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STATE OF WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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NOTICE RECONVENING PREHEARING CONFERENCE (Set for September 6, 2022, at 1:30 p.m.)

and

NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR PETITIONS TO INTERVENE (Set for September 2, 2022, at 5 p.m.)

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Company
Docket UE-220376

On June 6, 2022, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission), through its staff (Staff), issued a Complaint and Notice of Prehearing Conference in Docket UE-220376 (Complaint). The Complaint alleges that PacifiCorp violated Commission Order 01 in Docket UE-210829, Prevised Code of Washington (RCW) 19.280.030(3)(a)(ii), RCW 19.280.030(3)(a)(iii), Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 480-100-640(7), and WAC 480-100-660(4) by failing to incorporate the social cost of greenhouse gases (SCGHG) in the preferred portfolio of its Clean Energy Implementation Plan (CEIP). The Complaint requested the Commission find PacifiCorp in violation of statute, Commission rule, and Commission order and assess a penalty of \$1,000 per day for each of the five violations alleged.

On June 27, 2022, PacifiCorp filed with the Commission an Answer, a Motion to Stay Penalties, and a Motion to Dismiss.

¹ In re Petition of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power & Light Co Seeking Exemption from the Provisions of WAC 480-100-605, Docket UE-210829, Order 01, Denying Petition for Exemption, (Dec. 13, 2021).

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On June 28, 2022, Staff filed a Motion to Consolidate Docket UE-220376 with Docket UE-210829.

The Commission convened a virtual prehearing conference on June 30, 2022, before Administrative Law Judge Andrew J. O'Connell.

On July 5, 2022, the Commission issued Order 01, granting among other things, a motion to continue the prehearing conference until a number of issues were resolved by Commission order.

On August 1, 2022, the Commission issued Order 02, denying PacifiCorp's Motion to Dismiss and Stay Penalties and giving notice that responses to Staff's Motion to Consolidate must be filed with the Commission by 5 p.m. on August 10, 2022. Notice was also issued in Docket UE-210829 to allow any interested person to respond to Staff's Motion to Consolidate.

On August 25, 2022, the Commission issued Order 03, Denying Staff's Motion to Consolidate.

The Commission will now reconvene the continued prehearing conference and finds there is good cause to hear this matter on shortened notice. *See* WAC 480-07-440(1)(a) and RCW 34.05.434. The Commission also finds that any person intending to intervene in this matter must file a petition to intervene consistent with WAC 480-07-355(1) by 5 p.m. on Friday, September 2, 2022.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That it will reconvene the virtual prehearing conference in this matter at 1:30 p.m. on September 6, 2022. To attend via Zoom, please click here to join meeting. To attend by phone, please call (253) 215-8782 and enter the Meeting ID: 879 4987 2596# and Passcode: 406824#.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That any person intending to intervene in this matter must file a petition to intervene by 5 p.m. on September 2, 2022.

Andrew J. O'CONNELL Administrative Law Judge