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*Deputy Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Notice of Intent To File Application for a New License

October 30, 2002.

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

- a. *Type of filing:* Notice of Intent To File an Application for New License.
- b. *Project No:* 2085.
- c. *Date filed:* October 9, 2002.
- d. *Submitted By:* Southern California Edison Company.
- e. *Name of Project:* Mammoth Pool Project.
- f. *Location:* Mammoth Pool is located on the main stem of the Upper San Joaquin River, bordering Madera and Fresno Counties, California.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Section 15 of the Federal Power Act, 18 CFR 16.6.
- h. Pursuant to Section 16.19 of the Commission's regulations, the licensee is required to make available the information described in Section 16.7 of the regulations. Such information is available from the licensee at the Northern Hydro Regional Office, 54205 Mountain Poplar Road, Big Creek, California 93605.
- i. *FERC Contact:* James Fargo, 202-502-6095, [james.fargo@ferc.gov](mailto:james.fargo@ferc.gov).
- j. *Expiration Date of Current License:* November 30, 2007.
- k. *Project Description:* A storage dam, reservoir, dam outlet works including a 938 kilowatts(kw) fishwater generator, tunnel and penstock, and a powerhouse containing two turbines with two 95,000kw generators.

l. The licensee states its unequivocal intent to submit an application for a new license for Project No. 2085 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 November 30, 2005.

A copy of the application 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 "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at [ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov](mailto:ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov) or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

#### Notice of Joint Application To Amend License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

October 30, 2002.

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

- a. *Type of Application:* Joint Application to Amend License.
- b. *Project No.:* 5-072.
- c. *Date Filed:* October 15, 2002.
- d. *Applicant:* PPL Montana, LLC (PPLM) and the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Nation (Tribes).
- e. *Name of Project:* Kerr Hydroelectric Project.
- f. *Location:* On the Flathead River in Lake and Flathead Counties, Montana.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* 16 U.S.C. 799.
- h. *Applicant Contacts:* David R. Poe, LeBoeuf, Lamb, Greene & MacRae, L.L.P., 1875 Connecticut Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20009, (202) 986-8039 and Joe Hovenkotter, Tribal Legal Department, Flathead Reservation, 51383 Highway 93 North, Pablo, Montana 59855, (406) 675-2700, ext. 1169.

i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Robert H. Grieve, [Robert.Grieve@ferc.gov](mailto:Robert.Grieve@ferc.gov), (202) 502-8752.

j. *Deadline for filing comments, motions to intervene and protests:* November 29, 2002.

All documents (original and seven copies) should be filed with: Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper, *see* 18 CFR 385.2002(a)(1)(iii) and instructions on the Commission's web site under the "e-filing" link. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. Please include the project number (P-5-072) on any comments or motions filed.

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 in 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.

k. *Description of Application:* Applicants request to amend the Kerr Project license in order to resolve the respective obligations of PPLM and the Tribes for performance of certain fish and wildlife mitigation measures that currently appear in several numbered articles in the project license. The articles at issue were originally submitted by the Department of the Interior pursuant to its authority under Section 4(e) of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 797(e), and thereafter adopted by the Commission in its orders of June 25, 1997, October 30, 1998, and December 14, 2000. Applicants seek a similar resolution of obligations under a license article that was included in the project license in the December 14, 2000 order in response to a biological opinion prepared by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service pursuant to the Endangered Species Act.

l. *Locations of the Application:* Copies of this filing are 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 "FERRIS" 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](mailto:FERCONLINESUPPORT@FERC.GOV). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659. Copies