

Room 2-A, Washington, DC 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.

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**David P. Boergers,**

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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

July 30, 1999.

a. *Type of Application:* Preliminary Permit.

b. *Project No.:* P-11770-000.

c. *Dated filed:* June 21, 1999.

d. *Applicant:* Universal Electronic Power Corp.

e. *Name of Project:* Mississippi Lock and Dam #7.

f. *Location:* At the existing U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Lock and Dam #7 on the Mississippi River, near the town of La Crescent, Winona County, Minnesota.

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](mailto:Jack.Duckworth@FERC.fed.us)

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

k. *Description Project:* The proposed project would use water from the existing U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Mississippi River Lock and Dam #7, and would consist of the following facilities: (1) 8 steel penstock about 80 feet long and 96 inches in diameter from the outlet works to; (2) a new powerhouse, with exhaust apron, to be constructed on the downstream side of the dam below the outlet works, having an installed capacity of 23,700 kilowatts; (3) a new 200-foot-long, 14.7-kilovolt transmission line from the powerhouse to an existing transmission line to the west; and (4) appurtenant facilities. The project's proposed average annual energy generation is estimated to be 78 gigawatthours. The cost of the studies under the permit is estimated to be about \$2,000,000.

m. *Available Locations of Application:* A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commissions's Public Reference and Files Maintenance Branch, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2-A, Washington, DC 20426, 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

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6413-9]

### Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Emergency Planning and Release Notification Requirements under Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act Sections 302, 303, and 304

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this document announces that EPA is planning to submit the following proposed Information Collection Request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB): Emergency Planning and Release Notification Requirements under Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act Sections 302, 303, and 304, EPA ICR Number 1395.04. This ICR renews a previously approved ICR No. 1395.03 (expires January 31, 2000, OMB Control Number 2050-0092). Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the proposed information collection as described below.

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before October 4, 1999.

**ADDRESSES:** Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Office, SW, Washington DC 20460. Interested persons may obtain a copy of the ICR without charge by contacting the person in **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sicy Jacob, 202-260-7249, fax no. 202-260-0927, or e-mail: [Jacob.Sicy@epamail.epa.gov](mailto:Jacob.Sicy@epamail.epa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Affected entities:** Entities potentially affected by this action are those which have a threshold planning quantity of an extremely hazardous substance (EHS) listed in 40 CFR Part 355, Appendix A and those which have a release of any of the EHS above a reportable quantity. Entities more likely to be affected by this action may include chemical, non-chemical manufacturers, retailers, petroleum refineries, utilities, etc.

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