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MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 11, 2008
TO: Adam Bless, Oregon Department of Energy
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SUBJECT: **Wildlife Mitigation and Wetlands**
PROJECT: Golden Hills Wind Farm
PROJECT NO:
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Adam, attached is the proposed Mitigation Plan for the Golden Hills Wind Farm.

This memo will also serve to withdraw the Removal-Fill permit application from the ASC. BP Alternative Energy has decided to bore the four wetland/creek crossings, and as a result, there will be no impacts to wetlands or other waters of the state on the site. These will be directionally drilled, with the bore starting roughly 50' from the edge of the wetland area. Restoration would typically be to backfill the bore hole after the cable is installed (and re-seed as required by the Revegetation Plan). When backfilling, compaction requirements are specified so as to reduce erosion effects.

Attachments/Enclosures: Final Habitat Mitigation and Revegetation Plan

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