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MEMORANDUM

To: Utah Public Service Commission

From: Division of Public Utilities

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Subject: In the Matter of the Application of PacifiCorp, by and Through its Rocky

Mountain Power Division, for Approval of a Solicitation Process for a Flexible Resource for the 2012-2017 Time Period, and for Approval of a Significant

Energy Resource Decision, Docket No. 07-035-94.

Date: November 20, 2008

PacifiCorp (Company) released its 2008 All-Source Request for Proposals (RFP) in early October. The RFP is intended to cover the 2012 to 2017 time period. To date, a bidder's conference was held and Notices of Intent were also received in October. In the immediate future, the benchmark bid is to be delivered December 2, with complete bidder proposals due on December 16.

The Utah Division of Public Utilities (Division) will continue to monitor the 2008 All-Source RFP process and work with the Utah Independent Evaluator. In addition, the Division will report on RFP developments to the Commission on a regular basis. No further action is required at this time.

Cc: Dave Taylor, Rocky Mountain Power

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