

reasonable provision 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 comments will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments as the first item of the meeting agenda.

*Minutes:* The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available at the Department of Energy's Environmental Information Center and Reading Room at 115 Memorial Drive, Barkley Centre, Paducah, Kentucky between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday thru Friday or by writing to David Dollins, Department of Energy Paducah

Site Office, Post Office Box 1410, MS-103, Paducah, Kentucky 42001 or by calling him at (270) 441-6819.

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**Rachel M. Samuel,**

*Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[FE Docket Nos. 04-01-NG; et al.]

### Office of Fossil Energy; Irving Oil Terminals Inc., et al.; Orders Granting and Amending Authority To Import and Export Natural Gas, Including Liquefied Natural Gas

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

**ACTION:** Notice of orders.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy gives notice that during January 2003, it issued Orders granting and amending authority to import and export natural gas, including liquefied natural gas. These Orders are summarized in the attached appendix and may be found on the FE Web site at <http://www.fe.doe.gov> (select gas regulation). They are also available for inspection and copying in the Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import & Export Activities, Docket Room 3E-033, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-9478. The Docket Room is open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Issued in Washington, DC, on February 5, 2004.

**Sally Kornfeld,**

*Manager, Natural Gas Regulation, Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import & Export Activities, Office of Fossil Energy.*

## APPENDIX.—ORDERS GRANTING AND VACATING IMPORT/EXPORT AUTHORIZATIONS

[DOE/FE Authority]

Order No.	Date issued	Importer/exporter FE docket No.	Import volume	Export volume	Comments
1933	1-7-04	Irving Oil Terminals Inc., 04-01-NG .....	13.77 Bcf		Import and export a combined total of natural gas from and to Canada, beginning on January 1, 2004, and extending through December 31, 2005.
1829-A	1-7-04	Engage Energy, LLC (Formerly Engage Energy America LLC), 02-81-LNG.	.....	.....	Name change on blanket import and export authority.
1934	1-13-04	NYSEG Solutions, Inc., 04-02-NG .....	15 Bcf		Import and export a combined total of natural gas from and to Canada, beginning on January 1, 2004, and extending through December 31, 2005.
1935	1-13-04	Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company, 03-87-NG.	5 Bcf		Import and export a combined total of natural gas from and to Canada, beginning on January 13, 2004, and extending through January 12, 2006.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

[FE Docket Nos. 03-82-NG, et al.]

### Office of Fossil Energy; Puget Sound Energy, Inc., et al.; Orders Granting and Vacating Authority To Import and Export Natural Gas

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

**ACTION:** Notice of orders.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy gives notice that during December 2003, it issued Orders granting and vacating authority to import and export natural gas, including liquefied natural gas. These Orders are summarized in the attached appendix and may be found on the FE Web site at <http://www.fe.doe.gov> (select gas regulation). They are also available for inspection and copying in the Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum

Import & Export Activities, Docket Room 3E-033, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-9478. The Docket Room is open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

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**Sally Kornfeld,**

*Manager, Natural Gas Regulation, Office of Natural Gas & Petroleum Import & Export Activities, Office of Fossil Energy.*

APPENDIX.—ORDERS GRANTING AND VACATING IMPORT/EXPORT AUTHORIZATIONS  
[DOE/FE Authority]

Order No.	Date issued	Importer/exporter FE docket No.	Import volume	Export volume	Comments
1924	12-4-03	Puget Sound Energy, Inc., 03-82-NG .....	1 75 Bcf		Import and export a combined total of natural gas from and to Canada, beginning on December 6, 2003, and extending through December 5, 2005.
1925	12-4-03	Peoples Energy Wholesale Marketing LLC, 03-80-NG.	10 Bcf .....	10 Bcf .....	Import and export natural gas from and to Canada, beginning on December 6, 2003, and extending through December 5, 2005.
1927	12-8-03	Direct Energy Marketing Inc., 03-81-NG ...	1 500 Bcf		Import and export a combined total of natural gas from and to Canada, beginning on December 8, 2003, and extending through December 7, 2005.
1928	12-8-03	Direct Energy Marketing Limited 03-83-NG	1 500 Bcf		Import and export a combined total of natural gas from and to Canada, beginning on December 1, 2003, and extending through November 30, 2005.
1928	12-8-03	Direct Energy Marketing Limited 03-83-NG	.....	.....	Vacate blanket import and export authority granted in Docket No. Order No. 1742.
1929	12-11-03	Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. 03-84-NG ..	1 300 Bcf		Import and export a combined total of natural gas from and to Canada, beginning on January 1, 2004, and extending through December 31, 2005.
1930	12-17-03	Williams Power Company, Inc. (Formerly, Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Company) 03-85-NG.	200 Bcf .....	.....	Import natural gas from Canada, beginning on December 17, 2003, and extending through December 16, 2005.
1931	12-23-03	Suncor Energy Inc. and Suncor Energy Marketing Inc. 03-86-NG.	128 Bcf .....	.....	Import natural gas from Canada, beginning on January 1, 2004, and extending through December 31, 2005.

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY****Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy****Biomass Research and Development Technical Advisory Committee****AGENCY:** Department of Energy.**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces an open meeting of the Biomass Research and Development Technical Advisory Committee under the Biomass Research and Development Act of 2000. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that agencies publish these notices in the **Federal Register** to allow for public participation. This notice announces the meeting of the Biomass Research and Development Technical Advisory Committee.

**DATES:** March 11, 2004.**TIME:** 8:30 a.m.

**ADDRESSES:** Hilton Crystal City Hotel at National Airport, Crystal Room, 2399 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John Ferrell, Designated Federal Officer for the Committee, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585; (202) 586-7766.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and guidance that promotes research and development leading to the production of biobased industrial products.

*Tentative Agenda:* Agenda will include discussions on the following:

- The Biomass R&D Technical Advisory Committee will meet to obtain an overview of progress and the history of research efforts in major biomass technology areas. The Committee also will receive updates on the status of the USDA-DOE joint solicitation for biomass R&D, activities to promote Federal procurement of biobased products, and method for tracking progress of research awards under the joint solicitation.

**Public Participation:** In keeping with procedures, members of the public are welcome to observe the business of the Biomass Research and Development Technical Advisory Committee. To attend the meeting and/or to make oral statements regarding any of the items on the agenda, you should contact John

Ferrell at 202-586-7766 or *Bioenergy@ee.doe.gov* (e-mail). You must make your request for an oral statement at least 5 business days before the meeting. Members of the public will be heard in the order in which they sign up at the beginning of the meeting. Reasonable provision will be made to include the scheduled oral statements on the agenda. The Chair of the Committee will make every effort to hear the views of all interested parties. If you would like to file a written statement with the Committee, you may do so either before or after the meeting. The Chair will conduct the meeting to facilitate the orderly conduct of business.

*Minutes:* The minutes of the meeting will be available for public review and copying within 60 days at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room; Room 1E-190; Forrestal Building; 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

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**Rachel M. Samuel,**

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