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Via Electronic Filing and Federal Express

Public Utility Commission of Oregon Attn: Filing Center 201 High St. SE, Suite 100 Salem OR 97301

Re: In the Matter of PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER

2017 Transition Adjustment Mechanism

Docket No. UE 307

Dear Filing Center:

Enclosed please find the Request for Final Payment of Issue Fund Grant and Confidential Exhibit A on behalf of the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities. Pursuant to Section 7.3 of the Intervenor Funding Agreement, Confidential Exhibit A is being submitted in a separate sealed envelope to the Commission and PacifiCorp.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jesse O. Gorsuch Jesse O. Gorsuch

Enclosures cc: Bryce Dalley

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UE 307

In the Matter of)
	REQUEST FOR FINAL PAYMENT
PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER	OF ISSUE FUND GRANT OF THE
	INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS OF
2017 Transition Adjustment Mechanism	NORTHWEST UTILITIES
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Pursuant to Section 7.3 of the Third Amended and Restated Intervenor Funding Agreement ("IFA") approved by the Oregon Public Utility Commission ("Commission") by Order No. 15-335 (October 20, 2015), the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities ("ICNU") hereby requests final payment of ICNU's Issue Fund Grant in Docket No. UE 307 in the amount of \$24,893.33.

On May 18, 2016, ICNU filed a Request for Issue Fund Grant and Proposed Budget in Docket No. UE 307, showing eligible expenses in the amount of \$26,385 and requesting an Issue Fund Grant in the amount of \$21,108. On May 24, 2016, the Commission issued Order No. 16-200, approving an Issue Fund Grant for ICNU in the amount of \$21,108. ICNU filed an amendment to its proposed budget on August 12, 2016, showing eligible expenses in the amount of \$31,116.66 and requesting a revised Issue Fund Grant in the amount of \$24,893.33. The Commission approved ICNU's request to amend its proposed budget on August 18, 2016, by Order No. 16-311.

At this time, ICNU requests that the Commission authorize final payment of the approved Issue Fund Grant in Docket No. UE 307 in the amount of \$24,893.33 from the 2016 PacifiCorp Issue Fund. ICNU's expenses are shown in Confidential Attachment A.

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

<u>Section 7.3(a)</u> – The itemized expenses, payees, and hourly rates are attached as Confidential Exhibit A.

<u>Section 7.3(b)</u> – ICNU has been an active participant in this Docket. ICNU has conducted discovery, participated in settlement conferences, filed two rounds of testimony, attended the evidentiary hearing where it cross-examined witnesses, and filed two briefs. The expenses included in Confidential Exhibit A are reasonable and directly attributable to ICNU's participation in UE 307.

<u>Section 7.3(c)</u> – The Commission approved ICNU's proposed budget on May 24, 2016. In addition, ICNU used its own funds to pay for at least 20% of the Eligible Expenses as required by Section 6.5 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 in Exhibit A are Eligible Expenses as defined in Section 7.4 of the IFA because they relate to services provided or expenses incurred by ICNU's outside legal counsel and expert witnesses. Relevant non-privileged documents substantiating the Eligible Expenses in Confidential Exhibit A are available for Commission audit, if requested, pursuant to Section 7.10 of the IFA.

The IFA provides that the granting of an Issue Fund Grant "shall constitute a binding obligation on the Commission to order reimbursement of Eligible Expenses." IFA § 6.5. Likewise, the intervenor funding rules adopted by the Commission provide that "[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 § 860-001-0120(2). ICNU has satisfied the terms of the IFA and respectfully requests that the Commission approve final payment of ICNU's Issue Fund Grant in the amount of \$24,893.33 from the 2016 PacifiCorp Issue Fund within 30 days of receiving this Request for Final Payment, as provided in Section 7.6 of the IFA.

Payment should be sent to:

Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities c/o S. Bradley Van Cleve Davison Van Cleve, P.C. 333 SW Taylor, Suite 400 Portland, OR 97204

Dated this 2nd day of November, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

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