capacity at market-based rates. Harvest also requested waivers of various Commission regulations. In particular, Harvest requested that the Commission grant blanket approval under 18 CFR Part 34 of all future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability by Harvest.

On August 31, 2007, pursuant to delegated authority, the Director, Division of Tariffs and Market Development-West, granted the requests for blanket approval under Part 34 (Director's Order). The Director's Order also stated that the Commission would publish a separate notice in the Federal **Register** establishing a period of time for the filing of protests. Accordingly, any person desiring to be heard concerning the blanket approvals of issuances of securities or assumptions of liability by Harvest, should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. 18 CFR 385.211, 385.214 (2004).

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests is October 1, 2007.

Absent a request to be heard in opposition to such blanket approvals by the deadline above, Harvest is authorized to issue securities and assume obligations or liabilities as a guarantor, indorser, surety, or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issuance or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Harvest, compatible with the public interest, and is reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

The Commission reserves the right to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued approvals of Harvest's issuance of securities or assumptions of liability.

Copies of the full text of the Director's Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Room, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. The Order may also be viewed on the Commission's web site at *http://www.ferc.gov*, using the eLibrary link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number filed to access the document. Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site under the "e-Filing" link. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings.

### Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary. [FR Doc. E7–17854 Filed 9–10–07; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6717–01–P

### DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RR07-16-000]

## North American Electric, Reliability Corporation; Notice of Amendment to the File

September 4, 2007.

Take notice that on August 31, 2007, the North American Electric Reliability Corporation submitted an amendment to their August 24, 2007 filing of the 2008 Business Plans and Budgets of Regional Entities, and the 2008 funding request of the Western Interconnection Regional Advisory Body.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of intervention or motion to intervene, as appropriate. Such notices, motions, or protests must be filed on or before the comment date. Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant and all the parties in this proceeding.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper using the "eFiling" link at *http://www.ferc.gov*. Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the protest or intervention to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

This filing is accessible on-line at *http://www.ferc.gov*, using the "eLibrary" link and is available for review in the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. There is an "eSubscription" link on the Web site that enables subscribers to receive e-mail notification when a document is added to a subscribed docket(s). For assistance with any FERC Online service, please e-mail *FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov*, or call

(866) 208–3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502–8659. *Comment Date:* 5 p.m. Eastern Time on September 21, 2007.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary. [FR Doc. E7–17852 Filed 9–10–07; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6717–01–P

# DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. DI07-12-000]

### Ken Howard; Notice of Petition for Declaratory Order and Soliciting Comments, Motions to Intervene, and Protests

September 4, 2007.

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

a. *Application Type*: Petition for Declaratory Order.

b. Docket No.: DI07-12-000.

c. Date Filed: August 15, 2007.

d. Applicant: Ken Howard.

e. *Name of Project:* Keene Channel/ Howard Micro-Hydro Project.

f. *Location:* The Keene Channel/ Howard Micro-Hydro Project is located on an unnamed stream on Kupreanof Island, near Petersburg, Alaska, affecting T. 6 S., R. 80 E., sec. 6, Copper River Meridian. The project does not occupy any tribal or federal lands.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Section 23(b)(1) of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 817(b).

h. *Applicant Contact:* Ken Howard, P.O. Box 2067, Petersburg, Alaska, 99833; Telephone: (907) 518–1886; e-mail: *howardak@starband.net*.

i. FERC Contact: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Henry Ecton (202) 502–8768, or E-mail: henry.ecton@ferc.gov.

j. Deadline for filing comments and/or motions: October 4, 2007.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: 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. Any questions, please contact the Secretary's Office. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site at: http:// www.ferc.gov.

Please include the docket number (DI07–12–000) on any protests, comments and/or motions filed.