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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 13, 2017 Received; read twice and placed on the calendar

## **AN ACT**

To extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project.

1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-

tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 2

3 **SECTION 1. EXTENSION.** 

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding the time period 5 specified in section 13 of the Federal Power Act (16 6 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply to the Federal En-7 ergy Regulatory Commission project numbered 12642, the 8 Commission may, at the request of the licensee for the 9 project, and after reasonable notice, in accordance with the good faith, due diligence, and public interest require-10 ments of that section and the Commission's procedures 11

under that section, extend the time period during which
the licensee is required to commence the construction of
the project for up to 3 consecutive 2-year periods from
the date of the expiration of the extension originally issued
by the Commission.

6 (b) REINSTATEMENT OF EXPIRED LICENSE.—If the 7 period required for commencement of construction of the 8 project described in subsection (a) has expired prior to the 9 date of the enactment of this Act, the Commission may 10 reinstate the license effective as of the date of its expira-11 tion and the first extension authorized under subsection 12 (a) shall take effect on the date of such expiration.

Passed the House of Representatives June 12, 2017.Attest:KAREN L. HAAS,

Clerk.

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