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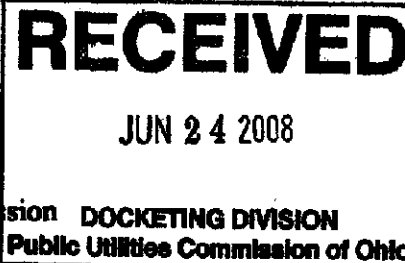


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RE: Docket Nos. CP07-208-000, 001
Rockies Express Pipeline LLC, REX-East Project
Request for Notice to Proceed - Cloverdale Contractor Yard

Ms. Bose:

On May 30, 2008, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC" or "Commission"), pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act and Part 157 of the Commission's regulations, issued Rockies Express Pipeline LLC ("Rockies Express") a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct and operate the REX-East project ("May 30 Order" or "Order").¹ On June 2, 2008, Rockies Express, pursuant to Section 157.20(a) of the Commission's Regulations, 18 C.F.R. § 157.20(a), notified the Commission that it accepted the Commission's Order.

On June 2, 2008, as supplemented on June 5, 2008, Rockies Express requested the Director of Office of Energy Projects to provide Rockies Express with written authorization ("Notice to Proceed") to commence construction at the Bowling Green, Old Highway 67, Winchester Road, Taylorville and Wilmington contractor yards. Those yards were approved for commencement of construction on June 6, 2008. On June 9, 2008, Rockies Express filed a Notice to Proceed request to commence construction at the Tuscola and Greensburg contractor yards.

Rockies Express hereby requests authorization to commence construction at the Cloverdale contractor yard. As set forth in the attached data, environmental and biological clearances have been received at this contractor yard. Rockies Express requests a Notice to Proceed at this discrete facility so that contractors may establish field offices and move their equipment onto the site to prepare for construction. Rockies Express respectfully requests written authorization by June 20, 2008.

¹ Rockies Express Pipeline LLC, 123 FERC ¶ 61,234 (2008)

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Rockies Express requests written authorization to commence construction at the following location:

TABLE 2.1-1		
Rockies Express Pipeline-East Project Location of Cloverdale Contractor Yard		
Contractor Yard	Location (legal description)	Approximate Acreage and Land Use
Cloverdale	Section 36, T13N, R4W, Putnam County, Indiana	About 20.7 acres of previously disturbed, open, mowed lawn with buildings and field roads and structures. Located north of Stardust Road and west of CSX Railroad.

As support for its Notice to Proceed request, Rockies Express submits the following data with respect to the facilities for which authorization to commence construction is sought:

- Aerial photo map for each site;
- Supporting data for each site, including
 - Cultural resource information (privileged and confidential)
 - Biological information
 - Satisfaction of specific conditions
 - Landowner agreements.

Please direct any questions with respect to this request for authorization to proceed to Ryan Childs at (307) 760-5635.

Respectfully submitted,



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