

**ACTION:** Notice of request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Energy (DOE), pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, intends to extend for three years, an information collection request with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). The information collection requests a three-year extension of its collection, titled, State Energy Program, OMB Control Number 1910–5126.

**DATES:** Comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before August 31, 2026. If you anticipate any difficulty in submitting comments within that period, contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments may be sent to Gregory Davoren, SCEP–30, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Ave. SW, Washington, DC 20585–0121 or by email at [gregory.davoren@doe.gov](mailto:gregory.davoren@doe.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Gregory Davoren, SCEP–30, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Ave. SW, Washington, DC 20585–0121 by phone (202) 679–8682 or by email at [gregory.davoren@doe.gov](mailto:gregory.davoren@doe.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the extended collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

This information collection request contains:

- (1) *OMB No.:* 1910–5126.
- (2) *Information Collection Request Titled:* “State Energy Program (SEP)”.
- (3) *Type of Review:* Extension of a Currently Approved Collection.

(4) *Purpose:* To collect information on the status of grantee activities related to the SEP Annual Appropriations and SEP funding appropriated under the Infrastructure and Jobs Act (IIJA)—total activities funded through with grant funds; expenditures; and results, to ensure that program funds are being

used appropriately, effectively and expeditiously.

(5) *Annual Estimated Number of Respondents:* 56.

(6) *Annual Estimated Number of Total Responses:* 744.

(7) *Annual Estimated Number of Burden Hours:* 12,056.

(8) *Annual Estimated Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden:* \$1,002,456.  
*Statutory Authority:* Title 42, Chapter 77, Subchapter III, Part B of the United States Code (U.S.C.), (42 U.S.C. 6321 *et seq.*). All grant awards made under this program shall comply with applicable laws including, but not limited to, the SEP statutory authority (42 U.S.C. 6321 *et seq.*), 10 CFR part 420, and 2 CFR part 200 as amended by 2 CFR part 910.

**Signing Authority**

This document of the Department of Energy was signed on June 25, 2026, by Audrey Robertson, Assistant Secretary of Energy, pursuant to delegated authority from the Secretary of Energy. That document with the original signature and date is maintained by DOE. For administrative purposes only, and in compliance with requirements of the Office of the Federal Register, the undersigned DOE Federal Register Liaison Officer has been authorized to sign and submit the document in electronic format for publication, as an official document of the Department of Energy. This administrative process in no way alters the legal effect of this document upon publication in the **Federal Register**.

Signed in Washington, DC on June 26, 2026.

**Treena Garrett,**  
*Federal Register Liaison Officer, U.S. Department of Energy.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. IC26–12–000]

**Commission Information Collection Activity (FERC–730); Comment Request; Extension**

**AGENCY:** Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission or FERC) is soliciting

public comment on the currently approved information collection, FERC–730: Report of Transmission Investment Activity. The 60-day notice comment period ended on April 20–2026 with no comments received.

**DATES:** Comments on the collections of information are due July 30, 2026.

**ADDRESSES:** Send written comments on FERC–730 to OMB through [https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRA/icrPublicCommentRequest?ref\\_nbr=202604-1902-011](https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRA/icrPublicCommentRequest?ref_nbr=202604-1902-011). You can also visit <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain> and use the drop-down under “Currently under Review” to select the “Federal Energy Regulatory Commission” where you can see the open opportunities to provide comments. Comments should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice.

Please submit a copy of your comments to the Commission via email to [DataClearance@FERC.gov](mailto:DataClearance@FERC.gov). You must specify Docket No. (IC26–12–000) and the FERC Information Collection number (FERC–730) in your email. If you are unable to file electronically, comments may be filed by USPS mail or by hand (including courier) delivery:

- *Mail via U.S. Postal Service Only:* Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Secretary of the Commission, 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426.
- *All other delivery methods:* Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Secretary of the Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, MD 20852.

*Docket:* To view comments and issuances in this docket, please visit <https://elibrary.ferc.gov/eLibrary/search>. Once there, you can also sign up for automatic notification of activity in this docket.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kayla Williams may be reached by email at [DataClearance@FERC.gov](mailto:DataClearance@FERC.gov), or by telephone at (202) 502–6468.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* FERC–730, Report of Transmission Investment Activity.  
*OMB Control No.:* 1902–0239.

*Type of Request:* Three-year extension of the FERC–730 information collection requirements with no changes to the current reporting requirements.

*Abstract:* This collection of information assists the Commission in implementing section 219 of the Federal Power Act (FPA)<sup>1</sup> and 18 CFR 35.35(h), which address incentive-based rate treatments for transmission infrastructure investment. FERC–730 consists of an annual report that includes recent year actual transmission

<sup>1</sup> 16 U.S.C. 824s.

investment, projections of annual investments for the following five years, details on the level and status of transmission investment, and the reasons for delay (if any).

The regulation at 18 CFR 35.35(h) requires public utilities that have been granted incentive rate treatment for specific transmission projects to file FERC Form-730 annually, beginning with the calendar year incentive rate treatment is granted by the Commission. Such filings are due by April 18 of the following calendar year and are due April 18 each year thereafter. The following information must be filed:

(1) In dollar terms, actual transmission investment for the most

recent calendar year, and projected, incremental investments for the next five calendar years; and

(2) For all current and projected investments (except projects with projected costs less than \$20 million) over the next five calendar years, a project-by-project listing that specifies for each project: details of the transmission project, the most up-to-date expected completion date; percentage completion as of the date of filing; and reasons for any delays.

For good cause shown, the Commission may extend the time within which any FERC-730 filing is to be filed or waive the requirements applicable to any such filing.

The Commission uses the FERC-730 information collection to determine an accurate assessment of the state of transmission investment by public utilities.

*Type of Respondents:* Public utilities that have been granted incentive-based rate treatment for specific transmission projects under provisions of 18 CFR 35.35.

*Estimate of Annual Burden:*<sup>2</sup> The Commission estimates 64 responses annually, and per-response burdens of 30 hours and \$3,060. The total estimated burdens per year are 1,920 hours and \$195,840. These burdens are itemized in the following table:

A. Number of respondents	B. Annual number of responses per respondent	C. Total number of responses (column A × column B)	D. Average burden & cost per response <sup>3</sup>	E. Total annual burden hours & total annual cost (column C × column D)	F. Cost per respondent (\$) (column E ÷ column A)
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Totals ....	.....	64	.....	.....	.....

*Comments are invited on:* (1) whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden and cost of the collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Dated: June 25, 2026.

**Carlos D. Clay,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory  
Commission**

**Combined Notice of Filings**

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

<sup>2</sup> Burden is defined as the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. For further

**Filings Instituting Proceedings**

*Docket Numbers:* RP26-933-000.

*Applicants:* Equitrans, L.P.

*Description:* § 4(d) Rate Filing: Formula Based Negotiated Rates—7/1/2026 to be effective 7/1/2026.

*Filed Date:* 6/25/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260625-5082.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 7/7/26.

Any person desiring to intervene, to protest, or to answer a complaint in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211, 214, or 206 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214, or 385.206) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. Protests may be considered, but intervention is necessary to become a party to the proceeding.

The filings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system (<https://elibrary.ferc.gov/idmws/search/fercgensearch.asp>) by querying the docket number.

eFiling is encouraged. More detailed information relating to filing requirements, interventions, protests, service, and qualifying facilities filings can be found at: <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling/filing-req.pdf>. For other information, call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

explanation of what is included in the information collection burden, refer to 5 CFR 1320.3.

<sup>3</sup> The Commission staff estimates that the industry's hourly cost for wages plus benefits is

For public inquiries and assistance with making filings such as interventions, comments, or requests for rehearing, contact the Office of Public Participation at (202) 502-6595 or [OPP@ferc.gov](mailto:OPP@ferc.gov).

Dated: June 25, 2026.

**Carlos D. Clay,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Federal Energy Regulatory  
Commission**

**Combined Notice of Filings #1**

Take notice that the Commission received the following Accounting Request filings:

*Docket Numbers:* AC26-89-000.

*Applicants:* ITC Midwest LLC.

*Description:* ITC Midwest LLC submits proposed journal entries re purchase of certain electric facilities from Midland Power Cooperative.

*Filed Date:* 6/25/26.

*Accession Number:* 20260625-5128.

*Comment Date:* 5 p.m. ET 7/16/26.

*Docket Numbers:* AC26-90-000.

*Applicants:* Michigan Electric Transmission Company, LLC.

similar to the Commission's \$102.00 (\$213,003 annually) FY 2026 average hourly cost for wages and benefits.