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Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL10-54-000]

Desert Southwest Power, LLC; Notice of Petition for Declaratory Order

April 2, 2010.

Take notice that on March 30, 2010, pursuant to Rule 207(a)(2), 18 CFR 385.207(a)(2) (2009), of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Federal Regulatory Commission, Desert Southwest Power, LLC filed an application for declaratory order requesting the Commission to authorize certain transmission rate incentives for the Desert Southwest Transmission

Project, which satisfy requirements of section 219 of the Federal Power Act, as amended, 16 U.S.C. 824s (2006), and Order No. 679, *Promoting Transmission Investment Through Pricing Reform*, Order No. 679, 71 FR 43294 (July 31, 2006), FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,222 (2006), *order on reh'g*, Order No. 679-A, 72 FR 1152 (Jan. 10, 2007), FERC Stats. & Regs. ¶ 31,236 (2006), *order on reh'g*, 119 FERC ¶ 61,062 (2007).

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Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2144-038; Project No. 2225-013]

City of Seattle; Public Utility District No. 1 of Pend Oreille County; Notice of Settlement Agreement and Soliciting Comments

April 1, 2010.

Take notice that the following Joint Settlement Agreement (Settlement) has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection.

a. *Type of Application:* Joint Settlement Agreement for the relicensing of the Boundary Hydroelectric Project and the surrender of the Sullivan Creek Hydroelectric Project.

b. *Project No.:* Boundary: P-2144-038; Sullivan Creek: P-2225-013.

c. *Date Filed:* March 29, 2010.

d. *Applicant:* Boundary: City of Seattle; Sullivan Creek: Public Utility District No. 1 of Pend Oreille County.

e. *Location:* Boundary: The existing project is located on the Pend Oreille River in Pend Oreille County, Washington, in northeast Washington. The project occupies 616 acres of the Colville National Forest and 313 acres of Bureau of Land Management lands.

Sullivan Creek: The existing project is located on Sullivan Creek, a tributary to the Pend Oreille River. The project also occupies lands within the Colville National Forest.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Rule 602 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.602 Federal Power Act 16 U.S.C. 791(a)-825(r).

h. *Applicant Contact:* Boundary: Jorge Carrasco, Superintendent, Seattle City Light, 700 Fifth Avenue, Suite 3200, Seattle, WA 98124-4023; (206) 615-1091.

Sullivan Creek: Mark J Cauchy, Public Utility District No. 1 of Pend Oreille County, Washington, PO Box 190, Newport, WA 99156-0190; 509-447-9331.

i. *FERC Contact:* David Turner (202) 502-6091 or via e-mail at david.turner@ferc.gov.

j. *Deadline for filing comments on the Settlement:* April 19, 2010. Reply comments due April 28, 2010. All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

k. The City of Seattle (City) and the Public Utility District of Pend Oreille County (District) filed a comprehensive