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**RE: Docket UE-160353—2017 Integrated Resource Plan—Informational Filing
2017R RFP Final Shortlist and Independent Evaluator Closing Report**

Pacific Power & Light Company (Pacific Power), a division of PacifiCorp, encloses the Request for Acknowledgement of its 2017R Request for Proposals (RFP) Final Shortlist and Independent Evaluator (IE) Closing Report that have been filed at the Public Utility Commission of Oregon. Pacific Power committed to provide updates in its 2017R RFP to the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission on an informational basis within its 2017 Integrated Resource Plan docket.

Pacific Power requests confidential treatment of the enclosed documents in accordance with WAC 480-07-160(2)(c). The documents labeled as confidential include valuable commercial information, including proprietary cost data and confidential market analyses. This confidential business information is of significant commercial value, and could expose the company to competitive injury if disclosure is unlimited.

Additionally there is information that has been treated as highly confidential that has been redacted from the confidential version of the IE Closing Report. This information is available to the Commission and its staff for viewing upon request under WAC 480-07-175.

Pacific Power is providing RFP updates in Washington following the procedural schedule in Oregon. Accordingly, the company will continue to provide updates to the Washington Commission as follows:

Milestone	Date
RFP Final Shortlist and IE Closing Report	February 27, 2018 (current filing)
Update Commission on Final Shortlist Acknowledgment	April 2018
Technical Workshop to Review Final Selections	Upon execution of agreements

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Please direct questions to me at (503) 813-5410.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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