

the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) an application for redetermination of exempt wholesale generator status pursuant to Part 365 of the Commission's regulations.

Upon completion of the Mergers, Elwood will own, in addition to the generation facilities it owned before the Mergers, those generation facilities formerly owned by Elwood II and Elwood III, all of which previously have been determined by the Commission to eligible facilities in connection with its orders determining Elwood, Elwood II and Elwood III to be exempt wholesale generators. Elwood also will own interconnection facilities, including generator leads, step up transformers and associated circuit breakers, used solely for interconnection with the transmission system of Commonwealth Edison Company.

Comment date: November 5, 2001, in accordance with Standard Paragraph E at the end of this notice. The Commission will limit its consideration of comments to those that concern the adequacy or accuracy of the application.

Standard Paragraph

E. Any person desiring to be heard or to protest such filing should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the Web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance). Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Application for Surrender of Exemption and Removal of Dam, and Soliciting Comments, Motions to Intervene, and Protests

October 16, 2001.

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

- a. *Type of Application:* Surrender of Exemption.
- b. *Project No:* 7118-007.
- c. *Date Filed:* September 10, 2001.
- d. *Applicant:* State of Maine, Department of Marine Resources (Maine DMR).
- e. *Name of Project:* Smelt Hill Hydroelectric Project.
- f. *Location:* The Smelt Hill Dam is located on the Presumpscot River in the town of Falmouth, Cumberland County, Maine.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a)-825(r).

h. *Applicant Contact:* Thomas Squires, Director, Stock Enhancement Division, Maine DMR, 21 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333, (207) 624-6348.

i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions concerning this notice should be addressed to Paul Friedman at (202) 208-1108; e-mail: paul.friedman@ferc.fed.us.

j. *Deadline for filing comments, motions, or protests:* November 16, 2001.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC. 20426. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-Filing" link.

Please include the Project No. (7118-007) on any comments or motions filed.

k. *Description of Project and Proposed Action:* The Smelt Hill development consists of a dam, powerhouse and feeder canal, gatehouse, two fish passage structures, and a reservoir. A flood in 1996 damaged portions of the dam, the hydroelectric generating facility, and the hydraulic fish lift, rendering them inoperable. In September 2001, the Maine DMR acquired the Smelt Hill dam and associated facilities, with the intent of

removing the dam to restore the aquatic ecosystem of the lower Presumpscot River. The dam would be removed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

l. *Locations of this application:* Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may also be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions (call 202-208-2222 for assistance).

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice

October 17, 2001.

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: October 24, 2001, 10 a.m.

Place: Room 2c, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 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.

777th—Meeting, October 24, 2001, Regular Meeting, 10 a.m.

Administrative Agenda

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Docket# AD02-3, 000, Customer Matters

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