

State of California -The Natural Resources Agency DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME 1416 9th Street, 12th Floor Sacramento, CA 95814 www.dfg.ca.gov



July 28, 2011

Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: Middle Fork American River Project - FERC Project 2079-069

Dear Secretary Bose:

Enclosed is the original of the California Department of Fish and Game's Notice of Intervention ("Notice") and Certificate of Service in the above-referenced proceeding. The Department filed the Notice electronically with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and those on the service list that accept electronic filing on July 28, 2011. The Department mailed these documents by first-class mail, postage prepaid, to each person on the service list that does not accept electronic filing on July 28, 2010.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Nancee M. Murray, Senior Staff Counsel, at (916) 654-3818.

Sincerely,

NANCÉĚ M. MUŘRÁY

Senior Staff Counsel

Enclosures

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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))) PROJECT NO. 2079-069)

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION OF THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

Pursuant to paragraph (a)(2) of section 385.214 of Title 18 of the Code of Federal Regulations, the California Department of Fish and Game ("CDFG") provides notice that it is a party in the proceeding before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") on the application by Placer County Water Agency (PCWA) for a new major license for its Middle Fork American River Project.

CDFG is the relevant state fish and wildlife agency for consultation pursuant to the Federal Power Act section 10(j). (16 U.S.C. section 803(j)). CDFG submits this Notice in order to participate in this proceeding. CDFG has been actively participating in this application process with PCWA and other state and federal government agencies. CDFG intends to file its recommendations pursuant to Federal Power Act Section 10(j) by the deadline set forth in the Notice of Application Accepted for Filing dated June 7, 2011.

Service of process and other communications regarding this proceeding should

be made to:

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FERC issued its notice of acceptance of the PCWA application for a new major license on June 7, 2011. CDFG has 60 days from that date to file this notice. CDFG has met that timeline, and therefore CDFG's filing of this notice is timely.

DATED: July 28, 2011

Respectfully Submitted,

Senior Staff Counsel

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of)
PLACER COUNTY WATER AGENCY) .)
For Application for New Major License for The Middle Fork American River Project on Middle Fork American River, in Placer and El Dorado Counties, California.) PROJECT NO. 2079-069)))))

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on this day electronically filed the foregoing California Department of Fish and Game's Notice of Intervention in the above-captioned proceeding ("notice") regarding the pending application for that project with the Honorable Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, and mailed by first-class mail, postage prepaid, the notice to each person on the attached service list, which includes, but is not limited to, each person designated on the official service list for this proceeding.

Dated this 28th day of July, 2011

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