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Dated: September 5, 2023.

**Debbie-Anne A. Reese,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 6896-079]

#### Hypower, Inc.; Hypower, LLC; Notice of Application of Transfer of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

On August 11, 2023, Hypower, Inc., (transferor) filed an application for a transfer of license of the 14.5-megawatt Forks of Butte Project No. 6896.<sup>1</sup> The project is located on Butte Creek, near the towns of Paradise and Magalia, in Butte County, California. The project occupies federal lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management.

The applicant seeks Commission approval to convert the license for the Forks of Butte Project from Hypower, Inc., to a limited liability company (Hypower, LLC or transferee). The transferee will be required by the Commission to comply with all the requirements of the license as though it were the original licensee.

*Applicant Contact:* Wayne Rogers, Hypower, Inc., c/o Synergics Energy Services, LLC, 191 Main Street # 3, Annapolis, MD 21401, Phone: 410-268-8820, Email: [wrogers@synergics.com](mailto:wrogers@synergics.com); and

Shannon E. O'Neil, Derek D. Green, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP, Suite 500 East, 1301 K Street NW, Washington, DC 20005-3317, Phone: 202-973-4209, and 503-778-5264, Email: [shannononeil@dwt.com](mailto:shannononeil@dwt.com) and [derekgreen@dwt.com](mailto:derekgreen@dwt.com).

*FERC Contact:* Anumzziatta Purchiaroni, Phone: (202) 502-6191, Email: [Anumzziatta.purchiaroni@ferc.gov](mailto:Anumzziatta.purchiaroni@ferc.gov).

*Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, and protests:* 30 days from the date that the Commission issues this notice. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments, motions to intervene, and protests using the Commission's eFiling system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), (866)

<sup>1</sup> *Energy Growth Group, Butte Creek, Improvement Company, Energy Growth Partnership, and County of Butte*, 37 FERC ¶ 62,276 (1986). Subsequently, on July 1, 1998, the project was transferred to Hypower, Inc.

208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY).

In lieu of electronic filing, you may submit a paper copy. Submissions sent via 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, Maryland 20852. The first page of any filing should include docket number P-6896-079. Comments emailed to Commission staff are not considered part of the Commission record.

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Dated: September 6, 2023.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 15229-001]

#### Alabama Power Company; Notice of Effectiveness of Withdrawal of Notice of Intent

On April 14, 2023, Alabama Power Company (Alabama Power) filed a Notice of Intent (NOI) for the proposed 1,600-megawatt Chandler Mountain Pumped Storage Project. The project would have been located on Little Canoe Creek East and Chandler Mountain in Etowah and St. Clair Counties, near the town of Steele, Alabama. On August 17, 2023, Alabama Power filed a notice of withdrawal of the NOI for the above-referenced project.

No motion in opposition to the notice of withdrawal has been filed, and the Commission has taken no action to disallow the withdrawal. Pursuant to

Rule 216(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure,<sup>1</sup> the withdrawal of the NOI became effective on September 1, 2023, and this prefiling process is hereby terminated.

Dated: September 5, 2023.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER23-2764-000]

#### Northeastern Power & Gas, LLC; Supplemental Notice That Initial Market-Based Rate Filing Includes Request for Blanket Section 204 Authorization

This is a supplemental notice in the above-referenced proceeding of Northeastern Power & Gas, LLC's application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying rate tariff, noting that such application includes a request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest should file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests with regard to the applicant's request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability, is September 25, 2023.

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

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Deputy Secretary.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OEJECR-2023-0099; FRL-11361-01-OEJECR]

### White House Environmental Justice Advisory Council; Notification of Virtual Public Meeting

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

**ACTION:** Notification of a public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

(EPA) hereby provides notice that the White House Environmental Justice Advisory Council (WHEJAC) will meet on the date and time described below. Due to unforeseen administrative circumstances, EPA is announcing this meeting with less than 15 calendar days public notice. The meeting is open to the public. The meeting is open to the public. For additional information about registering to attend the meeting or to provide a public comment, please see REGISTRATION under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**. Pre-registration is required.

**DATES:** The WHEJAC will convene a virtual public meeting on Tuesday, September 26, 2023, from approximately 3 to 8 p.m. EDT. Meeting discussions will focus on several topics including, but not limited to, workgroup activities, proposed recommendations for the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) and the White House Environmental Justice Interagency Council (IAC), CEQ briefings, and a new formal charge for the WHEJAC. A public comment period relevant to current WHEJAC charges will be considered by the WHEJAC at the meeting on Tuesday, September 26, 2023, (see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**). Members of the public who wish to participate during the public comment period must register by 11:59 p.m., EDT, Thursday, September 21, 2023.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Audrie Washington, WHEJAC Designated Federal Officer, U.S. EPA; email: [whejac@epa.gov](mailto:whejac@epa.gov); telephone: (202) 441-7295. Additional information about the WHEJAC is available at <https://www.epa.gov/environmentaljustice/white-house-environmental-justice-advisory-council>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Charter of the WHEJAC (available at <https://www.epa.gov/system/files/documents/2023-03/2023%20White%20House%20Environmental%20Justice%20Advisory%20Council%20Charter.pdf>) states that the advisory committee will provide independent advice and recommendations to the Chair of CEQ and to the IAC. The WHEJAC provides advice and recommendations about broad cross-cutting issues related, but not limited, to issues of environmental justice and pollution reduction, energy, climate change mitigation and resiliency, environmental health, and racial inequity. The WHEJAC's efforts include a broad range of strategic, scientific, technological, regulatory, community engagement, and economic issues related to environmental justice.

<sup>1</sup> 18 CFR 385.216(b) (2022).