

2 After reviewing the Company's petition for exemption, Commission Staff recommended granting the request, on condition that the Company file the required state supplement to its annual report by May 31 each year.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

- 3 (1) The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission is an agency of the State of Washington vested by statute with the authority to regulate the rates, rules, regulations, practices, accounts, securities, transfers of property and affiliated interests of public service companies, including electric companies. *RCW 80.01.040, RCW 80.04, RCW 80.08, RCW 80.12, RCW 80.16 and RCW 80.28.*
- 4 (2) The Company is an electric company and a public service company subject to Commission jurisdiction.
- 5 (3) The Company is subject to RCW 80.04.080 and WAC 480-100-252, which require electric companies to file their state supplements to their annual reports by May 1 of each year.
- 6 (4) Under WAC 480-100-008, the Commission may grant an exemption from the provisions of any rule in WAC 480-100, if consistent with the public interest, the purposes underlying regulation and applicable statutes. *See also WAC 480-07-110.*
- 7 (5) This matter came before the Commission at its regularly scheduled meeting on February 28, 2008.
- 8 (6) After reviewing the Company's petition filed in Docket UE-072394 on December 12, 2007, and giving due consideration, the Commission finds that the exemption is reasonable and should be granted.

ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 9 (1) PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company's petition for an extension of time until May 31 each year to file the state supplement to its 2008 annual report is granted.
- 10 (2) Failure by PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company to file the state supplement to its 2008 annual report by May 31, 2008, may result in the Commission invoking RCW 80.04.405, which allows the Commission to assess penalties for violations of statute, rule and Commission orders.
- 11 (3) The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company to effectuate the provisions of this Order.

The Commissioners, having determined this Order to be consistent with the public interest, directed the Executive Secretary to enter this Order.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective February 28, 2008.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

CAROLE J. WASHBURN
Executive Secretary