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November 17, 2022

**NOTICE MODIFYING DEADLINE FOR RESPONSES TO MOTION
(now set for Friday, December 23, 2022)**

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company*
Docket UE-220376

TO ALL PARTIES:

On June 6, 2022, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission), through its staff (Staff), issued a Complaint and Notice of Prehearing Conference in Docket UE-220376 (Complaint). The Complaint alleges that PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company (PacifiCorp or Company) violated Commission Order 01 in Docket UE-210829,¹ Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 19.280.030(3)(a)(ii), RCW 19.280.030(3)(a)(iii), Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 480-100-640(7), and WAC 480-100-660(4) by failing to incorporate the social cost of greenhouse gases (SCGHG) in the preferred portfolio of its CEIP. The Complaint requests the Commission find PacifiCorp in violation of statute, Commission rule, and Commission order and assess a penalty of \$1,000 per day for each of the five violations alleged.

The Commission reconvened a virtual prehearing conference in this matter on September 6, 2022, before Administrative Law Judge Andrew J. O'Connell.

On September 8, 2022, the Commission entered Order 04, Prehearing Conference Order; Notice of Hearing, adopting with modifications a procedural schedule proposed by the parties at the reconvened prehearing conference.

¹ *In re Petition of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Co Seeking Exemption from the Provisions of WAC 480-100-605*, Docket UE-210829, Order 01, Denying Petition for Exemption, (Dec. 13, 2021).

On November 17, 2022, the Commission issued a notice suspending the procedural schedule in this proceeding and setting deadlines for the filing of the Settling Parties' settlement and motion to withdraw the Complaint as well as for the filing of any responses to the settlement and motion. That notice established December 15, 2022, as the deadline for filing any responses to the settlement and motion.

That same day, Public Counsel contacted the presiding officer to request that the deadline for responses be moved to December 23, 2022, to afford its staff sufficient time to prepare for and participate in an evidentiary hearing in a Commission proceeding set for December 5 and 6.

The Commission finds good cause to modify the deadline for responses to the settlement and motion to withdraw the Complaint. All responses, if any, to the motion to withdraw the Complaint must be filed with the Commission by 5 p.m. on December 23, 2022.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That the prior deadline for responses to the settlement and motion to withdraw is modified and, now, any party must file with the Commission its response by 5 p.m. on December 23, 2022.

/s/ *Andrew J. O'Connell*

ANDREW J. O'CONNELL
Administrative Law Judge