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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

## **OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of

PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER,

ORDER

Request for Proposals of an Independent Evaluator to Oversee the Request for Proposal Process.

DISPOSITION: ORDER NO. 17-345 AMENDED

This order memorializes our decision, made and effective at our September 26, 2017 Regular Public Meeting, to amend our prior conditional approval of PacifiCorp's 2017 Renewable Request for Proposals (RFP). We add one condition and four modifications.

We condition our decision to amend Order No. 17-345 on confirmation from the Oregon Independent Evaluator (IE) that it has resolved with PacifiCorp how to fairly score bids with different transmission requirements (i.e., Wyoming wind and non-Wyoming wind).

With the confirmation, we approve four modifications to the RFP to align our decision with that of the Utah Public Service Commission. These modifications are more specifically described in PacifiCorp's September 25, 2017 status update filed in this docket, and are summarized here as follows:

- Allow bids by non-Wyoming wind resources that can deliver to PacifiCorp;
- Add an additional PPA bid option;
- Clarify that bidders may provide comments on the pro forma agreements; and
- Clarify that the litigation clause excludes state commission complaints.

The remainder of the order is unchanged.

Dated this 27 day of September, 2017, at Salem, Oregon.

Lisa D. Hardie

Chair/

Stephen M. Bloom

Commissioner

Megan W. Decker

Commissioner

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A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order under ORS 756.561. A request for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed with the Commission within 60 days of the date of service of this order. The request must comply with the requirements in OAR 860-001-0720. A copy of the request must also be served on each party to the proceedings as provided in OAR 860-001-0180(2). A party may appeal this order by filing a petition for review with the Circuit Court for Marion County in compliance with ORS 183.484.