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Public Service Commission of Utah
Heber M. Wells Building
160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, Utah 84110

Attn: Ms. Julie Orchard, Commission Secretary

Re: Notice of 2011 Request for Proposals and Request to Open Docket

Dear Commissioners:

For purposes of opening a docket, Rocky Mountain Power hereby notifies the Commission, pursuant to Rule 746-420-1(3)(a), that it intends to conduct a solicitation process for a flexible resource forecast to be in service in 2016. It is anticipated that the Company will file with the Commission a draft Solicitation and Solicitation Process by July 29, 2011. Rocky Mountain Power requests that the Commission appoint an independent evaluator for the solicitation process. This notice is step one in a multi-step process that the Company anticipates undertaking in order to acquire a significant energy resource for the 2016 time period.

In addition, Rocky Mountain Power requests that all data requests regarding this notice and request be sent in Microsoft Word or plain text format to the following:

By email (preferred): datarequest@pacificorp.com

By regular mail: Data Request Response Center
PacifiCorp
825 NE Multnomah, Suite 2000
Portland, Oregon 97232

Informal questions may be directed to Dave Taylor, Utah Regulatory Affairs Manager at (801) 220-2923.

Best Regards,

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