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POWER SERVICES

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In reply refer to: PFE-6

Letter to Parties:

On October 1, 2008, Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) requested comments on its "Draft Rules Governing the Disclosure of Confidential Information in BPA's Average System Cost Review Proceedings" (ASC Confidentiality Rules). Comments on the proposed ASC Confidentiality Rules were accepted until October 9, 2008. Two parties filed comments on the proposed rules. BPA reviewed the parties' comments and made certain revisions to the proposed rules. Attached please find BPA's final ASC Confidentiality Rules. These rules will apply to BPA's FY 2009 and FY 2010-2011 ASC Review Proceedings. Parties intending to request confidential information in either proceeding should review these procedures and complete and return the Consent to be Bound Form attached to the ASC Confidentiality Rules in accordance with Sections 2.2.3 and 5.3 of such Rules.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

/s/ Michelle Manary

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