## May 12, 2006

## REVISED NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO ANSWER PETITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION AND MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE

(By Friday, June 16, 2006)

Re: WUTC v. PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company, Docket UE-050684

In the Matter of the Petition of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company for an Order Approving Deferral of Costs Related to Declining Hydro Generation, Docket UE-050412

## TO ALL PARTIES:

On May 12, 2006, PacifiCorp /b/a Pacific Power & Light Company (PacifiCorp) notified the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) that the parties in consolidated Dockets UE-050412 and UE-050684 were engaged in settlement discussions. PacifiCorp stated it was not opposed to the Commission extending to July 1, 2006, the time for ruling on the petitions for reconsideration filed in the consolidated dockets. The company included this notice in its request that the Commission delay until July 1, 2006, consideration of a proposed 2.99 percent increase in rates in Docket UE-060669 to allow the company and interested parties time to work on settling outstanding issues in these dockets.

The Commission had requested responses to staff's and the company's petitions for reconsideration and the company's motion for consolidation by Wednesday, May 17, 2006. To accommodate the efforts of the parties in settling outstanding issues in this proceeding and allow the Commission time to enter an order on the motion and petitions by July 3, 2006, the Commission extends the date for filing responses to the petitions and the company's motion to Friday, June 16, 2006. **The parties must** 

either file answers to the petitions or notify the Commission of the status of settlement negotiations by Friday, June 16, 2006.

NOTICE IS GIVEN That the Commission invites answers from the parties to PacifiCorp's and Commission Staff's petition for reconsideration and PacifiCorp's motion for consolidation by Friday, June 16, 2006 to accommodate the parties' efforts to settle the outstanding issues in these matters. If the parties do not reach a settlement by June 16, the Commission expects to enter an order on reconsideration no later than Monday, July 3, 2006. Parties may submit responses electronically by 4:00 p.m. on June 16, 2006, through the Commission's Web Portal (www.wutc.wa.gov/e-filing) or by e-mail to records@wutc.wa.gov. If parties submit documents electronically on June 16, they must file an original and 17 paper copies with the Commission by Noon on Monday, June 19, 2006.

Sincerely,

CAROLE J. WASHBURN Executive Secretary