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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Approval of a Energy Service Contract between Rocky Mountain Power and Kennecott Utah Copper, LLC

Docket No. 16-035____

APPLICATION OF ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER FOR APPROVAL OF ENERGY SERVICES AGREEMENT

Pursuant to UTAH CODE ANN. § 63G-4-201 and UTAH ADMIN. R. 746-100-3, Rocky Mountain Power, a division of PacifiCorp ("Rocky Mountain Power" or the "Company"), hereby submits an application ("Application") to the Public Service Commission of Utah ("Commission") requesting approval of an Energy Services Agreement ("Agreement") with Kennecott Utah Copper, LLC. ("Kennecott").

In support of this Application, Rocky Mountain Power states as follows:

1. Rocky Mountain Power is a division of PacifiCorp, an Oregon corporation that provides electric service to retail customers through its Rocky Mountain Power division in the states of Utah, Wyoming, and Idaho, and through its Pacific Power division in the states of Oregon, California, and Washington. Rocky Mountain Power is a public utility in the state of Utah and is subject to the Commission's jurisdiction with respect to its prices and terms of electric service to retail customers in Utah. The Company serves approximately 870,000 customers in Utah. Rocky Mountain Power's principal place of business in Utah is 1407 West North Temple, Suite 310, Salt Lake City, Utah 84116.

2. Communications regarding this Application should be addressed to:

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In addition, Rocky Mountain Power respectfully requests that all data requests

regarding this matter be addressed to:

By e-mail (preferred):	datarequest@pacificorp.com
By regular mail:	Data Request Response Center PacifiCorp 825 NE Multnomah, Suite 2000 Portland, OR 97232

Informal inquiries may be directed to Bob Lively at (801) 220-4052.

3. The Company currently provides back-up and supplemental electric service to Kennecott through an Electric Service Agreement ("2014 Agreement"), dated June 27, 2014. The 2014 Agreement was approved by the Commission through a bench ruling at the conclusion of the hearing on November 20, 2014, in Docket No. 14-035-117. The 2014 Agreement expires November 30, 2016. 4. Following extensive negotiations, the Company and Kennecott have reached a new Agreement with rates, terms, and conditions for electric service through December 31, 2025, a copy of which is attached as Confidential Exhibit A hereto. The Agreement is subject to approval of the Commission.

5. In support of the Agreement, the Company will file testimony on August 15, 2016, supplementing and supporting this Application, that provides a comprehensive overview of the material terms and conditions included in the Agreement, and economic analysis supporting the Agreement as just and reasonable.

With the currently approved 2014 Agreement set to expire November 30,
2016, the Company requests a schedule that will allow for a hearing and Commission decision prior to expiration of the 2014 Agreement.

REQUESTED RELIEF

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing and by this Application, Rocky Mountain Power respectfully requests that the Commission:

- a) Set a scheduling conference in this matter on August 16, 2016, in order to set a procedural schedule that will, to the extent possible, enable the Commission to approve the Agreement prior to November 30, 2016;
- b) Protect the confidential information in the Agreement from disclosure;
- c) Approve the Company's application for approval of the Agreement, as filed; and
- d) Grant such other relief it deems just and reasonable and in the public interest.

DATED: August 5, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

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