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

Re: Sole Source Contract Extension with Chilcote Engineering to Provide Engineering Consulting Services for the Protective Relay Schemes

Commissioners:

In accordance with the Company's procurement policy, we hereby notify you that Rocky Mountain Power, a division of PacifiCorp, has extended a sole source contract with Chilcote Engineering for \$544,000 the master service agreement is through December 31, 2012.

Presently, Chilcote Engineering is engaged by Rocky Mountain Power to perform an engineering upgrade of the Company's protective relay schemes. Chilcote was originally selected through a competitive bid process and entered into a two-year contract in 2009. The original contract had a one-year extension option which the Company has elected to execute.

This sole source procurement contract was authorized by Karen Amabile, Director of Sourcing and Procurement.

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