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ENVIRONMENT, FISH AND WILDLIFE

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In reply refer to: KE-4

Dr. Tom Karier, Chair  
Northwest Power & Conservation Council  
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Dear Dr. Karier:

As you know, the Bonneville Power Administration's (BPA) decision on fish and wildlife program funding recommendations provided by the Northwest Power and Conservation Council (Council) was announced in a letter and a series of enclosures mailed to you on February 13, 2007. As a follow-up, I wanted to let you know that two of the enclosures have been "recalled" by BPA, and will be subsequently re-released after incorporating revisions. In our attempt to release this decision and all the accompanying documents, ahead of the Council's February 13-14 meeting, two of the documents did not reflect full and adequate review.

The two documents are titled: "*BPA Fish and Wildlife Program Implementation Fiscal Years 2007-2009*" (a 28 page document that BPA has informally referred to as its Decision Document), which will be revised and posted on BPA's website during the week of February 20; and "*History and Synopsis of BPA's Fish & Wildlife Mitigation*" (a 34 page legal document), dated February 9, 2007, which will be rewritten with a release targeted for late February or early March.

Given that BPA is recalling these documents, I hereby request that you remove them from the package mailed to you earlier this week, and discard them, and we will mail you new versions as soon as they are completed.

Sincerely,

/s/ G. K. Delwiche

Gregory K. Delwiche  
Vice President, Environment, Fish and Wildlife

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