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 and 4.36.

l. 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.

m. 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.

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", "NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE COMPETING APPLICATION", "COMPETING APPLICATION" "PROTEST", and "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 Hydropower Administration and Compliance, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, at the above-mentioned 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.

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.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2576-100]

Before Commissioners, First Light Hydro Generating Company; Notice Rejecting Requests for Rehearing

August 22, 2007.

On July 3, 2007, Commission staff issued an order modifying and approving a shoreline management plan pursuant to article 407 of the license for Housatonic River Project located in Fairfield, Litchfield and New Haven Counties, Connecticut.¹ On August 1, 2007 and August 2, 2007, the City of Dansbury and Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection filed requests for rehearing in this proceeding.

Under section 313(a) of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 825l(a), a request for rehearing may be filed only by a party to the proceeding. In order to become a party to any Commission proceeding, an entity must file a motion to intervene pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.214. The City of Dansbury and Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection did not file motions to intervene. Therefore, their requests for rehearing are rejected.

This notice constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the

Commission of the rejection notice must be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this notice, pursuant to 18 CFR 385.713 (2007).

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No: 349-133]

Alabama Power Company; Notice of Application For Amendment of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

August 22, 2007.

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

- a. *Application Type:* Non-Project Use of Project Lands and Waters.
 - b. Project No: 349-133.
 - c. Date Filed: August 8, 2007.
- d. *Applicant:* Alabama Power Company.
- e. *Name of Project:* Martin Dam Hydroelectric Project.
- f. Location: Lake Martin in Tallapoosa County, Alabama. This project does not occupy any federal or tribal lands.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791 (a) 825(r) and 799 and 801.
- h. Applicant Contact: Mr. Keith E. Bryant, Sr., Engineer, Hydro Services, Alabama Power, 600 North 18th Street, Post Office Box 2641, Birmingham, Alabama, 35291, (205) 257–1403.
- i. *FERC Contacts:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Ms. Shana High at (202) 502–8674.
- j. Deadline for filing comments and or motions: September 24, 2007.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: The 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

 $^{^1\,\}mathrm{FirstLight}$ Hydro Generating Co., 120 FERC \P 62,010 (2007).