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STATE OF WASHINGTON

## UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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### NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO RESPOND TO PETITION

(By December 10, 2021, at 5 p.m.)

RE: *In the Matter of the Petition of Alliance of Western Energy Consumers for an Order Approving Deferral of Increased Fly Ash Revenues*, Docket UE-210852

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

On November 12, 2021, Alliance of Western Energy Consumers (AWEC) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) a petition for an order approving the deferral of increased revenue from the sale of fly ash (Accounting Petition) earned by PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power & Light (PacifiCorp or Company) in Docket UE-210852. AWEC requests the Commission defer from the date of its Accounting Petition revenue generated by fly ash sales from PacifiCorp's Jim Bridger coal plant because PacifiCorp recently entered a new contract to sell fly ash that substantially increased related revenues on a system basis. AWEC requests deferred accounting for revenue associated with fly ash sales so the revenues can eventually be passed back to customers through later ratemaking treatment.

WAC 480-07-370(4)(b) provides that responses to petitions must be filed within 20 days after the petition is filed, or by the date established by the Commission, unless the petition seeks Commission action that the Commission generally considers taking at an open meeting. Although the Commission generally considers accounting petitions at its open meetings, the Accounting Petition at issue here was filed by a stakeholder rather than a regulated Company, which is highly unusual. Accordingly, the Commission determines that the Accounting Petition seeks action the Commission generally does not consider taking at an open meeting. The Commission therefore establishes a deadline of December 10, 2021, to allow interested persons to file a written response to the Accounting Petition.

**THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That any interested persons may respond to AWEC's Petition by filing a written response with the Commission no later than December 10, 2021, at 5 p.m.**

AMANDA MAXWELL  
Executive Director and Secretary