entitled "Automatically Interlocking Pallets, and Shipping and Storage Systems Employing the Same." U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 11/ 387,082 entitled "Interlocking Pallets, and Shipping and Storage Systems Employing the Same." U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 11/387,084 entitled "Shipping and Storage System"; U.S. Patent Application Serial Number 12/669,001 entitled "Hermetically Packaged MEMS G-Switch";

**ADDRESSES:** Requests for copies of the Patent Applications cited should be directed to Dr. J. Scott Deiter, Head, Technology Transfer Office, Code CAB, Naval Surface Warfare Center, 3824 Strauss Avenue, Suite 107, 1st Floor, Indian Head, MD 20640–5152.

**DATES:** Requests should be made prior to January 30, 2009.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. J. Scott Deiter, Head, Technology Transfer Office, Code CAB, Naval Surface Warfare Center, 3824 Strauss Avenue, Suite 107, 1st Floor, Indian Head, MD 20640–5152, telephone: 301– 744–6111.

Dated: January 7, 2009.

# A.M. Vallandingham,

Lieutenant Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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### DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### State Energy Advisory Board

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open teleconference.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a teleconference of the State Energy Advisory Board (STEAB). The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463; 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these teleconferences be announced in the **Federal Register**.

**DATES:** January 21, 2009 at 1–2 p.m. EDT.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gary

Burch, STEAB Designated Federal Officer, Division Director, Office of Commercialization & Project Management, Golden Field Office, U.S. Department of Energy, 1617 Cole Boulevard, Golden, CO 80401, Telephone 303/275–4801.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Purpose of the Board: To make recommendations to the Assistant Secretary for the Office of

Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy regarding goals and objectives of programs carried out in this sector, to make programmatic recommendations as appropriate, to encourage transfer of results of the energy efficiency and renewable energy activities carried out by DOE to non-DOE users, and to otherwise carry out the Board's responsibilities as designated in the State Energy Efficiency Programs Improvement Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101– 440).

*Tentative Agenda:* Update members on routine business matters.

Public Participation: The teleconference is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board either before or after the meeting. Members of the public who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Gary Burch at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests to make oral comments must be received five days prior to the conference call; reasonable provision will be made to include requested topic(s) on the agenda. The Chair of the Board is empowered to conduct the call in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. This notice is being published less than 15 days before the date of the meeting due to programmatic issues that had to be resolved prior to publication.

**Notes:** The notes of the teleconference will be available for public review and copying within 60 days on the STEAB Web site, *http://www.steab.org.* 

Issued at Washington, DC, on January 9, 2009.

#### **Rachel Samuel**,

Deputy Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. E9–616 Filed 1–13–09; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6450–01–P

## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 13281-000]

### Alaska Power & Telephone Company; Notice of Preliminary Permit Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Competing Applications

January 7, 2009.

On August 19, 2008, and supplemented on November 12, 2008, Alaska Power & Telephone Company filed an application, pursuant to section 4(f) of the Federal Power Act, proposing to study the feasibility of the Lake Shelokum Hydroelectric Project (Lake Shelokum). Lake Shelokum would be located on Lake Shelokum in the Prince of Wales—Outer Ketchikan Census Area, First Judicial District, Unincorporated Borough, Alaska. The proposed project would be located within the Tongass National Forest, whose lands are administered by the U.S. Forest Service.

The proposed Lake Shelokum project would consist of: (1) A proposed 100foot-long, 15-foot-high concrete-faced, rock filled dam; (2) an existing reservoir having a proposed surface area of 400 acres and a storage capacity of 10,000 acre-feet and normal water surface elevation of 370 feet above mean low sea level (msl); (3) a proposed 2,500foot-long, 7-foot diameter steel penstock; (4) a proposed powerhouse containing two generating units having an installed capacity of 10-megawatts; (5) a proposed 12-mile-long, 34.5kilovault transmission line; and (6) appurtenant facilities. The proposed Lake Shelokum Project would have an average annual generation of 40gigawatt-hours.

FERC Contact: Patricia W. Gillis, 202–502–8735.

Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, competing applications (without notices of intent), or notices of intent to file competing applications: 60 days from the issuance of this notice. Comments, motions to intervene, notices of intent, and competing applications may be filed electronically via the Internet. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link. If unable to be filed electronically, documents may be paperfiled. To paper-file, an original and eight copies should be mailed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. For more information on how to submit these types of filings please go to the Commission's Web site located at http://www.ferc.gov/filingcomments.asp. More information about this project can be viewed or printed on the "eLibrary" link of Commission's Web site at

http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ elibrary.asp. Enter the docket number (P–13281) in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, call toll-free 1–866–208–3372.

#### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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