERC submissions must be formatted and filed in accordance with submission guidelines at: <http://www.ferc.gov>. For user assistance, contact FERC Online Support by email at [ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov](mailto:ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov), or by phone at: (866) 208-3676 (toll-free).

**Docket:** Users interested in receiving automatic notification of activity in this docket or in viewing/downloading comments and issuances in this docket may do so at <http://www.ferc.gov>.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Ellen Brown may be reached by email at [DataClearance@FERC.gov](mailto:DataClearance@FERC.gov) and telephone at (202) 502-8663.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### FERC-725G1

**Title:** Mandatory Reliability Standards for the Bulk-Power System: Reliability Standard PRC-004-6.

**OMB Control No.:** 1902-0284.

**Type of Request:** Three-year extension of the FERC-725G1 information collection requirements.

**Abstract:** The Commission collects information under FERC-725G1 in accordance with section 215 of the Federal Power Act (FPA)<sup>1</sup> and 18 CFR parts 39 and 40. Section 215 of the FPA gives the Commission and the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (as the Commission-approved Electric Reliability Organization) to establish and enforce reliability standards for all users, owners, and operators of the bulk-power system.<sup>2</sup> Once approved, the Reliability

<sup>1</sup> 16 U.S.C.824o.

<sup>2</sup> As defined at 16 U.S.C. 824o(a)(1) and 18 CFR 39.1, the term "bulk-power system" means facilities and control systems necessary for operating an interconnected electric energy transmission

Standards may be enforced by the Electric Reliability Organization subject to Commission oversight, or by the Commission independently.<sup>3</sup>

Reliability Standard PRC-004-6 requires transmission owners, generator owners, and distribution providers to identify and correct causes of

misoperations of certain protection systems for bulk-power system elements. It also requires retention of evidence of misoperations for a minimum of 12 calendar months.

*Types of Respondents:* Transmission Owners, Generator Owners, and Distribution Providers.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Estimate of Annual Burden:* The Commission estimates 703 responses annually, and per-response burdens of 16.5 hours and \$1,435.50.<sup>4</sup> The total estimated burdens per year are 703 responses, 11,599.5 hours, and \$1,009,156.50. These burdens are itemized in the following table:

**MANDATORY RELIABILITY STANDARDS FOR THE BULK-POWER SYSTEM: RELIABILITY STANDARD PRC-004-6 (FERC-725G1)**

[Annual Estimates of Respondents' Burdens]

A. Number of respondents	B. Annual number of responses per respondent	C. Total number of responses  (column A × column B)	D. Average burden & cost per response <sup>5</sup>	E. Total annual burden hours & total annual cost  (column C × column D)	F. Cost per respondent (\$)  (column E ÷ column A)
703	1	703	16.5 hrs.; \$1,435.50	11,600 hrs.; \$1,009,200 (rounded)	\$1,435.50

**FERC-725G4**

*Title:* Mandatory Reliability Standards: Reliability Standard PRC-010-2 (Under Voltage Load Shedding).  
*OMB Control No.:* 1902-0282.

*Type of Request:* Three-year extension of the FERC-725G4 information collection requirements.<sup>6</sup>

*Abstract:* The Commission collects information under FERC-725G4 in

accordance with section 215 of the FPA and 18 CFR parts 39 and 40. Reliability Standard PRC-010-2 requires respondents to submit date-stamped documentation of their compliance with the relevant UVLS Program.<sup>7</sup>

*Types of Respondents:* UVLS Entities.<sup>8</sup>

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Estimate of Annual Burden:* The Commission estimates 25 responses annually, and per-response burdens of 48 hours and \$4,176.<sup>9</sup> The total estimated burdens per year are 25 responses, 1,200 hours, and \$104,400. These burdens are itemized in the following table:

**MANDATORY RELIABILITY STANDARDS: RELIABILITY STANDARD PRC-010-2 (UNDER VOLTAGE LOAD SHEDDING) (FERC-725G4)**

[Annual Estimates of Respondents' Burdens]

A. Number of respondents	B. Annual number of responses per respondent	C. Total number of responses  (column A x column B)	D. Average burden & cost per response <sup>10</sup>	E. Total annual burden hours & total annual cost  (column C x column D)	F. Cost per respondent (\$)  (column E ÷ Column A)
25	1	25	48 hrs.; \$4,176	1,200 hrs.; \$104,400	\$4,176

Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information will

have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden and cost of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3)

ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collection; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of

network (or any portion thereof), and electric energy from generating facilities needed to maintain transmission system reliability. The term does not include facilities used in the local distribution of electric energy.

<sup>3</sup> 16 U.S.C. 824o(e).

<sup>4</sup> Using the May 14, 2021 NERC compliance registration information for entities that are Generator Owners, Transmission Owners, and Distribution Providers (in the U.S.), the number of potential respondents is 1,405, taking into account overlap between functions. However, not every entity will have a misoperation event during a year. Based on our previous experience with this information collection, we are estimating that approximately half of the 1,405 potential respondents annually will have a reportable misoperation, *i.e.*, 703 responses per year for FERC-725G1.

<sup>5</sup> Commission staff estimates that the average industry hourly cost for this information collection is approximated by the current FERC 2021 average hourly costs for wages and benefits, *i.e.*, \$87.00/hour.

<sup>6</sup> If OMB renews FERC-725G4, the Commission subsequently may consider requesting that OMB combine that information collection activity with FERC-725G1. Such action would be administrative only and would not indicate the discontinuation of the information collection requirements in FERC-725G4.

<sup>7</sup> "Load shedding" means disconnecting consumers from the grid to prevent demand from exceeding supply, which can cause widespread grid collapse. A "UVLS Program" provides for automatic load shedding, utilizing voltage inputs, in specific circumstances and locations.

<sup>8</sup> "UVLS Entities," as defined at the NERC website at <https://www.nerc.com/pa/Stand/>

*Reliability%20Standards/PRC-010-2.pdf*, are distribution providers and transmission owners responsible for the ownership, operation, or control of UVLS equipment, as required by a UVLS Program.

<sup>9</sup> Using the May 14, 2021 NERC compliance registration information for entities that are Transmission Owners and Distribution Providers (in the U.S.), the number of potential respondents is 494, taking into account overlap between functions. However, not every entity has an under voltage load shedding program. Approximately five percent of the potential respondents have such a program. Therefore, we estimate 25 responses per year for FERC-725G4.

<sup>10</sup> Commission staff estimates that the average industry hourly cost for this information collection is approximated by the current FERC 2021 average hourly costs for wages and benefits, *i.e.*, \$87.00/hour.

automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Dated: November 5, 2021.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**

Secretary.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[ER-FRL-9059-3]

### Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

*Responsible Agency:* Office of Federal Activities, General Information 202-564-5632 or <https://www.epa.gov/nepa>.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements (EIS)

Filed November 1, 2021 10 a.m. EST  
Through November 5, 2021 10 a.m. EST

Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

### Notice

Section 309(a) of the Clean Air Act requires that EPA make public its comments on EISs issued by other Federal agencies. EPA's comment letters on EISs are available at: <https://cdxnodengn.epa.gov/cdx-enepa-public/action/eis/search>.

*EIS No. 20210168, Final Supplement, USACE, CA, American River Common Features Water Resources Development Act of 2016, American River Contract 2, Review Period Ends: 12/13/2021, Contact: Nathaniel J. Martin 916-317-4021.*

*EIS No. 20210169, Draft Supplement, NRC, WI, License Renewal of Nuclear Plants Supplement 23 Second Renewal Regarding Subsequent License Renewal for Point Beach Nuclear Plant Units 1 and 2, Comment Period Ends: 01/03/2022, Contact: Phyllis Clark 301-415-6447.*

*EIS No. 20210170, Draft, FERC, UT, Delta Lateral Project, Comment Period Ends: 12/27/2021, Contact: Office of Externals Affairs 866-208-3372.*

*EIS No. 20210171, Fourth Draft Supplemental, USACE, CA, Folsom Dam Raise Modifications Project Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement/Environmental Impact Report, Comment Period Ends: 12/27/2021, Contact: Kimberly Watts 916-557-7770.*

*EIS No. 20210172, Draft Supplement, BR, CA, Sites Reservoir Project Revised Draft Environmental Impact Report/Supplemental Draft Environmental Impact Statement, Comment Period Ends: 01/11/2022, Contact: Vanessa King 916-978-5077.*

### Amended Notice

*EIS No. 20210149, Draft Supplement, FHWA, MD, I-495 & I-270 Managed Lanes Study Supplemental Draft Environmental Impact Statement and Updated Draft Section 4(f) Evaluation, Comment Period Ends: 11/30/2021, Contact: Jeanette Mar 410-779-7152. Revision to FR Notice Published 10/01/2021; Extending the Comment Period from 11/15/2021 to 11/30/2021.*

Dated: November 5, 2021.

**Cindy S. Barger,**

Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-ORD-2015-0765; FRL-9220-02-ORD]

### Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC) Executive Committee Meeting—November 2021

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Office of Research and Development (ORD), gives notice of a series of additional PFAS related virtual deliberation meetings of the Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC) Executive Committee (EC) Committee as a follow-up to meetings held September 29-30, 2021. More information can be found on the BOSC website at: <https://www.epa.gov/bosc/bosc-executive-committee-meeting-september-october-2021>. Due to unforeseen administrative circumstances this notice was not published 15 days prior to the meeting.

**DATES:** The deliberation meeting will be held over two days via videoconference:  
a. Tuesday, November 23, 2021, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (EDT); and  
b. Wednesday, December 8, 2021, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (EDT).  
Attendees must register by November 22, 2021.

Meeting times are subject to change. This series of meetings is open to the public. Comments must be received by November 22, 2021, to be considered by the subcommittee. Requests for the draft agenda or making a presentation at the meeting will be accepted until November 22, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** Instructions on how to connect to the videoconference will be provided upon registration at: <https://epa-bosc-e-c-mtg.eventbrite.com>.

Submit your comments to Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-ORD-2015-0765 by one of the following methods:

- [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov): Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.

- *Note:* comments submitted to the [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) website are anonymous unless identifying information is included in the body of the comment.

- *Email:* Send comments by electronic mail (email) to: [ORD.Docket@epa.gov](mailto:ORD.Docket@epa.gov), Attention Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-ORD-2015-0765.

- *Note:* comments submitted via email are not anonymous. The sender's email will be included in the body of the comment and placed in the public docket which is made available on the internet.

*Instructions:* All comments received, including any personal information provided, will be included in the public docket without change and may be made available online at

[www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov). Information claimed to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute will not be included in the public docket and should not be submitted through [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) or email. For additional information about the EPA's public docket visit the EPA Docket Center homepage at <http://www.epa.gov/dockets/>.

*Public Docket:* Publicly available docket materials may be accessed *Online* at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov).

Copyrighted materials in the docket are only available via hard copy. The telephone number for the ORD Docket Center is (202) 566-1752.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The Designated Federal Officer (DFO), Tom Tracy, via phone/voicemail at: 919-541-4334; or via email at: [tracy.tom@epa.gov](mailto:tracy.tom@epa.gov).

Any member of the public interested in receiving a draft agenda, attending the meeting, or making a presentation at the meeting should contact Tom Tracy no later than November 22, 2021.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC) is a federal advisory committee that provides advice and recommendations to EPA's Office of Research and Development on technical and management issues of its research programs. The meeting agenda and materials will be posted to <https://www.epa.gov/bosc>.

Proposed agenda items for the meeting include, but are not limited to, deliberation on EPA's charge questions on PFAS.