

“MOTION TO INTERVENE”, as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

q. *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.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Surrender of Preliminary Permits

March 10, 2004.

Symbiotics, LLC, Lake Bistineau Hydro, LLC, Chittenden Hydro, LLC, Mohawk

Hydro, LLC, Dover Hydro, LLC, Bridgeport Hydro, LLC, Arbuckle Hydro, LLC, Rathbun Hydro, LLC, Avalon Hydro, LLC, DeGray Hydro, LLC, Bayview Hydro, LLC, Pleasant Hill Hydro, LLC, Wills Creek Hydro, LLC, Bumping Lake Hydro, LLC, Lower Anacoco Hydro, LLC, Project Nos. 11915-001, 12230-001, 12273-001, 12290-001, 12300-001, 12182-001, 12211-001, 12258-001, 12216-001, 12256-001, 12284-001, 12292-001, 12180-001, 12188-001 and 12234-001.

Take notice that the permittees for the subject projects have requested to surrender their preliminary permits. Investigations and feasibility studies have shown that the projects would not be economically feasible.

Project No.	Project name	Stream	State	Expiration date
11915-001	Willamette Fall	Willamette River	OR	09-30-2005
12230-001	Lake Bistineau Dam	Loggy Bayou	LA	10-31-2005
12273-001	Hiram M Chittenden Dam	Lake Washington Ship Canal	WA	01-31-2006
12290-001	Mohawk Dam	Walhonding River	OH	01-31-2006
12300-001	Dover Dam	Tuscarawas River	OH	10-31-2005
12182-001	Bridgeport Dam	East Walker River	CA	08-31-2006
12211-001	Arbuckle Dam	Rock Creek	OK	05-31-2006
12258-001	Rathbun Dam	Chariton River	IA	09-30-2005
12216-001	Avalon Dam	Pecos River	NM	11-30-2005
12256-001	DeGray Reregulating Dam	Caddo River	AR	12-31-2005
12284-001	Bayview Lake Dam	Village Creek	AL	10-31-2005
12292-001	Pleasant Hill Dam	Clear Fork Branch of the Mohican River	OH	10-31-2005
12180-001	Wills Creek Dam	Wills Creek	OH	09-30-2005
12188-001	Bumping Lake Dam	Bumping River	WA	08-31-2006
12234-001	Lower Anacoco Dam	Bayou Anacoco	LA	08-31-2006

The permits shall remain in effect through the thirtieth day after issuance of this notice unless that day is Saturday, Sunday, or holiday as described in 18 CFR 385.2007, in which case each permit shall remain in effect through the first business day following that day. New applications involving these project sites, to the extent provided for under 18 CFR part 4, may be filed on the next business day.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 1971-079]

Idaho Power Company, Idaho/Oregon; Notice of Tribal Consultation Briefing

March 10, 2004.

The Commission intends to hold meetings with the Indian Tribes potentially affected by the relicensing of

the Hells Canyon Project¹ to discuss the Commission's relicensing process, how the tribes can participate to the fullest extent possible, the tribes' interests and concerns in the affected area, and how to establish procedures to ensure appropriate communication between Commission and tribal staff. These meetings will occur between March 29 and March 31, 2004.

To ensure that all parties are made aware of the issues raised during each tribal consultation meeting, the Commission staff will also be holding a separate, tribal consultation briefing. This meeting will be held on Thursday, April 1, 2004, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Boise Center on the Grove, 850 Front Street, Boise, Idaho.

The Commission encourages parties interested in the Hells Canyon proceeding to come and discuss the issues raised at tribal consultation meetings.

¹ These tribes include the Shoshone-Bannock, Shoshone-Paiute, Nez Perce, Umat.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

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[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

March 9, 2004.

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of exempt and prohibited off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive an exempt or prohibited off-the-record communication relevant to the merit's of a contested on-the-record proceeding, to deliver a copy of