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In reply refer to: DK-7

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FOIA #BPA-2012-01716-F

Dear Mr. Baude:

This is the final response to your request for information that you made to the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552.

You have requested:

Records containing the amount of eminent domain or condemnation proceedings BPA has done since January 1, 2000. Copy of policy, regulation, manual that outlines process and purpose of eminent domain or condemnation of property.

Response:

The table below was found in a report dated December 2010. Since 2010 there have been no condemnations. Only the number that is related to your request is released.

| DATES | ACQUISITIONS | CONDEMNATIONS | TOTAL TRACTS | PERCENT |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Non-responsive | Non-responsive | Non-responsive | Non-responsive | Non-responsive |
| Non-responsive | Non-responsive | Non-responsive | Non-responsive | Non-responsive |
| 1989-NOW | Non-responsive | 49 | Non-responsive | Non-responsive |
| TOTAL | Non-responsive | Non-responsive | Non-responsive | Non-responsive |

The condemnation process falls under civil law. I am forwarding a web address to the Cornell University Law School that defines that process, and that the BPA Office of General Counsel provided: http://www.law.cornell.edu/rules/frcp/rule_71.1.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 1004.8, if you are dissatisfied with this determination, or the adequacy of the search, you may appeal in writing within 30 calendar days of receipt of a final response letter. The appeal should be made to the Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals, HG-1, Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585-1615. The written appeal, including the envelope, must clearly indicate that a FOIA Appeal is being made.

There are no fees associated with this request.

I appreciate the opportunity to assist you. Please contact Kim Winn, Communications Specialist, at 503-230-5273 with any questions about this letter.

Sincerely,

/s/Christina J. Munro

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Freedom of Information/Privacy Act Officer