

June 29, 2012

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING AND OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

GaryWiderburg Commission Secretary Public Service Commission of Utah Heber M. Wells Building 160 East 300 South Salt Lake City, Utah 84145

Re: Notice of Sole Source Contract with URS Corporation

Commissioners:

In accordance with the Company's procurement policy, we hereby notify you that PacifiCorp has revised a contract with URS. The original contract was approved for \$2,400,000 the contract revision is estimated not to exceed \$1,000,000 for calendar year 2012 for a contract total of 3,400,000.

The original contract with URS was competitively tendered on September 28, 2010 with an approved limit of \$2,400,000. This revision is a non-competitive procurement continuation of ongoing professional engineering services at the Ashton Dam remediation project through its completion in December 2012. Bring another firm in at this time would add unnecessary costs and delay to the completion of the project.

This sole source procurement contract was authorized by Mark Tallman, Vice President, Renewable Resources, PacifiCorp Energy.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Dave Taylor at 801-220-2923.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey K. Larsen Vice President, Regulation & Government Affairs

cc: Division of Public Utilities
Office of Consumer Services