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DATE: December 3, 2007

TO: Staff  
Executive Board  
Examining Board  
Accident Investigators

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FROM: Bill Meyer, Accident Investigator Chairman

RE: Preliminary Accident – Grays Harbor PUD Crew

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At approximately 10:00 P.M. on Dec. 2, 2007, a Grays Harbor County PUD Crew suffered an accident. Two Journeyman Linemen were working in a bucket truck while repairing downed power lines. A gust of wind broke a treetop off and it hit the boom of the bucket truck. The boom broke off at the knuckle. Both men fell approximately 40 feet to the ground. Both men were hospitalized and one has been released. The other was transported to Harborview Medical Center. It is believed at this time his injuries are not critical. The Line Crew was working on Newskah Road between Aberdeen and Westport, Washington.

We will provide more information as it becomes available.

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