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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding, to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 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. In addition to publishing the full text of this document in the Federal Register, the Commission provides all interested persons an opportunity to view and/or print the contents of this document via the internet through the Commission's Home Page (<http://ferc.gov>) using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. At this time, the Commission has suspended access to the Commission's Public Reference Room, due to the proclamation declaring a National Emergency

concerning the Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), issued by the President on March 13, 2020. For assistance, contact the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission at FERCOOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202)502-8659.

Prohibited:

<u>Docket Nos.</u>	<u>File Date</u>	<u>Presenter or Requester</u>
1. CP20-47-000 RP20-41-000 RP20-41-001	5-21-2020	FERC Staff ¹
2. CP17-495-000 CP17-495-001	5-21-2020	FERC Staff ²
3. CP16-9-000 CP16-9-010	5-21-2020	FERC Staff ³

Exempt:

<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>File Date</u>	<u>Presenter or Requester</u>
P-10624-026	5-20-2020	FERC Staff ⁴

Dated: May 27, 2020.

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Deputy Secretary.

¹ Memorandum regarding ex parte communication with Ms. Aurelle Sprout on 4/21/2020.

² Memorandum regarding ex parte communication with Ms. Faith Strigler on 4/21/2020.

³ Memorandum regarding ex parte communication with Mr. Chris Cramer and 6 other individuals on 4/16/2020.

⁴ Email regarding the 5/20/2020 communication between Commission staff and the Michigan State Historic Preservation Office.

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