wishing to make public comments will be provided a maximum of five minutes to present their comments. This notice is being published less than 15 days before the date of the meeting due to programmatic issues.

Minutes: 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 Public Reading Room located at the Board's office at 1660 Old Pecos Trail, Suite B, Santa Fe, NM. Hours of operation for the Public Reading Room are 9 a.m.-4 p.m. on Monday through Friday. Minutes will also be made available by writing or calling Menice Manzanares at the Board's office address or telephone number listed above. Minutes and other Board documents are on the Internet at: http://www.nnmcab.org.

Issued at Washington, DC, on January 4, 2005.

Carol Anne Matthews,

Acting Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EL05-35-000]

Pacific Gas and Electric Company; Notice of Initiation of Proceeding and Refund Effective Date

December 14, 2004.

On December 13, 2004, the Commission issued an order in Docket Nos. ER05–82–000, EL05–35–000, ER03–409–000 and ER03–666–000. The Commission's order institutes a proceeding in Docket No. EL05–35–000 under section 206 of the Federal Power Act with respect to the methodology used to allocate reliability services costs to standby service. 109 FERC ¶61,266 (2004).

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL05–35–000, established pursuant to section 206(b) of the Federal Power Act will be 60 days following publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EL05-29-000 and ER04-1209-001]

Southern California Edison Company; Notice of Initiation of Proceeding and Refund Effective Date

December 13, 2004.

On December 10, 2004, the Commission issued an order in the above-referenced dockets initiating a proceeding in Docket No. EL05–29–000 under section 206 of the Federal Power Act concerning issues related to allocation of costs. 109 FERC ¶ 61,263.

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL05–29–000, established pursuant to section 206(b) of the Federal Power Act will be 60 days following publication of this notice is the **Federal Register**.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL05-48-000]

Neptune Regional Transmission System, LLC, Complainant; v. PJM Interconnection, L.L.C., Respondent; Notice of Complaint and Request for Fast Track Processing

December 23, 2004.

Take notice that on December 21, 2004, Neptune Regional Transmission System, LLC (Neptune) filed a formal complaint against PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. (PJM) pursuant to section 206 of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 824e (2000), and Rule 206 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.206 (2004), alleging that PJM has improperly restudied the Neptune Project to include subsequently announced generator retirements. Neptune has requested Fast Track Processing of the complaint under 18 CFR 385.206(h) (2004).

Neptune certifies that copies of the complaint were served on the contacts for PJM, FirstEnergy, PSEG, and LIPA as listed on the Commission's list of Corporate Officials.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. The Respondent's answer and all interventions or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. The Respondent's answer, motions to intervene, and protests must be served on the Complainants.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at http://www.ferc.gov. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

This filing is accessible online at http://www.ferc.gov, using the "eLibrary" link and is available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an "eSubscription" link on the web site that enables subscribers to receive e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, or call (866) 208–3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502–8659.

Comment Date: January 6, 2005.

Linda Mitry,

Deputy Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OW-2003-0081; FRL-7859-7]

Agency Information Collection
Activities; Submission to OMB for
Review and Approval; Comment
Request; Survey Questionnaire To
Determine the Effectiveness, Costs,
and Impacts of Sewage and Graywater
Treatment Devices for Large Cruise
Ships Operating in Alaska, EPA ICR
Number 2133.01, OMB Control Number
2040–NEW

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces that an Information Collection Request

(ICR) has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval. This is a request for a new collection. This ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its estimated burden and cost. DATES: Additional comments may be submitted on or before February 9, 2005. **ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, referencing docket ID number OW-2003-0081, to (1) EPA online using EDOCKET (our preferred method), by email to *ow-docket@epa.gov*, or by mail to: EPA Docket Center, Environmental Protection Agency, Water Docket, EPA West, 4101T, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460, and (2) OMB at: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Elizabeth Kim, Oceans and Coastal Protection Division, Office of Water, Mail Code 4504T, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (202) 566–1270; fax number: (202) 566–1546; email address: kim.elizabeth@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has submitted the following ICR to OMB for review and approval according to the procedures prescribed in 5 CFR 1320.12. On February 3, 2004 (69 FR 5145), EPA sought comments on this ICR pursuant to 5 CFR 1320.8(d). EPA has addressed the comments received in the supporting statement of this ICR. Please note that the first Federal Register notice submitted included an incorrect ICR number (OW–2003–0014). The correct EPA ICR Number is 2133.01.

EPA has established a public docket for this ICR under Docket ID No. OW-2003-0081, which is available for public viewing at the Water Docket in the EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), EPA West, Room B102, 1301 Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, DC. The EPA Docket Center Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is (202) 566-1744, and the telephone number for the Water Docket is (202) 566–2426. An electronic version of the public docket is available through EPA Dockets (EDOCKET) at http://www.epa.gov/edocket. Use EDOCKET to submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the public docket, and to access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Once in the system, select "search,"

then key in the docket ID number identified above.

Any comments related to this ICR should be submitted to EPA and OMB within 30 days of this notice. EPA's policy is that public comments, whether submitted electronically or in paper, will be made available for public viewing in EDOCKET as EPA receives them and without change, unless the comment contains copyrighted material, CBI, or other information whose public disclosure is restricted by statute. When EPA identifies a comment containing copyrighted material, EPA will provide a reference to that material in the version of the comment that is placed in EDOCKET. The entire printed comment, including the copyrighted material, will be available in the public docket. Although identified as an item in the official docket, information claimed as CBI, or whose disclosure is otherwise restricted by statute, is not included in the official public docket, and will not be available for public viewing in EDOCKET. For further information about the electronic docket, see EPA's Federal Register notice describing the electronic docket at 67 FR 38102 (May 31, 2002), or go to http://www.epa.gov/ edocket.

Title: Survey Questionnaire to Determine the Effectiveness, Costs, and Impacts of Sewage and Graywater Treatment Devices for Large Cruise Ships Operating in Alaska.

Abstract: On December 12, 2000, Congress passed HR 4577 (Public Law 106-554), "Department of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act." This act included a section entitled "Title XIV: Certain Alaskan Cruise Ship Operations" (33 U.S.C. 1901 Note). Title XIV set requirements for the discharge of sewage and graywater from cruise ships authorized to carry for hire 500 or more passengers while operating in the waters of the Alexander Archipelago and the navigable waters of the United States within the State of Alaska and within the Kachemak Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve (hereafter referred to as waters in and near Alaska). Title XIV also authorized

the Administrator [of EPA] may promulgate effluent standards for treated sewage (human body waste and the wastes from toilets and other receptacles intended to receive or retain human body waste) and graywater (galley, dishwasher, bath, and laundry waste water) from cruise vessels operating in the waters of the Alexander Archipelago or the navigable waters of the United States within the State of Alaska or within the Kachemak Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve. Regulations implementing such standards

shall take into account the best available scientific information on the environmental effects of the regulated discharges and the availability of new technologies for wastewater treatment.

EPA has begun an effort to develop and promulgate regulations, as necessary and appropriate, for controlling the discharge of sewage and graywater from cruise ships covered by Title XIV. Title XIV provides that the authority of sections 308(a) and 308(b) of the Clean Water Act, regarding records, reports, and inspections, shall be available to carry out the provisions of the Act (section 1413). EPA has prepared an ICR for OMB approval for gathering data in support of this rulemaking. The ICR requests approval to collect information from cruise lines and cruise ships covered by Title XIV.

The information to be gathered with a survey questionnaire would include: general information regarding the cruise line and each of the cruise vessels authorized to carry for hire 500 or more passengers in waters in and near Alaska (e.g., size, capacity, ports of call); description of sources of graywater; ship-board plumbing systems; data describing the effectiveness of sewage and graywater treatment systems and marine sanitation devices (MSDs) operating on these large vessels at removing pollutants of concern; costs of these systems; pollution prevention programs and management practices; information pertinent to environmental assessment; and financial information and data necessary for economic impact analysis. When possible, EPA will use available information to complete answers to some questions. In these cases, the respondent will be asked to verify the information and update it if necessary. The survey questionnaire will provide instructions on the procedures for making CBI claims, if necessary, and the respondents will be informed of the rules governing protection of CBI, for information that warrants such claims.

EPA also intends to continue to supplement this information collection by gathering additional publicly available information and data from the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) and the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG), the cruise ship industry, and other stakeholders.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations in 40 CFR are listed in 40 CFR part 9 and are identified on the form and/or instrument, if applicable.

Burden Statement: EPA estimates that 12 cruise line operators would respond to the survey for a total of 30 vessels operating in Alaska. The annual public reporting and recordkeeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average across all vessels 42.3 hours per response. That is 54 hours per response to complete and review responses to the survey questionnaire and associated data submissions for each of the 16 cruise ships that are certified by the U.S. Coast Guard to discharge continuously in the waters in and near Alaska under 33 CFR 159.309. This estimate includes the burden for verifying and updating "draft" responses provided by EPA to a portion of the questions. For the remaining 14 ships that do *not* have wastewater treatment systems authorized to discharge continuously, EPA estimates it would take an average of approximately 29 hours per response to complete and review responses to the survey questionnaire.

Burden means 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. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information: and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

Respondents/Affected Entities: Operators of cruise lines and individual cruise ships authorized to carry for hire 500 or more passengers, operating in waters in and near Alaska.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 12 cruise line operators.

Frequency of Response: One time response.

Estimated Total Annual Hour Burden: 1,270 hours for all ships.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: \$50,981, includes \$0 annualized capital expenditure, \$890 Respondent O&M costs, and \$50,091 Respondent Labor costs.

Dated: December 20, 2004.

Oscar Morales,

Director, Collection Strategies Division. [FR Doc. 05–419 Filed 1–7–05; 8:45 am]

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OEI-2004-0004, FRL-7859-6]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission to OMB for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Compliance Assurance Monitoring Program (Renewal), EPA ICR Number 1663.04, OMB Control Number 2060–0376

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.), this document announces that EPA is planning to submit a continuing Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). This is a request to renew an existing collection. This ICR is scheduled to expire on February 28, 2005. Under OMB regulations, the Agency may continue to conduct or sponsor the collection of information while this submission is pending at OMB. This ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its estimated burden and

DATES: Additional comments may be submitted on or before February 9, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, referencing docket ID number OEI—2004—0004, to EPA online using EDOCKET (our preferred method), by email: oei.Docket@epa.gov, or by mail to: Environmental Protection Agency, EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), Office of Environmental Information Docket, MC 28221T, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has submitted the following ICR to OMB for review and approval according to the procedures prescribed in 5 CFR 1320.12. On October 5, 2004, (69 FR 59589), EPA sought comments on this ICR pursuant to 5 CFR 1320.8(d). EPA has received no comments.

EPA has established a public docket for this ICR under Docket ID number OEI–2004–0004, which is available for public viewing at the Office of Environmental Information Docket in the EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), EPA

West, Room B102, 1301 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC. The EPA Docket Center Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is (202) 566–1744, and the telephone number for the Office of Environmental Information Docket is (202) 566-1752. An electronic version of the public docket is available through EPA Dockets (EDOCKET) at http:// www.epa.gov/edocket. Use EDOCKET to obtain a copy of the draft collection of information, submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the public docket, and to access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Once in the system, select "search," then key in the docket ID number identified above.

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Title: Compliance Assurance Monitoring Program (40 CFR part 64) (Renewal).

Abstract: The Clean Air Act contains several provisions directing us to require source owners to conduct monitoring to support certification as to their status of compliance with applicable requirements. These provisions are set forth in title V (operating permits provisions) and title VII (enforcement provisions) of the Act. Title V directs us to implement monitoring and certification requirements through the operating permits program. Section 504(b) of the