

FPP Change Form

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Proposed by: BON Project Fisheries

Location of Change: BON 2.4.1.2.d

Proposed Change:

Existing language-

d. Open ice and trash sluiceway (ITS) chain gates. Open chain gate 1C, 3C and 6C to 71.5' msl. If maintaining 2.5 feet of chain gate submergence with adjustments occurring as often as every four hours is desired by an outside agency prior to completion of the planned gate automation installation, the Project suggests a request of a soft constraint on the forebay level with a System Operational Request (SOR) to RCC, who will subsequently issue a teletype directing this operation to the Project, if approved.

e. This authorization may be terminated at any time if problems arise that negatively impact fish migration or condition.

New language-

d. Set chain gate 1B at 71' msl and 1C at 73' msl. Ensure gates 3B, 6C, and 10B are maintaining 2.5' opening and tracking with forebay.

e. Delete this section.

Reason for Change: There are new, automated gates for the ITS which should track with forebay and not require constant adjustment by the Project.

Comments from others:

NOAA- ok with the language and settings. Stressed that Unit 1 needs to be priority.

USFWS- OK

BPA- OK

Record of Final Action: Discussed at the March 2009 FPOM and approved.

UPDATE- the Project opened 1A to 71' but the vibration threatened to rattle the end gate loose so the criteria has been adjusted as written above. Instead of 1A and 1B open, gates 1B and 1C are open.