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April 13, 2020

Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Mail Code: DHAC, PJ-12 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

RE: Priest Rapids Hydroelectric Project No. 2114
License Compliance Filing – Calendar Year 2019 Activities under Priest Rapids
Hydroelectric Project

- Article 401(a)(1) Downstream Passage Alternatives Plan
- Article 401(a)(2) Progress and Implementation Plan
- Article 401(a)(3) Habitat Plans
- Article 401(a)(4) Artificial Propagation, Hatchery and Genetic Management and Monitoring and Evaluation Plans
- Article 401(a)(6) Avian Predation Control Program
- Article 401(a)(7) Northern Pikeminnow Removal Program
- Article 401(a)(8) Priest Rapids Dam Alternatives Spill Measures Evaluation Plan
- Article 404 Fishery Operation Plan

Dear Ms. Bose.

Please find enclosed the 2019 Calendar Year Activities Under Priest Rapids Hydroelectric Project consistent with the requirements of Article 401(a)(1) Downstream Passage Alternatives Action Plan, Article 401(a)(2) Progress and Implementation Plan, Article 401(a)(3) Habitat Plans, Article 401(a)(4) Artificial Propagation, Hatchery and Genetic Management, and Monitoring and Evaluation, Article 401(a)(6) Avian Predation Control Program, Article 401(a)(7) Northern Pikeminnow Removal Program, Article 401(a)(8) Priest Rapids Dam Alternatives Spill Measures Evaluation Plan and Article 404 Fishery Operations Plan (collectively referred to as the Fishery Articles) of the Priest Rapids Hydroelectric Project License (Project).

On June 15, 2012 the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) issued an Order modifying and approving Public Utility District No.2 of Grant County, Washington's (Grant PUD's) May 1, 2012 request to modify the filing protocol and deadlines for the Fishery Articles. Under this Order, Grant PUD is required to file an annual report with FERC by April 15.

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Grant PUD distributed this annual report to members of the Priest Rapids Coordinating Committee including National Marine Fisheries Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, Colville Confederated Tribes, Yakama Nation and the Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission on February 25, 2020 for review and comment. After a 30-day comment period, no comments were received.

FERC staff with any questions should contact Tom Dresser at 509-754-5088, ext. 2312.

Respectfully,

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