

**Calendar No. 368**

104<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

**H. R. 2773**

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 17, 1996

Received; read twice and placed on the calendar

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**AN ACT**

To extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of 2 hydroelectric projects in North Carolina, and for other purposes.

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:

ROBIN H. CARLE,

*Clerk.*



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