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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Discovery Technology International, LLLP

AGENCY: Office of the General Counsel, Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of invention available for license and intent to grant exclusive license.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/876,296, entitled "Micromanipulator", and U.S. Patent Application No. 11/406,335, entitled "Piezoelectric Valve", both developed under projects with the Science and Technology Center in the Ukraine (STCU), are available for licensing in the United States as deemed appropriate in the public interest. Discovery Technology International, LLLP (DTI), of Sarasota, Florida, has applied for an exclusive license to practice both inventions in the United States. The U. S. Government has the exclusive authority to license the inventions in the United States.

DATES: Written comments or nonexclusive license applications are to be received at the address listed below no later than July 21, 2008.

ADDRESSES: Office of the Assistant General Counsel for Technology Transfer and Intellectual Property, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20585.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John T. Lucas, Office of the Assistant General Counsel for Technology Transfer and Intellectual Property, U.S. Department of Energy, Forrestal Building, Room 6F-067, 1000 Independence Ave., SW., Washington, DC 20585; Telephone (202) 586-2939.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: 35 U.S.C. 209 provides federal agencies with authority to grant exclusive licenses in federally owned inventions, if, among other things, the agency finds that the public will be served by the granting of the license. The statute requires that no exclusive license may be granted unless public notice of the intent to grant the license has been provided, and the agency has considered all comments received in response to that public notice, before the end of the comment period.

DTI of Sarasota, Florida, has applied for an exclusive license to the Micromanipulator and Piezoelectric Valve inventions and has plans for their commercialization. The exclusive license will be subject to a license and other rights retained by the U.S. Government, and other terms and conditions to be negotiated. DOE intends to negotiate to grant the license, unless, within 30 days of this notice, the Assistant General Counsel for Technology Transfer and Intellectual Property, Department of Energy, Washington, DC 20585, receives in writing any of the following, together with supporting documents:

(i) A statement from any person setting forth reason why it would not be in the best interests of the United States to grant the proposed license; or

(ii) An inquiry concerning the technology, followed by an application for a nonexclusive license to the technology in which the applicant states that it already has brought the invention(s) to practical application or is likely to bring the invention(s) to practical application expeditiously.

The Department will review all timely written responses to this notice, and will proceed with negotiating the license if, after consideration of written responses to this notice, a finding is made that the license is in the public interest.

Issued in Washington, DC, on June 12, 2008.

Paul A. Gottlieb,

Assistant General Counsel for Technology Transfer and Intellectual Property.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2210-175]

American Electric Power; Notice of Application for Amendment of License And Soliciting Comments, Motions to Intervene, and Protests

June 12, 2008.

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

a. *Type of Application:* Request to increase water withdrawal for municipal use.

b. *Project No.:* 2210-175.

c. *Date Filed:* May 27, 2008.

d. *Applicant:* American Electric Power.

e. *Name of Project:* Smith Mountain.

f. *Location:* Smith Mountain Lake on the Roanoke River, Bedford County, Virginia.

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

h. *Applicant Contact:* Frank M. Simms, American Electric Power, P.O. Box 2021, Roanoke, Virginia 24022-2121 (540) 985-2875.

i. *FERC Contact:* Derek Crane, derek.crane@ferc.gov (202) 502-8047.

j. *Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene and protests:* July 11, 2008.

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

The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all intervenors filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person whose name appears on the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervenor 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. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

k. *Description of Request:* American Electric Power (AEP) proposes to grant permission to Bedford County Public Service Authority (BCPSA) to install a 12-inch diameter, high density polyethylene raw water intake pipeline and associated intake structure within the Smith Mountain Project boundary to increase water withdrawn from the Smith Mountain Project reservoir from an annual average of 0.5 million gallons per day (mgd) and peak of 0.999 mgd to an annual average of 2.0 mgd with a peak of 2.999 mgd. The proposed withdrawal is for municipal use by the BCPSA, Bedford County, GA.

l. *Location of the Application:* The filing 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, or by calling (202) 502-8371. This filing may also be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://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/docsfiling/esubscription.asp> to be notified via e-mail of new filings and