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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
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RE: Advice 17-07—Amending Schedule 135, Net Metering and introducing new Schedule 137, Renewable Generation Incentives

Pacific Power & Light Company (Pacific Power or Company), a division of PacifiCorp, submits this filing in accordance with RCW 80.28.050, WAC 480-80-122, WAC 480-100-193, and WAC 480-100-028.

Tenth Revision of Sheet No. INDEX.3		Tariff Index
Third Revision of Sheet No. 135.2	Schedule 135	Net Metering Service
Cancel First Revision of Sheet No. 135.3	Schedule 135	Net Metering Service
Cancel First Revision of Sheet No. 135.4	Schedule 135	Net Metering Service
Cancel First Revision of Sheet No. 135.5	Schedule 135	Net Metering Service
Original Sheet No. 137.1	Schedule 137	Renewable Generation Incentives
Original Sheet No. 137.2	Schedule 137	Renewable Generation Incentives
Original Sheet No. 137.3	Schedule 137	Renewable Generation Incentives
Original Sheet No. 137.4	Schedule 137	Renewable Generation Incentives

In accordance with Senate Bill (SB) 5939, Pacific Power files to amend its Schedule 135 and submits new Schedule 137. Effective July 1, 2017, SB 5939 added language to Section 3 of RCW 82.16.120 that transfers responsibility for the existing Washington State Renewable Generation Incentive program management, technical review, and tracking to the Washington State University Extension Energy Program.

The Company respectfully requests an effective date of October 1, 2017. Effective October 1, 2017, customers who have their renewable generation system certified with the Program Administrator, as defined by SB 5939, will receive an incentive as determined by the

Program Administrator. In accordance with WAC 480-80-122, PacifiCorp requests the Commission allow the tariff changes to become effective with less than statutory notice. Allowing less than statutory notice allows the Company's tariffs to be amended by October 1, 2017 in accordance with SB 5939.

SUMMARY OF TARIFF REVISIONS

Rate Schedule 135, Net Metering

Pacific Power proposes to remove the renewable generation incentive language from this tariff resulting in the deletion of pages 135.3, 135.4, and 135.5; while moving some of the language to a new tariff, Schedule 137 (see Attachments B & C). This will make it easier for customers to understand the tariff by separating the administrative functions being assigned to the Washington State University Extension Energy Program from Pacific Power's net metering program, and will streamline future changes to the renewable generation incentive or net metering rules.

Rate Schedule 137, Renewable Generation Incentives

Pacific Power proposes to create a new tariff that provides customers with information on how to apply for and receive renewable generation incentives through the Washington State University Extension Energy Program. The tariff also outlines the incentive rates available to customers, and information on community solar and shared commercial solar programs.

In accordance with WAC 480-100-193, PacifiCorp has posted the proposed tariff change on its website. This tariff change does not increase charges or restrict access to services. Thus, notice of the proposed tariff change is being given to the public coincident with the date of this transmittal letter through web, telephone, and mail access in accordance with WAC 480-100-193.

It is respectfully requested that all formal correspondence and Staff requests regarding this material be addressed to:

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Attachments:

Attachment A: List of Proposed Tariff Sheets

Attachment B: Tariff Schedule 135

Attachment C: Tariff Schedule 137

Enclosures

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