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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DEPUTY SECRETARY

FROM:

Stephen J. Wright
Administrator and Chief Executive Officer

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SUBJECT:

Self-declaration that Bonneville Conforms with the Environmental Management Systems Requirements of E.O. 13148

I am submitting this memo to report to you that I have determined that Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) fully conforms to the Environmental Management System (EMS) requirements of E.O. 13148. BPA staff coordinated with the Office of Environment, Safety and Health in the development of our EMS.

This self-declaration is based on a first-party assessment of the EMS. Our self-declaration procedure consists of the following elements, which credibly establish and document that we have an EMS that conforms to the requirements of EO 13148. BPA's alternative self-assessment procedure provides for: effective and objective assessment of our EMS; ensures the system meets the requirement of EO 13148; and is designed for ongoing evaluation and continual improvement.

The assessment included a review of the following:

- Environmental policy statement
- Currently approved EMS description
- Current list of significant environmental aspects
- Current list of measurable environmental goals, objectives, and targets

Documentation supporting these determinations is available for review by your office and the Office of Environment, Safety and Health. Additional information regarding BPA's EMS is available from James Meyer, Manager for Pollution, Prevention and Abatement at (503) 230-3655.

cc:

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