APPENDIX 1-2

ORDER GRANTING EXEMPTION FROM LICENSING FOR THE DOWNER'S MILLS PROJECT

DATED MAY 4, 1982

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Simon Pearce (U.S.), Inc.

Project No. 5195-001

ORDER GRANTING EXEMPTION FROM LICENSING OF A SMALL HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT OF 5 MEGAWATTS OR LESS

(Issued May 4, 1982)

The Applicant 1/ filed an application for exemption from all or part of Fart I of the Federal Power Act pursuant to 18 C.F.R. Part 4 SUBPART K (1980) implementing in part Section 408 of the Energy Security Act (Act) of 1980 for a project as described in the attached public notice. 2/3/

Notice of the application was published in accordance with Section 408 of the Act and the Commission's regulations and comments were requested from interested Federal and State agencies including the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the State Fish and Wildlife Agency. All comments, protests and petitions to intervene that were filed have been considered. No agency has any objection relevant to issuance of this exemption.

Standard Article 2 included in this exemption, requires compliance with any terms and conditions that Pederal or State fish and wildlife agencies have determined appropriate to prevent loss of, or damage to, fish and wildlife resources. The terms and conditions referred to in Article 2 are contained in any letters of comment by these agencies which have been forwarded to the Applicant in conjunction with this exemption.

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^{1/} Simon Pearce (U.S.), Inc., Project No. 5195, filed on October 22, 1981.

^{2/} Pub. Law 96-294, 94 Stat. 611. Section 408 of the ESA amends inter alia, Sections 405 and 408 of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (16 U.S.C. \$\$2705 and 2708).

^{3/} Authority to act on this matter is delegated to the Deputy Director, Office of Electric Power Regulation under \$375.308 of the Commission's regulations 45 Fed. Reg. 21216 (1980), as amended by Order No. 112 in Docket No. RMS1-5, issued November 21, 1980, (45 Fed. Reg. 7902891.66807 Abuntation Commission Docket No. 200861800 (1980)

Should the Applicant contest any terms or conditions that were proposed by Federal or State agencies in their letters of comment as being outside the scope of Article 2, the Commission shall determine whether the disputed terms or conditions are outside the scope of Article 2.

It is ordered that:

- (A) Downers Mill Project No. 5195-001 as described and designated in Simon Pearce (U.S.), Inc.'s application filed on October 22, 1981, is exempted from all of the requirements of Part I of the Federal Power Act, including licensing, subject to the standard articles in \$4.106 of the Commission's regulations attached hereto as Form E-2, 18 C.F.R. \$4.106 45 Fed. Reg. 76115 (November 18, 1980).
- (B) This order is final unless a petition appealing it to the Commission is filed within 30 days from the date of its issuance, as provided in Section 1.7(d) of the Commission's regulations, 18 C.F.R. 1.7(d)(1981), as amended, 44 Fed. Reg. 46449 (1981). The filing of a petition appealing this order to the Commission or an application for rehearing as provided in Section 313(a) of the Act does not operate as a stay of the effective date of this order, except as specifically ordered by the Commission.

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