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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

In the Matter of the Application of PacifiCorp)	DOCKET NO. 06-035-21
for Approval of its Proposed Electric Rate)	
Schedules & Electric Service Regulations)	MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF
)	STIPULATION
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PacifiCorp hereby moves the Public Service Commission of Utah (the “Commission”) for approval of the Stipulation dated May 3, 2006 (the “Stipulation”) which was filed with this Motion. The grounds for this Motion are as follows:

1. On March 7, 2006, PacifiCorp filed an application, together with revenue requirement, cost of service, rate spread and rate design testimony, for a rate increase of \$197.2 million based on a 12 month forecast test period ending September 30, 2007.
- 2.. On April 4, 2006, the Commission issued an order establishing the schedule for this proceeding. On April 18, 2006, and May 1, 2006, the Commission issued orders amending the schedule for test period testimony and hearings.
3. Since PacifiCorp’s general rate case filing, the parties whose signatures appear on the signature pages of the Stipulation (collectively referred to herein as the “Parties”) have

engaged in settlement discussions regarding test period and revenue requirement issues, including discussions regarding timing and audit issues. The settlement conferences were open to all parties.

4. As a result of those discussions, the Parties have reached agreement that the changes in the procedural schedule specified in the Stipulation are necessary and desirable in order to allow additional time for analysis, discussion and possible resolution of issues in this case.

5. Under the schedule proposed in the Stipulation, a Commission order may not be issued in time to allow the implementation of new tariffs by the December 11, 2006, rate effective date. As a result, the Parties have also reached agreement on a procedure, as specified in the Stipulation, for the collection of the amounts due for service provided between December 11, 2006, and the rate implementation date.

6. As specified in the Stipulation, the Parties agree that the terms of the Stipulation are just and reasonable and otherwise in the public interest.

Wherefore, PacifiCorp requests that the Commission grant this motion and approve the Stipulation.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 5th day of May, 2006

By _____
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF STIPULATION to be served upon the following via Electronic mail at the addresses below on May 5, 2006:

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