

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE  
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In the Matter of the Joint Application	)	DOCKET NO. UE-051090
of	)	
	)	
MIDAMERICAN ENERGY	)	ORDER NO. 06
HOLDINGS COMPANY AND	)	
PACIFICORP, d/b/a PACIFIC	)	
POWER & LIGHT COMPANY	)	GRANTING JOINT MOTION TO
	)	ADMIT EXHIBITS; ACCEPTING
For an Order Authorizing Proposed	)	STIPULATION OF FACTS
Transaction	)	
.....	)	

**MEMORANDUM**

- 1 **PROCEEDINGS:** On July 15, 2005, MidAmerican Energy Holdings Company (MEHC) and PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company (PacifiCorp) filed with the Commission a joint application for an order authorizing proposed transaction. The transaction is MidAmerican Holdings' proposed purchase of PacifiCorp from Scottish Power.
  
- 2 The Commission conducted a prehearing conference on July 26, 2005, and entered Order No. 01 on July 27, 2005. Order No. 01 established a procedural schedule including dates for parties to prefile testimony and exhibits, and for evidentiary hearings to be held. On November 18, 2005, the Commission accepted response testimonies and exhibits filed by Staff, Public Counsel and ICNU. MEHC and PacifiCorp (Joint Applicants) filed rebuttal testimony on December 5, 2005.

3 On December 19, 2005, the parties informed the Commission that they had  
agreed to waive cross-examination of all witnesses and to proceed on the basis of  
a stipulated record. The parties proposed that the record would include, with  
some exceptions, the parties' prefiled testimonies and exhibits, the proposed  
cross-examination exhibits the parties had exchanged and submitted to the  
Commission on December 14, 2005, and a stipulation of facts that would be filed  
by Staff and Joint Applicants.

4 **JOINT MOTION TO ADMIT EXHIBITS; STIPULATED FACTS:** On  
December 20, 2005, the parties filed their Joint Motion to Admit Exhibits. By  
their Motion, the parties stipulated to the admission into evidence of all exhibits  
identified on an exhibit list filed with their Motion. Also on December 20, 2005,  
Staff and the Joint Applicants filed their Stipulation of Facts.

5 **COMMISSION DETERMINATION:** The Commission, having considered the  
materials proposed for acceptance into the record, determines it should grant the  
parties' Motion and should include in the record of this proceeding the prefiled  
testimonies and exhibits identified on the Exhibit List attached to this Order as  
Appendix A. The Commission, by this reference, incorporates Appendix A into  
the body of this Order. The Commission also determines it should receive into  
the record of this proceeding the stipulation Staff and Joint Applicants filed on  
December 20, 2005.

### ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 6 (1) The parties' Joint Motion to Admit Exhibits is granted.
- 7 (2) The exhibits listed in Appendix A to this Order, along with the Stipulation  
of Facts filed by Staff and Joint Applicants on December 20, 2005, are

made part of the record in this proceeding without the necessity for cross-examination, which was previously waived by all parties.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective this 27th day of December, 2005.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

DENNIS J. MOSS  
Administrative Law Judge

# APPENDIX A