must file a motion to intervene. All such motions or protests should be filed on or before the comment date, and, to the extent applicable, must be served on the applicant and on any other person designated on the official service list. This filing is available for review at the Commission 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 filed to access the document. For assistance, call (202) 502-8222 or TTY, (202) 502-8659. 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.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 12062-001]

Symbiotics, LLC; Notice of Surrender of Preliminary Permit

February 23, 2004.

Take notice that Symbiotics, LLC, permittee for the proposed Sun River Diversion Hydroelectric Project, has requested that its preliminary permit be terminated. The permit was issued on September 28, 2001, and would have expired on August 31, 2004. The proposed project would have been located on an existing federally-owned dam administered by the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, on the Sun River in Teton County, Montana.

The permittee filed the request on February 13, 2004, and the preliminary permit for Project No. 12062 shall remain in effect through the 30th day after issuance of this notice unless that day is a Saturday, Sunday, or holiday as described in 18 CFR 385.2007, in which case the permit shall remain in effect through the first business day following that day. New applications involving this project site, to the extent provided for under 18 CFR part 4, may be filed on the next business day.

Secretary.

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Magalie R. Salas,

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2474-004]

Oswego River Project; Notice of **Settlement Agreement and Soliciting** Comments

February 24, 2004.

Take notice that following settlement agreement has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection.

- a. Type of Application: Settlement agreement on resolution of issues related to licensing of the Oswego River Project.
 - b. Project No.: P-2474-004.
 - c. Date filed: February 19, 2004.
 - d. Applicant: Erie Boulevard, L.P.
- e. Name of Project: Oswego River Project.
- f. Location: On the Oswego River in Oswego County, New York.
- g. Filed Pursuant to: Rule 602 of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure, 18 CFR 385.602
- h. Applicant Contact: Jerry L. Sabattis, Reliant Energy, 225 Greenfield Parkway, Suite 201, Liverpool, New York, 13088, (315) 413-2787.

FERC Contact: John Costello, (202) 502–6119, john.costello@ferc.gov.

- j. Deadline for Filing Comments: 20 days from the issuance date of this notice; reply comments are due 30 days from the issuance date of this notice.
- All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The Commission's rules of practice require all interveners filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person on the official service list for the Project. Further, if an intervener 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.

Comments may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site (http:// www.ferc.gov) under the "e-Filing" link.

k. Reliant Energy filed on behalf of Erie Boulevard, L.P. (Erie) and the Adirondack Mountain Club, Izaak Walton League, New York Rivers United, New York State Conservation Council, New York State Department of

Environmental Conservation, Trout Unlimited, U.S. Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service, and U.S. Department of the Interior, National Park Service a settlement agreement on the resolution of issues related to the licensing proceeding for the Oswego River Project. The settlement includes measures for enhancing aquatic habitat, fish movement and fishing opportunities, riparian vegetation, wetland and wildlife, and recreational access. In addition, the settlement includes an agreement among the parties to modify the terms and conditions of the upstream Oswego Falls Project, No. 5984, license so that it will be compatible with the various protection, mitigation, and enhancement measures pertaining to the Oswego River Project. Erie intents to file an application to amend the license for the Oswego Falls Project within 90 days of the date of the settlement agreement.

l. A copy of the settlement agreement 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 "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at

FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or tollfree at 1-866-208-3676, or TTY, (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

You may also register online at http:/ /ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2194-020]

FPL Energy Maine Hydro LLC; Notice of Application Accepted for Filing a Soliciting Motions To Intervene and **Protest**

February 24, 2004.

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

- a. *Type of Application:* New major license.
 - b. Project No.: P-2194-020.
 - c. Date Filed: June 30, 2003.
- d. *Applicant:* FPL Energy Maine Hydro LLC.
- e. *Name of Project:* Bar Mills Hydroelectric Project.
- f. Location: On the Saco River, in the Towns of Buxton and Hollis, York County, Maine. The project would use no Federal lands.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791 (a)–825(r).
- h. Applicant Contact: Mr. F. Allen Wiley, Vice President, FPL Energy Maine Hydro LLC, 160 Capitol Street, Augusta, Maine 04330, or call (207) 623–8413.
- i. FERC Contact: Ed Lee, ed.lee@ferc.gov or call (202) 502–6082.
- j. Deadline for Filing Motions to Intervene and Protest: 60 days from the

issuance date of this notice.
All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First

Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.
The Commission's rules of practice and procedure require all intervenors filing Docket No. P-2194-020 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.

Motions to intervene and protests and requests may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings. See CFR 385.200 (a) (1) (iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site (http://www.ferc.gov) under the "e-Filing" link.

k. This application has been accepted, but is not ready for environmental analysis at this time.

l. The Bar Mills Hydro Project consists of the following existing facilities: (1) A 400-foot-long by 25-foothigh dam, with 6.75 foot-high flashboards, and a 90 to 200 foot wide by 725 foot long power canal; (2) the 5.3 mile long impoundment, which has a surface area of 263 acres at the normal full pond elevation of 148.5 feet above mean sea level; (3) a powerhouse containing two 2.25 megawatts generating units with total installed generating capacity of 4.5 megawatts

(MW); and (4) appurtenant facilities. The average annual generation is 18,850 MWh. The dam and existing project facilities are owned by the applicant.

m. 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 eLibrary link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at

FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at 1–866–208–3676, or for TTY, (202) 502–8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h. above.

You may also register online at http://www.ferc.gov/esubscribenow.htm to be notified via email of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

n. Anyone may submit a protest or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of rules of practice and procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, 385.211, and 385.214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests 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 protests or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified deadline date for the particular application.

All filings must (1) bear in all capital letters the title "PROTEST" or "MOTION TO INTERVENE"; (2) set forth in the heading the name of the applicant and the project number of the application to which the filing responds; (3) furnish the name, address, and telephone number of the person protesting or intervening; and (4) otherwise comply with the requirements of 18 CFR 385.2001 through 385.2005. Agencies may obtain copies of the application directly from the applicant. A copy of any protest or motion to intervene must be served upon each representative of the applicant specified in the particular application.

o. Procedural Schedule and Final Amendments: The application will be processed according to the following Hydro Licensing Schedule. Revisions to the schedule will be made as appropriate. The Commission staff proposes to issue one environmental assessment rather than issue a draft and final EA. Comments, terms and conditions, recommendations, prescriptions, and reply comments, if any, will be addressed in the EA.

Issue Acceptance Letter—February 2004 Additional Information Due—December 2004 Issue Scoping Document—January 2005 Notice that application is ready for environmental analysis—March 2005

Final amendments to the application must be filed with the Commission no later than 30 days from the issuance date of the notice of ready for environmental analysis.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP03-625-000]

Chandeleur Pipe Line Company; Notice of Technical Conference

February 24, 2004.

Take notice that a technical conference will be held on Thursday, March 4, 2004 at 10 a.m., in a room to be designated at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The purpose of the conference is to address Chandeleur Pipe Line Company's (Chandeleur) Section 4 rate increase filed on September 30, 2003.¹ Chandeleur should be prepared to discuss all relevant cost and throughput issues, as well as its responses to staff's data request dated December 12, 2003.

All parties and staff are permitted to attend.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

February 24, 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

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Order Accepting and Suspending Tariff Sheet Su.