

**BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND)	DOCKET NO. UE-130043
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	PETITION TO INTERVENE OF BOISE
v.)	WHITE PAPER, L.L.C.
)	
PACIFICORP D/B/A PACIFIC POWER &)	
LIGHT COMPANY,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

1 Pursuant to WAC § 480-07-355, Boise White Paper, L.L.C. (“Boise”) hereby petitions the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (“WUTC” or “Commission”) for leave to intervene in the above-referenced Docket, as an intervenor with full party status as described in WAC § 480-07-340. The business address of Boise is:

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Boise will be represented in this proceeding by Davison Van Cleve, P.C. All documents relating to these proceedings should also be served on ICNU’s attorneys and consultant at the following addresses:

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2 The administrative rules at issue are WAC § 480-07-340, -355.

3 Boise manufactures and distributes paper products in the United States, including sheet papers, containerboard and corrugated containers, newsprint grades, and market pulp. Boise is Pacific Power & Light’s (“PacifiCorp” or the “Company”) largest customer in Washington, purchasing both power and power delivery services at its mill in Wallula, Washington. Boise is a member of the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities (“ICNU”),^{1/} who has been a party to many proceedings before the Commission involving PacifiCorp, including PacifiCorp’s most recent general rate case (UE-111190).

4 Boise has a substantial interest in PacifiCorp’s proposed rate increase. PacifiCorp is proposing a \$42.8 million rate increase, which is an average increase of 14.1%, and 15% for Boise. The proposed rate change would substantially and directly affect Boise. Boise requests leave to intervene in this Docket to represent its interests which are directly affected by PacifiCorp’s proposed rate increase.

5 Boise’s legal counsel and experts have extensive experience in proceedings before the Commission involving PacifiCorp’s rates. Boise, as a member of ICNU, participated in PacifiCorp’s most recent general rate cases, including UE-991832, UE-032065, UE-050684, UE-060669, UE-061546, UE-080220, UE-090205, UE-100749, and UE 111190. Boise’s intervention in this proceeding will assist the Commission in resolving the issues and will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or delay this proceeding.

6 As described above, Boise has a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding that will not be adequately represented by any other party, and may be affected by any

^{1/} ICNU is an incorporated, non-profit association of large industrial electric customers in the Pacific Northwest.

Commission determination made in connection with this proceeding. It is in the public interest to allow Boise to intervene in this proceeding.

7 WHEREFORE, Boise respectfully petitions the Commission for leave to intervene in this proceeding.

Dated this 15th day of January, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

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