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November 30, 2010

In reply refer to: DK-7

Thomas Drach
Save Our Scenic Area (SOSA)
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RE: BPA-2011-00304-F

Dear Mr. Drach:

Thank you for your request for information that you made to the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552. Your letter was received in this office on Monday, November 29 2010, and has been assigned a control number, BPA-2011-00304-F. Please use this number in any correspondence with the Agency about your request.

You have requested the following:

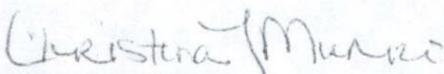
Copies of reports that are claimed to exist, authored by BPA, relating to the BPA 115KV line which runs generally east to west thru southern Skamania County Washington, and which eastern terminus is located at Bald Mountain substation in Klickitat County Washington. These reports are relevant to claims made in an adjudicative proceeding in the state of Washington, thru EFSEC. Content within these reports may serve to confirm or deny such claims.

We have reviewed your letter and have determined that it addresses all the criteria of a proper request under the FOIA and the DOE regulation that implements the FOIA at Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1004. Your fee waiver has been granted.

Mr. Chuck Matthews, Electrical Engineer, Transmission Planning, has been designated as the Authorizing Official for your request. Mr. Matthews has twenty (20) working-days to respond to your request. A due date for your response is Tuesday, December 28, 2010.

I appreciate the opportunity to assist you. Please contact Laura M. Atterbury, FOIA/Privacy Act Specialist, at (503) 230-7305 with any questions about this letter.

Sincerely,


Christina J. Munro

Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act Officer