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In reply refer to: DK-7

Charles Pace

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### **FOIA #BPA-2011-01724-F**

Dear Mr. Pace:

Thank you for your request for records that you made to the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552. Your letter was received in this office today, and has been assigned a control number, BPA-2011-01724-F. Please use this number in any correspondence with the Agency about your request.

#### **You have requested the following:**

- An e-mail dated April 5, 2011 from Scott Bettin, BPA biologist, to Philip Key, BPA attorney. This e-mail is referred to in footnote 219 on page 77 of the Administrator's Final Record of Decision issued on May 13, 2011, for BPA's Interim Redispatch and Negative Pricing Policies.

We have reviewed your letter and have determined that it addresses all of the criteria of a proper request under the FOIA, DOE, and BPA regulation that implements the FOIA at Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1004. Your fee waiver has been granted.

Scott Bettin is the designated Authorizing Official for your request. Mr. Bettin has twenty (20) working days to respond to your request. The due date for a response to you is Friday, Sept. 13, 2011.

I appreciate the opportunity to assist you. Please contact Cheri L. Benson, FOIA/Privacy Act Specialist at 503-230-7305 with any questions about this letter.

Sincerely,

*/S/Christina J. Munro*

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Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act Officer