

106TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 4494

To extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of West Virginia.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 18, 2000

Mr. MOLLOHAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce

A BILL

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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,*

3 **SECTION 1. EXTENSION OF DEADLINE AND REINSTATE-**
4 **MENT OF LICENSE.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding the time period
6 specified in section 13 of the Federal Power Act (16
7 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply to the Federal En-
8 ergy Regulatory Commission project numbered 7307, the
9 Commission shall, at the request of the licensee for the
10 project, in accordance with the good faith, due diligence,

1 and public interest requirements of that section and the
2 Commission's procedures under that section, extend the
3 time period during which the licensee is required to com-
4 mence construction of the project until September 26,
5 2003.

6 (b) APPLICABILITY.—Subsection (a) shall take effect
7 on the expiration of the period required for commencement
8 of construction of the project described in subsection (a).

9 (c) REINSTATEMENT OF EXPIRED LICENSE.—If the
10 license for the project described in subsection (a) has ex-
11 pired prior to the date of enactment of this Act, the Com-
12 mission shall reinstate the license effective as of the date
13 of its expiration and extend the time required for com-
14 mencement of construction of the project until September
15 26, 2003.

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