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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Gary Widerburg
Commission Administrator
Public Service Commission of Utah
Heber M. Wells Building
160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

Re: Notice of Non-Competitive Procurement with Index AR

Dear Commissioners:

In accordance with PacifiCorp's ("the Company") Procurement Policy, the Company must report to the Public Service Commission of Utah ("Commission") purchases of goods or services exceeding \$1,000,000 that are not competitively bid. This letter hereby serves as notice that PacifiCorp has entered a non-competitively bid contract with Index AR that exceeds \$1,000,000. The contract is for training software for the Company's substation apprenticeship program. Index AR will create innovative mobile applications and eBooks that will deploy photos, videos, interactive graphics, animation, and augmented reality on unlimited mobile and desktop devices. The total contract price is \$ [REDACTED].

Pursuant to PacifiCorp's Procurement Policy, a supplier may be awarded a contract on a non-competitive basis under certain circumstances, such as when competitive bidding is impossible or impractical, or when otherwise a non-competitive procurement has been demonstrated to be in the best interest of the Company and its customers.

PacifiCorp has elected to use Index AR for this service because Index AR's previous experience working with MidAmerican Energy will allow the Company to enhance its craft technical training capability in a cost-effective manner. MidAmerican Energy has worked with Index AR over the past few years to transform its training material through the development of eBooks and mobile apps that feature company workers, instructors, management, and subject matter experts. PacifiCorp will be able to leverage the efforts that have already taken place between MidAmerican Energy and Index AR, which will provide consistent and engaging training and reference material for not only apprenticeship purposes but also tenured employees who would benefit from enhanced training. All the training materials will be available via mobile devices, increasing the accessibility to PacifiCorp's field employees. The Company's customers in Utah will benefit from this contract as it will provide enhanced and updated training materials to its employees who play an integral role in the Company's ability to provide safe and reliability electric service.

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If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jana Saba at 801-220-2823.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joelle Steward". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joelle" and the last name "Steward" clearly legible.

Joelle Steward

Senior Vice President, Regulation

cc: Division of Public Utilities
Office of Consumer Services