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Van, Please add the attached email and attachment to PRM-50-96 as a miscellaneous document.
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From: Thomas S Popik <thomasp@resilientsocieties.org>
To: Bladey, Cindy
Cc: William R. Harris <wm.r.harris@gmail.com>
Sent: Tue Apr 10 14:12:27 2012
Subject: Geomagnetic Disturbance Meeting Notice at FERC

Ms. Bladey:

Attached please find a notice of the scheduled meeting at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission of the subject of Geomagnetic Disturbance.

The meeting is scheduled for April 30, 2012.

Please add this meeting notice to PRM-50-96 as additional information.

Thank you.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Geomagnetic Disturbances
to the Bulk-Power System

Docket No. AD12-13-000

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL CONFERENCE

(April 6, 2012)

Take notice that the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission staff will hold a Staff Technical Conference on Geomagnetic Disturbances to the Bulk-Power System on Monday, April 30, 2012, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This staff-led conference will be held in the Commission Meeting Room at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426. The conference will be open for the public to attend, and advance registration is not required.

The purpose of the conference is to discuss issues related to reliability of the Bulk-Power System as affected by geomagnetic disturbances. The conference will explore the risks and impacts from geomagnetically induced currents to transformers and other equipment on the Bulk-Power System, as well as, options for addressing or mitigating the risks and impacts.

The agenda for this conference will be issued at a later date. Information on this event will be posted on the Calendar of Events on the Commission's web site, www.ferc.gov, prior to the event.

Advance registration is not required, but is encouraged. You may register at the following webpage: <https://www.ferc.gov/whats-new/registration/geomagnetic-bulk-4-30-12-form.asp>.

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