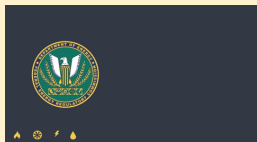




FERC Updates Policies to Guide Natural Gas Project Certifications



FERC issued two policy statements at its February open meeting to provide guidance for the Commission's future consideration of natural gas projects. Both the new pipeline certificate policy statement, reflecting the first revision of the policy in more than 20 years, and the new interim greenhouse gas (GHG) policy statement provide an analytical framework for many market, environmental and public interest issues that arise when companies seek to build new natural gas facilities. The certificate policy statement and interim GHG policy statement will ultimately improve the legal durability of the Commission's natural gas certificate decisions following a series of court decisions rejecting such decisions

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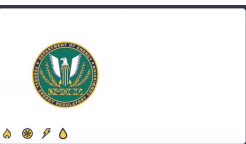
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FERC Launches Inquiry on Use of Dynamic Line Ratings to Promote Grid Efficiency

FERC issued a Notice of Inquiry to examine whether the use of dynamic line ratings, which are based on a wide range of weather and line-specific factors affecting the operation of electric transmission lines, would help ensure just and reasonable wholesale rates by improving the accuracy and transparency of line ratings. This inquiry builds on Order No. 881, approved in December 2021, which directed transmission providers to use ambient-adjusted ratings as the basis for evaluating near-term transmission service and for the determination of the necessity of certain curtailment, interruption or redispatch of near-term transmission service.

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FERC Seeks Comment on Oil Pipeline Capacity Allocation Practices

FERC is exploring the issue of oil pipeline capacity allocation problems that can arise when irregular events or factors, such as the COVID-19 pandemic, affect demand for oil pipeline capacity.

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FERC Chairman Names Deputy Director of OPP

FERC Chairman Rich Glick announced Nicole Sitaraman has joined the [Office of Public Participation \(OPP\)](#) as Deputy Director. OPP is the newest office at FERC, created last year to help the public engage with the Commission's regulatory processes.

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FERC-NARUC Hold Second Meeting on Joint Task Force on Transmission

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A Look Ahead

- March 1 – Tribal Consultation Meeting Regarding Lower Klamath and Klamath Hydroelectric Project Nos. 14803 and 2082 | [Event Details](#)
- March 3 – Senate Energy and Natural Resources Full Committee Hearing To Review FERC’s Recent Guidance On Natural Gas Pipelines | [Event Details](#)
- March 10 – Chairman Glick will be speaking at CERAWeek 2022 | [Event Details](#)
- March 16 – Chairman Glick will be speaking at Business Council for Sustainable Energy Clean Energy Forum | [Event Details](#)
- March 24 – Open Commission Meeting | [Event Details](#)



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