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Dated: March 1, 2022.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2741-037]

Kings River Conservation District; Notice of Application for Amendment of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

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

a. **Application Type:** Non-capacity amendment of license.

b. **Project No.:** 2741-037.

c. **Date Filed:** December 21, 2021, supplemented February 2, 2022.

d. **Applicant:** Kings River Conservation District.

e. **Name of Project:** Pine Flat Hydroelectric Project.

f. **Location:** The project is located on the Kings River in Fresno County, California.

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

h. **Applicant Contact:** David M. Merritt, 4886 E Jensen Ave, Fresno, CA, 93725, (559) 237-5567, dmerritt@krkd.org.

i. **FERC Contact:** Jeffrey V. Ojala, (202) 502-8206, Jeffrey.Ojala@ferc.gov.

j. **Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene, and protests:** March 31, 2022.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments, motions to intervene, and protests using the Commission's eFiling system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, you may submit a paper copy. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852. The first page of any filing should include docket number P-2741-037. Comments emailed to Commission staff are not considered part of the Commission record.

The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all intervenors filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person whose name appears on the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervenor files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

k. **Description of Request:** The Kings River Conservation District (KRCD), filed an application for a non-capacity amendment of the license to add a 6.3 megawatt generating unit. The existing project license authorizes the KRCD to utilize three penstocks installed in the U.S. Army Core of Engineers, Pine Flat Dam. The Jeff L. Taylor Powerhouse, located at the toe of the dam, contains three 55 MW Francis turbines, and generates electricity with run of the river flows ranging from 500 to 8,000 cubic feet per second (cfs). To maintain downstream cold water flows, a non-project bypass system releases 900 cfs when the penstocks are not open. KRCD proposes to add an additional generating unit to the bypass system that would increase generation capacity

from 165 MW by 3.8% to a total of 171.3 MW. This generator would allow for power generation at flows below 500 cfs.

l. **Locations of the Application:** This filing may be viewed on the Commission's website at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. You may also register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp> to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, call 1-866-208-3676 or email FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, for TTY, call (202) 502-8659. Agencies may obtain copies of the application directly from the applicant.

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

n. **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, and .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.

o. **Filing and Service of Documents:** Any filing must (1) bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "PROTEST", or "MOTION TO INTERVENE" as applicable; (2) set forth in the heading the name of the applicant and the project number of the application to which the filing responds; (3) furnish the name, address, and telephone number of the person commenting, protesting or intervening; and (4) otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 385.2001 through 385.2005. All comments, motions to intervene, or protests must set forth their evidentiary basis. Any filing made by an intervenor must be accompanied by proof of service on all persons listed in the service list prepared by the Commission in this proceeding, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2010.

Dated: March 1, 2022.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 4784-106]

Topsham Hydro Partners Limited Partnership (L.P.); Notice of Settlement Agreement and Soliciting Comments

Take notice that the following settlement agreement has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection.

a. *Type of Application:* Settlement Agreement.

b. *Project No.:* 4784-106.

c. *Date filed:* February 24, 2022.

d. *Applicant:* Topsham Hydro Partners Limited Partnership (L.P.)

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

f. *Location:* On the Androscoggin River in Sagadahoc, Cumberland, and Androscoggin Counties in the village of Pejepscot and the town of Topsham, Maine. The project does not affect federal lands.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Rule 602 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.602.

h. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. Luke T. Anderson, Manager, Licensing, Brookfield Renewable, 150 Main Street, Lewiston, Maine 04240, telephone 207-755-5613, Luke.Anderson@BrookfieldRenewable.com.

i. *FERC Contact:* Ryan Hansen, telephone (202) 502-8074, and email ryan.hansen@ferc.gov.

j. *Deadline for filing comments:* March 20, 2022. Reply comments due March 30, 2022.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments using the Commission's eFiling system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, you may submit a paper copy. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426.

Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852. The first page of any filing should include docket number P-4784-106.

The Commission's Rules of Practice require all intervenors filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person on the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervenor files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

k. Topsham Hydro Partners Limited Partnership (L.P.) (Topsham Hydro) filed a Settlement Agreement for Modified Prescription for Fishways executed by and between the licensee and the U.S. Department of Interior's U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. The purpose of the agreement is to resolve the parties' disagreements over the appropriate terms of a prescription for fishways for upstream and downstream passage of American eel at the project under the new license. Topsham Hydro requests that the Commission consider the Settlement Agreement in its environmental analysis of the project relicensing, acknowledge the Offer of Settlement, and incorporate the terms of the agreement which will be reflected in the modified fishway prescription in the new license for the project. The Settlement Agreement details the terms of the modified prescription for upstream and downstream passage of American eel at the project to be filed by the Department within 60 days after the deadline for filing comments on the Commission's draft environmental document. With respect to downstream passage of American eel, the Agreement provides for both interim and permanent downstream passage measures, based on the outcome of studies to be conducted by Topsham Hydro, as well as effectiveness testing of those interim and permanent measures. With respect to upstream passage of American eel, the Agreement includes temporary upstream passage measures, permanent upstream passage measures, and effectiveness testing of those permanent measures.

l. In addition to publishing the full text of this document in the **Federal Register**, the Commission provides all interested persons an opportunity to view and/or print the contents of this

document via the internet through the Commission's website at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document (i.e., P-4784). At this time, the Commission has suspended access to the Commission's Public Reference Room, due to the proclamation declaring a National Emergency concerning the Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), issued by the President on March 13, 2020. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

You may also register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/subscription.asp> to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

Dated: February 28, 2022.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 14804-003]

Control Technology, Inc.; Notice of Intent To File License Application, Filing of Pre-Application Document (Pad), Commencement of Pre-Filing Process, and Scoping, Request for Comments on the Pad and Scoping Document, and Identification of Issues and Associated Study Requests

a. *Type of Filing:* Notice of Intent to File License Application for an Original License, Commencing Pre-filing Process, and Denial of Request to Use the Traditional Licensing Process.

b. *Project No.:* 14804.

c. *Dated Filed:* May 25, 2021.

d. *Submitted By:* Control Technology, Inc. (Control Technology).

e. *Name of Project:* Blue Diamond Advanced Pumped Storage Project.

f. *Location:* Near the town of Blue Diamond, in Clark County, Nevada. The project would occupy an unknown acreage of federal land administered by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM).

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* 18 CFR 5.3 of the Commission's regulations.

h. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. Rexford Wait, Control Technology, Inc., 2416 Cades Way, Vista, CA 92081; (760) 599-0086; email: rwait@controltechnology.org.

i. *FERC Contact:* Evan Williams, (202) 502-8462, evan.williams@ferc.gov.