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## **ACTION REQUEST RESPONSE**

**To:** Public Service Commission of Utah

From: Division of Public Utilities

Chris Parker, Director

**Energy Section** 

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**Date:** May 18, 2016

**Re:** Docket No. 16-035-15 PacifiCorp's Results of Operations Report for Utah

Jurisdiction for the Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2015.

On April 29, 2016, Rocky Mountain Power ("Company") filed with the Commission its December 2015 Results of Operations and a confidential Wind Resources Report for the twelve months ended December 31, 2015. The wind report was provided in compliance with the Commission's final order in Docket No. 07-035-93. On April 29, 2016, the Commission issued an Action Request to the Division requesting a review of the filing for compliance and to make recommendations. The Commission asked the Division to report back by May 31, 2016.

Upon initial review of the filing, the Division has determined that the review will require requests for information from the Company and the preparation of DPU in-house modeling of spreadsheets and review procedures. The Company has told the Division that its initial request for a reconciliation of the results to its FERC Form 1 and SEC 10 K filings for 2015 will take up to 4 to 6 weeks. Under the current process, data requests issued after receiving the reconciliation would require a 30 day turnaround. Additional follow-up data requests to the Company would require an additional 30 Days. Therefore,



the Division is hereby requesting that the Commission extend the due date of the

Division's response to the Action Request to September 30, 2016. This will allow the

Division adequate time to make the proper review and recommendations.

Under this same Docket number, the Commission has just recently issued an

investigation action request to the Division directing it to specifically look at a matter

related to the 2015 semi-annual (Supplemental action request - Customer Numbers). The

Division requests that this supplemental action request be combined with the first action

request mentioned above and that the extension apply to the combination. Thus both

request will be done in conjunction and reported on at the same time under the extension.

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