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> Procedures for Highly Confidential Material in Testimony Re:

> > Docket No. UE 177

Dear ALJ Grant:

This letter is in response to PacifiCorp's letter dated January 22, 2008. In that letter, PacifiCorp stated that the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities ("ICNU") responded to PacifiCorp's proposal for handling "highly confidential" information by objecting to the terms of the Protective Order and failing to propose an alternative solution. ICNU wishes to clarify the record.

In its response to PacifiCorp, ICNU stated that ICNU would be unable to reference the bates numbering because ICNU's consultant did not have a copy of the documents and would be unable to draft testimony in the Safe Room. Thus, ICNU could not comply with PacifiCorp's proposal of specifically referencing "highly confidential" documents using the bates numbering. As evident in ICNU's Direct Testimony filed January 22, 2008, no reference was made to "highly confidential" information due to these constraints.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Melinda J. Davison Melinda J. Davison

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the foregoing letter on behalf of the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities upon the parties, shown below, on the official service list by causing the foregoing document to be deposited, postage-prepaid, in the U.S. Mail, and service via electronic mail.

Dated at Portland, Oregon, this 23rd day of January, 2008.

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