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The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all intervenors filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person whose name appears on the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervenor 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.

k. *Description of Request:* Great Lakes Hydro America LLC. (applicant) requests Commission approval for a temporary variance from the normal reservoir elevation to conduct concrete repairs to the forebay headgate structure which were identified in the 11th (2019) Part 12 Inspection Recommendations. The applicant requests to draw down the head pond from elevation of 901.4 feet to 897.2 feet (*i.e.*, 4.2 feet from normal operating level) for a period of approximately twelve weeks beginning in June 2023 to dewater the concrete areas in need of repair. The applicant would lower the head pond at a rate not to exceed 3 inches per hour to avoid potential fish stranding and maintain the minimum required bypass flow of 6 cubic feet per second via leakage (consistent with operations during routine flashboard replacement). Once the repairs are completed, the head pond will be refilled at a rate not to exceed 3 inches per hour. The applicant requests the temporary variance to

remain into effect until the end of September 2023.

l. *Locations of the Application:* This filing may be viewed on the Commission's website 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. 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](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), for TTY, call (202) 502-8659. Agencies may obtain copies of the application directly from the applicant.

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, respectively. 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 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 commenting, 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. Any filing made by an intervenor 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 385.2010.

Dated: November 23, 2022.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP23-17-000]

#### National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization and Establishing Intervention and Protest Deadline

Take notice that on November 18, 2022, National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (National Fuel) 6363 Main Street, Williamsville, New York 14221, filed in the above referenced docket, a prior notice request pursuant to sections 157.205, 157.208 and 157.216 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's regulations under the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and National Fuel's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP83-4-000, requesting authorization to abandon and replace 11.55 miles of 12-inch-diameter bare steel pipeline (Line Z20) with 20-inch coated steel pipeline and construct certain related natural gas facilities located in Potter County, Pennsylvania. National Fuel states the proposed replacement is part of a modernization program to enhance the reliability and safety of its system and upsizing the pipeline will enable it to provide additional firm transportation service. The proposed construction is estimated to cost \$33.4 million as more fully described in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

In addition to publishing the full text of this document in the **Federal Register**, the Commission provides all interested persons an opportunity to view and/or print the contents of this document via the internet through the Commission's Home Page (<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. At this time, the Commission has suspended access to the Commission's Public Reference Room, due to the proclamation declaring a National Emergency concerning the Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), issued by the President on March 13, 2020. For assistance, contact the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or call toll-free, (866) 208-3676 or TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Any questions concerning this application should be directed to Meghan M. Emes, Senior Attorney National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation, 6363 Main Street, Williamsville, New York 14221, by telephone at (716) 857-

7004, or by email at [emesm@natfuel.com](mailto:emesm@natfuel.com).

### Public Participation

There are three ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project: you can file a protest to the project, you can file a motion to intervene in the proceeding, and you can file comments on the project. There is no fee or cost for filing protests, motions to intervene, or comments. The deadline for filing protests, motions to intervene, and comments is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on January 23, 2023. How to file protests, motions to intervene, and comments is explained below.

#### Protests

Pursuant to section 157.205 of the Commission's regulations under the NGA,<sup>1</sup> any person<sup>2</sup> or the Commission's staff may file a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed or if a protest is filed and then withdrawn within 30 days after the allowed time for filing a protest, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request for authorization will be considered by the Commission.

Protests must comply with the requirements specified in section 157.205(e) of the Commission's regulations,<sup>3</sup> and must be submitted by the protest deadline, which is January 23, 2023. A protest may also serve as a motion to intervene so long as the protestor states it also seeks to be an intervenor.

#### Interventions

Any person has the option to file a motion to intervene in this proceeding. Only intervenors have the right to request rehearing of Commission orders issued in this proceeding and to subsequently challenge the Commission's orders in the U.S. Circuit Courts of Appeal.

To intervene, you must submit a motion to intervene to the Commission in accordance with Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure<sup>4</sup> and the regulations under the NGA<sup>5</sup> by the intervention deadline for the project, which is January 23, 2023. As described further in Rule 214,

your motion to intervene must state, to the extent known, your position regarding the proceeding, as well as your interest in the proceeding. For an individual, this could include your status as a landowner, ratepayer, resident of an impacted community, or recreationist. You do not need to have property directly impacted by the project in order to intervene. For more information about motions to intervene, refer to the FERC website at <https://www.ferc.gov/resources/guides/how-to-intervene.asp>.

All timely, unopposed motions to intervene are automatically granted by operation of Rule 214(c)(1). Motions to intervene that are filed after the intervention deadline are untimely and may be denied. Any late-filed motion to intervene must show good cause for being late and must explain why the time limitation should be waived and provide justification by reference to factors set forth in Rule 214(d) of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies (paper or electronic) of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties.

#### Comments

Any person wishing to comment on the project may do so. The Commission considers all comments received about the project in determining the appropriate action to be taken. To ensure that your comments are timely and properly recorded, please submit your comments on or before January 23, 2023. *The filing of a comment alone will not serve to make the filer a party to the proceeding. To become a party, you must intervene in the proceeding.*

#### How To File Protests, Interventions, and Comments

There are two ways to submit protests, motions to intervene, and comments. In both instances, please reference the Project docket number CP23-17-000 in your submission.

(1) You may file your protest, motion to intervene, and comments by using the Commission's eFiling feature, which is located on the Commission's website ([www.ferc.gov](http://www.ferc.gov)) under the link to Documents and Filings. New eFiling users must first create an account by clicking on "eRegister." You will be asked to select the type of filing you are making; first select "General" and then select "Protest", "Intervention", or "Comment on a Filing"; or<sup>6</sup>

(2) You can file a paper copy of your submission by mailing it to the address below. Your submission must reference the Project docket number CP23-17-000.

*To mail via USPS, use the following address:* Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426.

*To mail via any other courier, use the following address:* Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

The Commission encourages electronic filing of submissions (option 1 above) and has eFiling staff available to assist you at (202) 502-8258 or [FercOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FercOnlineSupport@ferc.gov).

Protests and motions to intervene must be served on the applicant either by mail or email (with a link to the document) at: Meghan M. Emes, Senior Attorney National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation, 6363 Main Street, Williamsville, New York 14221, or by email at [emesm@natfuel.com](mailto:emesm@natfuel.com). Any subsequent submissions by an intervenor must be served on the applicant and all other parties to the proceeding. Contact information for parties can be downloaded from the service list at the eService link on FERC Online.

#### Tracking the Proceeding

Throughout the proceeding, additional information about the project will be available from the Commission's Office of External Affairs, at (866) 208-FERC, or on the FERC website at [www.ferc.gov](http://www.ferc.gov) using the "eLibrary" link as described above. The eLibrary link also provides access to the texts of all formal documents issued by the Commission, such as orders, notices, and rulemakings.

In addition, the Commission offers a free service called eSubscription which allows you to keep track of all formal issuances and submittals in specific dockets. This can reduce the amount of time you spend researching proceedings by automatically providing you with notification of these filings, document summaries, and direct links to the documents. For more information and to register, go to [www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/subscription.asp](http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/subscription.asp).

which is located on the Commission's website at [www.ferc.gov](http://www.ferc.gov) under the link to Documents and Filings. Using eComment is an easy method for interested persons to submit brief, text-only comments on a project.

<sup>1</sup> 18 CFR 157.205.

<sup>2</sup> Persons include individuals, organizations, businesses, municipalities, and other entities. 18 CFR 385.102(d).

<sup>3</sup> 18 CFR 157.205(e).

<sup>4</sup> 18 CFR 385.214.

<sup>5</sup> 18 CFR 157.10.

<sup>6</sup> Additionally, you may file your comments electronically by using the eComment feature,

Dated: November 23, 2022.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. IC22-28-000]

#### Commission Information Collection Activities (FERC-511); Comment Request; Extension

**AGENCY:** Federal Energy Regulatory  
Commission, Department of Energy.

**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 FERC-  
511 (Transfer of Hydropower License),  
which will be submitted to the Office of  
Management and Budget (OMB) for  
review. No Comments were received on  
the 60-day notice published on  
September 21, 2022.

**DATES:** Comments on the collection of  
information are due December 30, 2022.

**ADDRESSES:** Send written comments on  
FERC-511 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  
(1902-0069) in the subject line of your  
comments. Comments should be sent  
within 30 days of publication of this  
notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain).

Please submit copies of your  
comments to the Commission. You may  
submit copies of your comments  
(identified by Docket No. IC22-28-000)  
by one of the following methods:

Electronic filing through <https://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, Secretary of the  
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: <https://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 <https://www.ferc.gov/ferc-online/overview>.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Title:** FERC-511, Transfer of  
Hydropower License.<sup>1</sup>

**OMB Control No.:** 1902-0069.

**Type of Request:** Three-year extension  
of the FERC-511 information collection  
requirements with no changes to the  
current reporting and recordkeeping  
requirements.

**Abstract:** The purpose of FERC-511 is  
to implement the information  
collections pursuant to Section 8 of the  
Federal Power Act (FPA) and Code of  
Federal Regulations (CFR) under Title  
18 CFR part 9 (Transfer of License)  
Sections 9.1 through 9.3 and Section  
131.20 of the 18 CFR. Section 8 of the  
FPA stipulates that no voluntary  
transfer of any license, or the rights  
thereunder granted, shall be made  
without the written approval of the  
Commission. Sections 9.1 through 9.3 of  
the 18 CFR states that any licensee  
(transferor) desiring to transfer a license  
and the person, association, corporation,

State, or municipality (transferee)  
desiring to acquire the same must  
jointly file an application for  
Commission’s approval of such transfer.

The application must show that the  
transfer is in the public interest and  
provide the qualifications of the  
transferee to hold such license and to  
operate the property under the license.  
Approval of the transfer is contingent  
upon the transfer of title to the  
properties under the license, transfer of  
all project files including all dam safety  
related documents, and delivery of all  
license instruments. The application for  
approval of transfer of license must  
conform to the requirements of Sections  
131.20 of the 18 CFR, which must  
include the following: application  
statement by all parties; verification  
statement; proof of citizenship; evidence  
of compliance by the transferor with all  
applicable state laws or how the  
transferee proposes to comply; and  
qualifications of the transferee to hold  
the license and operate the project.

The Commission uses the information  
collected under the requirements of  
FERC-511 to implement the statutory  
provisions of Sections 8 of the Federal  
Power Act (FPA) and 18 CFR part 9 and  
18 CFR 131.20 of the Commission’s  
regulations. The information filed with  
the Commission is in the format of a  
written application for transfer of  
license, executed jointly by the parties  
of the proposed transfer. The  
Commission uses the information  
collected to determine the qualifications  
of the proposed transferee to hold the  
license and to prepare the transfer of the  
license order to make its determination.

**Type of Respondent:** Existing  
Hydropower Project Licensees and those  
entities wishing to have a Hydropower  
Project License transferred to them.

**Estimate of Annual Burden:**<sup>2</sup> The  
Commission estimates the annual  
burden and cost<sup>3</sup> for the information  
collection as follows.

<sup>2</sup> Burden is defined as the total time, effort, or  
financial resources expended by persons to  
generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide  
information to or for a federal agency. See 5 CFR  
1320 for additional information on the definition of  
information collection burden.

<sup>3</sup> The FERC 2022 average salary plus benefits for  
one FERC full-time equivalent (FTE) is \$188,922/  
year (or \$91.00/hour). Commission staff estimates  
that the industry’s skill set (wages and benefits) for  
completing and filing FERC-511 is comparable to  
the Commission’s skill set.

<sup>1</sup> The title is being updated to Transfer of  
Hydropower License (rather than Transfer of  
Electric License).