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December 31, 2009

Ms. Deborah Levchak, General Counsel
Basin Electric Power Cooperative
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RE: Case No. PU-08-75
Interim Siting Fee Refund

Enclosed please find an interim refund check in the amount of \$92,382.76 representing a siting application fee interim refund for Case No. PU-08-75.

This check represents a refund of the portion of the siting application fee paid in the above case, less expenditures. An accounting showing original fees paid in the case, expenditures deducted, and amount remaining is attached.

After post-construction inspections are complete, and tree mitigation or other reclamation projects are satisfactory in each case, the Commission will issue a final refund of the entire remaining balance for that case.

If you have any questions regarding the fee process, the interim refund, the expenditures, or the plans for final refund, please contact me at 701-328-4077.

Sincerely,

Patrick Fahn, Director
Compliance & Competitive Markets

INTERIM SITING REFUND

December 31, 2009

**Basin Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
Electric Generation/Wind – Ward County
Siting Application**

Case No. PU-08-75

Statutory Fee Collected:	\$100,000.00
Expenses Incurred to Date:	
In-State Vehicle Mileage	66.00
Meals Taxable	7.50
Motor/Aircraft Pool	66.00
Postage and PO Box Rental	57.40
Advertising Services	390.78
Legal – Office of Administrative Hearings	979.56
Professionals – Not Classified	1,050.00
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Interim Refund	\$92,382.76
Balance After Refund	5,000.00