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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

PacifiCorp’s Semi-Annual Hedging Report)	Docket No. 22-035-06
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)	UNOPPOSED MOTION TO
)	VACATE SCHEDULE AND
)	SET A SCHEDULING
)	CONFERENCE
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Pursuant to Utah Code § 54-10a-301 and UTAH ADMIN. CODE r. 746-1, the Office of Consumer Services (OCS) submits this Unopposed Motion to Vacate the Schedule set in the Public Service Commission of Utah’s (PSC) March 7, 2022, Notice of Virtual Technical Conference and Amended Notice of Comment Period and to set a Scheduling Conference. PacifiCorp initiated this docket on February 15, 2022, by filling its confidential Semi-Annual Hedging Report. On February 15, 2022, the PSC issued an Action Request seeking a review for compliance and recommendation from the Division of Public Utilities (DPU) due March 17, 2022. The PSC also issued a Notice of Filing and Comment Period, on February 18, 2022, requesting comments by March 17, 2022, and reply comments by April 1, 2022. On March 3, 2022, the DPU filed a request for an extension to respond to the action request to April 17, 2022 and requested a technical conference—noting that PacifiCorp made significant changes to its hedging program and that these changes are not well understood. On March 7, 2022, the PSC granted the DPU’s request.

Also on March 7, 2022, in a separate order, the PSC issued its Notice of Virtual Technical Conference and Amended Notice of Comment Period, setting a virtual technical conference for 1:00 on March 21, 2022, and extending the time for the filing of comments to April 18, 2022, and reply comments to May 3, 2022.

Several of the parties have conflicts with the date and time scheduled for the technical conference. Moreover, it is important for all interested parties to attend the technical conference because of the importance of the issue and the highly technical nature of the subject matter. In addition, because of the importance of the issue, it is likely that the conference will be of wide interest among various stakeholders. Accordingly, the OCS moves to vacate the schedule set out in the March 7, 2022, Notice of Virtual Technical Conference and Amended Notice of Comment Period and to hold a Scheduling Conference, in place of the technical conference, on March 21, 2022, at 1:00. A Scheduling Conference will allow the parties to agree on a date and time for the technical conference enabling the widest possible participation in the technical conference, which is in the public interest given the importance and technical nature of the subject matter. In addition, the dates for the comments should also be vacated and initial comments should be reset to take place a sufficient time after the technical conference to allow parties time to incorporate the information communicated in the technical conference into their comments.

The OCS has shown a copy of this motion to the DPU, PacifiCorp, and Utah Association of Energy Users and they have indicated that they support this motion. Therefore, the OCS moves to vacate the schedule contained in the PSC's March 7, 2022, Notice of Virtual Technical Conference and Amended Notice of Comment Period and to set a Scheduling Conference for March 21, 2022, at 1:00.

Respectfully Submitted March 9, 2022,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
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I CERTIFY that on March 9, 2022, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **Unopposed Motion to Vacate Schedule and Set a Scheduling Conference by the Office of Consumer Services** was served upon the following:

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