

## Calendar No. 144

115TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION**H. R. 951**

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 13, 2017

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**AN ACT**

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

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.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding the time period  
5 specified in section 13 of the Federal Power Act (16  
6 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply to the Federal En-  
7 ergy Regulatory Commission project numbered 12642, the  
8 Commission may, at the request of the licensee for the  
9 project, and after reasonable notice, in accordance with  
10 the good faith, due diligence, and public interest require-  
11 ments of that section and the Commission's procedures

1 under that section, extend the time period during which  
2 the licensee is required to commence the construction of  
3 the project for up to 3 consecutive 2-year periods from  
4 the date of the expiration of the extension originally issued  
5 by the Commission.

6 (b) REINSTATEMENT OF EXPIRED LICENSE.—If the  
7 period required for commencement of construction of the  
8 project described in subsection (a) has expired prior to the  
9 date of the enactment of this Act, the Commission may  
10 reinstate the license effective as of the date of its expira-  
11 tion and the first extension authorized under subsection  
12 (a) shall take effect on the date of such expiration.

Passed the House of Representatives June 12, 2017.

Attest:

KAREN L. HAAS,

*Clerk.*



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