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FAXOGRAM: Water Order Change

To: Chief, Power Supply and Billing Division, WAPA, Watertown, South Dakota

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Attention: J-4120

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Attention: MT-682, MT669 Project Manager, Mills, Wyoming

Attention: WY-4000, WY-4100, WY-6400 PPL Energy Plus, LLC, Butte, Montana Attention: Resource Coordinator, Lance Elias

From: Reservoir and River Operations, Billings, Montana

Subject: Canyon Ferry Water Release Order - CFR No. 07-02

CURRENT RESERVOIR CONDITIONS:

Elevation: 3785.00; Storage: 1,506,757 acre-feet; River Release: 3,950 cfs; Inflow: 2,095 cfs;

GENERAL COMMENTS:

Based on the January water supply forecast and continue conserving storage as previously scheduled, turbine releases from Canyon Ferry will be reduced as follows.

CANYON FERRY RELEASES AND OPERATIONS: All times are Mountain Standard Time (MST)

At 0100 hour on Friday, January 19, 2007:

Maintain releases through the river outlet gates at 0 cfs. Maintain releases through the spillway gates at 0 cfs. Decrease turbine releases to 3,450 cfs (\approx 817 MW-Hrs/day using 101.3 cfs/mw). Maintain release for Helena Valley Project at 0 cfs.

Decrease average total release from Canyon Ferry to about 3,450 cfs.

/S/ Tim H. Felchle