

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.

Docket No.	Communication date	Presenter or requester
<b>Prohibited</b>		
1. IS12-160-000/IS12-165-000 .....	3-7-12	Commission Staff. <sup>1</sup>
2. CP11-515-000 .....	3-9-12	John Odland. <sup>2</sup>
3. CP12-72-000 .....	3-15-12	Michelle D. Sweet.
4. CP11-515-000 .....	3-16-12	John Odland. <sup>3</sup>
5. CP11-515-000 .....	3-22-12	Janice O'Keefe. <sup>4</sup>
6. P-11858-000 .....	3-26-12	Timothy Maw, CMCA.
<b>Exempt:</b>		
1. CP11-161-000 .....	11-24-11	Commission Staff. <sup>5</sup>
2. CP11-161-000 .....	3-2-11	Commission Staff. <sup>6</sup>
3. CP11-14-000 .....	3-13-12	Commission Staff. <sup>7</sup>
4. CP12-19-000/CP12-20-000 .....	3-14-12	Commission Staff. <sup>8</sup>
5. CP07-52-000 .....	3-15-12	Commission Staff. <sup>9</sup>
6. P-459-000 .....	3-20-12	Hon. Vicky Hartzler.
7. CP12-11-000 .....	3-20-12	Commission Staff. <sup>10</sup>
8. P-459-000 .....	3-21-12	Hon. Roy Blunt
9. CP12-11-000 .....	3-26-12	Commission Staff. <sup>11</sup>
10. CP12-18-000 .....	3-27-12	L. Girth, US Dept. Interior.
11. CP11-128-000 .....	3-27-12	Hon. Kristen E. Gillibrand.
12. P-13417-000 .....	4-5-12	Hon. Ron Johnson.
13. ER11-4081-000/AD12-1-000 .....	4-9-12	Minnesota PUC. <sup>12</sup>
14. ER12-1177-000 .....	4-9-12	Todd A. Snitchler. <sup>13</sup>
15. CP11-128-000 .....	4-9-12	Hon. Brian Higgins & Hon. Kathleen C. Hochul.

<sup>1</sup> Email record.

<sup>2</sup> Email record.

<sup>3</sup> Email record.

<sup>4</sup> Letter sent to each of the Commissioners.

<sup>5</sup> Email record, covering the period of 11/24/11 to 2/22/12.

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

<sup>7</sup> Telephone record.

<sup>8</sup> Email record.

<sup>9</sup> Telephone record.

<sup>10</sup> Telephone record.

<sup>11</sup> Telephone record.

<sup>12</sup> Letter signed by all Commissioners of the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission.

<sup>13</sup> Letter signed by the Chairman of the Ohio Public Utilities Commission.

Dated: April 17, 2012.

**Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Notice of Commission Staff Attendance

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission hereby gives notice that members of the Commission's staff may attend the following meetings related to the transmission planning activities of the Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc. (MISO): MISO Advisory Committee—April 18, 2012.

Order 1000—Right of First Refusal Task Team—April 26, 2012.

The above-referenced meeting will be held at: MISO Headquarters, 720 City Center Drive, Carmel, IN 46032.

The above-referenced meeting is open to the public.

Further information may be found at [www.misoenergy.org](http://www.misoenergy.org).

The discussions at the meeting described above may address matters at issue in the following proceedings:

Docket No. ER12-715, *Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.*

Docket No. ER12-480, *Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.*

Docket No. ER12-309, *Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.*

Docket No. ER11-1844, *Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.*

Docket No. EL11-56, *FirstEnergy Service Company.*

Docket No. EL11-30, *E.ON Climate & Renewables North America, LLC v. Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.*

Docket No. EL12-24-000, *Pioneer Transmission LLC v. Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.*

Docket No. EL12-28-000, *Xcel Energy Services Inc. v. American Transmission Company, LLC*

Docket No. OA08-53, *Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.*

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*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Notice of Commission Staff Attendance

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission hereby gives notice that members of the Commission's staff may attend the following meetings related to the transmission planning activities of the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. (NYISO):

#### Joint Inter-Regional Planning Task Force/Electric System Planning Working Group

April 23, 2012, 11 a.m.–3 p.m., Local Time;

May 31, 2012, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Local Time;

June 26, 2012, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Local Time;

July 10, 2012, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Local Time;

July 24, 2012, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Local Time;

August 6, 2012, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Local Time;

August 28, 2012, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Local Time;

September 24, 2012, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Local Time.

The above-referenced meetings will be held at: NYISO's offices, Rensselaer, NY.

The above-referenced meetings are open to stakeholders.

Further information may be found at [www.nyiso.com](http://www.nyiso.com).

The discussions at the meetings described above may address matters at issue in the following proceeding:

Docket No. ER08-1281, *New York Independent System Operator, Inc.*

For more information, contact James Eason, Office of Energy Market Regulation, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission at (202) 502-8622 or [James.Eason@ferc.gov](mailto:James.Eason@ferc.gov).

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**Kimberly D. Bose,**

*Secretary.*

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OARM-2011-0795; FRL-9516-3]

### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to OMB for Review and Approval; Comment Request; General Administrative Requirements for Assistance Programs (Renewal); EPA ICR No. 0938.18

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA)(44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces that an Information Collection Request (ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval. This is a request to renew an existing approved collection. The ICR, which is abstracted below, describes the nature of the information collection and its estimated burden and cost.

**DATES:** Additional comments may be submitted on or before May 24, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, referencing Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OARM-2011-0795, to (1) EPA online using [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) (our preferred method), by email to [oei.docket@epa.gov](mailto:oei.docket@epa.gov), or by mail to: EPA Docket Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Environmental Information Docket, Mail Code: 28221T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460, and (2) OMB by mail to: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street NW., Washington, DC 20503.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Alexandra Raver, Office of Grants and Debarment, National Policy, Training and Compliance Division, Mail Code: 3903R, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 564-5296; fax number: (202) 565-2470; email address: [Raver.Alexandra@epa.gov](mailto:Raver.Alexandra@epa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** EPA has submitted the following ICR to OMB for review and approval according to the procedures prescribed in 5 CFR 1320.12. On October 19, 2011 (76 FR 64942), EPA sought comments on this ICR pursuant to 5 CFR 1320.8(d). EPA received one comment during the comment period, which is addressed in the ICR. Any additional comments on this ICR should be submitted to EPA and OMB within 30 days of this notice.

EPA has established a public docket for this ICR under Docket ID No. EPA-HQ-OARM-2011-0795, which is available for online viewing at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), or in person viewing at the Office of Environmental Information Docket in the EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), EPA West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC. The EPA/DC Public Reading Room is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is 202-566-1744, and the telephone number for the Office of Environmental Information Docket is 202-566-1752.

Use EPA's electronic docket and comment system at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), to submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the docket, and to access those documents in the docket that are available electronically. Once in the system, select "docket search," then key in the docket ID number identified above. Please note that EPA's policy is that public comments, whether submitted electronically or in paper, will be made available for public viewing at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) as EPA receives them and without change, unless the comment contains copyrighted material, confidential business information (CBI), or other information whose public disclosure is restricted by statute. For further information about the electronic docket, go to [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov).

**Title:** General Administrative Requirements for Assistance Programs (Renewal).

**ICR numbers:** EPA ICR No. 0938.18, OMB Control Number 2030-0020.

**ICR Status:** This ICR is scheduled to expire on April 30, 2012. Under OMB regulations, the Agency may continue to conduct or sponsor the collection of information while this submission is pending at OMB. An Agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations in title 40 of the CFR, after appearing in the **Federal Register** when approved, are listed in 40 CFR part 9, are displayed either by publication in the **Federal Register** or by other appropriate means, such as on the related collection instrument or form, if applicable. The display of OMB control numbers in certain EPA regulations is consolidated in 40 CFR part 9.

**Abstract:** The information is collected from applicants/recipients of EPA assistance to monitor adherence to the programmatic and administrative