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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: Notice of Sole Source Contract with Prysmian Power Cables & Systems**

Commissioners:

In accordance with the Company's procurement policy, we hereby notify you that PacifiCorp has entered into a sole source contract extension with Prysmian Power Cables & Systems. The estimated value of the contract is up to \$1,100,000 over a two month period.

In 2009 PacifiCorp entered into a competitively awarded contract with Prysmian to supply cable and conductor. A new competitive bid process for the procurement of cable and conductor is currently underway. However, that process is not yet complete and the contract with Prysmian, which expired May 31, 2012, has been extended two months while the competitive bid process is completed.

This sole source procurement contract was authorized on June 12, 2012 by Geoff Matthews, Vice President, 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