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To: Parties interested in BPA's Debt Optimization Program

On February 17, 2010, the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) held a public meeting to formally close out the Debt Optimization Program, with the understanding that additional public meetings would be held only if BPA resumes refundings for the purposes of the Debt Optimization Program.

Since BPA has no plans for additional transactions under the Debt Optimization Program, BPA will not hold a Debt Optimization Program public meeting this year.

While it was agreed that future public meetings regarding debt optimization were not necessary or required under the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) concerning the BPA Debt Optimization Program (Exhibit D) of the Slice Settlement signed on November 22, 2006, the MOU does require BPA to send an annual letter to report any changes.

This letter serves to announce that there have been no changes to the Debt Optimization Program from that which was presented at the public meeting in 2010 and the repayment obligation on the debt by business line has not changed as a result of Debt Optimization Program related activities or transactions.

To review the information presented at the 2010 Debt Optimization meeting, go to <a href="http://www.bpa.gov/Finance/FinancialPublicProcesses/DebtOptimization/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.bpa.gov/Finance/FinancialPublicProcesses/DebtOptimization/Pages/default.aspx</a> and click on "February 17 Workshop Materials."

While there have been, and are expected to be, no further actions under the Debt Optimization Program, BPA has proposed other debt management actions as part of Regional Cooperation debt. Such proposals have been discussed in the most recent IPR2 process..

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Sincerely,

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