

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.

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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.¹

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

¹ *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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Dated: December 20, 2024.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP25-36-000]

Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization and Establishing Intervention and Protest Deadline

Take notice that on December 17, 2024, Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC (Columbia), 700 Louisiana Street, Suite 1300, Houston, Texas 77002-2700, filed in the above referenced docket, a prior notice requests pursuant to sections 157.205 and 157.216 of the Commission's regulations under the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and Columbia's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP83-76-000 for authorization to abandon five injection/withdrawal wells, connecting pipeline, and appurtenant facilities located in the Lorain, Lucas, Pavonia, and Weaver Storage Fields (Project). All of the above facilities are located in Ashland, Lorain, and Richland Counties, Ohio. The Project is necessary to comply with the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration's (PHMSA) Storage Final Rule which requires operators to assess and minimize well integrity risks. The five wells proposed for abandonment, and associated facilities are no longer necessary due to their low performance and inability to contribute significantly to the total deliverability of the Lorain, Lucas, Pavonia, and Weaver Storage Fields. Columbia states that abandoning these facilities will eliminate routine maintenance requirements and the associated costs. The estimated cost for the Project is 3.4 million, all as more fully set forth in the request which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

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Any questions concerning this request should be directed to David A. Alonzo, Manager of Project Authorizations, Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC, 700 Louisiana Street, Suite 1300, Houston, Texas 77002, at (832) 320-5477 or by email to David_alonzo@tcenergy.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 February 18, 2025. How to file protests, motions to intervene, and comments is explained below.

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Protests

Pursuant to section 157.205 of the Commission's regulations under the NGA,¹ any person² 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.

¹ 18 CFR 157.205.

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