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September 12, 2008

Joseph T. Kelliher

Chairman

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

888 First Street, NE

Washington, DC 20426

Dear Chairman Kelliher:

I am writing to request that the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission investigate allegations that Seneca Falls Power Corporation (Seneca Falls, New York), Licensee for the Seneca Falls Project, No. 2438, has failed to comply with the conditions and requirements set forth in its license; namely, that the licensee is in noncompliance with its responsibility to operate its hydroelectric generation facilities while maintaining Seneca Lake water levels within the Hansen Plan Rule Curve ( $446.0 \pm 0.1$  feet).

If the Licensee is in fact found to be in violation of its contractual responsibility to maintain the prescribed lake level, I ask that immediate action be taken by FERC to remedy the situation and bring the Licensee into compliance. Thank you for your assistance and please do not hesitate to contact me if you should have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

*Randy*  
John R. Kuhl, Jr.

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