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RE: UE -290 —PacifiCorp's Motion for Standard Protective Order

PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power encloses for filing in the above-referenced docket its Motion for Standard Protective Order. As indicated on the attached certificate of service, a copy of this filing is being served on all parties on the service list.

If you have questions about this filing, please contact Natasha Siores, Director of Regulatory Affairs & Revenue Requirement, at (503) 813-6583.

Sincerely,

R. Bryce Dalley
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Enclosures

cc: Service List—UE-290

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON
UE 290**

In the Matter of
PACIFICORP d/b/a PACIFIC POWER,
2013 Power Cost Adjustment Mechanism.

PACIFICORP'S MOTION FOR
STANDARD PROTECTIVE ORDER

1 Under ORCP 36(C)(7) and OAR 860-001-0080(1), PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power
2 (PacifiCorp or Company) moves the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission) for
3 entry of a standard protective order in this proceeding. Good cause exists to issue a
4 protective order to protect commercially sensitive and confidential business information
5 related to the Company's net power costs, including forecasts of market prices and contract
6 provisions with third-parties.

7 The Commission's rules authorize PacifiCorp to seek reasonable restrictions on
8 discovery of trade secrets and other confidential business information.¹ The Commission's
9 standard protective order is designed to allow the broadest possible discovery consistent with
10 the need to protect confidential information.² PacifiCorp requests this protective order to
11 facilitate the communication of information between the parties and expedite the discovery
12 process.

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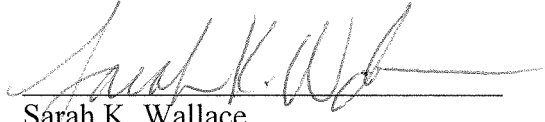
¹ See OAR 860-001-0000(1) (adopting the ORCP); ORCP 36(C)(7) (providing protection against unrestricted discovery of "trade secrets or other confidential research, development, or commercial information"). See also *In re Investigation into the Cost of Providing Telecommunication Service*, Docket UM 351, Order No. 91-500 (1991) (recognizing that protective orders are a reasonable means to protect trade secrets and other confidential commercial information and "to facilitate the communication of information between litigants").

² OAR 860-001-0080(2).

1 For these reasons, PacifiCorp respectfully requests that the Commission enter its
2 standard protective order in this docket.

Respectfully submitted this 27th day of May, 2014.

By:



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I served a true and correct copy of Pacific Power's 2013 Power Cost Adjustment Mechanism Motion for Protective Order on the parties listed below via electronic mail and/or US mail in compliance with OAR 860-001-0180.

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