

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, 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. On or before the comment date, it is not necessary to 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 14 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:* 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on November 9, 2012. <sup>2</sup>

Dated: October 15, 2012.

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

[FR Doc. 2012-25815 Filed 10-19-12; 8:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 6717-01-P**

## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Notice of Effectiveness of Exempt Wholesale Generator Status

|                              | Docket Nos. |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| A V Solar Ranch 1, LLC ..... | EG12-83-000 |

2011), FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,323 (2011), *order on reh'g*, Order No. 1000-A, 77 FR 32,184 (May 31, 2012), 139 FERC ¶ 61,132 (2012).

<sup>2</sup> This notice is not being issued in response to any motion for extension of time for the submission of interventions or protests. Specific motions for extension of time will be addressed separately.

|                                   | Docket Nos. |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Spion Kop Wind, LLC .....         | EG12-84-000 |
| Shiloh IV Wind Project, LLC       | EG12-85-000 |
| Chisholm View Wind Project, LLC.  | EG12-86-000 |
| Los Vientos Windpower IA, LLC.    | EG12-87-000 |
| Los Vientos Windpower IB, LLC.    | EG12-88-000 |
| Mehoopany Wind Energy LLC.        | EG12-89-000 |
| Russell City Energy Company, LLC. | EG12-90-000 |
| Zephyr Wind, LLC .....            | EG12-91-000 |
| Beebe Renewable Energy, LLC.      | EG12-92-000 |
| Spinning Spur Wind, LLC ....      | EG12-93-000 |
| Laurel Hill Wind Energy, LLC.     | EG12-94-000 |
| Bobcat Bluff Wind Project, LLC.   | EG12-95-000 |

Take notice that during the month of September 2012, the status of the above-captioned entities as Exempt Wholesale Generators became effective by operation of the Commission's regulations. 18 CFR 366.7(a).

Dated: October 15, 2012.

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

[FR Doc. 2012-25814 Filed 10-19-12; 8:45 am]

**BILLING CODE 6717-01-P**

## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP12-524-000]

#### Questar Pipeline Company; Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Assessment for the Proposed ML 41 Compression Project and Request for Comments on Environmental Issues

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) will prepare an environmental assessment (EA) that will discuss the environmental impacts of the ML 41 Compression Project (Project) involving construction and operation of facilities by Questar Pipeline Company (Questar) in Utah and Carbon Counties, Utah. The Commission will use this EA in its decision-making process to determine whether the project is in the public convenience and necessity.

This notice announces the opening of the scoping process the Commission will use to gather input from the public and interested agencies on the project. Your input will help the Commission staff determine what issues they need to evaluate in the EA. Please note that the scoping period will close on November 14, 2012.

This notice is being sent to the Commission's current environmental mailing list for this project. State and local government representatives should notify their constituents of this proposed Project and encourage them to comment on their areas of concern.

If you are a landowner receiving this notice, a pipeline company representative may contact you about the acquisition of an easement to construct, operate, and maintain the proposed facilities. The company would seek to negotiate a mutually acceptable agreement. However, if the Commission approves the project, that approval conveys with it the right of eminent domain. Therefore, if easement negotiations fail to produce an agreement, the pipeline company could initiate condemnation proceedings where compensation would be determined in accordance with state law.

Questar provided landowners with a fact sheet prepared by the FERC entitled "An Interstate Natural Gas Facility On My Land? What Do I Need To Know?". This fact sheet addresses a number of typically-asked questions, including the use of eminent domain and how to participate in the Commission's proceedings. It is also available for viewing on the FERC Web site ([www.ferc.gov](http://www.ferc.gov)).

#### Summary of the Proposed Project

Questar proposes to modify existing natural gas facilities on its southern pipeline transmission system in Utah and Carbon Counties, Utah. The Project would provide higher delivery pressures at Questar's existing Payson Gate Meter Station for the downstream Lake Side 2 Power Plant. No incremental capacity would be created from the Project.

The Project would consist of the following facilities in Utah County:

- A second compressor package at its existing Thistle Creek Compressor Station;
- Replacement of approximately 0.9 miles of existing 18-inch-diameter pipeline to establish a higher maximum allowed operating pressure; and
- Metering and ancillary facility upgrades at Questar's existing Payson Gate Meter Station.

In addition, Questar would make piping and meter modifications at its existing Oak Spring Compressor Station in Carbon County.

The general location of the project facilities is shown in appendix 1.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> The appendices referenced in this notice will not appear in the **Federal Register**. Copies of appendices were sent to all those receiving this