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	AND PACIFICORP, DBA UTAH)Chairman Campbell
6	POWER & LIGHT COMPANY, FOR)
	AN ORDER AUTHORIZING)
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5	CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Let's go on the
6	record, docket number 05-035-54, In the Matter of
7	the Application of MidAmerican Energy Holdings
8	Company and PacifiCorp, DBA Utah Power & Light
9	Company, for an Order Authorizing Proposed
10	Transaction. And we'll take appearances for the
11	record.
12	MR. HUNTER: Edward Hunter for
13	PacifiCorp and MEHC.
14	MS. SCHMID: Patricia Schmid with the
15	Attorney General's Office for the Division of
16	Public Utilities.
17	MR. PROCTOR: Paul Proctor on behalf of
18	the Utah Committee of Consumer Services.
19	MR. DODGE: Gary Dodge with UAE.
20	MR. REEDER: And I'm Bob Reeder
21	appearing for a group of industrial customers who
22	are known on this record as UIEC.
23	MS. WRIGHT: Sarah Wright with Utah
24	Clean Energy.
25	CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right, thank

- 1 you. We're here today and this hearing was
- 2 noticed up for the sole purpose of reviewing the
- 3 amendment to the stipulation. Mr. Hunter?
- 4 MR. HUNTER: Mr. Chairman, we've handed
- out this morning testimony prepared by Mark C.
- 6 Moench, consisting of four pages of narrative and
- one exhibit. We request that it be marked, the
- 8 narrative be marked UPL Exhibit 2 and that the
- 9 attached exhibit be marked 2.2.
- 10 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right.
- 11 MR. HUNTER: And we'd offer that
- 12 exhibit.
- 13 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Are there any
- 14 objections?
- MS. SCHMID: None.
- 16 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right, we'll
- 17 admit it.
- 18 MR. HUNTER: Mr. Moench is prepared now
- 19 to give a summary of his testimony and answer
- 20 questions, if you'd like to do that now.
- 21 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Let's go ahead, and
- 22 my memory is Mr. Moench is already sworn in under
- 23 this docket.
- MR. HUNTER: Yes.
- 25 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Please proceed.

1	MR. MOENCH: Thank you, Chairman
2	Campbell, Commissioner Boyer and Commissioner
3	Allen. On behalf of MidAmerican Energy Holdings
4	Company and PacifiCorp, I appreciate the
5	opportunity to provide a summary of our status in
6	the case as to where we are now. I'd like to
7	thank the Commission for their January 27th order
8	approving the transaction. We're here today as a
9	result of the conditions in the stipulation that
10	was approved in the January 27th order dealing
11	with what we call the Most Favored States process
12	that allowed the parties in Utah to be able to
13	pick from stipulations and orders that were
14	entered into prior to the filing of our amendment
15	to the stipulation, which was filed on March 3rd
16	of this year.
17	That process went as follows: We
18	received our first written order from Utah on the
19	27th of January. Utah, having been the first
20	state to issue or enter into a comprehensive
21	stipulation settlement back on November 15th, had
22	a lot of catchup to do. We accordingly set up
23	meetings with the parties, approximately three
24	meetings over the course of February and early
25	March, to put together the list of additional

- 1 commitments and ordering conditions that the Utah
- 2 parties wanted to adopt. There were at the time,
- 3 at the initial part of that process, simply
- 4 stipulations out there, and then subsequently,
- 5 after Utah's order, the rest of the states entered
- 6 orders culminating with the Wyoming order on
- 7 February 28th. So it was an iterative process of
- 8 the parties selecting various modifications to
- 9 existing commitments or entirely new commitments
- 10 that were then added to the Utah stipulation that
- 11 concluded once we saw the Wyoming order on the
- 12 28th.
- 13 There were, in most instances, very
- 14 minor changes that came out of the other
- 15 Commission's orders that were either ordering
- 16 conditions or slightly new modifications to the
- 17 language, but Utah had the total benefit of being
- able to view all of those and then incorporate
- 19 that in on March 3rd.
- We then went through all the other
- 21 states this past week and completed that iterative
- 22 process with those other states so that they could
- see the orders issued and adopt any new changes
- 24 from those orders into this proceeding, into their
- 25 particular stipulation.

1	As a result, we're at a point in time in
2	the process where we have now before the parties
3	the universe of all the conditions and commitments
4	out there, and this hearing in Utah is the last
5	one before what we would call our second round of
6	orders comes out adopting the most specific state
7	commitments that have been added in. Accordingly,
8	we are optimistic that all the Commissions have
9	given us a green light that they will have orders
10	out between as early as today, but no later than
11	March 15th, to finalize this Most Favored States
12	process.
13	None of the orders that come out of that
14	process we expect to contain any new conditions
15	than what has been presented by all the parties,
16	with the understanding being that if there were
17	new ones, it potentially triggers the Most Favored
18	States process again, where we come into this kind
19	of endless loop of going back around. So
20	accordingly, it's been a very helpful, productive
21	process, with the Commission's understanding of
22	implications of that, and I think we're going to
23	stay with our stipulations that have been filed
24	with the Commissions.
25	Let me briefly describe where we ended

- 1 up, then. In Utah we've added approximately 40
- 2 commitments in total to the original list of
- 3 stipulation commitments that were filed with the
- 4 Commission back in November, and then were the
- 5 subject to the Commission's order on January 27th.
- 6 They represent approximately 20 commitments that
- 7 contain modified language to what Utah had already
- 8 proposed, and then essentially 20 new commitments
- 9 that came out of that process.
- 10 By the way, let me indicate that Utah
- 11 really helped take a leadership role in this by
- 12 having the first comprehensive settlement. The
- 13 language that was in that settlement stipulation
- and commitments, as presented to the other
- 15 parties, really gave them a head start to review
- the language, offer some helpful improvements to
- 17 that language, and then begin from a base to add
- 18 some additional concepts. So it really helped us
- in our entire process.
- 20 So having come back around now, we're
- looking at the amendment to stipulation, which we
- have filed on March 3rd, that reflects these 20
- 23 new commitments and modifications to an additional
- 24 20 commitments. And let me cover a sampling of
- what we've addressed in here.

1	In the category of those that modified
2	existing language in the Utah stipulation, there
3	were, as an example of very minor changes, General
4	Commitment number 12, dealing with notification
5	for an acquisition that MidAmerican might do in
6	the future, was simply modified to use the words
7	"in writing" by another state, and the Utah
8	parties felt that was appropriate to adopt for
9	Utah. So that was an example of a very minor
10	change to an existing commitment.
11	Some, however, were more expansive.
12	There were provisions already dealing with ring
13	fencing in the Utah stipulation, but then General
14	Commitment number 11 was expanded in 11, subset
15	(c) to include notice to the Commission in the
16	event we were to change any of the ring fencing
17	conditions that are being adopted in this
18	transaction for PacifiCorp. And further, that in
19	addition to the notice, there would be a threshold
20	of information in that notice, the first being
21	that no changes would be made unless the
22	independent director that is required to be on our
23	board as part of the ring fencing provision, that
24	independent director has to vote to approve any
25	changes in the ring fencing.

1	The second element of that condition
2	deals with a credit downgrade. We have provided
3	notice that there will be no credit downgrade as a
4	result of any change to the ring fencing
5	provisions if we should make them. It's a little
6	bit redundant because some of these concepts are
7	already built into the actual ring fencing
8	provisions, but it doesn't hurt to have them in a
9	commitment, and we're happy to comply in that
LO	fashion. So that's an example of the range of
L1	modifications within the existing commitments that
L2	were made.
L3	With regard to the 20 new commitments
L4	that were offered, the range of issues goes from
L5	U29, which deals with the requirement to provide a
L6	non-consolidation opinion in regards to the ring
L7	fencing. That provision requires us to get an
L8	opinion from a law firm. In this case I believe
L9	we're going to use Wilke Farr, and they are going
20	to provide an opinion to the effect that in the
21	event of a bankruptcy of any affiliated or
22	subsidiary or parent of PacifiCorp, that the ring
23	fencing provision we put in place will protect
24	PacifiCorp's assets from being drawn in and
25	consolidated in a bankruptcy of any of our

- 1 subsidiaries or affiliates or our parent, should
- 2 that ever occur. This provides great independence
- and protection for PacifiCorp going forward.
- 4 That's an example of fairly substantial commitment
- 5 that we've made as far as new commitments.
- 6 U45 covers a study of transmission
- 7 alternatives which we are offering. In addition,
- 8 we are providing for a reduction in the West
- 9 Valley lease relative to non-fuel costs. That's
- in U46. That will amount to approximately
- 11 \$417,000 per month over the term of the lease,
- 12 which will reduce that resource cost to
- ratepayers. It's a system-wide commitment, but
- 14 Utah's allocated share will be significant. I
- think the estimate is that that should amount to
- 16 about \$10.8 million between now and the term of
- the lease, and Utah's roughly 40 percent allocated
- 18 share of that should be very attractive to Utah.
- 19 That lease reduction also will result in
- a deferral of that amount, of the monthly amount,
- 21 beginning the month after close of the
- 22 transaction. And that seques into our
- 23 modifications that we made to the stipulation that
- 24 was filed back with the list of commitments back
- 25 in November. The stipulation now contains a

- 1 provision, as filed on March 3rd, that we will
- 2 petition the Commission or we ask the Commission
- in this order to require us to set up a deferral
- 4 account to capture that lease savings cost. And
- 5 that makes sense. That actually came out of an
- 6 order from the Washington Commission. That was
- 7 the only modification they made to their order
- 8 from the standard commitments, was ordering us to
- 9 set up a deferral account, which we had planned to
- 10 do in any event. And that was adopted by Utah.
- 11 We put it in our stipulation.
- 12 In addition, paragraph 16 in the
- 13 stipulation deals with the parties supporting
- 14 recovery of the prudently-incurred costs
- 15 associated with our IGCC studies that we're
- 16 proposing to do. And that's just a sampling of
- 17 the changes that are reflected in the stipulation
- that's been filed on March 3rd, and which the
- 19 parties have requested this Commission base its
- 20 new order upon.
- In closing, I would just like to
- indicate that the initial list of commitments
- 23 numbered 50 in number, both the general
- 24 commitments and 28 Utah-specific commitments, with
- an addition here of 40 new commitments or

- 1 modifications to existing commitments, which will,
- 2 in our view, add substantial benefit for Utah and
- 3 Utah ratepayers. These terms are just and
- 4 reasonable. They also are in the public interest.
- 5 And accordingly, we respectfully request an order
- 6 approving the transaction and these new
- 7 stipulations.
- 8 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right, thank
- 9 you. Do any of the parties have questions?
- MS. SCHMID: No.
- 11 MR. PROCTOR: No, thank you.
- 12 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right. We'll
- hold our questions to the end after we've heard
- from all the witnesses. Ms. Schmid?
- 15 MS. SCHMID: Thank you. The Division
- 16 would like to call Mr. Charles Peterson as a
- 17 witness. He has previously been sworn in this
- 18 matter, I believe.
- Mr. Peterson, you understand that you
- are still testifying today under oath?
- 21 MR. PETERSON: Yes.
- 22 MS. SCHMID: I've handed out two
- documents marked as DPU Exhibits 1.0 and 1.1,
- 24 which consist of a statement from Mr. Peterson
- consisting of three pages, including the title

- 1 page, and a three-page chart discussing the
- 2 changes. Mr. Peterson will address those.
- Were you involved in the negotiations
- 4 and agreements that gave rise to the amended
- 5 stipulation?
- 6 MR. PETERSON: Yes.
- 7 MS. SCHMID: Do you have comments
- 8 regarding the amended stipulation that you would
- 9 like to provide today?
- 10 MR. PETERSON: Yes, I do.
- MS. SCHMID: And those are contained in
- 12 the exhibits handed out?
- MR. PETERSON: Yes.
- MS. SCHMID: Could you please read
- 15 Exhibit 1.0 into the record.
- 16 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Ms. Schmid, before
- 17 we do that, I don't have the whole docket before
- me. You've provided prior testimony, so I
- 19 wouldn't be surprised if we don't already have it,
- 20 DPU Exhibit 1, on this record.
- MS. SCHMID: Could we then, perhaps,
- 22 change these to Exhibit 2.0 and 2.1 just in case?
- 23 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Did you only have
- 24 one exhibit?
- MS. SCHMID: No, we have two, so this

1 will be -- sorry -- 3.0 and 3.1. CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Let's do that. 2 3 MS. SCHMID: Thank you. CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: So we'll mark DPU 4 Exhibit 3 and DPU Exhibit 3.1. 5 6 MS. SCHMID: Thank you for the 7 correction. 8 MR. PETERSON: "On March 3rd, 2006, the 9 parties, including MEHC and PacifiCorp, agreed to 10 an amended stipulation implementing the Most Favored States clause of the original stipulation 11 in this matter. The following outlines my 12 13 testimony regarding this matter. 14 "The general features of the stipulated 15 settlement with PacifiCorp were discussed in my 16 written and oral testimony submitted for and during the hearing on December 12th, 2005. For 17 this hearing I will briefly review the changes 18 19 that the parties, with the concurrence of MEHC and PacifiCorp, are proposing that the Commission 20 21 adopt. The Division believes that the amended 22 stipulation is an improvement over the original 23 stipulation, since we able to pick and choose 24 improved language and features from the 25 settlements negotiated with MEHC in other

- 1 jurisdictions subsequent to our settlement.
- 2 "There are four types of changes being
- 3 recommended. The first type is where the parties
- 4 are adopting modified language for substantially
- 5 the same commitment. Little more will be said
- 6 about the commitments in this category.
- 7 "The second type of change is where
- 8 there were substantial modifications to a
- 9 commitment in other states, such that the parties
- 10 have elected to substitute the commitment
- 11 negotiated in other states for the original Utah
- 12 commitment.
- "The third type is the adoption of new
- 14 commitments made in other states subsequent to the
- 15 original Utah stipulation.
- 16 "The fourth type of commitment relates
- 17 to paragraphs included in the amended stipulation
- 18 itself. Unlike the other commitments, these may
- include actions the parties agreed to and are not
- 20 necessarily commitments solely of PacifiCorp or
- 21 MEHC. And Exhibit 1.1 summarizes the commitment
- 22 under discussion."
- MS. SCHMID: Pardon me. Would that now
- 24 be Exhibit 3.1?
- MR. PETERSON: Excuse me, that's

- 1 correct, 3.1.
- 2 "In my opinion, the changes to general
- 3 commitments 6, 12, 14, 15, 43, 48, Utah-specific
- 4 commitments U3, U28 fit into the first category of
- 5 modified language.
- 6 "There were some substantial
- 7 modifications or substitutions to several of the
- 8 commitments. I will review some of these that I
- 9 think are more noteworthy.
- "General Commitment 11 is changed to
- 11 provide the Commission with notice of any
- 12 substantive changes in PacifiCorp's ring fencing
- 13 procedures.
- "General Commitment 42 adopts language
- from Oregon that specifies the creation of a
- 16 working group to study global warming issues. The
- 17 primary change to Utah commitment U16 is to move
- 18 language from the stipulation -- or to the
- 19 stipulation regarding the parties' support for
- 20 prudent cost recovery of IGCC-related studies.
- 21 "There are 20 new commitments, including
- two new general commitments. General Commitment
- 23 52 is a company commitment to study expansion
- options at the Blundell Geothermal plant.
- 25 "General Commitment 53 is a commitment

- 1 to study the feasibility of a transmission line
- from Jim Bridger, Wyoming to Miners Substation in
- 3 Wyoming.
- 4 "A number of the new commitments add
- 5 little in the economic value of the acquisition to
- 6 Utah ratepayers, but reflect language that various
- 7 parties in other states felt they wanted in the
- 8 acquisition. Many of these put in language
- 9 regarding legal rights that are already existing
- or commit the company to consider something or
- other.
- "An example of a commitment to
- 13 already-existing legal obligation is new Utah
- 14 commitment U35 that derives from Idaho language
- 15 whereby the company agrees to abide by its water
- 16 rights agreements. Some of the new commitments
- are essentially generic, since their application
- in one state makes them applicable everywhere.
- 19 For example, Utah commitment U30 forbids the
- 20 company to pay dividends if its secured debt falls
- 21 to or blow triple B-minus. Parenthetically, I
- 22 would note that in such a case, any unsecured debt
- would likely have fallen to junk status and the
- 24 Division would probably file an objection under
- Utah law to any proposed dividend payments.

- 1 However, the Utah parties felt that if they were
- 2 in the commitments given to other states, we
- 3 should have them, too.
- 4 Some of the new commitments are helpful
- 5 in strengthening ring fencing or otherwise making
- 6 for better terms of the acquisition. A ring
- 7 fencing-related commitment is Utah commitment U29
- 8 whereby the company will obtain an opinion that
- 9 the proposed ring fencing provisions are adequate
- 10 to protect the company in the event of the
- 11 bankruptcy of an affiliate." And Mr. Moench
- 12 earlier spoke at some lengths about that.
- "Utah Commitment U32 gives the
- 14 Commission authority to review any PacifiCorp
- merger with another public utility.
- 16 "Utah Commitment U45 permits the company
- 17 to study the feasibility of building a
- transmission line from Wyoming to Ben Lomond,
- 19 Utah.
- "Utah Commitment U46," again something
- 21 Mr. Moench spoke about, "commits the company to
- 22 reduce non-fuel costs to customers at the West
- Valley plant by \$417,000 per month.
- 24 "There were additional commitments added
- 25 to the stipulation document itself. The various

- 1 parts of paragraph 15 provide that PacifiCorp and
- the parties will confer, meet or work together
- 3 given the specified situations. Paragraph 16
- 4 provides that the parties will support prudent
- 5 IGCC-related study costs. Paragraph 18 clarifies
- 6 General Commitment 14(f), and paragraph 20
- 7 indicates a post-acquisition administrative
- 8 cleanup." This was related to the formation of
- 9 the deferred accounts that Mr. Moench mentioned
- 10 earlier.
- "Paragraph 21 commits the company to
- 12 provide a post-acquisition organization chart of
- 13 PacifiCorp's new affiliate relations.
- 14 "Paragraphs 17 and 19," in the new
- 15 stipulation, "refer to the repeal of PUHCA, and
- 16 current or future FERC rules or decisions. At the
- 17 time my testimony was written for the December
- 18 12th, 2005 hearing on this matter, FERC had not
- 19 yet issued" -- I'm prepared today -- "FERC had not
- 20 yet issued its final rules. My testimony was then
- and remains that 'what the post-PUCHA world will
- 22 be like is a work in progress.' There is at
- 23 present no actual issue that has arisen that is a
- 24 cause for concern. However, the parties want to
- 25 alert the Commission that new federal involvement

- in regulation may be an issue that deserves some
- 2 attention.
- 3 "The Division joins with PacifiCorp and
- 4 MEHC and the other parties in its continued
- 5 advocacy of this acquisition and recommends that
- 6 the Commission adopt the amended stipulation, with
- 7 the attached commitments, as beneficial and in the
- 8 public interest.
- 9 "And this concludes my prepared
- 10 remarks."
- 11 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Thank you,
- 12 Mr. Peterson. Do any of the parties have
- 13 questions for Mr. Peterson?
- MR. HUNTER: No, thank you.
- 15 MS. SCHMID: DPU would like to move the
- admission of Exhibits 3.0 and 3.1.
- 17 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Are there any
- 18 objections?
- MR. DODGE: No objections.
- 20 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right, we'll
- 21 admit it.
- 22 Mr. Proctor?
- MR. PROCTOR: The Committee has nothing
- 24 to present. Thank you.
- 25 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right.

- 1 MR. ALLEN: I have a question for
- 2 Mr. Peterson. I've read the Oregon order and the
- 3 other orders, and it seems that when we set up the
- 4 global warming work within IGCC work groups, that
- 5 there's not much structure there. Are you
- 6 comfortable that there is a requirement to meet
- 7 regularly and have some sort of output from those
- 8 working groups?
- 9 MR. PETERSON: Well, the Oregon order
- 10 speaks for itself. I think that the Oregon order
- and stipulation recognizes that this will be
- organized and the meetings will necessarily have
- 13 to be organized internally. I think that there is
- enough interest that if PacifiCorp doesn't pursue
- it, then certainly the states will, on their own
- 16 initiative, pursue it. So I'm comfortable that
- 17 something will get done in those regards.
- 18 MR. ALLEN: Thank you.
- 19 MS. MURRAY: Commissioner Allen, I would
- 20 just add that regarding the IGCC working group, it
- 21 kind of overlaps with IRP, the RFP and the IGCC
- 22 working group. So we had a meeting last week -- I
- think it was last week -- and we talked about how
- 24 we were going to bring all of these things
- together, because there are not necessarily the

- 1 same people participating in each of those groups.
- 2 So it is a work in progress, but there is a
- 3 commitment to move ahead and to actually get
- 4 something done.
- 5 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: And let me say just
- 6 for the record that is Cheryl Murray. And she
- 7 also was previously sworn?
- 8 MS. MURRAY: Yes.
- 9 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Thank you.
- 10 MR. PETERSON: If I may add to that,
- 11 with regard to the RFP and the IGCC issue, there
- is a separate schedule that the company and the
- parties are following to pursue an investigation
- of that in the RFP docket.
- 15 MR. ALLEN: That's helpful. Thank you.
- 16 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Is it a fair reading
- 17 of the West Valley lease commitment that this does
- 18 not preclude the other parties in the rate case to
- 19 argue that recovery should be more or less than
- 20 that?
- MR. DODGE: Yes.
- MS. SCHMID: Yes.
- 23 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: I just wanted to
- 24 make sure that was clear. Ms. Murray, where is
- 25 the Miners Substation and will that transmission

- 1 affect the constraints in the Utah bubble?
- 2 MR. MOENCH: Let me introduce Andrea
- 3 Kelly, who's been my colleague over the last eight
- 4 months going through the transaction. She's
- 5 Managing Director of Projects with PacifiCorp.
- 6 MR. HUNTER: She has not been sworn.
- 7 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Let's go ahead and
- 8 qualify her. Would you please stand.
- 9 (The witness was sworn)
- 10 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Thank you.
- MR. HUNTER: Would you state your name
- 12 and business address for the record.
- MS. KELLY: My name is Andrea Kelly and
- 14 my business address is 825 Northeast Multomah
- 15 Street, Portland, Oregon. And in response to your
- 16 question, the Miners Substation is located near
- 17 the Foot Creek wind project that we currently have
- in Wyoming, and it will -- it is intended to look
- 19 at -- one of the commitments has us looking at
- 20 making sure that we combine the Bridger and Miners
- 21 with the Bridger and Ben Lomond system impact to
- 22 make sure that we're looking at ways to bring that
- 23 wind resource into the system in a way that is
- 24 compatible with the other resources that have
- 25 Bridger.

- 1 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: So that transmission
- 2 line essentially is to assist with the Foot Creek
- 3 project? Or does it help at all on the
- 4 Bridger-Ben Lomond?
- 5 MS. KELLY: It does not, as far as
- 6 changing the constraints on the Bridger-Ben
- 7 Lomond. What it allows us to do is tap into a
- 8 larger wind resource up in that Miners area where
- 9 there is substantial wind resource and a
- 10 high-quality wind resource that in our study was
- 11 sort of combined with the addition of coal
- 12 resources in the Bridger area.
- 13 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right. Let's
- 14 take a short recess.
- 15 (Recess)
- 16 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: Let's go back on the
- 17 record. We've decided to approve the motion
- 18 that's been presented to us as related in the
- 19 amendment to the stipulation. Mr. Hunter, would
- 20 you be willing to prepare a draft order for us?
- 21 MR. HUNTER: I will.
- 22 CHAIRMAN CAMPBELL: All right. We'll
- 23 adjourn.
- 24 (Whereupon, the proceedings were concluded at 9:40
- 25 a.m.)

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	STATE OF UTAH)
4) ss.
	COUNTY OF SALT LAKE)
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6	This is to certify that the
	foregoing public hearing held before Chairman
7	Campbell was held in the State of Utah;
8	That the above-named proceedings were
	taken by me in stenotype, and thereafter caused by
9	me to be transcribed into typewriting, and that a
	full, true, and correct transcription of said
LO	testimony so taken and transcribed is set forth in
	the foregoing pages.
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	I further certify that I am not of kin or
L2	otherwise associated with any of the parties to
	said cause of action, and that I am not interested
L3	in the event thereof.
L 4	Witness my hand and official seal at Salt
	Lake City, Utah, this 19th day of March, 2006.
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	My commission expires:
L6	May 24, 2007
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L9	Kathy H. Morgan, CSR, RPR
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