

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission****Notice of Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Motions To Intervene, Protests, and Comments**

August 4, 2004.

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.*: 12513-000.
- c. *Date Filed*: June 23, 2004.
- d. *Applicant*: Upland Wings, Inc.
- e. *Name of Project*: Wings Lake Project.
- f. *Location*: On Mary's Creek, in Washington County, Missouri. No Federal land or facilities would be used.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to*: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a)-825(r).
- h. *Applicant Contact*: Mr. James C. Kennedy, President, Upland Wings, Inc., 1185 Ross Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63146, (314) 503-4986.
- i. *FERC Contact*: Robert Bell, (202) 502-6062.
- j. *Deadline for filing comments, protests, and motions to intervene*: 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.

The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all interveners filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person in the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervener 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 Project*: The proposed pumped storage project would consist of: (1) A proposed 700-foot-long, 100-foot-high compacted concrete and rock dam, (2) a proposed upper reservoir having a surface area of 160 acres with a storage capacity of 5,600 acre-feet and a maximum water surface elevation of 730 feet mean sea level, (3) a lower underground reservoir using old abandon mine caves having a surface area of 40 acres with a storage capacity of 1,320 acre-feet and a maximum water surface elevation of 1290 feet mean sea level, (4) a proposed 100-foot-long, 20-foot-diameter concrete power conduit, (5) a proposed powerhouse containing one generator having an installed capacity of 500 megawatts, (6) a proposed 2,500-foot-long, 138 kilovolt transmission line, and (7) appurtenant

facilities. The project would have an annual generation of 1,000 gigawatt-hours that would be sold to a local utility.

l. *Locations of Applications*: A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission in the Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 502-8371. This filing may also be viewed on the Commission's Web site 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. For assistance, call toll-free 1-866-208-3676 or e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov. For TTY, call (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h. above.

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

n. *Competing 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.

o. *Competing Development Application*—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.

p. *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.

q. *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.

r. *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.

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 "e-filing" link. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing.

s. *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, NE., Washington, DC 20426. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

t. *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.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Settlement Agreement and Soliciting Comments

August 4, 2004.

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 on new license.
b. *Project No.:* P-2030-036.
c. *Date Filed:* July 30, 2004.
d. *Applicants:* Portland General Electric Company and the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon.

e. *Name of Project:* Pelton Round Butte Hydroelectric Project.

f. *Location:* On the Deschutes River, near the City of Madras, Jefferson County, Oregon.

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

h. *Applicant Contacts:* Julie A. Keil, Director, Hydro Licensing, Portland General Electric Company, 121 SW Salmon Street, Portland, Oregon 97204, (503) 464-8864; James Manion, General Manager, Warm Springs Power Enterprises, P.O. Box 960, Warm Springs, Oregon 97761, (541) 553-1046.

i. *FERC Contact:* Nick Jayjack, (202) 502-6073, nicholas.jayjack@ferc.gov.

j. *Deadline for filing comments:* August 24, 2004. *Reply comments:* September 3, 2004.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

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also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

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k. Portland General Electric Company (PGE) and the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon (CTWS) filed the Settlement Agreement on behalf of themselves and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; Bureau of Indian Affairs; Bureau of Land Management; NOAA Fisheries; USDA Forest Service; Oregon Department of Environmental Quality; Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife; Oregon Water Resources Department; Oregon Parks and Recreation Department; Deschutes County, Oregon; Jefferson County, Oregon; City of Bend, Oregon; City of Madras, Oregon; City of Redmond, Oregon; Avion Water Company; American Rivers; Oregon Trout; The Native Fish Society; and Trout Unlimited and WaterWatch of Oregon. The purpose of the settlement agreement is to resolve among the signatories issues regarding the relicensing of the Pelton Round Butte Hydroelectric Project. The signatories have agreed that the settlement agreement is fair and reasonable and in the public interest. On behalf of the signatories, PGE and CTWS request that the Commission approve the settlement agreement and adopt it as part of a new license without material modification.

1. A copy of the settlement agreement is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site 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. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at 1-866-208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

You may also register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp> to be notified via e-mail of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects.

For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Application Ready for Environmental Analysis and Soliciting Comments, Recommendations, Terms and Conditions, and Prescriptions

August 4, 2004.

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

a. *Type of Application:* New minor license.

b. *Project No.:* 620-009.

c. *Date Filed:* October 3, 2003.

d. *Applicant:* NorQuest Seafoods Inc.

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

f. *Location:* The Chignik Project is located on Indian Creek in Lake and Peninsula Borough, Alaska. The project affects approximately 58 acres of Federal lands managed by the U.S. Bureau of Land Management.

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

h. *Applicant Contact:* Daniel Hertrich, Polarconsult Alaska Inc., 1503 W 33rd Ave. 310, Anchorage, Alaska 99503, (907) 258-2420, e-mail: dan@polarconsult.net.

i. *FERC Contact:* Kenneth Hogan at (202) 502-8434 or kenneth.hogan@ferc.gov.

j. Deadline for filing comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions is 60 days from the issuance of this notice; reply comments are due 105 days from the issuance date of this notice.

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