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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. EXTENSION OF DEADLINE.**

2 (a) PROJECT NUMBERED 10812.—

3 (1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding the time
4 period specified in section 13 of the Federal Power
5 Act (16 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply to
6 the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission project
7 numbered 10812, the Commission shall, at the re-
8 quest of the licensee for the project, and after rea-
9 sonable notice, in accordance with the good faith,
10 due diligence, and public interest requirements of
11 that section and the Commission’s procedures under
12 that section, extend the time period during which
13 the licensee is required to commence the construc-
14 tion of the project, under the extension described in
15 paragraph (2), for not more than 3 consecutive 2-
16 year periods.

17 (2) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This subsection shall
18 take effect on the date of the expiration of the ex-
19 tension of the period required for commencement of
20 construction of the project described in paragraph
21 (1) that the Commission issued, prior to the date of
22 enactment of this Act, under section 13 of the Fed-
23 eral Power Act (16 U.S.C. 806).

24 (b) PROJECT NUMBERED 6879.—

25 (1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding the time
26 period specified in section 13 of the Federal Power

1 Act (16 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply to
2 the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission project
3 numbered 6879, the Commission may, at the request
4 of the licensee for the project, and after reasonable
5 notice, in accordance with the good faith, due dili-
6 gence, and public interest requirements of that sec-
7 tion and the Commission's procedures under that
8 section, extend the time period during which the li-
9 censee is required to commence the construction of
10 the project for not more than 3 consecutive 2-year
11 periods.

12 (2) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This subsection shall
13 take effect on the date of the expiration of the pe-
14 riod required for commencement of construction of
15 the project under the license for the project.

Passed the House of Representatives April 16, 1996.

Attest:

Clerk.