



201 South Main, Suite 2300
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

June 29, 2012

***VIA ELECTRONIC FILING
AND OVERNIGHT DELIVERY***

Gary Widerburg
Commission Secretary
Public Service Commission of Utah
Heber M. Wells Building
160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, Utah 84145

Re: Notice of Sole Source Contract with JH Fletcher Company

Commissioners:

In accordance with the Company's procurement policy, we hereby notify you that PacifiCorp has entered into a sole source purchase agreement with JH Fletcher. The estimated value of the equipment purchased is \$2,050,448.

JH Fletcher sales roof bolters utilized in long wall mining, the Company has purchased two new roof bolters for use at the Bridger mine. Effective continuous miner section development requires two roof bolters per section with one spare for rotation during maintenance of the other roof bolters. Bridger mine has three development sections in operation this will bring the roof bolter fleet total to seven.

The JH Fletcher roof bolter has a proven track record, both with Bridger Coal Company and in the mining industry for service, reliability and extended service life. JH Fletcher & Company has manufacturing facilities in the United States with a parts distributor in Rock Springs, Wyoming.

This sole source procurement contract was authorized on May 10, 2012 by Cindy Crane, Vice President of Interwest Mining Company.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Dave Taylor at 801-220-2923.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey K. Larsen
Vice President, Regulation & Government Affairs

cc: Division of Public Utilities
Office of Consumer Services