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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE WRITTEN COMMENTS
(Responses Due By 3:00 p.m., Thursday, May 26, 2016)

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Pacific Power & Light Company*, Docket UE-152253

TO ALL PARTIES:

On May 24, 2016, Pacific Power & Light Company (Pacific Power or the Company) filed a Motion to Strike Section III of Sierra Club's Cross-Answering Testimony or Alternative Motion for Live Rebuttal (Motion) in the above-referenced docket. Pacific Power alleges Sierra Club improperly filed supplemental testimony, specifically, Section III of Dr. Jeremy Fisher's cross-answering testimony (Section III), outside of the procedural schedule, and therefore this testimony should be struck from the record, or, alternatively, that Pacific Power be allowed the opportunity to present live rebuttal testimony from Ms. Cindy Crane in response to Section III at the evidentiary hearing on June 1, 2016. In support of its request to strike, the Motion states that, "Sierra Club never requested nor received permission to file supplemental testimony... [I]t is improper for Sierra Club to unilaterally expand the scope of its cross-answering testimony to include an entirely new analytical framework at this stage of the case."¹ In support of the live rebuttal alternative, Pacific Power asserts that "[g]iven the broad and technical scope of Section III and the myriad problems in Dr. Fisher's analysis, live rebuttal is the only effective way for the Company to respond to it. Without live rebuttal from the Company, the record in this case will be incomplete and inaccurate."²

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That parties who wish to respond to Pacific Power's Motion to Strike Section III of Sierra Club's Cross-Answering Testimony or Alternative Motion for Live Rebuttal must do so by 3:00 p.m., Thursday, May 26, 2016.

MARGUERITE E. FRIEDLANDER
Administrative Law Judge

¹ Motion, ¶ 7.

² Motion, ¶ 9.