k. Description of Project: The proposed project would utilize the Corps of Engineer's Grenada dam and consist of the following: (1) Two 96-inch-diameter, 80-foot-long steel penstocks, constructed in the existing outlet works; (2) a powerhouse containing five generating units with a total capacity of 12.75 MW and an estimated average annual generation of 78.0 GWh; and (3) a 4-mile-long transmission line.

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### David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

# Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Motions To Intervene and Protests

July 15, 1999.

- a. *Type of Application:* Preliminary Permit.
  - b. Project No.: P-11730-000.
  - c. Date filed: May 7, 1999.
- d. *Applicant:* Universal Electric Power Corp.
- e. *Name of Project:* Sardis Dam Project.
- f. Location: At the Corps of Engineer's Sardis Dam, on the Little Tallahatchie River, near the Town of Batesville, Panola County, Mississippi.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act 16 U.S.C. 791(a)–825(r).
- h. *Applicant Contact*: Mr. Ronald Feltenberger, Universal Electric Power Corp., 1145 Highbrook Street, Akron, Ohio 44301 (330) 535–7115.
- i. FERC Contact: Michael Spencer, Michael.Spencer@FERC.fed.us, (202) 219–2846.
- j. *Deadline for filing motions to intervene and protest:* 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426.

The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all intervenors filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person whose name appears on the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervenor files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

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Secretary.

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# ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6401-1]

Calculation of the Economic Benefit of Noncompliance in EPA's Civil Penalty Enforcement Cases

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice; extension of time for request for comment.

SUMMARY: On June 18, 1999, the **Environmental Protection Agency** ("EPA") published a document in the **Federal Register** (64 FR 32948–32972) responding to comments on how it calculates the economic benefit obtained by regulated entities as a result of violating environmental requirements. The document also proposed certain changes to the Agency's benefit recapture approach, and requested further comment on those proposed changes. By this document, EPA is extending the deadline for comment from July 30, 1999, to September 30, 1999.

**DATES:** Comments must be received by EPA at the address below by September 30, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be submitted in triplicate to: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance, Economic Benefit Docket Clerk, Mail Code 2248–A, 401 M Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20460.

EPA will maintain a record of all written comments submitted pursuant to this notice. Copies of the comments may be reviewed at the Ariel Rios Federal Building, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, DC 20004. Persons interested in reviewing the comments must make advance arrangements to do so by calling (202) 564–2235.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Copies of the BEN computer model and the BEN Users Manual may be obtained from the National Technological Information Service by calling (800) 553–6847. Callers should request order number PB99–501587. Electronic copies of these items are also downloadable through the Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance's World Wide Web page on the Internet at: http://www.epa.gov/oeca/datasys/dsm2.html. For further information, contact Jonathan Libber, Office of Regulatory Enforcement, Multimedia Enforcement Division, at (202) 564–6102.