Draft FY’12 Report pursuant to the
Information Quality Bulletin for Peer Review

I. Summary Page for Department (if Applicable)

Department ___________________________________________

Departmental Contact for Implementation of the Bulletin for Peer Review
   Name and title: _______________________________________
   Email address: _______________________________________
   Phone number: _______________________________________

Provide the URL for Department’s portal for compliance with the Bulletin
   ______________________________________________ ** ensure link is working

Have you checked to make sure all of the information and links on this URL are current? Y/N
   Is this URL:
      A Department-wide Peer Review Agenda (Y/N) or
      A set of links to each agency (bureau or office’s) agenda (Y/N)?

   How would a member of the public locate this peer review portal if she/he did not have this URL? Check all that apply:
      A link from Department’s home page
      A link from Department’s Information Quality home page
      Other means, e.g., a link from a science page (please describe)

Number of peer reviews conducted subject to the Bulletin in FY’12 (see instructions for what should and should not be included here).

   Number of influential scientific information peer reviews (ISI) (not including highly influential scientific assessments) _________

   Number of highly influential scientific assessments (HISA) _________

Number of Waivers, Deferrals, Exemptions, or Alternative Procedures used: Total # _____

Number of peer reviews that included at least one peer reviewer appointed pursuant to any exception to the applicable independence or conflict of interest standards of the Bulletin, including determinations by the Secretary or Deputy Secretary pursuant to Section III (3) (c). Total # _____

Number of peer review panels that held in conjunction with public meetings: Total # _____

Number of public comments provided on the Department’s peer review plans during FY‘12, regardless of whether the peer review was actually completed during FY’12: Total # _____
II. Agency Report

GENERAL INFORMATION

Agency Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Agency Contact for Implementation of the Peer Review Bulletin

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URL for Agency’s Peer Review Agenda http://www.ferc.gov/legal/staff-reports/peer-review.asp
** ensure link is working

What pathway(s) can a member of the public use to find the Agency’s peer review agenda if she/he did not have this URL?

- Link from Departmental or Agency home page,
- Link from Agency Information Quality home page,
- Link from science, research, or regulatory pages (please specify)

- Other (please describe) ______________

The pathway is from the agency’s home page. The user would select “legal resources” to get a drop-down menu, then select “staff reports.”

Does the agenda provide links to peer review reports for all completed peer reviews?

- yes

Have you checked to make sure all of the information and links on the agency’s peer review home page to are current? Y/N

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INFORMATION ABOUT REVIEWS CONDUCTED

Number of peer reviews conducted subject to the Bulletin in FY’12. (see instructions for what should and should not be included here).

Number of influential scientific information peer reviews (ISI) (not including highly influential scientific assessments) _____ 0 _____
List the title of each ISI. Indicate whether the Peer Review Report has been completed (Y/N) add more lines as needed  **NOTE:** It is acceptable to provide a screen shot of your peer review agenda as an attachment.

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Number of highly influential scientific assessments (HISA) _____ 0 _____
List the title of each HISA. Indicate whether the Peer Review Report has been Completed (Y/N) add more lines as needed

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Provide the titles of ISIs and HISIs for which Waivers (W), Deferrals (D), or Exemptions (E) were invoked or Alternative Procedures used (A).  *If deferral is marked, please indicate the duration of the deferral.*

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Number of peer reviews that included at least one peer reviewer appointed pursuant to any exception to the applicable independence or conflict of interest standards of the Bulletin, including determinations by the Secretary or Deputy Secretary pursuant to Section III (3) (c)?

Number of ISIs (not including highly influential scientific assessments) _____ 0 _____
List titles

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Number of HISAs  ___0___

List titles

Number of peer review panels that held public meetings:
   Number of ISIs  (not including highly influential scientific assessments) ___0___
   Number of HISAs  ____0____

Number of peer review panels that allowed public comment:
   Number of ISIs  (not including highly influential scientific assessments) ___0___
   Number of HISAs  ____0____

Number of public comments provided on the agency’s peer review plans during FY’12, regardless of whether the peer review was actually completed during FY’12 _____0____

Number of times agency specifically solicited peer reviewer nominations from professional societies. _____0____
   If such nominations were solicited, were any recommendations provided? Yes ___  No ___