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Public Utility Commission of Oregon Filing Center POB 1088 Salem, OR 97308-1088 Puc.filingcenter@state.or.us

RE: UM 1790 PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER

2017-2021 Renewable Portfolio Standard Implementation Plan

Attention Filing Center:

Small Business Utility Advocates ("SBUA") submits this Request for Payment in the above-referenced docket pursuant to Section 7.3 of the Third Amended and Restated Intervenor Funding Agreement approved by Order 15-335.

Please contact me with any questions.

I am available for any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Diane Henkels

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Enclosure

Cc: UM 1790 service list

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

UM 1790

In the Matter of)
PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER) REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF SMALL) BUSINESS UTILITY ADVOCATES
2017-2021 Renewable Portfolio Standard)
Implementation Plan)
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Pursuant Section 7.3 of the Third Amended and Restated Intervenor Funding Agreement ("IFA") approved by the Public Utility Commission of Oregon ("Commission") by Order 15-335, October 20, 2015, Small Business Utility Advocates ("SBUA") respectfully requests payment of SBUA's Issue Fund Grant in Docket No. UM 1790 in the amount of \$1,765.

On October 10, 2016 SBUA filed a Petition for Case Certification, and on November 9, 2016 in Order 16-428 the Commission granted SBUA's Application for Case Certification. On November 10, 2016, in Order No. I6-433, the Commission approved the Small Business Utility Advocates (SBUA) proposed budget for an Issue Fund Grant in this proceeding in the amount of \$1,365. Order No. 16-433 noted that SBUA proposed budget contained a mathematical error. On December 5, 2016, SBUA filed an amended proposed budget correcting the error and showing eligible expenses in the amount of \$2,207 and seeking an amended Issue Fund Grant in the amount of \$1,765, and the ALJ granted SBUA the amended proposed budget on December 6, 2016 in Order 16-462. On December 13, 2016, SBUA filed a Notice of Intent to Request an Issue Fund Grant. On January 11, 2017 SBUA participated in a Special Public Meeting in this docket which was SBUA's last work in the matter.

SBUA hereby requests that the Commission authorize final payment of the Issue Fund Grant in the amount of \$1,765 and includes SBUA's expenses in Attachment A.

This Request for Payment satisfies the requirements of the IFA as follows:

Section 7.3(a)—The itemized expenses, payees, and hourly rates are attached as

Exhibit A.

Section 7.3(b)—SBUA has been an active participant in this docket. SBUA intervened, procured technical input, produced detailed comment. The expenses included in the Confidential Exhibit A are reasonable and directly attributable to SBUA's participation in UM 1790.

Section 7.3(c)—The ALJ approved SBUA's Amended proposed budget on December 6, 2016. In addition, SBUA used its own funds to pay for at least 20% of the Eligible Expenses as required by Sections 6.5 & 7.3(c) of the IFA.

Section 7.3(d)—This Request for Payment constitutes a Final Request for Payment in this Docket.

Section 7.4—All of the expenses included Exhibit A are Eligible Expenses as defined in Section 7.4 of the IFA because they relate to services provided or expenses incurred by SBUA's outside legal counsel and SBUA staff. Relevant non-privileged documents substantiating the Eligible Expenses in Exhibit A are available for Commission audit, if requested, pursuant to Section 7.10 of the IFA.

The IFA states that the granting of "an Issue Fund Grant shall constitute a binding obligation on the Commission to order reimbursement of Eligible Expenses." IFA Sec. 6.5. Likewise, the intervenor funding rules adopted by the Commission provide that the "[t]he terms of an [intervenor funding] agreement are binding on all organizations seeking a grant under that agreement and will be followed by the Commission in administering the agreement." OAR Sec. 860-001-0120(2). SBUA has satisfied the terms of the IFA and respectfully requests that the Commission approve final payment of SBUA's Issue Fund Grant in the amount of \$1,765 from the 2016 PacifiCorp Issue Fund within 30 days of receiving this Request for Payment as provided in Section 7.6 of the IFA.

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Payment should be sent to:

James Birkelund Small Business Utility Advocates 548 Market St., #11200 San Francisco, CA 94104

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED January 13, 2017.

/s/ Diane Henkels

Diane Henkels

Of Counsel, Cleantech Law Partners PC

Counsel for Small Business Utility Advocates

UM 1790 Exhibit A				
				Small Business Utility Advocates' Expenses for Issue Fund Request
Personnel	Hours	Rate	Cost	
Executive Director	2	250	\$500	
Sr. Attorney— Public rate	5	\$285	\$1425	
Jr. Attorney	0	\$0	\$0	
Administrative support	6	\$30	\$180	
Expert Witness fees	. 0	\$0	\$0	
Costs:			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Travel (Miles)	188	\$0.54	\$102	
Subtotal:			\$2207	
20% SBUA:			\$441	
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Total SBUA Issue Fund Request:			\$1765	