

106TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

S. 1836

AN ACT

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

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. EXTENSION OF DEADLINE AND REINSTATE-**
2 **MENT OF LICENSE.**

3 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Notwithstanding the time period
4 specified in section 13 of the Federal Power Act (16
5 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply to the Federal En-
6 ergy Regulatory Commission project numbered 7115, the
7 Commission shall, at the request of the licensee for the
8 project, in accordance with the good faith, due diligence,
9 and public interest requirements of that section and the
10 Commission’s procedures under that section, extend for 3
11 consecutive 2-year periods, the time period during which
12 the licensee is required to commence construction of the
13 project.

14 (b) **APPLICABILITY.**—Subsection (a) shall take effect
15 on the expiration of the period required for commencement
16 of construction of the project described in subsection (a).

17 (c) **REINSTATEMENT OF EXPIRED LICENSE.**—If the
18 license for the project described in subsection (a) has ex-
19 pired prior to the date of enactment of this Act, the Com-
20 mission shall reinstate the license effective as of the date
21 of its expiration and extend the time required for com-
22 mencement of construction of the projects for not more

- 1 than 3 consecutive 2-year periods, the first of which shall
- 2 commence on the date of expiration of the license.

Passed the Senate April 13, 2000.

Attest:

Secretary.

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