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February 7, 2002

FOIA REQUEST

Mr. Gene Tollefson
Freedom of Information Act Officer
Bonneville Power Administration
PO Box 3621
Portland, OR 97208-3621

RECEIVED BY BPA FOIA OFFICE THIS DATE: 2-13-02
DUE DATE: 3-14-02
LOG # 02-013

Dear Mr. Tollefson:

As in the past, we wish to obtain the cost or investment in the 500 kv transmission line systems in Montana. Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, the following information is requested:

1. Total investment in the Garrison to Taft 500 kv transmission line facilities in Montana for the year ending 12/31/2001;
2. Total investment in the Townsend to Garrison 500 kv facilities (the Montana Intertie) for the year ending 12/31/2001;
3. Total investment in the Hot Springs to Dworshak 500 kv transmission line system in Montana for the year ending 12/31/2001;
4. Total investment in the Taft to Bell 500 kv transmission line system in Montana for the year ending 12/31/2001;
5. Agreement between Bonneville Power Administration and Montana Colstrip Owners (Montana Intertie Agreement), Contract No. DE-MS79-81BP90210.

The Department will pay for any reasonable charges associated with the production of this information.

Thank you for your continued assistance and cooperation. Please contact me at (406) 444-6987, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

L. Randall Kaiser
Utility Appraiser
Montana Department of Revenue
Large Customer Team



Department of Energy

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SHARED SERVICES

February 13, 2002

In reply refer to: CILR/4

Mr. L. Randall Kaiser
Utility Appraiser
Montana Department of Revenue
Large Customer Team
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Helena, MT 59605-5805

Dear Mr. Kaiser:

Thank you for the letter of February 7 requesting information on Bonneville Power Administration's (BPA's) cost of investment in the 500 kv transmission line systems in Montana. The request has been logged in as 02-013.

Specifically, you asked for investment in Garrison to Taft for the year ending 12/31/01; Townsend to Garrison for the same period; Hot Springs to Dworshak for the year ending 12/31/01; and Taft to Bell for the same period. Additionally, you asked for the Agreement between BPA and Montana Colstrip Owners, Contract No. DE-MS79-81BP90210.

Mr. Kelly W. Kintz, Supervisory Accountant, has been designated as Authorizing Official for your request. Mr. Kintz has 20 working days, until March 14, to provide a response. Should you have any questions he may be reached at Mail Stop DFRM/2 or by calling 503-230-4231.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gene Tollefson".

Gene Tollefson
Freedom of Information Officer

bcc:

G. Tollefson - CILT/4

K. Kintz - DFRM/2

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