DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Intent To File an Application for a New License

April 13, 1999.

- a. Type of filing: Notice Of Intent To File An Application For A New License.
 - b. Project No.: 2720.
 - c. Date Filed: March 19, 1999.
- d. Submitted By: City of Norway—current licensee.
- e. Name of Project: Sturgeon Falls Project.
- f. Location: On the Menominee River, in Dickinson County, Michigan, and Marinette County, Wisconsin.
- g. Filed Pursuant To: Section 15 of the Federal Power Act.
- h. Licensee Contact: City of Norway, Mark Isackson, City Manager, City Hall, 915 Main Street, Norway, MI 49870, (906) 563–9961.
- i. FERC Contact: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Patti Leppert-Slack, E-mail patricia.leppertslack@ferc.fed.us, or telephone (202) 219–2767.
- j. Effective Date Of current License: August 1, 1953.
- k. Expiration Date Of current License: July 31, 2004.
- l. The existing project consists of: (1) A 300-foot-long overflow spillway with 44-inch-high flashboards; (2) a reservoir with an estimated surface area of 400 acres and a normal pool elevation of 830.1 feet; (3) a concrete headworks structure, located 200 feet upstream of the dam, which controls inflow to the powerhouse with seven 10-foot-wide by 11-foot-high gates; (4) a 300-foot-long by 60-foot-wide and 12-foot deep canal section; (5) a powerhouse containing four generating units for a total installed capacity of 5,136 kilowatts; (6) a tailrace; (7) a 300-foot-long transmission line; and (8) appurtenant facilities.
- m. 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 July 31, 2002.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.

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- a. *Type of Filing:* Notice of Intent to File An Application for a New License.
 - b. Project No.: 2984.
 - c. Date Filed: March 30, 1999.
- d. *Submitted By:* S.D. Warren Company-current licensee.
 - e. Name of Project: Eel Weir Project.
- f. *Location:* On the Presumpscot River and Sebago Lake, in Cumberland County, Maine.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Section 15 of the Federal Power Act.
- h. *Licensee Contact*: S.D. Warren Company, 89 Cumberland Street, P.O. Box 5000, Westbrook, ME 04098–1597, Thomas P. Howard, (207) 856–4000.
- i. FERC Contact: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Tom Dean, E-mail address, thomas.dean@ferc.fed.us, or telephone (202) 219–2778.
- j. Effective date of current license: April 1, 1962.
- k. Expiration date of current license: March 31, 2004.
- l. Description of the Project: The project consists of the following existing facilities: (1) a 115-foot-long, 23-foothigh stone masonry spillway dam; (2) a 150-foot-long, 10-foot-high east abutment; (3) a 90-foot-long, 5-foot-high west abutment; (4) five 6.5-foot-high by 4.75-foot-wide discharge gates; (5) four 8.8-foot-high by 7-foot-wide canal intake gates; (6) the 12-mile-long Sebago Lake at elevation 266.65 msl; (7) a 4,826-footlong, 15-foot-deep earthen power canal; (8) a powerhouse containing three generating units with a total installed capacity of 1,800 kW; (9) a 3.5-milelong, 11-kV transmission line; and (10) other appurtenances.
- m. 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 March 31, 2002.

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Notice of Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Motions To Intervene and Protests

April 13, 1999.

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

- a. Type of Application: Preliminary Permit.
 - b. Project No.: P-11691-000.
 - c. Date Filed: March 5, 1999.
- d. Applicant: Universal Electric Power Corporation.
 - e. Name of Project: Gainesville L & D.
- f. Location: On the Tombigbee River in Greene County, Alabama, utilizing federal lands administered by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a)—825(r).
- h. Applicant Contact: Mr. Ronald S. Feltenberger, Universal Electric Power Corp., 1145 Highbrook Street, Akron, OH 44301, (330) 535–7115.
- i. FERC Contact: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Charles T. Raabe, E-mail address, Charles.Raabe@ferc.fed.us, or telephone (202) 219–2811.
- j. Deadline Date: 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.
- k. Description of Project: The proposed project would utilize the existing U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Gainesville Lock and Dam and would consist of: (1) Seven new 50-foot-long, 96-inch-diameter steel penstocks; (2) a new 300-foot-long, 50-foot-wide, 40-foot-high powerhouse containing seven generating units with a total installed capacity of 23,200-kW; (3) a new exhaust apron; (4) a new 600-foot-long, 14.7-kV transmission line; and (5) appurtenant facilities.

Applicant estimates that the average annual generation would be 102 GWh and that the cost of the studies to be performed under the terms of the permit would be \$2,800,000. Project energy would be sold to utility companies, corporations, municipalities, aggregators, or similar entities.

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 Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208–1371. This filing may be viewed on the web at http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (call (202) 208–2222 for assistance). A copy

is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

m. This notice also consists of the following standard paragraphs: A5, A7, A9, A10, B, C, and D2.

A5. Preliminary Permit—Anyone desiring to file a competing application for preliminary permit for a proposed project must submit the competing application itself, or a notice of intent to file such an application, to the Commission on or before the specified comment date for the particular application (see 18 CFR 4.36). Submission of a timely notice of intent allows an interested person to file the competing preliminary permit application no later than 30 days after the specified comment date for the particular application. A competing preliminary permit application must conform with 18 CFR 4.30(b) and 4.36.

A7. Preliminary Permit—Any qualified development applicant desiring to file a competing development application must submit to the Commission, on or before a specified comment date for the particular application, either a competing development application or a notice of intent to file such an application. Submission of a timely notice of intent to file a development application allows an interested person to file the competing application no later than 120 days after the specified comment date for the particular application. A competing license application must conform with 18 CFR 4.30(b) and 4.36.

A9. Notice of intent—A notice of intent must specify the exact name, business address, and telephone number of the prospective applicant, and must include an unequivocal statement of intent to submit, if such an application may be filed, either a preliminary permit application or a development application (specify which type of application). A notice of intent must be served on the applicant(s) named in this public notice.

A10. Proposed Scope of Studies under Permit—A preliminary permit, if issued, does not authorize construction. The term of the proposed preliminary permit would be 36 months. The work proposed under the preliminary permit would include economic analysis, preparation of preliminary engineering plans, and a study of environmental impacts. Based on the results of these studies, the Applicant would decide whether to proceed with the preparation of a development application to construct and operate the project.

B. 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, 385.211, 385.214. 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.

C. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE COMPETING APPLICATION", "COMPETING APPLICATION" "PROTEST", "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies provided by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426. An additional copy must be sent to Director, Division of Project Review, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, at the abovementioned address. A copy of any notice of intent, competing application or motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

D2. 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.

Linwood A. Watson, Jr.,

Acting Secretary.
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- a. *Type of Application:* Preliminary Permit.
 - b. Project No.: P-11693-000
 - c. Date Filed: March 5, 1999.
- d. *Name of Project:* Universal Electric Power Corporation.
- e. *Name of Project:* Barren River Lake Dam.
- f. Location: On the Barren River near the towns of Austin, Scottsville, and Glasgow, Barren County, Kentucky, utilizing federal land administered by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a)–825(r).
- h. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. Ronald S. Feltenberger, Universal Electric Power Corp., 1145 Highbrook Street, Akron, OH 44301 (330) 535–7115.
- i. FERC Contact: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Charles T. Raabe, E-mail address, Charles.Raabe@ferc.fed.us, or telephone (202) 219–2811.
- j. *Deadline Date:* 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.
- k. Description of Project: The proposed project would utilize the existing U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Barren River Lake Dam and would consist of: (1) two new 50-foot-long, 48-inch-diameter steel penstocks; (2) a new 60-foot-long, 40-foot-wide, 30-foot-high powerhouse containing two generating units with a total installed capacity of 3,900-kW; (3) a new exhaust apron; (4) a new 500-foot-long, 14.7-kV transmission line; and (5) appurtenant facilities.

Applicant estimates that the average annual generation would be 24 GWh and that the cost of the studies to be performed under the terms of the permit would be \$1,000,000. Project energy would be sold to utility companies, corporations, municipalities, aggregators, or similar entities.

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, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208–1371. This filing may be viewed on the web at http://