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Subject: FW: Energy Independence Act reports and claims of confidentiality
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Please add this email to the docket in UE-160777.

Thank you,

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Hi, Deborah,

Jennifer Snyder asked this morning about whether any utility, other than Pacific Power, had marked any portion of its 2016 Energy Independence Act report as confidential.

Of the 17 utilities submitting reports this year, only Pacific Power marked any portion of its report as confidential. Pacific Power initially filed its report on June 1, 2016, with no claim of confidentiality. On June 22, 2016, the company notified the Department of Commerce that the filing failed to identify information that it considers to be confidential and submitted a version redacting portions relating to renewable energy compliance. After discussions between the company and our office, Pacific Power submitted a revised redacted version on June 29, 2016. The revised report reduces the amount of information that is redacted and claimed as confidential.

The June 29, 2016, version of the report has been published on our agency's web site, along with the reports of all other utilities. The reports are available here:

<http://www.commerce.wa.gov/Programs/Energy/Office/EIA/Pages/EnergyIndependence.aspx>

Please let me know if you have any questions about the reports that have been submitted as part of the Energy Independence Act.

Thanks,

Glenn Blackmon
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