

o. 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.

p. 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.

q. 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.

r. 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 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.

s. 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 Non-Project Use of Project Lands and Soliciting Motions to Intervene, Protests, and Comments

January 14, 2003.

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

- a. *Type of Application:* Non-Project Use of Project Lands.
- b. *Project No.:* P-2197-058.
- c. *Date filed:* October 30, 2002.
- d. *Applicant:* Alcoa Power Generating Inc.

e. *Name and Location of Project:* The Yadkin Hydroelectric Project is on the Yadkin/Pee Dee River in Montgomery, Stanley, Davidson, Rowan, and Davie Counties, North Carolina. The Yadkin project contains the following reservoirs: High Rock, Tuckertown, Narrows, and Falls. The project does not occupy any federal lands.

f. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. §§ 791(a)-825(r).

g. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. David R. Poe, LeBoeuf, Lamb, Greene & MacRae, LLP, Suite 1200, 1875 Connecticut Ave., NW., Washington, DC, 20009-5728, (202) 986-8039.

h. *FERC Contact:* Elizabeth Jones (202) 502-8246.

i. *Deadline for filing comments, protests, and motions to intervene:* February 14, 2003.

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. 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. Please include the project number (P-2197-058) on any comments or motions filed.

The Commission's rules of practice and procedure require all interveners filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person in 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.

j. *Description of Application:* Alcoa Power Generating, Inc. (Alcoa), licensee for the Yadkin Hydroelectric Project, filed a non-project use of project lands application. In its application, Alcoa proposes to grant a permit to Thomason Development, L.L.C, for the construction of a marina to accommodate 16 watercraft, with 16 additional personal watercraft and for the modification of one preexisting boat launch ramp and one preexisting bulkhead (together, the "Marina Facilities") within the Project boundary on High Rock Reservoir. Alcoa proposes to grant a second permit to the River's Edge Homeowners Association for the use and operation of the Marina Facilities.

k. This filing 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 "FERRIS" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, call toll-free 1-866-208-3676 or e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov. For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

l. 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.

m. 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 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.

n. 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

[Project No. 2232–449 & 450]

Notice of Applications for Non-Project Use of Project Lands and Soliciting Comments, Motions to Intervene, and Protests

January 14, 2003.

Take notice that the two following applications have been filed with the Commission and are available for public inspection:

a. *Application Type:* Non-Project Use of Project Lands.

b. *Project No:* 2232–449 & 2232–450.

c. *Date Filed:* November 25, 2002.

d. *Applicant:* Duke Power Company.

e. *Name of Project:* Catawba-Wateree.

f. *Location:* The project is located in Alexander, Burke, Caldwell, Catawba, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln, McDowell and Mecklenburg Counties, North Carolina and Chester, Fairfield, Kershaw, Lancaster, and York Counties, South Carolina. This project does not occupy any federal lands.

g. Filed Pursuant to: Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. §§ 791(a) 825(r) and §§ 799 and 801.

h. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. Joe Hall, Lake Management Representative, Duke Power, a division of Duke Energy Corp., P.O. Box 1006, Charlotte, North Carolina 28201–1006, (704) 382–8576.

i. FERC Contacts: Any questions on this notice regarding Sunset Bay, P–2232–449, should be addressed to: Mrs. Jean Potvin at (202) 502–8928, or e-mail address: jean.potvin@ferc.gov. Any questions on this notice regarding The Highlands, P–2232–450, should be addressed to Ms. Shana High at (202) 502–8674, or e-mail address: shana.high@ferc.gov.

j. Deadline for filing comments and or motions: February 14, 2003.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington DC 20426. Please include the project number (P–2232–449 or 450) on any comments or motions filed. 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 e-filings.

k. *Description of Requests:*

In the first application, P–2232–449, the licensee proposes to grant a lease for a Commercial Residential Marina to Sunset Bay at Lake Norman, LLC, Inc. for the Sunset Bay Subdivision. The proposal includes one parcel of project land containing a total of 0.535 acre for a proposed commercial residential marina facility. The leased area will provide 14 boat slips for access to the reservoir for residents of the Sunset Bay Subdivision, located in Iredell County, North Carolina.

In the second application, P–2232–450, the licensee proposes to grant a lease for a Commercial Residential Marina to the Highlands at Lake Norman, LLC, Inc. for the Highlands Subdivision. The proposal includes one parcel of project land containing a total of 0.503 acre for a proposed commercial residential marina facility. The leased area will provide 20 boat slips for access to the reservoir for residents of the Highlands Subdivision, located in Iredell County, North Carolina.

l. Location of the Applications: The filings are available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, 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 field to access the document. For assistance, please call the Helpline at (866) 208–3676 or contact FERCONLINESUPPORT@ferc.gov. For TTY, contact (202) 502–8659.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission’s mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

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o. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title “COMMENTS”, “RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS”, “PROTEST”, OR “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.

p. Agency Comments—Federal, state, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described applications. A copy of the applications 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.

q. 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 at <http://www.ferc.gov> under the “e-Filing” link.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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