

*Description:* 284.123(g) Rate Filing: BHKG Revised SOC and Statement of Rates to be effective 11/1/2024.

*Filed Date:* 12/18/24.

*Accession Number:* 20241218–5267.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 1/8/25.

*284.123(g) Protest:* 5 p.m. ET 2/17/25.

*Docket Numbers:* RP25–291–000.

*Applicants:* Iroquois Gas

Transmission System, L.P.

*Description:* 4(d) Rate Filing: 12.18.24 Negotiated Rates—Mercury Energy America, LLC H–7540–89 to be effective 12/18/2024.

*Filed Date:* 12/18/24.

*Accession Number:* 20241218–5232.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 12/30/24.

*Docket Numbers:* RP25–292–000.

*Applicants:* El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C.

*Description:* 4(d) Rate Filing: Negotiated Rate Agreement Update (NRG Feb 2025) to be effective 2/1/2025.

*Filed Date:* 12/18/24.

*Accession Number:* 20241218–5240.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 12/30/24.

*Docket Numbers:* RP25–293–000.

*Applicants:* El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C.

*Description:* 4(d) Rate Filing: Negotiated Rate Agreement Update (Shell Feb 2025) to be effective 2/1/2025.

*Filed Date:* 12/19/24.

*Accession Number:* 20241219–5131.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 12/31/24.

*Docket Numbers:* RP25–294–000.

*Applicants:* Midcontinent Express Pipeline LLC.

*Description:* 4(d) Rate Filing: MEP December 2024 NRA Filing to be effective 1/1/2025.

*Filed Date:* 12/19/24.

*Accession Number:* 20241219–5180.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 12/31/24.

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.

#### Filings in Existing Proceedings

*Docket Numbers:* PR25–16–001.

*Applicants:* Black Hills Energy Arkansas, Inc.

*Description:* 284.123(g) Rate Filing: BHEA Amended SOC Filing to be effective 10/14/2024.

*Filed Date:* 12/19/24.

*Accession Number:* 20241219–5151.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 1/9/25.

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accordance with Rule 211 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date.

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

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Dated: December 19, 2024.

**Carlos D. Clay,**

*Acting Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 3240–000]

#### Briar Hydro Associates; Notice of Authorization for Continued Project Operation

The license for the Rolfe Canal Hydroelectric Project No. 3240 was issued for a period ending November 30, 2024.

Section 15(a)(1) of the FPA, 16 U.S.C. 808(a)(1), requires the Commission, at the expiration of a license term, to issue from year-to-year an annual license to the then licensee(s) under the terms and conditions of the prior license until a new license is issued, or the project is otherwise disposed of as provided in section 15 or any other applicable section of the FPA. If the project's prior license waived the applicability of section 15 of the FPA, then, based on section 9(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. 558(c), and as set forth at 18 CFR 16.21(a), if the

licensee of such project has filed an application for a subsequent license, the licensee may continue to operate the project in accordance with the terms and conditions of the license after the minor or minor part license expires, until the Commission acts on its application. If the licensee of such a project has not filed an application for a subsequent license, then it may be required, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.21(b), to continue project operations until the Commission issues someone else a license for the project or otherwise orders disposition of the project.

If the project is subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that an annual license for Project No. 3240 is issued to Briar Hydro Associates for a period effective December 1, 2024, through November 30, 2025, or until the issuance of a new license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first.

If issuance of a new license (or other disposition) does not take place on or before November 30, 2025, notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.18(c), an annual license under section 15(a)(1) of the FPA is renewed automatically without further order or notice by the Commission, unless the Commission orders otherwise.

If the project is not subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that Briar Hydro Associates is authorized to continue operation of the Rolfe Canal Hydroelectric Project under the terms and conditions of the prior license until the issuance of a subsequent license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first.

Dated: December 19, 2024.

**Carlos D. Clay,**

*Acting Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. AC25–38–000]

#### Western Power Pool; Notice of Filing

Take notice that on December 13, 2024, Northwest Power Pool d/b/a Western Power Pool (WPP) submitted a request for waiver of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) requirement to file a certified public accountant (CPA) certification on a calendar-year basis and for extensions of time to file certain CPA certifications.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in

accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. On or before the comment date, it is not necessary to serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

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>). From the Commission's Home Page on the internet, this information is available on eLibrary. The full text of this document is available on eLibrary in PDF and Microsoft Word format for viewing, printing, and/or downloading. To access this document in eLibrary, type the docket number excluding the last three digits of this document in the docket number field.

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*Comment Date:* 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on January 17, 2025.

Dated: December 18, 2024.

**Debbie-Anne A. Reese,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. IN24-2-000]

#### **American Efficient, LLC; Modern Energy Group LLC; MIH LLC; Midcontinent Energy LLC; Wylan Energy, L.L.C.; Affirmed Energy LLC; Updated Notice of Designation of Commission Staff as Non-Decisional**

With respect to an order issued by the Commission on December 16, 2024, in the above-captioned docket, with the exceptions noted below, the staff of the Office of Enforcement are designated as non-decisional in deliberations by the Commission in this docket.<sup>1</sup>

Accordingly, pursuant to 18 CFR 385.2202 (2024), they will not serve as advisors to the Commission or take part in the Commission's review of any offer of settlement. Likewise, as non-decisional staff, pursuant to 18 CFR 385.2201 (2024), they are prohibited from communicating with advisory staff concerning any deliberations in this docket.

Exceptions to this designation as non-decisional are:

Nicholas Stavlas  
Michael Raibman  
Thomas Olson  
Mark Maneche  
Yvonne Yegge  
Kevin Dinan  
Charles Kitcher  
Jennifer Gordon  
Gareth Jones  
Ian McDonald  
Sam Malech  
Erin Miller  
Sara Brehm  
Serrita Hill  
Steven Bundick

<sup>1</sup> *American Efficient, LLC, Modern Energy Group LLC, MIH LLC, Midcontinent Energy LLC, Wylan Energy, L.L.C., Affirmed Energy LLC*, 189 FERC ¶ 61,196 (2024).

Dated: December 19, 2024.

**Debbie-Anne A. Reese,**  
*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### **Notice of Institution of Section 206 Proceeding and Refund Effective Date**

Date	Docket Nos.
Altavista Solar, LLC .....	EL25-24-000.
Great Bay Solar I, LLC .....	EL25-25-000.
GSG 6, LLC .....	EL25-26-000.
Minonk Wind, LLC .....	EL25-27-000.
Sandy Ridge Wind, LLC .....	EL25-28-000.
Sandy Ridge Wind 2, LLC .....	EL25-29-000.
Shady Oaks Wind 2, LLC .....	EL25-30-000.

On December 20, 2024, the Commission issued an order in Docket Nos. EL25-24-000, EL25-25-000, EL25-26-000, EL25-27-000, EL25-28-000, EL25-29-000, and EL25-30-000 pursuant to section 206 of the Federal Power Act (FPA), 16 U.S.C. 824e, instituting an investigation to determine whether Altavista Solar, LLC, Great Bay Solar I, LLC, GSG 6, LLC, Minonk Wind, LLC, Sandy Ridge Wind, LLC, Sandy Ridge Wind 2, LLC, and Shady Oaks Wind 2, LLC's Rate Schedules are unjust, unreasonable, unduly discriminatory or preferential, or otherwise unlawful. *Altavista Solar et al.*, 189 FERC ¶ 61,222 (2024).

The refund effective date in Docket Nos. EL25-24-000, EL25-25-000, EL25-26-000, EL25-27-000, EL25-28-000, EL25-29-000, and EL25-30-000, established pursuant to section 206(b) of the FPA, will be the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Any interested person desiring to be heard in Docket Nos. EL25-24-000, EL25-25-000, EL25-26-000, EL25-27-000, EL25-28-000, EL25-29-000, and EL25-30-000 must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate, with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, in accordance with Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.214 (2024), within 21 days of the date of issuance of the order.

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