DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Oak Ridge Reservation

AGENCY: Department of Energy. **ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Oak Ridge. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meeting be announced in the Federal Register. DATES: Wednesday, July 9, 2003, 6 p.m.

ADDRESSES: DOE Information Center, 475 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge, TN.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pat Halsey, Federal Coordinator, Department of Energy Oak Ridge Operations Office, PO Box 2001, EM-90, Oak Ridge, TN 37831. Phone (865) 576-4025; Fax (865) 576–5333 or e-mail: halseypj@oro.doe.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities. Tentative Agenda:

 The meeting will feature a discussion with the U.S. Department of Energy, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the Tennessee Department for Environment and Conservation. The agencies have been invited to provide prioritized lists of projects for the Oak Ridge Site-Specific Advisory Board to use in formulating a work plan for fiscal year 2004.

 Each agency will list a set of priorities and provide justification for their placement on the list.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Pat Halsey at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received five days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individuaľ wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments.

Minutes: Minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and

copying at the Department of Energy's Information Center at 475 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge, TN between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, or by writing to Pat Halsey, Department of Energy Oak Ridge Operations Office, PO Box 2001, EM-90, Oak Ridge, TN 37831, or by calling her at (865) 576-4025.

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Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Nevada

AGENCY: Department of Energy. ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Nevada Test Site. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the Federal Register.

DATES: Wednesday, July 9, 2003, 6 p.m.-8 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Pahrump Nugget Hotel and Casino Convention Center, 650 South Highway 160, Pahrump, Nevada 89048. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kelly Kozeliski, U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Environmental Management, P.O. Box 98518, Las Vegas, Nevada 89193–8513, phone: 702-295-2836, fax: 702-295-5300, email kozeliskik@nv.doe.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Advisory Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda:

Speakers from the Department of Energy's Nevada Test Site and Waste Isolation Pilot Plant will present up to date information on shipments of radioactive waste from Nevada to New Mexico.

Copies of the final agenda will be available at the meeting.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Kelly Kozeliski, at the telephone

number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Kelly Kozeliski at the address listed above.

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Rachel M. Samuel,

Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Energy Information Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; **Comment Request**

AGENCY: Energy Information Administration (EIA), Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Agency information collection activities: proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The EIA is soliciting comments concerning proposed revisions to three of the existing electric power surveys that expire November 30, 2004. The surveys are: Form EIA-826, "Monthly Electric Sales and Revenue with State Distributions Report," Form EIA-861, "Annual Electric Power Industry Report," and Form EIA-906, "Power Plant Report."

DATES: Written comments must be filed on or before August 25, 2003. If you anticipate difficulty in submitting comments within that period, contact the person listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESS: Send comments to Stan Kaplan. To ensure receipt of the comments by the due date, submission by e-mail (stan.kaplan@eia.doe.gov) is recommended. Comments can be sent by FAX to 202-287-1934. The mailing address is Energy Information Administration, Electric Power Division, EI-53, U.S. Department of

Energy, Washington, DC 20585–0650. Alternatively, Stan Kaplan may be contacted by telephone at (202) 287– 1803.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the proposed revised Forms EIÅ–826, "Monthly Electric Sales and **Revenue with State Distributions** Report," with instructions, EIA-861, "Annual Electric Power Industry Report," with instructions, and EIA-906, "Power Plant Report," with instructions should be directed to Stan Kaplan at the address listed above. The revised Schedule I, Part A through Part C of the Form EIA–826, ''Monthly Electric Sales and Revenue with State Distributions Report," the revised Schedule IV, Part A through Part C of the Form EIA-861, "Annual Electric Power Industry Report," and the revised Form EIA–906, "Power Plant Report," are also available on EIA's Web site at http://www.eia.doe.gov/cneaf/ electricity/page/forms.html.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

II. Current Actions

III. Request for Comments

I. Background

The Federal Energy Administration Act of 1974 (Pub. L. 93-275, 15 U.S.C. 761 et seq.) and the DOE Organization Act (Pub. L. 95-91, 42 U.S.C. 7101 et sea.) require the EIA to carry out a centralized, comprehensive, and unified energy information program. This program collects, evaluates, assembles, analyzes, and disseminates information on energy resources, reserves, production, demand, technology, and related economic and statistical information. Among other activities, this information is used to assess the adequacy of energy resources to meet near and longer-term domestic demands.

The EIA, as part of its effort to comply with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), provides the general public and other Federal agencies with opportunities to comment on collections of energy information conducted by or in conjunction with the EIA. Any comments received help the EIA to prepare data requests that maximize the utility of the information collected, and to assess the impact of collection requirements on the public. Also, the EIA will later seek approval of survey changes by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under section 3507(a) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

The EIA collects information about the electric power industry for use by government and private sector analysts. The survey information is disseminated in a variety of publications, electronic products, and electronic data files. For details on EIA's electric power information program, please visit EIA's Web site at http://www.eia.doe.gov/ fuelelectric.html.

II. Current Actions

The EIA will request OMB approval of modifications to Schedule I, Part A through Part C of the Form EIA–826, to Schedule IV, Part A through Part C of the Form EIA–861, and to the Form EIA–906.

The proposed changes to the Form EIA-826 and Form EIA-861 reflect the need to revise the definition of the commercial and industrial sectors to include data previously reported in the "other" sector and to add two new sector categories, transportation and irrigation. Electricity used for public street and highway lighting, interdepartmental or intra-company sales (sales to other departments within the entity), and sales to public authorities has been reported in the "other" sector but would now be reported in the commercial sector. Electricity sales for agriculture, excluding irrigation, has been reported in the "other" sector but would now be reported in the industrial sector.

Data on revenues, megawatthours, and number of customers for electric energy supplied for transportation, such as electrified rails, would now be reported in the transportation sector and energy supplied for irrigation would now be reported in the irrigation sector.

The proposed changes to the Form EIA-906 reflect the need to collect information on fuel used to generate electric power at the facility level. In addition, data on electricity generation and fuel used to generate electricity are needed at the prime mover, the motive force that drives an electric generator (*e.g.* steam engine, turbine, or water wheel).

As a means of improving the three electric power surveys, EIA proposes the following specific changes:

Form EIA–826, "Monthly Electric utility Sales and Revenue with State Distributions Report," will eliminate reporting in the "other" sector and have that information reported in the appropriate commercial and industrial sectors on Schedule I, Parts A through C. In addition, two new sector categories, transportation and irrigation, will be added on Schedule I, Part A through Part C.

Form EIA–861,"Annual Electric Power Industry Report," will eliminate reporting in the "other" sector and have that information reported in the appropriate commercial and industrial sectors on Schedule IV, Parts A through C. In addition, two new sector categories, transportation and irrigation, will be added on Schedule IV, Part A through Part C.

Form EIA–906, "Power Plant Report," will collect information on total fuel used and fuel used to generate electric power, rather than the production of heat and/or steam that is used in industrial processes. In addition, the form will collect some data elements at the prime mover level, while continuing to collect other data at the facility level.

Those elements that are proposed to be collected at the prime mover level include electricity generation and the fuel(s) used to generate electricity.

III. Request for Comments

Prospective respondents and other interested parties should comment on the actions discussed in item II. The following guidelines are provided to assist in the preparation of comments. Please indicate to which form(s) your comments apply.

General Issues

A. Is the proposed collection of information necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency and does the information have practical utility? Practical utility is defined as the actual usefulness of information to or for an agency, taking into account its accuracy, adequacy, reliability, timeliness, and the agency's ability to process the information it collects.

B. What enhancements can be made to the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?

As a Potential Respondent to the Request for Information

A. What actions could be taken to help ensure and maximize the quality, objectivity, utility, and integrity of the information to be collected?

B. Are the instructions and definitions clear and sufficient? If not, which instructions need clarification?

C. Can the information be submitted by the due date?

D. The estimated reporting burdens for these three forms are not expected to change with the proposed revisions. The reporting burdens are: 1.50 hours per monthly response for Form EIA–826, "Monthly Electric Sales and Revenue With State Distributions Report," 7.30 hours per annual response for Form EIA–861, "Annual Electric Power Industry Report," and 1.40 hours per response on the Form EIA–906, "Power Plant Report." These estimated burdens include the total time necessary to provide the requested information. In your opinion, how accurate are these estimates?

E. The agency's estimate in the above paragraph is only the cost to a respondent for the time it will take to complete each form. Due to the proposed changes, will a respondent incur any start-up costs for reporting, or any recurring annual costs for operation, maintenance, and purchase of services associated with these forms?

F. What additional actions could be taken to minimize the burden of these forms? Such actions may involve the use of automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other types of information technology.

G. To your knowledge, does any other Federal, State, or local agency collect similar information? If so, specify the agency, the data element(s), and the methods of collection.

As a Potential User of the Information To Be Collected

A. What actions could be taken to help ensure and maximize the quality, objectivity, utility, and integrity of the information disseminated?

B. Is the information useful at the levels of detail to be collected?

C. For what purpose(s) would the information be used? Be specific.

D. Are there alternate sources for the information and are they useful? If so, what are their weaknesses and/or strengths?

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of the form. They also will become a matter of public record.

Statutory Authority: Section 3507(h)(1) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. No. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

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Jay H. Casselberry,

Agency Clearance Officer, Statistics and Methods Group, Energy Information Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP96-200-104]

CenterPoint Energy Gas Transmission Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

June 18, 2003.

Take notice that on June 16, 2003, CenterPoint Energy Gas Transmission Company (CEGT) tendered for filing as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Sixth Revised Volume No. 1, the following tariff sheet to be effective May 16, 2003:

Substitute Second Revised Sheet No. 862

CEGT states that the purpose of this filing is to correct an Activity Rate reported inaccurately in the May 16, 2003, filing.

Any person desiring to protest said filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with 385.211 of the Commission's rules and regulations. All such protests must be filed in accordance with 154.210 of the Commission's regulations. 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 proceedings. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at *http://* www.ferc.gov using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at

FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or tollfree at (866) 208–3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502–8659. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link.

Protest Date: June 30, 2003.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. PR03-11-002]

Enbridge Pipelines (Louisiana Intrastate) L.L.C.; Notice of Shortened Comment Period

June 17, 2003.

Take notice that on June 16, 2003, Enbridge Pipelines (Louisiana Intrastate) L.L.C., (Louisiana Intrastate) filed an offer of settlement relative to Louisiana Intrastate's filings in Docket Nos. PR03– 11–000 and PR03–11–001. The settlement is uncontested and no parties have intervened in these proceedings and the Commission staff supports the Settlement. Louisiana Intrastate requests that the Commission establish a shortened comment period for comments on the settlement.

Take notice that initial comments are due on or before June 23, 2003, and reply comments are due on or before June 26, 2003.

Linda Mitry,

Acting Secretary. [FR Doc. 03–15842 Filed 6–23–03; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6717–01–P

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP03-317-000]

Gulf South Pipeline Company LP; Notice of Application

June 17, 2003.

On June 6, 2003, Gulf South Pipeline Company LP (Gulf South), 20 East Greenway, Houston, Texas 77046, filed an application pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA), as amended, and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) Rules and Regulations, for authorization to construct, own and operate two horizontal replacement injection/ withdrawal wells in the Bistineau Storage Facility, located in Bienville Parish, Louisiana, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. This filing is available for review at the Commission or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at *http://www.ferc.gov* using the "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or tollfree at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

Gulf South proposes to construct, own and operate two new horizontal injection/withdrawal wells, approximately 440 feet of associated 8inch diameter gathering lines and appurtenant facilities. Gulf South states these wells will be operated within Gulf South's current certificated limits, and will not exceed its certificated storage capacity or deliverability.

Any questions concerning this application may be directed J. Kyle Stephens, Director of Certificates, Gulf South Pipeline Company, LP, 20 East Greenway Plaza, Houston, Texas 77046, phone (713) 544–7309, fax (713) 544–