

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Central Nebraska Public Power
and Irrigation District

Project No. 1417-101

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER
ARTICLES 417 AND 418

(Issued July 23, 2001)

The licensee for the Kingsley Dam Project has requested an extension of time to comply with the filing requirements of articles 417 and 418 of the license, 1/ as amended. 2/ Amended articles 417 and 418 require the filing of a final wildlife management plan for Jeffery Island. The project is located on the North Platte and Platte Rivers, in Garden, Keith, Lincoln, Dawson, and Gosper Counties, Nebraska.

The licensee requests the additional time to continue ongoing consultations with and receive comments from the resource agencies prior to finalizing and filing the plan. The licensee states that the resource agencies support the extension request. The reasons advanced by the licensee in support of the requested extension of time are reasonable and justify the extension.

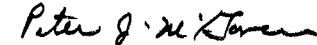
The Director orders:

(A) The deadline for submitting the final management plan required under license articles 417 and 418 is extended to July 27, 2001.

1/ 84 FERC ¶ 61,079 (1998).

2/ See Order Approving Interim Management Plan for Jeffery Island and Granting Extension of Time for Final Management Plan issued January 14, 2000 at 90 FERC ¶ 62,023; and, unpublished order issued May 1, 2001.

(B) This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.



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