

105TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 2165

To extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of FERC Project Number 3862 in the State of Iowa, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 15, 1997

Mr. LEACH introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce

A BILL

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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. EXTENSION OF DEADLINE.**

4 (a) PROJECT NUMBERED 3862.—Notwithstanding
5 the time period specified in section 13 of the Federal
6 Power Act (16 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply
7 to Federal Energy Regulatory Commission project num-
8 bered 3862, the Commission is authorized, at the request
9 of the licensee for the project, and after reasonable notice,

1 in accordance with the good faith, due diligence, and pub-
2 lic interest requirements of that section and the Commis-
3 sion's procedures under that section, to extend the time
4 required for commencement of construction of the project
5 for not more than 3 consecutive 2-year periods.

6 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section shall take effect
7 on the date of the expiration of the extension of the period
8 required for commencement of construction that the Com-
9 mission issued, prior to the date of enactment of this Act,
10 under section 13 of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C.
11 806) for the project described in subsection (a).

12 (c) REINSTATEMENT OF EXPIRED LICENSE.—If the
13 license for the project referred to in subsection (a) has
14 expired prior to the date of enactment of this Act, the
15 Commission shall reinstate the license effective as of the
16 date of its expiration and extend the time required for
17 commencement of construction of the project as provided
18 in subsection (a) for not more than 3 consecutive 2-year
19 periods, the first of which shall commence on the date of
20 such expiration.

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