Exhibit No. (RJF-9) Docket No. UE-100749 Witness: Randall J. Falkenberg

### BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,
Complainant,
V.
PACIFICORP d/b/a PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT COMPANY,
Respondent.

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Please refer to the direct testimony of Bryce Dalley, which states that PacifiCorp is currently earning a return on equity of 1.9% in Washington. Please identify if this includes all earnings associated with renewable energy credits. If not, please provide PacifiCorp's current Washington return on equity including the Washington allocated amounts associated with renewable energy credits. Please provide all supporting documentation and the methodology by which the Company accounts for the renewable energy credits for Washington operations.

#### **Response to ICNU Data Request 20.1**

The 1.9% return on equity (ROE) referenced in Mr. Dalley's testimony is based on the normalized Washington results of operations for the test period in this proceeding prior to the requested price increase. This figure can be found on page 1.0, line 60, column 3 of Exhibit No.\_\_\_(RBD-3). As described in the direct testimony of Mr. Dalley and in the Company's response to ICNU Data Request 2.15, the Washington normalized results for the test period in the Company's filing do not include revenues from the sale of renewable energy credits (RECs). As a result, the 1.9% ROE referenced in Mr. Dalley's testimony does not include revenues associated with REC sales.

If 2009 REC revenues were included in the normalized test period results, the Washington ROE would increase by approximately 70 basis points.

For the requested supporting documentation and methodology please refer to the Company's responses to WUTC Data Request 5 and ICNU Data Request 9.1.

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