

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Application of

PACIFICORP and PACIFICORP,
WASHINGTON, INC.

for an Order Approving (1) the Transfer of Distribution Property from PacifiCorp to an Affiliate, PacifiCorp, Washington, Inc., (2) the Transfer by PacifiCorp of Certain Utility Property to an Affiliate, the Service Company, and (3) the Proposed Accounting Treatment for Regulatory Assets and Liabilities, and an Order Granting an Exemption under RCW 80.08.047 for the Issuance or Assumption of Securities and Encumbrance of Assets by PacifiCorp, Washington, Inc. and/or PacifiCorp.

Docket No. UE-001878

PUBLIC COUNSEL RESPONSE TO
STAFF MOTION TO DISMISS

The Public Counsel Section of the Washington State Attorney General's Office supports the Motion to Dismiss of Commission Staff filed on November 20, 2001 for the reasons stated therein.

DATED this 20th day of November, 2001.

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