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Attn: Gary Widerburg
Commission Secretary

**RE: Docket No. 11-2035-01
PacifiCorp's 2011 Integrated Resource Plan Update – Reply Comments**

Dear Mr. Widerburg:

PacifiCorp appreciates the Utah party comments on its 2011 Integrated Resource Plan Update (2011 IRP update), and particularly the emphasis on recommendations for the 2013 IRP development cycle. Commenting parties included the Utah Division of Public Utilities, Utah Office of Consumer Services, Western Resource Advocates, Southwest Energy Efficiency Project, Wasatch Wind Intermountain, and Utah Clean Energy.

The main issues covered by the parties included the following:

- Comprehensiveness of PacifiCorp's Coal Replacement Study Update
- Alignment of the IRP and annual business planning processes
- Wind and geothermal resource modeling assumptions and acquisition planning
- Reduction in forecasted PURPA Qualifying Facility capacity
- Combined Heat and Power (CHP) resources
- Carbon risk and assumptions concerning federal greenhouse gas regulations

The Company looks forward to continuing the dialog on these issues at the upcoming general public input meetings. It also agrees with the Office of Consumer Services that the appropriate venue for a discussion on IRP and business plan alignment is the Utah stakeholder input meeting to be scheduled for August 2012.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 29th day of June, 2012, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **2011 Integrated Resource Plan Update – Reply Comments** was served upon the following as indicated below:

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