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Ms. Kimberly Bose, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street  
Washington D.C. 20426  
Subject: Sweetheart Lake Hydroelectric Project, FERC No. 13563  
Alaska Dept of Natural Resources Comments on FLA/PDEA, Final Recommended  
§10(j) Terms and Conditions

Dear Ms. Bose:

Thank you for considering comments from the Alaska Department of Natural Resources (DNR) regarding Juneau Hydropower Inc.'s application for an Original Major License, an applicant prepared environmental assessment submitted on November 17, 2014, and the Alaska Department of Fish and Game's comments submitted on January 16, 2015. DNR concurs with the comments sent by ADF&G. When issuing a permit to appropriate water (AS 46.15.080), DNR considers the effect on fish and game resources and generally defers to ADF&G for fisheries issues.

Specifically, DNR would like to emphasize that we concur with sections 2, 4, 17, 20, 21, and 22 from ADF&G's January 16, 2015 comments. Furthermore, DNR requests that we be added specifically to the list of agencies to receive monitoring reports.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carl Reese".

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