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May 19, 2000

**NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

**(1:30 p.m., June 1, 2000)**

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v.  
PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power & Light,  
Docket No. UE-991832

TO PARTIES OF RECORD:

The Commission gives notice to all parties of record of the time and place established for a prehearing conference in this proceeding.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a prehearing conference in this proceeding will be held on Thursday, June 1, 2000, beginning at 1:30 p.m., in the Commission's Room 108, Chandler Plaza Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW, Olympia, Washington.**

The purpose of the conference will be to discuss logistics and the mechanics of the hearing, to mark exhibits, and to address any procedural concerns the parties may have. Parties will be expected to have all of their exhibits distributed by the start of the conference, including those intended for use on "cross examination" of the Company's witnesses.

Sincerely,

DENNIS J. MOSS  
Administrative Law Judge



## Appendix A

### I. Requirements for ALL paper copies of testimony, exhibits, and briefs

The following requirements are restated from and clarify the Commission's rules relating to adjudications.

#### A. All paper copies of briefs, prefiled testimony, and original text in exhibits must be

- On 8-1/2x11 paper, punched for insertion in a 3-ring binder,
- Punched with OVERSIZED HOLES to allow easy handling.
- Double-spaced
- 12-point or larger text and footnotes, Times New Roman or equivalent serif font.
- Minimum one-inch margins from all edges.

Other exhibit materials need not be double-spaced or 12-point type, but must be printed or copied for optimum legibility.

#### B. All electronic and paper copies must be

- SEQUENTIALLY NUMBERED (all pages). **THIS INCLUDES EXHIBITS.** It is not reasonable to expect other counsel or the bench to keep track of where we are among several hundred (or sometimes even just several) unnumbered pages.
- DATED ON THE FIRST PAGE OF EACH ITEM and on the label of every diskette. If the item is a revision of a document previously submitted, it must be clearly labeled "REVISED," with the same title, and with the date it is filed clearly shown. Electronic files must be designated R for revision, when applicable, with an ordinal number showing the revision number.

### II. Identifying exhibit numbers; Exhibits on cross examination.

A. **Identifying exhibits.** It is essential to mark documents so you, opposing counsel, and the Commission can find them. We ask you to comply with this clarification of prior practice, based on recent experience:

- **Use the witness's initials and add an ordinal number for each exhibit.** Identify testimony with a T and confidential exhibits with a C. Example: Witness

Jane Quintessentia Public. Her original testimony would be JQP-1T or JQP-1TC, her first attached exhibit would be JQP-2, etc. NEVER identify the attachments merely with a single ordinal number, as that will provide the maximum confusion to everyone, including your witness.

B. Prepare a list of your exhibits with their title and “JQP” designation in digital form and in a format specified by the Commission. Send it to the presiding officer before the appropriate prehearing conference. That will simplify identification and ease administrative burdens.

**NOTE:** Be prepared to submit all of your possible exhibits on cross examination several days prior to the hearing. We will attempt to schedule a prehearing conference to deal with the exhibits as close as possible to the hearing itself, but we have administrative needs that require prefiling.