

Calendar No. 159

115TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION**H. R. 220**

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 28, 2017

Received; read twice and placed on the calendar

AN ACT

To authorize the expansion of an existing hydroelectric
project, and for other purposes.

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

3 **SECTION 1. TERROR LAKE HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT**

4 **UPPER HIDDEN BASIN DIVERSION AUTHOR-**

5 **IZATION.**

6 (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

7 (1) COMMISSION.—The term “Commission”
8 means the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

9 (2) TERROR LAKE HYDROELECTRIC
10 PROJECT.—The term “Terror Lake Hydroelectric
11 Project” means the project identified in section 1325

1 of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation
2 Act (16 U.S.C. 3212), and which is Federal Energy
3 Regulatory Commission project number 2743.

4 (3) UPPER HIDDEN BASIN DIVERSION EXPAN-
5 SION.—The term “Upper Hidden Basin Diversion
6 Expansion” means the expansion of the Terror Lake
7 Hydroelectric Project as generally described in Ex-
8 hibit E to the Upper Hidden Basin Grant Applica-
9 tion dated July 2, 2014, and submitted to the Alas-
10 ka Energy Authority Renewable Energy Fund
11 Round VIII by Kodiak Electric Association, Inc.

12 (b) AUTHORIZATION.—The licensee for the Terror
13 Lake Hydroelectric Project may occupy not more than 20
14 acres of Federal land to construct, operate, and maintain
15 the Upper Hidden Basin Diversion Expansion without fur-
16 ther authorization of the Secretary of the Interior or
17 under the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation
18 Act (16 U.S.C. 3101 et seq.).

19 (c) SAVINGS CLAUSE.—The Upper Hidden Basin Di-
20 version Expansion shall be subject to appropriate terms
21 and conditions included in an amendment to a license
22 issued by the Commission pursuant to the Federal Power
23 Act (16 U.S.C. 791a et seq.), including section 4(e) of that
24 Act (16 U.S.C. 797(e)), following an environmental review

1 by the Commission under the National Environmental
2 Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.).

Passed the House of Representatives June 27, 2017.

Attest:

KAREN L. HAAS,
Clerk.

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