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MEMORANDUM

TO: Jay Hesse, Nez Perce Tribe

FROM: Michele DeHart

DATE: November 30, 2011

RE: Response to comments on 2011 CSS Draft Annual Report

Following is the response to your comment received by email (attached) on the 2011 draft Comparative Survival Study Annual Report.

Michele - I recommend lines 15 and 16 on page 207 be revised to read "The CSS Oversight Committee will coordinate, discuss, and refine analytical tools in association with the consensus proposal planning team, and include additional years data in future Annual Reports." The current language reads "The CSS Oversight Committee will refine analytical tools, and include additional year's data in future Annual Reports."

Response: *We modified the language in the final report to read as follows.*

The CSS Oversight Committee will refine analytical tools, and include additional year's data in future Annual Reports based upon regional reviews, ISAB reviews and technical comments received from the Fall Chinook Planning Team

The new language specifically identifies the Fall Chinook Planning Team and captures the important technical role of the Fall Chinook Planning Team as well as recognizing the

Northwest Power and Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program language which establishes an annual Independent Scientific Advisory Board review of the CSS project.

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From: Jay Hesse [jayh@nezperce.org]
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Subject: NPT comment on the 2011 draft CSS report

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Thank you,

Jay Hesse

"Knowledge is a tool, and like all tools, its impact is in the hands of the user(s)" -- Dan Brown, The Lost Symbol

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