

environmental analysis—see attached paragraph D9.

l. Deadline for comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions: See paragraph D9.

m. This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: A4 and D9.

n. Available Locations of Application: A copy of the application, is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference and Files Maintenance Branch, located at 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, or by calling (202) 208-1371. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address shown in item h above.

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.

D9. 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). 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, N.E., Washington, D.C. 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Intent to File Application for New License

December 11, 1997.

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

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

b. Project No.: 2031.

c. Date filed: December 15, 1997.

d. Submitted By: Springville City Corporation.

e. Name of Project: Hobbie Creek Project.

f. Location: On Hobbie Creek in Utah County, Utah.

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

h. Expiration date of original license: September 3, 2002.

i. The facilities under this license consist of the Upper Bartholomew Power Plant with an installed capacity of 200 kilowatts (kW), the New Bartholomew Power Plant with an installed capacity of 1,000 kW, the Original Bartholomew Power Plant with an installed capacity of 500 kW, and the Hobbie Creek Power Plant with an installed capacity of 300 kW.

j. Pursuant to 18 CFR 16.7, information on the project is available

by contacting: Delora P. Bertelsen, Mayor, Springville City Corporation, 50 South Main, Springville, UT 84663, (801) 489-2700.

k. FERC contact: Héctor M. Pérez, (202) 219-2843.

l. 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 September 3, 2000.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[AD-FRL-5934-6]

Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; Call for Carbon Monoxide SIP Revisions for Kalispell, Montana

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Information notice.

SUMMARY: EPA hereby gives notice that it notified the Governor of Montana on August 1, 1997 that the Montana State Implementation Plan (SIP) for the Kalispell area is substantially inadequate to attain and maintain the carbon monoxide (CO) National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) and must be revised.

DATES: A SIP revision for the Kalispell area is due within 18 months of the date that EPA notified the Governor.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sara L. Laumann, Air Program, 999 18th Street, Suite 500, Denver, Colorado 80202-2466, (303) 312-6443.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

On September 13, 1985, EPA promulgated NAAQS for CO under section 109 of the Act (50 FR 37501). The primary NAAQS for carbon monoxide is a 9 ppm 8-hour nonoverlapping average not to be exceeded more than once per year. On March 15, 1996, the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) notified EPA that CO NAAQS exceedances were recorded in Kalispell, Montana on January 8, 1996 with an eight-hour average of 11.1 ppm and on January 18, 1996 with an eight-hour average of 11.4 ppm. The Montana DEQ

requested EPA delay in taking action for one year in order to determine the geographical extent and severity of the CO problem. EPA agreed to this request.

According to the Montana DEQ, data from the Idaho and Main CO monitoring site in conjunction with the results from the CO saturation study suggested the CO problem was a traffic corridor problem extending six- to eight-blocks in either direction along Idaho and Main. Montana DEQ determined that the CO saturation study did not sufficiently look at the effects of CO in the surrounding neighborhoods. Therefore, an additional CO monitoring site was installed next to Laser School, a residential site located one block north of Highway 2 and approximately five blocks north and east of the Idaho and Main site. Data collection at Laser School began on November 1, 1996.

II. Finding of Inadequacy

On January 10, 1980 (45 FR 2036), EPA approved Montana's plans for the attainment and maintenance of the national standards under section 110 of the Clean Air Act. EPA now finds¹ the SIP inadequate based on the reported exceedances of the CO NAAQS in Kalispell.

III. Call for SIP Revision

This finding of SIP inadequacy requires Montana to submit a SIP revision no later than 18 months from the date of EPA's letter to the Governor. To ensure that the SIP deadline is met, EPA requested the State to submit an action plan for the development of the SIP revision within 60 days from receipt of EPA's letter to the Governor. The State submitted an action plan to EPA on September 9, 1997. Any control strategies adopted and implemented as part of this SIP revision must provide for attainment and maintenance of the CO NAAQS within 5 years from the date

of EPA's letter to the Governor. (See, e.g., section 110(n)(2) of the Act.)

IV. Final Action

This finding of inadequacy does not constitute a final agency action that is ripe for judicial review. EPA's action is a first step in an administrative process that will not be sufficiently concrete for judicial resolution until additional action is taken by EPA on a plan submittal by the State of Montana.

The 60-day time period for filing a petition for review under section 307(b) of the CAA is tolled until EPA makes the finding ripe by taking additional action in reliance on it, such as imposing sanctions on the State of Montana for failure to submit a SIP revision or promulgating approval of a SIP revision. A time limitation on petitions for judicial review can only run against challenges ripe for review.

A technical support document (TSD) is available from the contact person listed above. The TSD discusses in more detail the ambient standard and its health effects, the SIP call and legal authority, and the SIP revision schedule.

Authority: Sections 101, 107, 110, 116 and 301(a) of the Clean Air Act, as amended [42 U.S.C. 7401, 7407, 7410, 7416 and 7610(a)].

Dated: November 17, 1997.

William P. Yellowtail,
Regional Administrator.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[PF-781; FRL-5758-3]

Notice of Filing of Pesticide Petitions

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the initial filing of pesticide petitions proposing the establishment of regulations for residues of certain pesticide chemicals in or on various food commodities.

DATES: Comments, identified by the docket control number PF-781, must be received on or before January 16, 1998.

ADDRESSES: By mail submit written comments to: Public Information and Records Integrity Branch, Information Resources and Services Division (7502C), Office of Pesticides Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. In person bring comments to: Rm. 1132, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

Comments and data may also be submitted electronically to: opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov. Follow the instructions under "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION." No confidential business information should be submitted through e-mail.

Information submitted as a comment concerning this document may be claimed confidential by marking any part or all of that information as "Confidential Business Information" (CBI). CBI should not be submitted through e-mail. Information marked as CBI will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2. A copy of the comment that does not contain CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public record. Information not marked confidential may be disclosed publicly by EPA without prior notice. All written comments will be available for public inspection in Rm. 1132 at the address given above, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The product manager listed in the table below:

| Product Manager | Office location/telephone number | Address |
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| James Tompkins (PM 25). | Rm. 265, CM #2, 703-305-7801, e-mail: tompkins.james@epamail.epa.gov. | 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy, Arlington, VA |
| Elizabeth Haeberer | Rm. 207, CM #2, 703-308-2891, e-mail: haeberer.elizabeth@epamail.epa.gov. | Do. |

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has received pesticide petitions as follows proposing the establishment and/or amendment of regulations for residues of certain pesticide chemicals in or on various food commodities under section 408 of the Federal Food, Drug, and

Comestic Act (FFDCA), 21 U.S.C. 346a. EPA has determined that these petitions contain data or information regarding the elements set forth in section 408(d)(2); however, EPA has not fully evaluated the sufficiency of the submitted data at this time or whether

the data supports granting of the petition. Additional data may be needed before EPA rules on the petition.

The official record for this notice of filing, as well as the public version, has been established for this notice of filing under docket control number [PF-781]

¹ The finding is made pursuant to sections 110(a)(2)(H) and 110(k)(5) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 7410(a)(2)(H) and 7410(k)(5).