

June 29, 2012

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING AND OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Gary Widerburg 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 Provida Management Group LLC

Commissioners:

In accordance with the Company's procurement policy, we hereby notify you that PacifiCorp has renewed its contract with Provida Management Group which exceeds \$500,000. The contract is the first two-year extension through December 31, 2013, for \$625,000 the original cost of the competitively bid contract.

Provida Management Group provides weed abatement, resource management planning, monitoring and environmental consulting services for hydro east. The original contract was awarded after a competitive bid process in May 2006.

This contract extension was authorized on January 18, 2012, by Karen Amabile, Director of Sourcing and Procurement, PacifiCorp.

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