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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 February 21, 2012.

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Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above-referenced proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list. They are also available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an eSubscription link on the web site that enables subscribers to receive email notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please email [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Dated: January 31, 2012.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**  
*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER12-845-000]

#### **Bishop Hill Interconnection 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 Bishop

Hill Interconnection 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.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. PR12-13-000]

#### **Public Service Company of Colorado; Notice of Petition for Rate Approval and Revised Statement of Operating Conditions**

Take notice that on January 30, 2012, Public Service Company of Colorado (PSCo) filed a Rate Election and revised Statement of Operating Conditions (SOC). PSCo proposes to utilize rates that are the same as those contained in PSCo's transportation rate schedules for comparable intrastate service on file with the Colorado Public Utilities Commission. In addition, PSCo also proposes to make certain revisions to its SOC as more fully detailed in the petition.

Any person desiring to participate in this rate 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 date as indicated below. Anyone filing an intervention or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant. Anyone filing an intervention or protest on or before the intervention or protest date need not serve motions to intervene or protests on persons other than the Applicant.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at <http://www.ferc.gov>. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 7 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426.

This filing is accessible on-line at <http://www.ferc.gov>, using the "eLibrary" link and is available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an "eSubscription" link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive email notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please email [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), or call

(866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday, February 13, 2012.

Dated: February 1, 2012.

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

#### Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding,

to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable

proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e)(1)(v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received by the Secretary of the Commission. The communications listed are grouped by docket numbers in ascending order. These filings are 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 eLibrary 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](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or toll free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

#### *Prohibited:*

Docket No.	Communication date	Presenter or requester
1. ER12-309-000 .....	11-30-11	David Scheibel.
2. RC11-6-000 .....	12-22-11	Michigan PSC. <sup>1</sup>
3. CP07-444-000 .....	12-22-11	CitizenLetter. <sup>2</sup>
4. P-2246-058 .....	12-29-11	Yuba County Water Agency.
5. RM11-6-000 .....	12-30-11	Gordy Wrobel.
6. P-2305-000 .....	12-30-11	Randy and Deborah Pennington.
7. CP08-6-000 .....	1-6-12	John C. Braun, DDS, MD.
8. P-2299-075 .....	1-13-12	Lower Tuolumne Farmers.
9. P-739-022 & P-2210-207 .....	1-23-12	Bill Brush. <sup>3</sup>

#### *Exempt:*

Docket No.	Communication date	Presenter or requester
1. CP11-161-000 .....	12-13-11	Commission Staff. <sup>4</sup>
2. RM11-6-000 .....	1-6-12	Governor Sean Parnell.
3. P-2305-036 .....	1-6-12	Department of the Interior Staff.
4. P-12632-000 .....	1-6-12	Hon. Allan Ritter.
5. CP11-56-000 .....	1-6-12	Hon. Michael G. Grimm.
6. CP11-56-000 .....	1-10-12	Commission Staff. <sup>5</sup>
7. CP12-11-000 .....	1-10-12	Commission Staff. <sup>6</sup>
8. P-14263-000 .....	1-11-12	Hon. Michael B. Enzi.
9. CP08-6-000 .....	1-12-12	Hon. Roger F. Wicker.
10. CP11-72-000 .....	1-12-12	Hon. Charles Boustany Jr., MD.
11. P-199-205 .....	1-18-12	Commission Staff. <sup>7</sup>
12. P-2305-000 .....	1-18-12	Hon. John Cornyn.
13. CP11-56-000 .....	1-24-12	Commission Staff. <sup>8</sup>
14. CP07-441 & CP07-444 .....	1-24-12	Commission Staff. <sup>9</sup>
15. EL11-44-000 .....	1-24-12	Members of Congress. <sup>10</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Letter from Messrs. John D. Quackenbush, Orjiakor N. Isiogu and Greg R. White.

<sup>2</sup> A total of ten form letters received on December 22 & 29, 2011.

<sup>3</sup> Email record.

<sup>4</sup> Conference calls that occurred on December 13 & 22, 2011, and January 24, 2012.

<sup>5</sup> Telephone record.

<sup>6</sup> Meeting with Commission Staff.

<sup>7</sup> Email record.

<sup>8</sup> Email record.

<sup>9</sup> Email record.

<sup>10</sup> Letter signed from 19 members of Congress, addressed to Secretary Steven Chu.