

July 24, 2007

Christy Brannon, FOIA Officer  
Mail Stop DK-7  
Bonneville Power Administration  
P.O. Box 3621  
Portland, OR 97208

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request No. 07-\_\_\_\_\_

Dear Ms. Brannon:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552 *et seq.* and the regulations promulgated by the United States Department of Energy, 10 C.F.R. § 1004 *et seq.*, Powerex Corp. hereby requests production of the following:

Complete copies of all currently-effective Bonneville Power Administration long-term transmission contracts with Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County which include "multiple POR multiple POD" rights as referenced in Section 5 of BPA's currently-posted *Contract Accounting Methodology* bulletin (originally posted August 22, 2006, effective June 7, 2005).

To the extent these materials are maintained in electronic format, Powerex requests that the documents be produced in that format.

It is my understanding that Bonneville has a maximum of 20 working days from the date it receives this request to identify relevant documents and provide its determination as to whether the requested documents are to be released. See 10 C.F.R. § 1004.5(d) (providing a 10-working-day window to respond with a determination, and permitting a 10-working-day day extension upon written notice to the requesting party). It is also my understanding that if Bonneville cannot make a determination in response to the request within the statutory time period, it will inform me in writing of (a) the reason for the delay and (b) the date on which it expects to make a determination.

To the extent documents responsive to this request are withheld or otherwise not supplied within this statutory time frame, please identify those documents with specificity, and state the specific exemption(s) that authorize such withholding, a

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brief explanation of how the exemption(s) apply to the records withheld, and a statement of why a discretionary release is not appropriate. See 10 C.F.R. § 1004.7.

Please send the requested documents, in hard copy and/or electronically on CD-ROM to the address listed above. Although this request is in the public interest and will contribute significantly to the public understanding of governmental activities and operations, no waiver or reduction of fees is being sought. Powerex is aware of the search and reproduction fees established under FOIA and is willing to promptly pay all such fees up to \$1000.00. Please contact me if the fees for the requested documents exceed these amounts.

If you have any questions regarding the above request, please do not hesitate to contact me at 360.666.8510. I look forward to and appreciate your cooperation and response.

Very truly yours,

Carol C. Opatmy

cc: Karen McDonald, Senior Trade Policy Analyst, Powerex Corp.  
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