

## RESOLUTION NO. 79-8

A RESOLUTION extending the experimental modification to release schedules for Cannonsville, Pepacton and Neversink Reservoirs.

WHEREAS, on May 25, 1977, the Commission approved modification of the release schedules for Cannonsville, Pepacton and Neversink Reservoirs on an experimental basis; and

WHEREAS, said approval shall expire May 31, 1979 unless extended for an additional one year upon agreement of all parties; and

WHEREAS, the monitoring program to assess the possible benefits and adverse impacts of the modified release schedule has not been completed; and

WHEREAS, the parties to the 1954 Supreme Court Decree have entered into serious good faith discussions relating to management of the waters of the Delaware Basin consistent with the Compact; and

WHEREAS, such discussions shall include consideration of augmented conservation releases from Cannonsville, Pepacton and Neversink Reservoirs; and

WHEREAS, such discussions have been undertaken with the view of concluding by October 1, 1979, unless extended by agreement of the parties; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED by the Delaware River Basin Commission:

1. The experimental modification of the release schedules for Cannonsville, Pepacton and Neversink Reservoirs, pursuant to Commission Docket No. D-77-20, is extended from June 1, 1979 to May 31, 1980.

2. This resolution is contingent upon the unanimous consent of the parties to the U.S. Supreme Court Decree entered in New Jersey vs. New York, 347 U.S. 995 (1954) which shall be set forth in a memorandum of agreement together with the approval of the Delaware River Master.

s/ Sherman W. Tribbitt  
Sherman W. Tribbitt, Chairman pro tem

s/ W. Brinton Whitall  
W. Brinton Whitall, Secretary

ADOPTED: March 28, 1979