

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Public Utility District No. 1 of
Snohomish County, Washington

Project No. 12687-000

NOTICE GRANTING LATE INTERVENTION

(August 16, 2006)

On June 22, 2006, the Commission issued a notice of application accepted for filing and soliciting comments, motions to intervene and protests for the Deception Pass Tidal Energy Project No. 12687, located on the Deception Pass, between Whidbey and Fidalgo Islands in Skagit and Island, Counties Washington. The notice established July 24, 2006, as the deadline for filing motions to intervene.

On July 27, 2006, the Tulalip Tribes filed a late motion to intervene. On July 28, 2006, the State of Washington, Department of Ecology filed a late motion to intervene.¹

Granting the motions to intervene will not unduly delay or disrupt the proceeding, or prejudice other parties to it. Therefore, pursuant to Rule 214,² the motions to intervene filed by the Tulalip Tribes and the State of Washington, Department of Ecology, are granted, subject to the Commission's rules and regulations.

Magalie R. Salas
Secretary

¹ The Tulalip Tribes filed its motion at 6:05 p.m. on July 26, 2006. The State of Washington Department of Ecology filed its motion at 6:09 p.m. on July 27, 2006. Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.2001(a)(2)(2006), any document received after regular business hours is considered filed on the next business day. The Commission's regular business hours end at 5 p.m., U.S. Eastern Time. See <http://www.ferc.gov/contact-us/build-access.asp>. See also, 18 C.F.R. § 375.101(c)(the offices of the Commission are open each day, except Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.).

²18 C.F.R 385.214 (2006).