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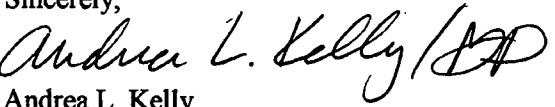
Re: Notice of Intent Not to File a Request for Proposals Pursuant to WAC 480-107

Dear Ms. Washburn,

PacifiCorp, dba Pacific Power ("Pacific Power" or "Company"), hereby submits an original and two copies of its notice to the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission ("Commission") that Pacific Power does not intend to file a Request for Proposals ("RFP") pursuant to WAC 480-107 in 2007 because the Integrated Resource Plan ("IRP") demonstrates additional capacity will not be needed in the west control area until 2012.¹

WAC 480-100-238(4) requires an IRP to be filed every two years. Pursuant to WAC 480-100-238(4) and consistent with Order No. 2 issued in Docket UE-070117, the Company submitted its current IRP on May 30, 2007. WAC 480-107-015(3)(b) requires submission of a proposed RFP and supporting documentation to the Commission no later than 135 days after an IRP is filed. However, WAC 480-107-015(3)(a) provides that if the IRP demonstrates additional capacity will not be needed within three years, the solicitation process requirements of WAC 480-107 do not apply. According to the IRP, based on a 12% planning reserve margin, additional capacity will not be needed for the Company's west control area until 2012 (on a system-wide basis, additional capacity will not be needed until 2010)². Because the IRP demonstrates no additional capacity will be needed within three years, Pacific Power does not intend to submit an RFP consistent with WAC 480-107-015(3)(a).

Please direct any inquiries regarding this matter to Shay LaBray, Regulatory Affairs Manager, at (503) 813-6176.

Sincerely,

Andrea L. Kelly
Vice President, Regulation

cc: Doug Kilpatrick

¹ See page 81 of the IRP, Docket UE-071062.
² See page 3 of the IRP, Docket UE-071062.