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MEMORANDUM

To: Public Service Commission

From: Chris Parker, Director
Artie Powell, Energy Section Manager
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Date: March 21, 2012

Re: Docket No. 09-035-23, Division's Audit of PacifiCorp's 2011 Fuel Inventory Policies and Practices

In the 2009 General Rate Case Order in Docket No. 09-035-23, dated February 18, 2010, the Division of Public Utilities (Division) was charged with conducting an annual review of Rocky Mountain Power's (Company) coal inventory policies and practices. The Division requests that the Public Service Commission grant a time extension for the Division's current annual memorandum concerning coal inventories. While the Division finds that Company coal inventory policy remains the same with no major changes, the Division is waiting for an outstanding data request necessary to complete its investigation. A response to this data request is anticipated in the first week of April. The Division requests that the due date for the Division's memorandum be extended to Friday, April 20, 2012.

CC Dave Taylor, Rocky Mountain Power
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