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**MEMORANDUM**

TO: Public Service Commission

FROM: Division of Public Utilities  
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DATE: January 21, 2005

Ref: Docket No. 04-035-70. PacifiCorp Complaint

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On or around December 20, 2004, David R. Irvine and Alan L. Smith, Attorneys for Petitioners, filed a petition and requested agency action in relation to the December 2003 power outage. In an action request dated December 23, the Commission asked the Division to investigate the matter and respond by January 24, 2005. The Division is currently in the middle of the investigation and is awaiting PacifiCorp's response to the complaint. In order for the Division to thoroughly investigate the matter, the Division is respectfully requesting the Commission to postpone the dead line for the Division's response until the Division gets a chance to see and study PacifiCorp's response to the complaint.

cc: Rea Petersen, DPU