

Department of Energy

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February 9, 2005

In reply refer to: KDP-7

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(503) 222-9981

RE: FOIA 05-024

Dear Mr. Kindley:

Thank you for your letter of January 31, 2005, requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act. Specifically you asked for:

1. Copies of all communication, correspondence, notes, emails, memoranda, meeting minutes, Federal Register Notices, other notices, public announcements or other records (written or electronic) concerning any risk analysis or economic analysis of the BPA contracts with PacifiCorp and Puget Sound Energy numbered 01PB-10854 and 01PB-10885.
2. Copies of any information concerning BPA's comparison of actual or forecasted market power prices to the contract prices that BPA agreed to pay to PacifiCorp and PSE to buy down BPA's obligation to deliver power as contained in the financial settlement agreements, including copies of any analysis conducted before BPA entered into the agreements as well as any analysis conducted after the execution of the agreements.

We received your request on February 2, 2005 and designated it FOIA 05-024. Mr. Gary Insley, Supervisory Public Utilities Specialist, has been named as authorizing official for your request.

In your letter, you indicated your willingness to pay fees associated with processing up to \$100. Upon review of your request by the authorizing official, the cost to process your request will exceed the \$100 fee limitation noted in your letter. Bonneville charges fees to process FOIA requests. These fees are calculated based on the hourly rate of the searching and reviewing employee(s) plus sixteen percent.

Mr. Insley, has estimated fees associated with processing your request at approximately \$300.00. In order for us to consider your request perfected and begin the 20 working day response time allowed by FOIA, we require your signed agreement to pay the fee amount estimated above. Please provide your signature on the third page of this letter indicating your agreement to pay the estimated fees and return it to us. Upon receipt, our staff will promptly begin processing your request in the 20 working day time frame provided under the FOIA.

Should you have any questions Mr. Insley may be reached at Mail Stop PTS-5 or by calling 503-230-3715.

Sincerely,



Annie Eissler
Freedom of Information Officer

RE: FOIA Request 05-024 – Fee Estimate Agreement

For BPA's official records, please sign in the space indicated below that you accept the estimation of fees contained in this letter dated February 9, 2005 regarding FOIA request and send back by return fax (503) 230-4576 or mail.

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February 15, 2005

VIA FACSIMILE AND US MAIL

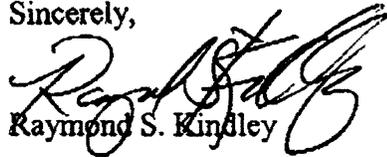
Annie Eissler
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Re: FOIA 05-024

Dear Ms. Eissler:

In response to your letter dated February 9, 2005, enclosed please find the Fee Estimate Agreement I have signed indicating my acceptance of Mr. Insley's estimation of fees associated with processing my request for information dated January 31, 2005.

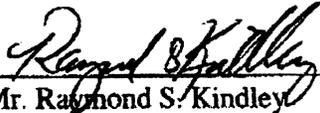
Sincerely,


Raymond S. Kindley

RSK:dkg
Enclosure

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RE: FOIA 05-024

Dear Mr. Kindley:

Thank you for your letter of February 15, 2005, agreeing to the fee estimate we provided to process your FOIA request #05-024.

Mr. Gary Insley, Supervisory Public Utility Specialist, has been designated as Authorizing Official for your request. Mr. Insley has 20 working days from today's date, until March 17, 2005, to provide a response. Should you have any questions he may be reached at Mail Stop PTS-5 or by calling 503-230-3715.

Sincerely,



Debra Smiley for Annie Eissler
Freedom of Information Office



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March 18, 2005

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RE: FOIA Request #05-024

Dear Mr. Kindley:

I am writing regarding your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request #05-024. We are unable to meet the initial deadline for completion of this FOIA request; as permitted by statute; we will take a ten working-day extension of time in which to respond to your request. The extension will also provide us with enough time to collect and complete the review process of the materials gathered in response to your FOIA request. The new due date for this FOIA is March 31, 2005.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (503) 230-5110. Thank you for your patience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Annie Eissler".

Annie Eissler
Freedom of Information Officer