

Union Calendar No. 153

105TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2165

[Report No. 105-273]

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

SEPTEMBER 26, 1997

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

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

1 Power Act (16 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply
2 to Federal Energy Regulatory Commission project num-
3 bered 3862, the Commission is authorized, at the request
4 of the licensee for the project, and after reasonable notice,
5 in accordance with the good faith, due diligence, and pub-
6 lic interest requirements of that section and the Commis-
7 sion's procedures under that section, to extend the time
8 required for commencement of construction of the project
9 for not more than 3 consecutive 2-year periods.

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

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

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