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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

In the Matter of the Application of : Docket No. 03-035-14

PACIFICORP for Approval of an IRP-based:

Avoided Cost Methodology for QF Projects: MOTION TO EXTEND

Larger than One Megawatt : FILING DATE

PacifiCorp, doing business as Utah Power & Light Company ("PacifiCorp" or "Company") hereby moves the Public Service Commission to extend the date for PacifiCorp to file its revised avoided cost method from January 23, 2004 to February 3, 2004. In support of this motion, PacifiCorp states as follows:

- 1. On September 24, 2003, the Commission issued an order is this case regarding the Company's requested approval of an IRP-based methodology for setting avoided cost rates for qualifying facilities larger than one megawatt. In that order, the Commission directed the Company to file for approval within 60 days a revised avoided cost method.
- 2. That filing date was subsequently extended to January 23, 2004, in order to provide the QF work group with additional time to discuss unresolved issues.
- 3. Because the QF work group was unable to reach agreement on all the unresolved issues, and in order to provide the Commission and the parties with a more complete explanation of the basis for PacifiCorp's position, the Company intends to

include testimony with its revised avoided cost method filing. However, as a result of pending cases before this and other regulatory commissions and unexpected demands due to the winter outage and other issues, PacifiCorp requires additional time to prepare and file its testimony in this case.

4. PacifiCorp has discussed its proposed filing extension with the Division of Public Utilities, the Committee of Consumer Services and US Magnesium and none of those parties oppose the extension.

WHEREFORE, PacifiCorp respectfully requests that the Commission extend the filing date for PacifiCorp's revised avoided cost method to February 3, 2004.

DATED this	_ day of January, 2004.	
	Respectfully submitted,	

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this _____ day of January, 2004, I caused to be served via United States mail, postage prepaid, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Application of PacifiCorp to the following:

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