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July 22, 2005

Carole J. Washburn
Secretary
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W.
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Re: In the Matter of the Joint Application of MIDAMERICAN ENERGY HOLDINGS COMPANY AND PACIFICORP, d/b/a PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT COMPANY For an Order Authorizing Proposed Transaction
Docket No. UE-051090

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Enclosed please find the original and thirteen (13) copies each of the Petition to Intervene and the Notice of Appearance of Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County, WA.

Electronic copies will be emailed to the Records Center on July 22, 2005. Please return one file-stamped copy of each document in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Raymond F. Finnen".

Raymond F. Finnen
Paralegal

Enclosures
cc: Service List

BEFORE THE

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Application of)	DOCKET NO. UE-051090
)	
MIDAMERICAN ENERGY)	NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF
HOLDINGS COMPANY AND)	PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1 OF
PACIFICORP, d/b/a PACIFIC)	SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WA
POWER & LIGHT COMPANY)	
)	
For an Order Authorizing Proposed)	
Transaction.)	
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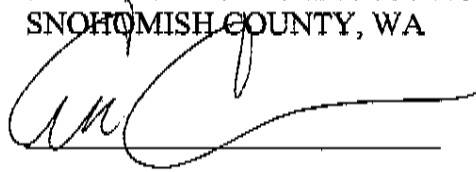
Michael J. Gianunzio and Eric L. Christensen hereby notify the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission that they will appear in the above-captioned proceeding as Counsel for Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County, WA. Michael J. Gianunzio, Washington State Bar Number 23737 is a member in good standing of the Washington State Bar Association, and Eric L. Christensen, Washington State Bar Number 27934 is admitted to practice, in good standing, before the highest court of Washington.

This notice of appearance is filed pursuant to WAC § 480-07-345(2).

Dated in Everett, WA, this 22nd day of July, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1 OF
SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WA



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BEFORE THE

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Application of)	DOCKET NO. UE-051090
)	
MIDAMERICAN ENERGY)	PETITION TO INTERVENE OF
HOLDINGS COMPANY AND)	PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 1 OF
PACIFICORP, d/b/a PACIFIC)	SNOHOMISH COUNTY,
POWER & LIGHT COMPANY)	WASHINGTON
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For an Order Authorizing Proposed)	
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Pursuant to WAC § 480-07-355, Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County, Washington ("Snohomish"), hereby petitions the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission ("WUTC" or "Commission") for leave to intervene in the above-referenced Docket, as an Intervenor with full party status as described in WAC § 480-07-340. The business address of Snohomish is:

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All documents relating to these proceedings should be served on Snohomish's attorneys at the following address:

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The administrative rules at issue are WAC §§ 480-07-340, -355.

Snohomish is a Public Utility District formed by a vote of the people of Snohomish County in 1936 to operate pursuant to Title 54 of the Revised Code of Washington. Snohomish is a not-for-profit, non-public distribution utility that serves approximately 270,000 residential customers and 27,000 commercial and industrial customers in Snohomish County and on neighboring Camano Island in the State of Washington. Snohomish is exempt from the jurisdiction of the WUTC under RCW § 54.16.040.

In order to serve its customer-owners, Snohomish depends upon the regional transmission system to move power from generation sources remote from Snohomish County to its load. Snohomish also depends upon the purchase of power in the Western wholesale markets to meet a significant portion of the needs of its customer-owners.

Snohomish has a substantial interest the Application filed by MidAmerican Energy Holdings Company and PacifiCorp to the extent the proposed acquisition may affect generation or transmission market power or the operation of the regional transmission grid. Snohomish seeks to intervene in this proceeding to ensure

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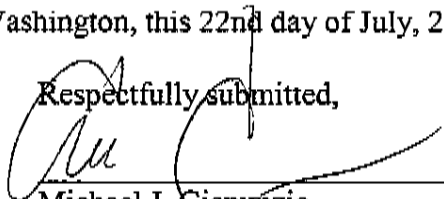
that the proposed acquisition complies with Washington law and will not harm Snohomish's customers.

As described above, Snohomish has a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding that will not be adequately represented by any other party, and may be affected by any Commission determination made in connection with this proceeding. It is in the public interest to allow Snohomish to intervene in this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, Snohomish respectfully petitions the Commission for leave to intervene in this proceeding.

Dated in Everett, Washington, this 22nd day of July, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



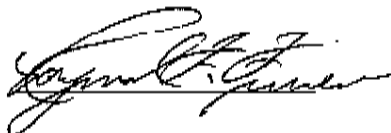
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing Petition to Intervene and Notice of Appearance of Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County, WA upon the parties, shown below, listed on the official service list in UE-051090, by causing the same to be mailed, postage-prepaid, through the U.S. Mail.

DATED at Everett, WA, this 20th day of July, 2005.

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