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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:

Please find enclosed for filing PETITION FOR LEAVE TO SUBMIT AMENDED PROPOSED BUDGET OF SMALL BUSINESS UTILITY ADVOCATES (SBUA).

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 1790

| In the Matter of | |
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| PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER, |) PETITION FOR LEAVE TO SUBMIT) AMENDED PROPOSED BUDGET OF) SMALL BUSINESS UTILITY |
| 2017-2021 Renewable Portfolio Standard Implementation Plan |) ADVOCATES)) |

Pursuant to OAR 860-001-0120, Small Business Utility Advocates ("SBUA") respectfully submits this petition ("Petition") for leave to submit an Amended Proposed Budget for the purposes of receiving intervenor funding to participate in this docket. The Amended Proposed Budget, herein attached as Exhibit A, would replace the Proposed Budget granted by the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) in Order 16-433 on November 10, 2016. The ALJ is authorized to approve an Amended Budget pursuant to OAR 860-001-0090 Delegation of Authority to Administrative Law Judge (1)(g) & (m).

In support of this Petition SBUA represents as follows:

In Order 16-428, the Commission granted Case Certification to SBUA on November 9, 2016 for this docket.

In Order 16-433, the ALJ approved the proposed budget for issue fund grant of SBUA.

This Order also noted in a page one footnote the arithmetic discrepancy that this Proposed

Amended Budget seeks to correct.

Granting this Amended Budget should not unduly delay proceedings including the public meeting scheduled for December 15, 2016.

For these reasons, SBUA respectfully requests the Commission to grant this Petition.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

DATE: December 5, 2016.

Diane Henkels

Of Counsel, Cleantech Law Partners PC Counsel for Small Business Utility Advocates

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

Total SBUA Issue

Fund Request:

\$1765

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