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Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Application Accepted for Filing and Request for Motions To Intervene and Protests

March 23, 1999.

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

a. *Type of Application:* Preliminary Permit.

b. *Project No.:* P-11682-000.

c. *Date filed:* February 16, 1999.

d. *Applicant:* Universal Electric Power Corp.

e. *Name of Project:* Murphy Dam Project.

f. *Location:* At the existing NH Department of Environmental Services' Murphy Dam on the Connecticut River, near the Town of Pittsburg, Coos County, New Hampshire.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act 16 U.S.C. 791(a)-825(r).

h. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. Ronald S. Feltenberger, Universal Electric Power Corp., 1145 Highbrook Street, Akron, Ohio 44301, (330) 535-7115.

i. *FERC Contact:* Jack Duckworth (202) 219-2808 or E-mail to: Jack.Duckworth@FERC.fed.us.

j. *Comment Date:* 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.

k. *Description of Project:* The proposed project would use water from the existing NH Department of Environmental Services' Murphy Dam, and would consist of the following facilities: (1) the existing dam and outlet works; (2) a steel penstock about 50 feet long and 64 inches in diameter extending from the outlet works to; (3) a new powerhouse to be constructed on the downstream side of the dam, below the outlet works, having an installed capacity of 1.5 megawatts; (4) a new 900-foot-long, 14.7-kilovolt transmission line extending from the powerhouse to an existing transformer in the Town of Pittsburg; and (5) appurtenant facilities.

The project's proposed average annual energy generation is estimated to be 9.2 gigawatthours. The cost of the studies under the permit is estimated to be about \$800,000.

1. *This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs:* A5, A7, A9, A10, B, C, and D2.

m. *Available Locations of Application:* A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference and Files Maintenance Branch, located at 888 First Street, N.E., Room 2-A, Washington, D.C. 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at Universal Electric Power Corp., Mr. Ronald S. Feltenberger, 1145 Highbrook Street, Akron, Ohio 44301, (330) 535-7115. A copy of the application may also be viewed or printed by accessing the Commission's website on the Internet at <http://www/ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> or call (202) 208-2222 for assistance.

A5. Preliminary Permit—Anyone desiring to file a competing application for preliminary permit for a proposed project must submit the competing application itself, or a notice of intent to file such an application, to the Commission on or before the specified comment date for the particular application (see 18 CFR 4.36). Submission of a timely notice of intent allows an interested person to file the competing preliminary permit application no later than 30 days after the specified comment date for the particular application. A competing preliminary permit application must conform with 18 CFR 4.30(b) and 4.36.

A7. Preliminary Permit—Any qualified development applicant desiring to file a competing development application must submit to the Commission, on or before a specified comment date for the particular application, either a competing development application or a notice of intent to file such an application. Submission of a timely notice of intent to file a development application allows an interested person to file the competing application no later than 120 days after the specified comment date for the particular application. A competing license application must conform with 18 CFR 4.30(b) and 4.36.

A9. Notice of intent—A notice of intent must specify the exact name, business address, and telephone number of the prospective applicant, and must include an unequivocal statement of intent to submit, if such an application may be filed, either a preliminary permit application or a development

application (specify which type of application). A notice of intent must be served on the applicant(s) named in this public notice.

A10. Proposed Scope of Studies under Permit—A preliminary permit, if issued, does not authorize construction. The term of the proposed preliminary permit would be 36 months. The work proposed under the preliminary permit would include economic analysis, preparation of preliminary engineering plans, and a study of environmental impacts. Based on the results of these studies, the Applicant would decide whether to proceed with the preparation of a development application to construct and operate the project.

B. Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

C. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE COMPETING APPLICATION", "COMPETING APPLICATION", "PROTEST", "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies provided by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426. An additional copy must be sent to Director, Division of Project Review, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, at the above-mentioned address. A copy of any notice of intent, competing application or motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

D2. Agency Comments—Federal, state, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described application. A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant. If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Amendment to Article 405 and Plan of Operation

March 23, 1999.

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

a. *Type of Action:* Amendment to Article 405 and Plan of Operation.

b. *Project No:* 10867-014.

c. *Date Filed:* December 28, 1998.

d. *Licensee:* Holliday Historic Restoration Associates.

e. *Name of Project:* Holliday Hydroelectric Project.

f. *Location:* West Fork of the White River in Noblesville, Hamilton County, Indiana.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act 16 U.S.C. §§ 791(a)-825(r).

h. *Licensee contact:* David Brown Kinloch, General Manager, Holliday Historic Restoration Associates, 414 South Wenzel Street, Louisville, KY 40204.

i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to John K. Novak, E-mail address john.novak@ferc.fed.us or telephone (202) 219-2828.

j. *Deadline for filing comments and or motions:* April 26, 1999.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Mail Code: DLC, HL-11.1, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, DC 20426.

Please include the project number (p-10867-014) on any comments or motions filed.

k. *Description of Amendment:* Licensee is requesting an amendment of Article 405 of the existing license to use the existing trashrack with a clear spacing of 2.5 inches instead of constructing a new angled trashrack with a clear spacing of 0.75 inches. Further, the licensee is requesting the deletion of the requirement for a 1.0 foot per second intake velocity at certain flow rates contained in the plan of operation developed in cooperation

with the resource agencies and incorporated into the license. Licensee requests that turbine operation be governed by Article 402 which includes the requirement that water intake speeds be maintained at 1.5 feet per second or less to minimize fish entrainment. Licensee states that these changes are necessary in order for the turbines to operate efficiently. The use of the existing trashrack will help maintain the historic appearance of the project site which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

1. *Locations of applications:* A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE, Room 2A, Washington, D.C. 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371. This application may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm>. Call 202-208-2222 for assistance. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h. above.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

March 24, 1999.

The following notice of meeting is published pursuant to section 3(A) of the Government in the Sunshine Act (Pub. L. No. 94-409), 5 U.S.C. 552B:

AGENCY HOLDING MEETING: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

DATE AND TIME: March 31, 1999, 10:00 A.M.

PLACE: Room 2C, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

STATUS: Open.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Agenda.

Note.—Items listed on the agenda may be deleted without further notice.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Telephone (202) 208-0400, for a recording listing items stricken from or added to the meeting, call (202) 208-1627.

This is a list of matters to be considered by the Commission. It does not include a listing of all papers relevant to the items on the agenda; however, all public documents may be examined in the reference and information center.

Consent Agenda—Hydro, 716th Meeting—March 31, 1999, Regular Meeting (10:00 a.m.)

CAH-1.

Docket# P-460, 011, City of Tacoma, Washington
Other#s P-460, 014, City of Tacoma, Washington

CAH-2.

Docket# P-2403, 011, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company
Other#s P-2403, 012, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company
P-2534, 018, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company
P-2534, 019, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company
P-2710, 009, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company
P-2710, 010, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company
P-2712, 013, Bangor Hydro-Electric Company