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Dear Mr. Smith,

This letter is a request for access to the smolt monitoring facilities at John Day Dam in 2013. Access is required for implementation of the regionally approved smolt monitoring program at that facility. The details of our proposed operation are described in the attached WORK STATEMENT 87-127, BPA CY 2013.

Our operations are part of the larger smolt monitoring program coordinated by the Fish Passage Center and authorized in Appendix B of the 2000 Biological Opinion, Research Action 1193. A copy of the Appendix will be provided to the project before sampling begins.

If you have any questions please contact Rick Martinson at (541) 296-8989.

Sincerely,

Rick Martinson  
Project Leader

Enclosures