



# U.S. Department of Energy Categorical Exclusion Determination Form



Program or Field Office: Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program

Project Title AK-TRIBE-SUN'AQ TRIBE OF KODIAK (FORMERLY THE SHOONAQ' TRIBE OF KODIAK)

Location: Tribe AK-TRIBE-SUN'AQ AK  
 TRIBE OF KODIAK  
 (FORMERLY THE  
 SHOONAQ' TRIBE  
 OF KODIAK)

Proposed Action or Project Descriptio

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act:

The Sun'aq Tribe of Kodiak, Alaska, proposes to 1) replace outdated furnaces in the Tribal Center (NEPA determination approved by Jane Summerson on 12/16/2009) and 2) hire and train personnel to serve as the Resource Conservation Manager (RCM); conduct audits on the Tribal Center and on Tribal homes; participation of the RCM in training courses for energy management certification; and procure technical services with a scientist/indoor air quality specialist who would conduct building audits and create a system to track building efficiency.

Conditions: None

Categorical Exclusion(s) Applied: A9, B2.5, B5.1

\*-For the complete DOE National Environmental Policy Act regulations regarding categorical exclusions, see Subpart D of 10 CFR 10 21

This action would not: threaten a violation of applicable statutory, regulatory, or permit requirements for environment, safety, and health, including DOE and/or Executive Orders; require siting, construction, or major expansion of waste storage, disposal, recovery, or treatment facilities, but may include such categorically excluded facilities; disturb hazardous substances, pollutants, contaminants, or CERCLA-excluded petroleum and natural gas products that pre-exist in the environment such that there would be uncontrolled or unpermitted releases; or adversely affect environmentally sensitive resources (including but not limited to those listed in paragraph B.(4)) of Appendix B to Subpart D of 10 CFR 1021). Furthermore, there are no extraordinary circumstances related to this action that may affect the significance of the environmental effects of the action; this action is not "connected" to other actions with potentially significant impacts, is not related to other proposed actions with cumulatively significant impacts, and is not precluded by 40 CFR 1506.1 or 10 CFR 1021.211.

Based on my review of information conveyed to me and in my possession (or attached) concerning the proposed action, as NEPA Compliance Officer (as authorized under DOE Order 451.1B), I have determined that the proposed action fits within the specified class(es) of action, the other regulatory requirements set forth above are met, and the proposed action is hereby categorically excluded from further NEPA review.

ORO NEPA Compliance Officer

**Gary S. Hartman**

Date Determined: 11/4/2011

Comments:

Webmaster: