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RE: Addendum to Comments – BPA Power Supply Role FY 2007-2011

Dear Sir or Madame:

Since submittal of our comments dated September 17, 2004, a matter has come to our attention to which we wish to provide an addendum. Our addendum pertains to section VI, F. Product Availability, and further specifically for only those customers whose contract expires in FY 2006.

BPA's proposal states that any new public customer or customer whose contract expires in FY 2006 and who elects to execute a new contract may select its choice of any of the following core requirement products – Full Requirements Service, Simple Partial Requirements Service, Partial Requirements Service with Dedicated Resources, and Block Service. Absent from this list of available products is Slice.

It is our understanding that there are but seven preference customers of Bonneville whose contracts expire in FY 2006. It is the opinion of the District that inclusion of the Slice product to such a limited set of qualifiers would have little, if any, adverse impact on the remaining preference customers. Therefore, after further consideration, the District would support the inclusion of Slice to the list of available products for those customers whose contracts expire in FY 2006. Having said that, we offer our support under the following conditions or with the following qualifications:

- (1) As long as the original 1800 aMW limit on Slice purchases is not exceeded.
- (2) After study it is the determination of Bonneville that the number of customers actually switching to Slice would not adversely affect the other preference customers.

Thank you and if you have any questions about the above, please call.

Sincerely.

Dwight Langer General Manager