

## APPENDIX D: FEDERAL ENERGY POLICIES AND SAMPLE AUTHORIZATIONS

The following documents are contained in the electronic folder for Appendix D:

Entity	Document Title	Purpose
FERC	FERC's Role in Hydrokinetics	Presentation to WSLCA-ELRC Joint Conference April 2008
Forest Service	Special Use Permit	Template used for wind projects

### Links to Websites of Interest

#### American Wind Energy Association

*National Renewables Energy Portfolio Standards (Proposed Legislation)*

Fact Sheet: on H.R. 969 – Proposed legislation to create a national RPS

[http://www.awea.org/legislative/pdf/Federal\\_RPS\\_Factsheet.pdf](http://www.awea.org/legislative/pdf/Federal_RPS_Factsheet.pdf)

#### Bureau of Land Management

*Wind Energy Development Policy, IM 2006-216*

Guidance on implementing the ROD for Programmatic EIS on Wind Energy

Development; guidance on processing right-of-way applications for wind energy projects BLM land

[http://www.blm.gov/wo/st/en/info/regulations/Instruction\\_Memos\\_and\\_Bulletins/national\\_instruction/2006/2006-216\\_.html](http://www.blm.gov/wo/st/en/info/regulations/Instruction_Memos_and_Bulletins/national_instruction/2006/2006-216_.html)

#### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

*Policy Statement on Conditioned Licenses for Hydrokinetic Projects, Docket No. PL08-1-000, issued 11-30-2007*

Policy states that if FERC has completed processing license applications for hydrokinetic projects where other federal authorizations have not yet been received, it will issue conditioned licenses for hydrokinetic projects; no construction allowed until all authorizations received

<http://www.ferc.gov/eventcalendar/Files/20071130153255-PL08-1-000.pdf>

*The Proposed Licensing Process for Hydrokinetic Pilot Projects: A Framework for Discussion, issued 8-31-07*

White Paper for public consideration: a new licensing process that allows pilot projects to be tested, without the need for the full licensing process

<http://www.ferc.gov/eventcalendar/Files/20070904090801-white-paper.pdf>

*Licensing Hydrokinetic Pilot Projects*

White Paper Guidance Document and Response to Comments on 8-31-07 white paper; also provides criteria for using pilot project licensing procedures, step-by-step licensing guidance, application information needs, and standard license articles.

[http://www.ferc.gov/industries/hydropower/indus-act/hydrokinetics/pdf/white\\_paper.pdf](http://www.ferc.gov/industries/hydropower/indus-act/hydrokinetics/pdf/white_paper.pdf)

Nadel, S. American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy

*The Federal Energy Policy Act of 2005 and its Implications for Energy Efficiency Program Efforts*

Reviews tax incentives, standards set, and other efficiency provisions in the Energy Act; includes what's not in the bill and future legislation suggestions (report funded in part by DOE)

<http://www.aceee.org/pubs/e053.pdf>

United States Congress

Energy Policy Act of 2005, PL 109-58

[http://www.epa.gov/oust/fedlaws/publ\\_109-058.pdf](http://www.epa.gov/oust/fedlaws/publ_109-058.pdf) (Full Text)