# Fish Passage Plan (FPP) Change Request Form

**Change Form # & Title**: 17TDA004 – March Sluiceway Operation Turbine Priority

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**Project**: TDA

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**FPP Section**:

TDA 5.1.1. Table TDA-5. Unit Priorities. (March 1–31, December 1–15)

**JUSTIFICATION**:

Leftover unit priority from previous years Fish Passage Plans. Operating units are only needed under open sluicegates. Open sluicegates are only at unit 1 and 18 Mar 1-31 and Dec 1-15. Section 2.4.2.9 and Table TDA-4 already state this requirement.

**PROPOSED CHANGE**: (edits to existing FPP text shown in “track changes”)

Table TDA-5. Turbine Unit Operating Priorities at The Dalles Dam.

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| **PERIOD** | **PRIORITY** |
| **Fish Passage Season: April 1–November 30** | **1, 8, 18\*** |
| If additional units needed, operate one unit from each block moving west to east. Repeat as necessary. | block 2-4, block 5-7, block 9-12, block 13-16, block 17-22 |
| **December 1 – December 15** | 1 and/or 18**†** |
| **December 16 – end of February** | 1-22 in any order |
| **March 1 – March 31** | 1 and/or 18**†** |

**\***April-November (fish passage season): Units under open sluice gates 1, 8, 18 (**Table TDA-4**).

**†** March and December operation for adult fallbacks and kelt passage: Units 1 and 18 must be operated with two open sluice gates per unit (**Table TDA-4**).

**COMMENTS**:

**RECORD OF FINAL ACTION**: APPROVED at FPOM 3/9/17