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Re: PUCT Project No. 55983; *CY 2023 Annual
Power Line Inspection & Safety Report in
Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.97(f)*

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Dear Central Records:

Enclosed please find a copy of Wind Energy Transmission Texas, LLC's 2023 Annual Power Line Inspection & Safety Report filed pursuant to 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 25.97(f), which was previously timely filed on May 1, 2024, under Project No. 54435, *CY 2022 Annual Power Line Inspection & Safety Report in Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.97(f)* as Item No. 186.

Please void the prior filing and accept the attached copy in its place. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Thank you for your time and attention. Both are sincerely appreciated.

Very truly yours,

NAMAN HOWELL SMITH & LEE, PLLC

By: 
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Public Utility Commission of Texas

Annual Report

Required by 16 Texas Admin. Code § 25.97(f)

PROJECT NO. 55938

AFFECTED ENTITY: Wind Energy Transmission Texas, LLC

General Information

Pursuant to 16 Texas Admin. Code § 25.97(f)(1), not later than May 1 of each year, each affected entity must submit this report for the preceding calendar year. The first report must be submitted not later than May 1, 2020.

Instructions

Answer all questions, fill-in all blanks, and have the report notarized in the affidavit. If you check no in part 1.a, leave parts 1.b-d blank.

Violations resulting from, and incidents, fatalities, or injuries attributable to a violation resulting from, a natural disaster, weather event, or man-made act or force outside of an affected entity's control are not required to be reported.

Affidavit

A representative of the affected entity must swear to and affirm the truthfulness, correctness, and completeness of the information provided by attaching a signed and notarized copy of the Affidavit provided with this form.

Filing Instructions

Submit four copies (an original and three copies) of the completed form and signed and notarized Affidavit to:

Central Records Filing Clerk
Public Utility Commission of Texas
1701 N. Congress Avenue
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<p>1. This part applies only to an affected entity that owns or operates overhead transmission facilities greater than 60 kilovolts.</p> <p>a) Does this part 1 apply to you? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>b) Provide the number of identified occurrences of noncompliance with Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA) § 38.004 regarding vertical clearance requirements of the National Electrical Safety Code (NESC) for overhead transmission facilities.</p>
<p>WETT has identified zero (0) occurrences of noncompliance with PURA § 38.004 regarding vertical clearance requirements of the NESC for overhead transmission facilities.</p>

c) Do you have actual knowledge that any portion of your transmission system is not in compliance with PURA § 38.004 regarding vertical clearance requirements of the NESC for overhead transmission facilities?

WETT has no actual knowledge that any portion of its transmission system is not in compliance with PURA § 38.004 regarding vertical clearance requirements of the NESC for overhead transmission facilities.

d) Do you have actual knowledge of any violations of easement agreements with the United States Army Corps of Engineers relating to PURA § 38.004 regarding vertical clearance requirements of the NESC for overhead transmission facilities?

WETT has no actual knowledge of any violations of easement agreements with the United States Army Corps of Engineers relating to PURA § 38.004 regarding vertical clearance requirements of the NESC for overhead transmission facilities.

2. This part applies to an affected entity that owns or operates overhead transmission facilities greater than 60 kilovolts or distribution facilities greater than 1 kilovolt.
- a) Provide the number of fatalities or injuries of individuals other than employees, contractors, or other persons qualified to work in proximity to overhead high voltage lines involving transmission or distribution assets related to noncompliance with the requirements of PURA § 38.004.

WETT has identified zero (0) fatalities or injuries of any individuals other than employees, contractors, or other persons qualified to work in proximity to overhead high voltage lines, involving WETT's transmission assets related to noncompliance with the requirements of PURA § 38.004 in the preceding one year period, January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023.

b) Provide a description of corrective actions taken or planned to prevent the reoccurrence of fatalities or injuries described in subpart a), immediately above.

Not applicable.

AFFIDAVIT

I swear or affirm that I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this report or am relying on people with personal knowledge, that I am competent to testify to them, and that I have the authority to submit this report on behalf of the affected entity. I further swear or affirm that all statements made in this report are true, correct, and complete.

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature

L. Wayne Morton
Printed Name

Chief Executive Officer
Job Title

Wind Energy Transmission Texas, LLC
Name of Affected Entity

Sworn and subscribed before me this 1 day of MAY, 2024
Month Year

[Handwritten Signature]

Notary Public in and For the State of TEXAS

My commission expires on 2-21-26

