

Enforcement Group III, Office 7, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: 202-482-1374 and 202-482-2312, respectively.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are to the regulations codified at 19 CFR Part 351 (2000).

##### Background

On August 31, 2000, JAS requested that the Department conduct an administrative review for the period August 1, 1999 through July 31, 2000, of Universal Candle Company, Ltd. ("Universal"), a producer/exporter of the subject merchandise from the PRC. On October 2, 2000, the Department published a notice of initiation of the antidumping administrative review on petroleum wax candles from China, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.221(c)(1)(i). See Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews, 65 FR 58733 (October 2, 2000). On November 1, 2000, JAS withdrew its request for review.

##### Rescission of Review

Pursuant to our regulations, the Department will rescind an administrative review, "if a party that requested the review withdraws the request within 90 days of the date of publication of notice of initiation of the requested review." See 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1). The interested party's withdrawal of its request for review was within the 90-day time limit; accordingly, we are rescinding the administrative review for the period August 1, 1999 through July 31, 2000, and will issue appropriate assessment instructions to the U.S. Customs Service.

This notice serves as a reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order ("APO") of their responsibility concerning the disposition of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3). Timely written notification of the return or destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order is hereby requested. Failure to comply

with the regulations and terms of an APO is a sanctionable violation. This determination is issued in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(4) and section 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: November 16, 2000.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary, Enforcement Group III.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### National Energy Technology Laboratory; Notice of Availability of a Financial Assistance Solicitation

**AGENCY:** National Energy Technology Laboratory, Department of Energy (DOE).

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of a financial assistance solicitation.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given of the intent to issue Financial Assistance Solicitation No. DE-PS26-01NT41048 entitled "Development of Technologies and Capabilities for Developing Coal, Oil and Gas Energy Resources." The Department of Energy's (DOE) National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL) is conducting this solicitation to competitively seek cost-shared applications for research and development of technologies enabling development of energy resources needed to ensure the availability of affordable energy for the Nation's future. This solicitation seeks applications for energy research and development related activities that promote the efficient and sound production and use of fossil fuels (coal, natural gas, and oil).

**DATES:** The solicitation will be available on or about December 1, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** The solicitation along with all amendments will be posted on the NETL Homepage; at <http://www.netl.doe.gov/business>. Telephone requests, written requests, E-mail requests, or facsimile requests for a copy of the solicitation package and/or amendments will not be accepted and/or honored. Therefore, applicants are encouraged to periodically check the NETL Homepage to ascertain the status of these documents. Related information on the Fossil Energy areas of interest can be found on the "Technologies" page of the NETL website ([www.netl.doe.gov](http://www.netl.doe.gov)) and on the "Program Areas" page on the NPTO website ([www.npto.doe.gov](http://www.npto.doe.gov)).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lisa A. Kuzniar, MS I07, U.S. Department of Energy, National Energy Technology

Laboratory, P.O. Box 880, Morgantown, West Virginia 26507-0880, E-mail Address: [lkuzni@netl.doe.gov](mailto:lkuzni@netl.doe.gov), Telephone Number: (304) 285-4242.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Through this solicitation, NETL expects support applications in the following seventeen (17) separate (i.e., stand alone) Areas of Interest:

#### Coal & Environmental Systems:

Power Systems Advanced Research  
Gasification Technologies  
Combustion Technologies  
Carbon Sequestration  
Environmental & Water Resources  
Vision 21 Technologies  
([www.netl.doe.gov/products/power1/vision21frameset.htm](http://www.netl.doe.gov/products/power1/vision21frameset.htm))

#### Fuel Processing

Natural Gas Processing  
Transportation Fuels & Chemicals  
Fuels Advanced Research

#### Oil Technologies

Ultrasonic Oil Well Stimulation  
Reservoir Efficiency Processes  
Oil & Gas Environmental  
Critical Upstream Advanced  
Diagnostics and Imaging  
Technologies

#### Strategic Center for Natural Gas

Gas Exploration, Production & Storage  
Advanced Turbines & Engines  
Fuel Cells  
Infrastructure Reliability

Applicants must select and target only one (1) Area of Interest per proposal. DOE anticipates the award of multiple cost-sharing cooperative agreements under each Area of Interest. Approximately \$18 million to \$20 million of DOE funds is planned for this solicitation which will cover all Areas of Interest. In accordance with Section 3002 of the Energy Policy Act (EPACT), a minimum of 20% cost share will be required for each project. This solicitation includes multiple closing dates and uses a Two-Step Application process for each closing date. Under Step 1, applicants will submit a pre-application for review. Only those offerors whose pre-applications are selected by DOE will be afforded the opportunity to proceed to Step 2, submittal of a comprehensive application. DOE anticipates the due date for submittal of the pre-application will be December 20, 2000. Offerors are hereby notified that comprehensive applications received on or before the pre-application due date will be discarded prior to evaluation, and will not be evaluated.

Issued in Morgantown, WV on November 9, 2000.

**Randolph L. Kesling,**

*Director, Acquisition and Assistance Division.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Idaho Operations Office; Testing Fish Passage Characteristics for Low Power and Low Head Hydropower Turbine Technology

**AGENCY:** Idaho Operations Office, DOE.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of financial assistance solicitation.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Idaho Operations Office is soliciting applications from qualified hydropower turbine developers. These applications are for cost-shared testing of new hydropower turbine technology for fish passage characteristics. Qualified developers must own the rights to the new turbine technology. The technology must also be advanced to the stage that hardware exists or can be readily constructed; *i.e.*, design has been completed. The cost-shared testing is to determine the fish passage performance characteristics of the turbine technology. This activity is also limited to turbine technology that falls within the low power (1 MW or less) and the low head (30 feet or less) ranges. This work will be in support of the U.S. DOE Advanced Hydropower Turbine System (AHTS) Program.

The issuance date of Solicitation Number DE-PS07-01ID14011 will be on or about November 17, 2000. The deadline for receipt of applications will be approximately on January 19, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** The solicitation in its full text will be available on the Internet at the following URL address: <http://www.id.doe.gov/doeid/PSD/proc-div.html> or <http://e-center.doe.gov>.

Applications should be submitted to: Seb Klein, Procurement Services Division, U.S. Department of Energy, Idaho Operations Office, 850 Energy Drive, Mail Stop 1221, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401-1563.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Seb Klein, Contract Specialist, [kleinsm@id.doe.gov](mailto:kleinsm@id.doe.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The statutory authority for the program is the Federal Non-Nuclear Energy Research and Development Act of 1974 (Pub. L. 93-577). The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number for this program is 81.087.

Issued in Idaho Falls on November 6, 2000.

**R.J. Hoyles,**

*Director, Procurement Services Division.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Rocky Flats

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Rocky Flats. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of this meeting be announced in the **Federal Register**.

**DATES:** Thursday, December 7, 2000 6 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Arvada Center for the Arts and Humanities, 6901 Wadsworth Boulevard, Arvada, Colorado.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ken Korkia, Board/Staff Coordinator, Rocky Flats Citizens Advisory Board, 9035 North Wadsworth Parkway, Suite 2250, Westminster, CO, 80021; telephone (303) 420-7855; fax (303) 420-7579.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Purpose of the Board:* The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

#### Tentative Agenda

1. Quarterly update by Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board.
2. Presentations on Radionuclide Soil Action Level reports regarding model analysis, new science, and cleanup levels at other sites.
3. Other Board business may be conducted as necessary.

*Public Participation:* The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Ken Korkia at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received at least five days prior to the meeting and reasonable provisions will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments.

*Minutes:* The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Public Reading Room located at the Office of the Rocky Flats Citizens Advisory Board, 9035 North Wadsworth Parkway, Suite 2250, Westminster, CO 80021; telephone (303) 420-7855. Hours of operations for the Public Reading Room are 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be made available by writing or calling Deb Thompson at the address or telephone number listed above.

Issued at Washington, DC on November 17, 2000.

**Rachel M. Samuel,**

*Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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### Office of Fossil Energy; Notice of Filing of Coal Capability of Jackson County Power, LLC, Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act

**AGENCY:** Office of Fossil Energy, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of Filing.

**SUMMARY:** Jackson County Power, LLC submitted a coal capability self-certification pursuant to section 201 of the Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978, as amended.

**ADDRESSES:** Copies of self-certification filings are available for public inspection, upon request, in the Office of Coal & Power Im/Ex, Fossil Energy, Room 4G-039, FE-27, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Ellen Russell at (202) 586-9624.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Title II of the Powerplant and Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978 (FUA), as amended (42 U.S.C. 8301 *et seq.*), provides that no new baseload electric powerplant may be constructed or operated without the capability to use coal or another alternate fuel as a primary energy source. In order to meet the requirement of coal capability, the owner or operator of such facilities proposing to use natural gas or petroleum as its primary energy source shall certify, pursuant to FUA section 201(d), to the Secretary of Energy prior to construction, or prior to operation as a base load powerplant, that such powerplant has the capability to use coal or another alternate fuel.