

publications and technical documentation; U.S. Government and contractor engineering, technical, and logistical support services; and other related elements of logistical and program support.

(iv) *Military Department*: Air Force (TK-D-VAL)

(v) *Prior Related Cases, if any*: TK-P-LKT, TK-D-SFA, TK-D-SLA, TK-D-SMB, TK-D-NCU

(vi) *Sales Commission, Fee, etc., Paid, Offered, or Agreed to be Paid*: None

(vii) *Sensitivity of Technology Contained in the Defense Article or Defense Services Proposed to be Sold*: See Attached Annex.

(viii) *Date Report Delivered to Congress*: April 17, 2023

* As defined in Section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act.

POLICY JUSTIFICATION

Turkey—F-16 Avionics Upgrade

The Government of Turkey has requested to buy defense articles and services to support upgrading its fleet of F-16 aircraft, to include software upgrades of the Operational Flight Program (OFP) avionics with the Automatic Ground Collision Avoidance System (AGCAS) capability; hardware modifications to enable integration of the Multifunctional Information Distribution System Block Upgrade II (MIDS BU II), procured separately; hardware and software upgrades to include aircraft major modification; both classified and unclassified software and software support; integration and test support; support equipment; training and training equipment; spare and repair parts; publications and technical documentation; U.S. Government and contractor engineering, technical, and logistical support services; and other related elements of logistical and program support. The estimated total cost is \$259 million.

This proposed sale will support the foreign policy and national security objectives of the United States by helping to improve the security of a NATO ally that is an important force for political stability and economic progress in the Black Sea region.

The proposed sale will improve Turkey's capability to meet current and future threats by providing a critical flight safety and tactical integration capability to assist in defending its homeland and U.S. personnel stationed there. Turkey has demonstrated a willingness to modernize its F-16 capabilities since it purchased the aircraft in the mid-1980s and will have no difficulty absorbing these capabilities into its armed forces.

The proposed sale of this equipment and support will not alter the basic military balance in the region.

The principal contractor will be Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Company of Fort Worth, TX. There are no known offset agreements proposed in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this sale will not require the assignment of U.S. Government or contractor representatives in Turkey.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

Transmittal No. 21-34

Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act

Annex

Item No. vii

Sensitivity of Technology:

1. The Automatic Ground Collision Avoidance System capability is used as a flight safety mitigation tool in order to reduce incidents of controlled flight into terrain and ground collisions, which account for seventy-five percent of F-16 pilot fatalities worldwide. The system consists of a series of collision avoidance and autonomous decision-making algorithms that utilize precise navigation, aircraft performance, and digital terrain data to determine if a collision is imminent. If the system determines a collision is imminent, the system commands an autonomous maneuver to prevent impact, although the pilot may override this functionality.

2. The highest level of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is CONFIDENTIAL.

3. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures which might reduce system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

4. All defense articles and services listed in this transmittal are authorized for release and export to the Government of Turkey.

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ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION

Testing and Certification Program Manuals

AGENCY: Election Assistance Commission.

ACTION: Notice, request for comment.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Election Assistance Commission (EAC) is publishing two documents for public comment. Version 3.1 of the Testing and Certification Program Manual and version 3.1 of the Voting System Testing Laboratory (VSTL) Program Manual. The EAC is seeking public comments on these manuals. The public comment period will last 60 days. These versions replace version 3.0 of both documents.

DATES: Comments must be received by 5 p.m. eastern on Friday November 15, 2024.

ADDRESSES: To view these documents, see: <https://www.eac.gov/voting-equipment/manuals-and-forms> under Draft Manuals. Comments on both manuals should be submitted electronically via <https://www.regulations.gov> (docket IDs: EAC-2024-0003). Written comments on the proposed document can also be sent to the U.S. Election Assistance Commission, 633 3rd Street NW, Suite 200, Washington, DC 20001, Attn: Testing and Certification.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jonathan Le, Senior Election Technology Specialist, Testing and Certification Program. Telephone: 202-870-1140. Email: TestingCertification@eac.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In late 2002, Congress passed the Help America Vote Act of 2002 (HAVA), which created the U.S. Election Assistance Commission (EAC) and vested it with the responsibility of setting voting system standards and for providing for the testing and certification of voting systems. This mandate represented the first time the Federal Government provided for the voluntary testing, certification and decertification of voting systems nationwide. In response to this HAVA requirement, the EAC has developed the Voting System Testing and Certification Program. The manuals provide the procedural requirements of the Program. Participation in the Program is voluntary, but if voting system manufacturers and laboratories decide to participate then they must conform to the Program's procedural requirements. The manuals are reviewed periodically and updated to meet the needs of the EAC, manufacturers, laboratories, election officials, and the greater election community.

Public Comments: Please note that comments submitted in response to this Notice are public record. Before including any detailed personal information, you should be aware that

your submitted comments, including your personal information, will be available for public review.

Respondents: Election Supporting Technology Manufacturers, Voting System Test Laboratories, State and Local Election Officials.

Camden Kelliher,

Acting General Counsel, U.S. Election Assistance Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings #1

Take notice that the Commission received the following exempt wholesale generator filings:

Docket Numbers: EG24-284-000.
Applicants: Wheatridge East Wind, LLC.

Description: Wheatridge East Wind, LLC submits Notice of Self-Certification of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status.

Filed Date: 9/11/24.

Accession Number: 20240911-5110.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/2/24.

Take notice that the Commission received the following electric rate filings:

Docket Numbers: ER19-1865-003; ER19-2142-004; ER19-2143-004; ER19-1866-003; ER19-2148-005; ER19-1867-003; ER19-2147-004; ER19-2141-004; ER19-1868-003; ER19-1869-003; ER19-2145-004; ER19-2144-004; ER19-1870-003; ER19-2140-004; ER19-1871-003; ER19-1872-003; ER19-2146-004.

Applicants: Warren Generation, LLC, Tolna Power, LLC, Titus Power, LLC, Shawville Power, LLC, Shawnee Power, LLC, Sayreville Power, LLC, Portland Power, LLC, Orrtanna Power, LLC, Niles Power, LLC, New Castle Power, LLC, Mountain Power, LLC, Hunterstown Power, LLC, Heritage Power Marketing, LLC, Hamilton Power, LLC, Gilbert Power, LLC, Brunot Island Power, LLC, Blossburg Power, LLC.

Description: Supplement to 07/31/2024, Notice of Change in Status of Blossburg Power, LLC, et al.

Filed Date: 9/9/24.

Accession Number: 20240909-5198.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 9/30/24.

Docket Numbers: ER24-2519-001.

Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: Tariff Amendment: Amendment of ER24-2519-000, Original GIA No. 7304; AG1-100 to be effective 6/14/2024.

Filed Date: 9/11/24.

Accession Number: 20240911-5066.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/2/24.

Docket Numbers: ER24-3017-000.

Applicants: Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc.

Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: Initial Filing of Rate Schedule FERC No. 394 to be effective 11/10/2024.

Filed Date: 9/10/24.

Accession Number: 20240910-5138.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/1/24.

Docket Numbers: ER24-3018-000.

Applicants: Serrano Solar, LLC.

Description: Baseline eTariff Filing: Market-Based Rate Application to be effective 11/11/2024.

Filed Date: 9/11/24.

Accession Number: 20240911-5034.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/2/24.

Docket Numbers: ER24-3019-000.

Applicants: ISO New England Inc., Vermont Transco LLC.

Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: ISO New England Inc. submits tariff filing per 35.13(a)(2)(iii): Vermont Transco LLC; Request for Approval of Updated Depreciation Rates to be effective 11/1/2024.

Filed Date: 9/11/24.

Accession Number: 20240911-5062.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/2/24.

Docket Numbers: ER24-3020-000.

Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: Original NSA, SA No. 7343; Queue No AF1-092 to be effective 11/11/2024.

Filed Date: 9/11/24.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/2/24.

Docket Numbers: ER24-3021-000.

Applicants: Ashwood Solar I, LLC.

Description: Baseline eTariff Filing: Market Based Rate to be effective 9/11/2024.

Filed Date: 9/11/24.

Accession Number: 20240911-5102.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/2/24.

Docket Numbers: ER24-3022-000.

Applicants: Eldorado Solar Project, LLC.

Description: Initial rate filing: Eldorado Solar Shared Facilities Agreement Filing to be effective 10/28/2024.

Filed Date: 9/11/24.

Accession Number: 20240911-5104.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/2/24.

Docket Numbers: ER24-3023-000.

Applicants: Florida Power & Light Company.

Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: FPL Certificate of Concurrence-DEF Interchange Contract-RS No. 24 to be effective 11/9/2024.

Filed Date: 9/11/24.

Accession Number: 20240911-5127.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 10/2/24.

The filings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system (<https://elibrary.ferc.gov/idmws/search/fercgensearch.asp>) by querying the docket number.

Any person desiring to intervene, to protest, or to answer a complaint in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211, 214, or 206 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214, or 385.206) 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.

eFiling is encouraged. More detailed information relating to filing requirements, interventions, protests, service, and qualifying facilities filings can be found at: <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling/filing-req.pdf>. For other information, call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

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Dated: September 11, 2024.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. AD24-11-000]

Large Loads Co-Located at Generating Facilities; Second Supplemental Notice of Commissioner-Led Technical Conference

As announced in the August 2, 2024 Notice in this proceeding, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) will convene a Commissioner-led technical conference in the above-referenced proceeding. The technical conference will take place on November 1, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Eastern Time, with a lunch break. The technical conference will be