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Public Utility Commission of Oregon 201 High Street SE, Suite 100 Salem, Oregon 97301

Attn: Filing Center

RE: Docket UM 1771 – PacifiCorp's Petition to Intervene

PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power encloses for filing its Petition to Intervene in the abovereferenced docket.

Please direct any informal inquiries to Erin Apperson, Manager, Regulatory Affairs, at (503) 813-6642.

Sincerely,

R. Bryce Dalley/hm

R. Bryce Dalley Vice President, Regulation

Enclosure

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

UM 1771

In the Matter of

THE NORTHWEST AND INTERMOUNTAIN POWER PRODUCERS COALITION

PacifiCorp's Petition to Intervene

Petition for Temporary Rulemaking and Investigation into PacifiCorp's 2016 Requests for Proposal.

- 1 PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power (PacifiCorp or Company) respectfully petitions to
- 2 intervene in these proceedings under ORS 756.525 and OAR 860-001-0300. In support of
- 3 this petition, the Company states:
- 4 1. The contact information for the Company is:

5	PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power
6	825 NE Multnomah Street, Suite 2000
7	Portland, OR 97232

- 8 2. The names and addresses of the persons to be included on the official service list
- 9 in this docket are:

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- 10 3. The Company is an electric public utility in the state of Oregon and is subject to
- 11 the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission).
- 12 4. On April 25, 2016, the Northwest and Intermountain Power Producers Coalition
- 13 (NIPPC) filed a petition for a temporary rulemaking, docketed as AR 598, and a request to

open an investigation into PacifiCorp's 2016 requests for proposal (RFPs) in connection with
renewable energy and renewable energy certificates, docketed as UM 1771. PacifiCorp has a
significant interest in the proceeding, as NIPPC's filing seeks to bar PacifiCorp from
acquiring ownership interests in renewable energy facilities and delay the Company's
recently-issued RFPs. No other party can adequately represent the interests of the Company
in this proceeding.

7 5. The Company has special knowledge or expertise that may assist the Commission8 in resolving the issues in the proceeding.

9 6. Based on the information provided above in compliance with the Commission's 10 rules of procedure, the Company requests to participate in these proceedings with full party 11 status. The Company's participation in this docket will not unreasonably broaden the issues, 12 burden the record, or delay the proceeding.

13 The Company therefore respectfully requests that the Commission grant this petition14 to intervene.

Respectfully submitted this 4th day of May, 2016,

Etta Loekey Senior Counsel PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power