ORDER NUMBER: 598  
DATE: September 8, 1980

BEFORE THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
ENERGY FACILITY SITE EVALUATION COUNCIL

In the Matter of the Application of the Washington Water Power Company A Washington Corporation

ORDER DESIGNATING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE AND ESTABLISHING FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES

The Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council hereby appoints Mr. Patrick Biggs as Administrative Law Judge for matters related to the above entitled proceeding.

In consultation with the Council, the Administrative Law Judge shall:

1. Attend as required regular and special meetings of the Council at which the above matter is considered.

2. Hold prehearing conferences among the parties for the purpose of preparing an orderly presentation of evidence and argument; and, shall advise the Council of actions taken during each prehearing conference which shall control the subsequent course of the proceedings.

3. Receive all prehearing motions, preside at the hearing thereof and rule upon each prehearing motion.

4. Preside at all hearings established by RCW 80.50.090 and draft orders for Council consideration.

5. Assist the Council in the preparation of findings of fact, conclusions of law and the Council's recommendation to the Governor.

6. Assist the Council to the extent possible to expedite matters under consideration relative to this proceeding.
7. The Administrative Law Judge will serve at the pleasure of the Council, will receive policy direction from the Council and administrative direction from the Executive Secretary.

The effective date of this appointment is made retroactive to August 11, 1980 when during a regular meeting the Council did approve the selection of Mr. Biggs.

Dated at Olympia, Washington, the 8th day of September, 1980.

WASHINGTON STATE ENERGY FACILITY SITE EVALUATION COUNCIL

By
Nicholas D. Lewis
Chairman

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William L. Fitch
Executive Secretary

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