IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA CHARLESTON DIVISION

SOUTH CAROLINA COASTAL CONSERVATION LEAGUE, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY and MICHAEL S. REGAN, in his official capacity as the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency,

Defendants,

AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE, et al.,

Defendant-Intervenors,

NATIONAL HYDROPOWER ASSOCIATION,

Defendant-Intervenors,

STATE OF LOUISIANA, et al.,

Defendant-Intervenors.

Civil Action No. 2:20-cv-03062-BHH

ORDER RE HOLDING PROCEEDINGS IN ABEYANCE

Based on the unopposed motion by Defendants United States Environmental Protection Agency and Michael S. Regan, in his official capacity as the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (collectively, "EPA"), to continue to hold these proceedings in abeyance until June 18, 2020, the Court hereby **ORDERS** that EPA's motion shall be **GRANTED**, and this Court will continue to hold this case in abeyance for an additional 14 days,

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up to and including June 18, 2021. Defendant EPA shall meet and confer with all parties and shall file a status report regarding the parties' positions regarding next steps in the litigation of

the Certification Rule by June 18, 2021.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 7, 2021.

s/ Bruce Howe Hendricks

The Honorable Bruce Howe Hendricks United States District Court Judge