

January 30, 2014

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 EMC Corp

Commissioners:

In accordance with the Company's procurement policy, we hereby notify you that PacifiCorp has entered into sole source contract with EMC Corp which exceeds \$500,000. The contract has a projected cost of \$2,562,784.

EMC provides data storage systems to PacifiCorp under a Master Service Agreement with MidAmerican Energy Holdings Company. Under this contract EMC will provide a VMAX, 375 terabyte replacement storage array. The new storage array is a lifecycle replacement of obsolete hardware with a newer model with new technology. The introduction of this new array will increase the stability of the one of the base infrastructure components that supports all of the Company's corporate information technology applications. EMC is the standard for the data storage equipment and is the only known provider/supplier who can meet PacifiCorp's documented standard. The purchase was made consistent with the terms of a 3 year pricing contract in place with EMC

The sole source procurement contract was authorized November 21, 2013, by Robert Metcalf, Senior Director Technology Management and IT Infrastructure Services.

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

Sincerely.

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cc: Division of Public Utilities
Office of Consumer Services