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Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street NE
Washington, DC 20426

Comments on Notice of Application for Preliminary Permit, **Peabody Trout Creek Reservoir Hydroelectric Project**, FERC No. 14446-001; Routt County, Colorado

Dear Ms. Bose:

The Department of the Interior has reviewed the subject document and has no comments.

Sincerely,

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Regional Environmental Officer

cc: Director, Division of Hydropower
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