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NEW JERSEY

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NEW YORK

Installation Name: Fort Totten

LRA Name: Fort Totten Redevelopment
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Installation Name: Kelly Air Force Base

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WASHINGTON

Installation Name: Camp Bonneville

LRA Name: Camp Bonneville Local
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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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**Application To Export Electricity;
Northeast Utilities Service Company**

AGENCY: Office of Fossil Energy, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of application.

SUMMARY: Northeast Utilities Service Company (NUSCO) has requested authorization to export electric energy to Canada.

DATES: Comments, protests, or requests to intervene must be submitted on or before April 1, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Comments, protests, or requests to intervene should be addressed as follows: Office of Coal & Electricity (FE-52), Office of Fuels Programs, Fossil Energy, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585-0350.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Warren E. Williams (Program Office) 202-586-9629 or Michael T. Skinker (Program Attorney) 202-586-6667.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Exports of electricity from the United States to a foreign country are regulated and require authorization under section 202(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C. § 824a(e)).

On January 31, 1995, NUSCO filed an application with the Office of Fossil Energy (FE) of the Department of Energy (DOE) for authorization to export electric energy to Canada pursuant to section 202(e) of the FPA. NUSCO is a Connecticut corporation that provides centralized services to and acts as agent for the Northeast Utilities ("NU") System. NU is an investor-owned registered electric utility holding company made up of the following operating companies: The Connecticut Light and Power Company, Western Massachusetts Electric Company, Holyoke Power and Electric Company, Holyoke Water Power Company, and Public Service Company of New Hampshire.

In its application, NUSCO asserts that the NU System companies currently have, and will have for more than a decade, generating resources greater than those needed to serve their retail customers and committed sales.

Therefore, NUSCO proposes to sell surplus electric energy, when available, to Canada, specifically, Hydro-Quebec.

NUSCO proposes to transmit the exported energy to Hydro-Quebec over the international transmission facilities of Vermont Electric Transmission Company. These facilities, also known as the New England/Hydro-Quebec (NE/

HQ) Interconnection, consist of a 450-kilovolt (kV), direct current (DC) transmission line that extends from the Sandy Point converter terminal located between the towns of Ayer and Groton, Massachusetts, to the Comerford converter terminal located in the town of Monroe, New Hampshire, and from there to the U.S.-Canada border in the vicinity of Norton, Vermont. The construction of these facilities previously was authorized by DOE in Presidential Permit PP-76. The NU System companies have the right to use 33% of the transfer capacity of the PP-76 facilities for transactions with Hydro-Quebec. In FE Order EA-76-C (February 19, 1993), the New England Power Pool was authorized to use the PP-76 facilities in the export mode at a maximum rate of transmission of 2000 megawatts (MW). Accordingly, NUSCO has requested that FE authorize an electricity export of approximately 665 MW, or 33% of the total capability of the NE/HQ Interconnection.

Procedural Matters

Any persons desiring to be heard or to protest this application should file a petition to intervene or protest at the address provided above in accordance with §§ 385.211 or 385.214 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Fifteen copies of such petitions and protests should be filed with the DOE on or before the date listed above. Additional copies are to be filed directly with: Mr. John Ash and Ms. Phyllis E. Lemell, Northeast Utilities Company, P.O. Box 270, Hartford, CT 06140-0270, (860) 665-5626.

A final decision will be made on this application after the environmental impacts have been evaluated pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), and a determination is made by the DOE that the proposed action will not adversely impact on the reliability of the U.S. electric power supply system.

Copies of this application will be made available, upon request, for public inspection and copying at the address provided above.

Issued in Washington, DC, on February 27, 1996.

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