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Comments are invited on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology e.g. permitting electronic submission of responses.

Dated: August 16, 2011.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.
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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
[Docket No. IC11–583–001]

Commission Information Collection Activities (FERC–583); Comment Request; Submitted for OMB Review

AGENCY: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, DOE.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the requirements of section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 3507, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission or FERC) has submitted the information collection described below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review of the information collection requirements. Any interested person may file comments directly with OMB and should address a copy of those comments to the Commission as explained below. The Commission issued a notice in the Federal Register (76 FR 34689, 06/14/2011) requesting public comments. FERC received no comments on the FERC–583 and is making this notation in its submission to OMB.

DATES: Comments on the collection of information are due by September 22, 2011.

ADDRESSES: Address comments on the collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Desk Officer. Comments to OMB should be filed electronically, c/o oira_submission@omb.eop.gov and include OMB Control Number 1902–0136 for reference. The Desk Officer may be reached by telephone at 202–395–4638.

A copy of the comments should also be sent to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and should refer to Docket No. IC11–583–001. Comments may be filed either electronically or in paper format. Those persons filing electronically do not need to make a paper filing. Documents filed electronically via the Internet must be prepared in an acceptable filing format and in compliance with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission submission guidelines. Complete filing instructions and acceptable filing formats are available at http://www.ferc.gov/help/submission-guide.asp. To file the document electronically, access the Commission’s Web site and click on Documents & Filing, E-Filing (http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/eFiling.asp), and then follow the instructions for each screen. First time users will have to establish a user name and password. The Commission will send an automatic acknowledgement to the sender’s e-mail address upon receipt of comments.

For paper filings, the comments should be submitted to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Secretary of the Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, and should refer to Docket No. IC11–583–001.

Users interested in receiving automatic notification of activity in FERC Docket Number IC11–583 may do so through eSubscription at http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp. All comments may be viewed, printed or downloaded remotely via the Internet through FERC’s homepage using the “eLibrary” link. For user assistance, contact ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208–3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502–8659.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellen Brown may be reached by e-mail at DataClearance@FERC.gov, by telephone at (202) 502–8663, and by fax at (202) 273–0873.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The information collected under the requirements of FERC–583, “Annual Kilowatt Generating Report (Annual Charges)” (OMB No. 1902–0136), is used by the Commission to implement the statutory provisions of section 10(e) of the Federal Power Act (FPA) (16 U.S.C. 803(e)), which requires the Commission to collect annual charges from hydropower licensees for, among other things, the cost of administering part I of the FPA and for the use of United States dams. In addition, section 3401 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1986 (OBRA) authorizes the Commission to “assess and collect fees and annual charges in any fiscal year in amounts equal to all of the costs incurred by the Commission in that fiscal year.” The information is collected annually and used to determine the amounts of the annual charges to be assessed licensees for reimbursable government administrative costs and for the use of government dams. The Commission implements theses filing requirements in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) under 18 CFR Part 11.

Action: The Commission is requesting a three-year extension of the current expiration date, with no changes to the existing collection of data.
Burden Statement: Public reporting burden for this collection is estimated as:

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Estimated cost burden to respondents is $62,835 (918 hours/2080 hours per year times $142.372 per year average per employee = $62,835). The cost per respondent is $137 (rounded).

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 14069–000]

Konohiki Hydro Power, Inc.; Notice of Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, Protests, Recommendations, and Terms and Conditions

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

a. Type of Application: Conduit Exemption.
b. Project No.: 14069–000.c. Date filed: May 9, 2011, and supplemented August 4, 2011.
d. Applicant: Konohiki Hydro Power, Inc.e. Name of Project: Puu Lua Hydropower Project.f. Location: The proposed Puu Lua Hydropower Project would be located on the Koke‘e ditch irrigation system in Kaua‘i County, Hawaii. The land on which all the project structures are located is owned by the applicant.
h. Applicant Contact: Mrs. Pamela Miller, Konohiki Hydro Power, Inc., P.O. Box 261, Anahola, HI 96703, phone (808) 634–8866.i. FERC Contact: Robert Bell, (202) 502–6062, robert.bell@ferc.gov.j. Competing Application: This application competes with Project No. 13875–000 filed October 22, 2010.k. Status of Environmental Analysis: This application is ready for environmental analysis at this time, and the Commission is requesting comments, reply comments, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions.

1. Deadline for filing responsive documents: Due to the small size of the proposed project, as well as the resource agency consultation letters filed with the application, the 60-day timeframe specified in 18 CFR 4.34(b) for filing all comments, motions to intervene, protests, recommendations, terms and conditions, and prescriptions is shortened to 30 days from the issuance date of this notice. All reply comments filed in response to comments submitted by any resource agency, Indian tribe, or person, must be filed with the Commission within 45 days from the issuance date of this notice.

Comments, protests, and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper; see 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission’s Web site under http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/eFiling.asp. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filings.

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 in 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.

m. Description of Project: The Puu Lua Hydropower Project has two developments that would consist of:

Upper Puu Lua Development

(1) A proposed powerhouse containing one proposed generating unit with an installed capacity of 2 megawatts; and (2) appurtenant facilities.

Lower Puu Lua Development

(1) A proposed powerhouse containing one proposed generating unit with an installed capacity of 3.3 megawatts; and (2) appurtenant facilities.