

17. American Electric Power Service Corporation

[Docket No. ER05-392-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 2004, the American Electric Power Service Corporation (AEPSC), tendered for filing an Interconnection and Local Delivery Service Agreement designated as Original Service Agreement No. 621, under the Operating Companies of the American Electric Power System's FERC Electric Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 6. AEPSC requests an effective date of December 1, 2004.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. eastern time on January 19, 2005.

18. El Paso Electric Company Public Service, Company of New Mexico and Texas-New Mexico Power Company

[Docket No. ER05-393-000]

Take notice that on December 29, 2004, El Paso Electric Company, Public Service Company of New Mexico, and Texas-New Mexico Power Company (collectively, the Parties) submitted the New Mexico Transmission Operating Procedures and First Revised Restated Letter of Understanding. The Parties request an effective date of January 1, 2005.

The Parties state that copies of the agreement were served on Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc., the only other party to the agreements.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. eastern time on January 19, 2005.

Standard Paragraph

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant and all parties to this proceeding.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at <http://www.ferc.gov>. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

This filing is accessible on-line at <http://www.ferc.gov>, using the "eLibrary" link and is available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an "eSubscription" link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, or call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

Linda Mitry,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Project No. 2232-455]

Duke Power Company; Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment

January 4, 2005.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended, and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations (18 CFR part 380), Commission staff have prepared an environmental assessment (EA) that analyzes the environmental impacts of allowing Duke Power Company, licensee for the Catawba-Wateree Hydroelectric Project, to grant a lease of two parcels of land, totaling 1.918 acres, to Lake James Properties, LLC, for the purpose of constructing a residential/commercial marina. The marina will be located on Lake James, one of the project's 11 reservoirs, in McDowell County, North Carolina. The facility will accommodate a total of 110 boat slips, and will provide access to the reservoir for the residents of The Arbor on Lake James subdivision.

A copy of the EA is attached to a Commission order titled "Order Modifying and Approving Non-Project Use of Project Lands and Waters," which was issued on December 15, 2004, and is available for review and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426. The EA may also be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number (prefaced by P-) and 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 (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Project No. 20-038]

PacifiCorp; Notice of Application for Temporary Amendment of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

January 4, 2005.

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

a. *Type of Application:* Request to temporarily amend the minimum flow requirements of article 408 of the project license.

b. *Project Number:* P-20-038.c. *Date Filed:* December 12, 2004.d. *Applicant:* PacifiCorp.e. *Name of Project:* Bear River Hydroelectric Project (FERC No. 20).f. *Location:* The project is located on the Bear River in Caribou and Franklin Counties, Idaho.g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a) 825(r) and 799 and 801.h. *Applicant Contacts:* Monte Garrett, 825 NE. Multnomah, Suite 1500, Portland, OR 97232. Phone: (503) 813-6629.i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Mr. Robert Fletcher at (202) 502-8901, or e-mail address: robert.fletcher@ferc.gov.j. *Deadline for filing comments and or motions:* February 7, 2005.

k. *Description of Request:* The parties to the Bear River Settlement Agreement, which include PacifiCorp, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Forest Service, Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, Idaho Department of Fish and Game, Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation, Idaho Council of Trout Unlimited, Idaho Rivers United, Greater Yellowstone Coalition, and American Whitewater, propose to amend the Bear River Settlement Agreement to include the forthcoming Cove Agreement and

license amendment application which the licensee will file with the Commission for approval to decommission the Cove project and amend article 408 of the project license to reduce the minimum instream flow requirement in the Grace bypassed reach from 80 cubic feet per second (cfs) to 65 cfs. Currently, the licensee, on behalf of the settlement parties, requests that a temporary amendment to article 408 be given upon the Commission's receipt of the amendment application (to be filed with the Commission by April 2005) that will allow the minimum flow requirement to be reduced from 80 cfs to 65 cfs during the time that the Commission is conducting its analysis to reach a decision on the amendment application. The temporary amendment will be necessary to permit the settlement parties to conduct aquatic habitat assessments, beginning in May 2005.

l. *Locations of the Application:* A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's 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. 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, call 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. *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.

o. *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 (p-20-038). 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. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

p. *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.

q. *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 at <http://www.ferc.gov> under the "e-Filing" link.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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Connecticut Transmission Infrastructure; New England Power Pool and ISO New England, Inc., et al.; Devon Power LLC, et al.; Exelon New Boston LLC; ISO New England, Inc.; ISO New England, Inc. and Bangor Hydro, et al.; Notice of Technical Conference

January 3, 2005.

In a Notice of Technical Conference issued October 29, 2004, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission announced that it would host a technical conference on Thursday, January 6, 2005, to discuss specific transmission proposals and cost issues for the State of Connecticut. The conference will be held in Room 2C of the Legislative Office Building, 300 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

Please take note that the workshop schedule has changed, to begin at 10 a.m. (EST) (instead of 9 a.m.) and end at approximately 1 p.m. (instead of 3 p.m.). Members of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission are expected to participate, along with state regulators from the New England region. An agenda is attached to this notice.

This conference is a follow-up to the infrastructure conference that was held on October 13, 2004. The goal of this technical conference is to provide a forum for discussion of issues affecting energy infrastructure in and around Connecticut. This discussion will take place between federal, State and regional leaders and industry representatives. The January 6 conference will focus primarily on proposals for new electric transmission, and the costs of these proposals.

The conference is a technical discussion between policy leaders, however, members of the public are welcome to attend. Registration is not required; however, in-person attendees are asked to register for the conference on-line by close of business on Tuesday,