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Project No. 637-044 -- Washington
Lake Chelan Hydroelectric Project
Chelan County PUD

Ms. Michelle Smith
Licensing and Compliance Manager
Chelan County PUD
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Wenatchee, WA 98807-1231

Subject: 2010 Annual Lake Chelan Fishery Work Plan, Article 404

Dear Ms. Smith:

This acknowledges receipt of your 2009 Annual Lake Chelan Fishery Work Plan, filed May 28, 2010, pursuant to ordering paragraph (B) of the December 4, 2007 Order Modifying and Approving Lake Chelan Fishery Plan under Article 404 of the November 6, 2006 Order on Offer of Settlement and Issuing New License for the Lake Chelan Hydroelectric Project (FERC No. 637).

The ordering paragraph (B) of the December 4, 2007 order requires you to file annually with the Commission by June 1, an Annual Fish Stocking Report. Your report identifies monitoring and evaluation measures related to tributary trout spawning surveys, tributary trout abundance surveys, Stehekin River trout spawner surveys, genetic introgression monitoring, creel surveys, fish stocking, tributary fish barrier removal, and continued development of the bioenergetics food web model.

Your filing adequately fulfills the requirement identified herein. If you have any questions, please contact me at (503) 552-2716 or via email at erich.gaedeke@ferc.gov.

Sincerely,



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