NOTICE OF WORKSHOPS
ON THE ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION SITING RULE

(January 26, 2007)

The Office of Energy Projects (OEP) will host a series of workshops on Order No. 689, the final rule for Regulations for Filing Applications for Permits to Site Interstate Electric Transmission Facilities which was issued on November 16, 2006, effective February 2, 2007.¹ Order No. 689 stated, in paragraph 1, that the Commission would convene conferences to assist stakeholders in understanding the implementation of this rule.

The Commission staff will be conducting the workshops and the date, time and locations are described below. The workshops are free of charge and are open to all interested stakeholders. We are inviting federal agencies, state and local agencies, tribes, non-governmental organizations, and other interested stakeholders.

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| Tuesday, February 13, 2007 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm (CST) | Chicago, Illinois  
Sheraton Gateway Suites Chicago O'Hare  
6501 North Mannheim Road  
Rosemont, IL 60018  
847-699-3505  
[www.starwoodhotels.com/sheratonl](http://www.starwoodhotels.com/sheratonl) |
| Tuesday, March 6, 2007 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm (EST) | Boston, Massachusetts  
Hilton Boston Logan Airport  
85 Terminal Road  
Boston, MA 02128  
617-568-6700  
[www1.hilton.com](http://www1.hilton.com) |

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| Wednesday, March 7, 2007 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm (EST) | Atlanta, Georgia  
Holiday Inn Select  
450 Capitol Avenue  
Atlanta, GA  30312-2802  
404-591-2000  
[www.hiatlanta.com](http://www.hiatlanta.com) |  
2:00 pm – 5:00 pm (EST)  
Atlanta, Georgia  
Holiday Inn Select  
450 Capitol Avenue  
Atlanta, GA  30312-2802  
404-591-2000  
[www.hiatlanta.com](http://www.hiatlanta.com) |
| Tuesday, March 13, 2007 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm (PST) | Portland, Oregon  
Holiday Inn  
8439 NE Columbia Blvd  
Portland Oregon  97220  
503-256-5000  
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Portland Oregon  97220  
503-256-5000  
| Wednesday, March 14, 2007 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm (MST) | Phoenix, Arizona  
Phoenix Airport Marriott  
1101 North 44th Street  
Phoenix, Arizona  602-273-7373  
[www.marriott.com/phxap](http://www.marriott.com/phxap) |  
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Phoenix, Arizona  602-273-7373  
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The workshop will consist of the Commission staff making a presentation of approximately one hour that would review the origin, the issues raised and the process approved in the final rule. Following the Commission staff presentation, there will be a question and answer period for interested stakeholders.

If you plan to attend, please respond by email at electricoutreach@ferc.gov or by facsimile to “Electric Transmission Rule Outreach” at 202-219-020 or l. Please include in the response the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of all attendees from your organization.

If you have any questions, you may contact Jeff Wright at 202-502-8617 or John Schnagl at 202-502-8756.

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Secretary