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FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20426

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In Reply Refer To:
Hopewell Power Generation, LLC
Docket No. ER19-1643-001

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Attention: Kenneth W. Irvin, Esq.
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Dear Mr. Irvin:

1. On February 26, 2020, Hopewell Power Generation, LLC (Hopewell) filed an Offer of Settlement (Settlement) addressing the revenue requirement for the provision of reactive supply and voltage control service from Hopewell's combined cycle, cogeneration exempt wholesale generator facility located in Hopewell, Virginia within the PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. footprint. On March 17, 2020, Commission Trial Staff filed comments in support of the Settlement. On March 31, 2020, the Settlement Judge certified the Settlement to the Commission as an uncontested settlement.¹
2. Article VI of the Settlement provides that:

The standard of review the Commission shall apply when acting on proposed modifications to the Settlement under section 205 or 206 of the [Federal Power Act], including by the Commission acting *sua sponte*, shall be the "just and reasonable" standard of review rather than the "public interest" standard of review.

¹ *Hopewell Power Generation, LLC*, 170 FERC ¶ 63,034 (2020).

3. The Settlement resolves all issues set for hearing and settlement judge procedures in Docket No. ER19-1643.² The Settlement appears to be fair and reasonable and in the public interest, and is hereby approved. Commission approval of the Settlement does not constitute approval of, or precedent regarding, any principle or issue in this proceeding.

4. The Commission accepts the proposed tariff records, effective April 24, 2019, as requested.

By direction of the Commission.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

² See *Hopewell Power Generation, LLC*, 167 FERC ¶ 61,255 (2019) (accepting and suspending proposed rate schedule and establishing hearing and settlement judge procedures).