

2a. *Type of Application*: Surrender of Exemption.

b. *Project No.*: 7297-002.

c. *Date Filed*: February 24, 1997.

d. *Applicant*: City of Buena Park.

e. *Name of Project*: OC-17

Hydroelectric Generation Facility.

f. *Location*: Feeder Station 423+63, Orange County, California.

g. *Filed Pursuant to*: Federal Power Act, 16 USC Section 791(a)—825(r).

h. *Applicant Contact*: Don Jenson, 6650 Beach Blvd., Buena Park, CA, (714) 562-3500.

i. *FERC Contact*: Hillary Berlin, (202) 219-0038.

j. *Comment Date*: April 14, 1997.

k. *Description of Application*: The exemptee states that the generating unit was removed from service and the project is no longer operational.

l. The notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: B, C1, and D2.

3a. *Type of filing*: Notice of Intent to File Application for New License.

b. *Project No.*: 184.

c. *Date filed*: February 24, 1997.

d. *Submitted By*: Pacific Gas and Electric Company, current licensee.

e. *Name of Project*: El Dorado.

f. *Location*: On the South Fork American River, in El Dorado, Alpine, and Amador Counties, California.

g. *Filed Pursuant to*: Section 15 of the Federal Power Act, 18 CFR 16.6 of the Commission's regulations.

h. *Effective date of original license*: December 1, 1980.

i. *Expiration date of original license*: February 23, 2002.

j. The 21-megawatt project consists of: Lake Aloha and dam; Echo Lake, dam, and conduit; Caples Lake and the main and auxiliary dams; Silver Lake and dam; El Dorado Forebay and dam; El Dorado Dam and fish ladder; El Dorado penstock and powerhouse; and El Dorado Canal.

k. *Pursuant to 18 CFR 16.7, information on the project is available at*: Pacific Gas and Electric Company, 245 Market Street, Room 1103, San Francisco, CA 94105, ATTN: John Gourley, (415) 972-5772.

l. *FERC contact*: Héctor M. Pérez (202) 219-2843.

m. Pursuant to 18 CFR 16.9(b)(1) each application for a new license and any competing license applications must be filed with the Commission at least 24 months prior to the expiration of the existing license. All applications for license for this project must be filed by February 23, 2000.

4a. *Type of Application*: Approval to amend license to modify whitewater release flows.

b. *Project No.*: 2899-065.

c. *Date Filed*: February 13, 1997.

d. *Applicant*: Idaho Power Company and Milner Dam, Inc.

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

f. *Location*: Twin Falls, Cassia, Jerome, and Minidoka Counties, Idaho.

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

h. *Applicant Contact*: Ms. Laurel Heacock, Idaho Power Company, P.O. Box 70, Boise, ID 83707, (208) 388-2918.

i. *FERC Contact*: Jean Potvin, (202) 219-0022.

j. *Comment Date*: April 14, 1997.

k. *Description of Project*: Licensee proposes to modify whitewater release flows to the Milner Reach by reducing the Daylight hours of bypass flows from eight to four hours, shutting down the main powerhouse only when inflow to the Project is between 10,500 and 12,500 cfs, providing flows between May and June, and providing flows only on weekend days and the observed Memorial Day holiday.

l. This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: B, C1, and D2.

Standard Paragraphs

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.

C1. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS",

"RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTEST", OR "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. A copy of any 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 presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

Dated: March 12, 1997, Washington, D.C.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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Notice of Application Filed With the Commission

March 10, 1997.

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

a. *Type of Application*: Amendment of License.

b. *Project No.*: 2042.

c. *Date Filed*: February 18, 1997.

d. *Applicant*: Public Utility District No. 1 of Pend Oreille.

e. *Name of Project*: Box Canyon Hydroelectric Project.

f. *Location*: 3 miles north of the town of Ione, Washington on the Pend Oreille River in Pend Oreille County, Washington.

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

h. *Applicant Contact*: Mr. Bob Geddes, Manager of Regulatory Affairs, PUD No. 1 of Pend Oreille County, P.O. Box 190, Newport, WA 99156, (509) 447-9342, (509) 447-5824 (Fax).

i. *FERC Contact*: J. W. Flint, (202) 219-2667.

j. *Comment Date*: April 18, 1997.

k. *Description of Application*: The amendment of license proposes to change the limit of the upstream project boundary from River Mile 34.4 near Ruby, Washington, to the Corps of Engineers' Albeni Falls Dam, near the Washington-Idaho borders, Rm 90.1. The new project boundary will enclose all lands which are flooded for flows up to 90,000 cfs.

l. *This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: B, C1, and D2.*

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.

C1. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTEST", OR "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. A copy of any 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 presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

Lois D. Cashell,
Secretary.

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Notice of Application Ready for Environmental Analysis

March 10, 1997.

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

- a. *Type of Application:* Minor License.
- b. *Project No:* 11509-000.
- c. *Date Filed:* December 5, 1994.
- d. *Applicant:* City of Albany, Oregon.
- e. *Name of Project:* City of Albany, Oregon Hydroelectric Project.

f. *Location:* T12S, R1W, Section 19; T12S, R2W, Sections 2, 3, 11, 23, and 24; T11S, R3W, Sections 6, 7, 15, 18, and 20-25; T11S, R2W, Sections 30-34; and T11S, R4W, Section 12 (South Santiam River, Calaoppoia River, and Albany-Santiam Canal in Linn County, Oregon and the cities of Albany, Oregon and Lebanon, Oregon).

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

h. *Applicant Contact:* Peter Harr, Civil Engineer II, City of Albany, 333 Broadalbin SW, P.O. Box 490, Albany, Oregon 97321-0144, (541) 917-7643.

i. *FERC Contact:* Nicholas J. Jayjack, (202) 219-2825.

j. *Deadline for comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions:* May 9, 1997.

k. *Status of Environmental Analysis:* The application is now ready for environmental analysis—see attached paragraph D10.

l. Brief Description of Project: The proposed project would consist of: (1) the existing 450-foot-long, 6-foot-high, flashboard-equipped concrete dam known as Lebanon dam that would be modified to have a fixed crest and a new height of 7.5 feet; (2) the existing 18-mile-long Albany-Santiam Canal that would be dredged and screened; (3) an existing 55-foot-long, 6-foot-diameter steel penstock; (4) an existing powerhouse that would be modified to have an installed capacity of 500 kilowatts; (5) the existing 2.4-kilovolt, 300 foot-long transmission line; and (7) related appurtenances.

m. This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: A4 and D10.

n. A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at: 888 First St., NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371.

A4. Development Application—Public notice of the filing of the initial development application, which has already been given, established the due date for filing competing applications or notices of intent. Under the Commission's regulations, any competing development application must be filed in response to and in compliance with public notice of the initial development application. No competing applications or notices of intent may be filed in response to this notice.

D10. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—The application is ready for environmental analysis at this time,

and the Commission is requesting comments, reply comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions.

The Commission directs, pursuant to Section 4.34(b) of the Regulations (see Order No. 533 issued May 8, 1991, 56 FR 23108, May 20, 1991) that all comments, recommendations, terms and conditions and prescriptions concerning the application be filed with the Commission within 60 days from the issuance date of this notice. All reply comments must be filed with the Commission within 105 days from the date of this notice.

Anyone may obtain an extension of time for these deadlines from the Commission only upon a showing of good cause or extraordinary circumstances in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2008.

All filings must (1) bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "REPLY COMMENTS", "RECOMMENDATIONS," "TERMS AND CONDITIONS," or "PRESCRIPTIONS"; (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 submitting the filing; and (4) otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 385.2001 through 385.2005. All comments, recommendations, terms and conditions or prescriptions must set forth their evidentiary basis and otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 4.34(b). Agencies may obtain copies of the application directly from the applicant. Any of these documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies required by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426. An additional copy must be sent to Director, Division of Project Review, Office of Hydropower Licensing, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, at the above address. Each filing must be accompanied by proof of service on all persons listed on the service list prepared by the Commission in this proceeding, in accordance with 18 CFR 4.34(b), and 385.2010.

Lois D. Cashell,
Secretary.

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