ISSUED: September 21, 2012

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UE 245

In the Matter of

RULING

PACIFICORP dba PACIFIC POWER

2013 Transition Adjustment Mechanism

DISPOSITION: UE 246 PARTIAL STIPULATION TO BE FILED IN UE 245

As the parties are aware, the Commission is concurrently investigating two filings by PacifiCorp, dba Pacific Power: (1) docket UE 245 – Pacific Power's 2013 Transition Adjustment Mechanism (TAM); and (2) docket UE 246 – Pacific Power's General Rate Revision Proceeding.

On July 12, 2012, certain parties to docket UE 246 filed a partial stipulation in that docket resolving cost of service and rate spread by agreeing to the allocation of base and net revenues. In that stipulation, the parties also agreed that Pacific Power would use generation allocation factors contained in that stipulation to determine the rate spread in this docket, UE 245.¹

Four of the stipulating parties—Pacific Power, the Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon, the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities, and the Commission Staff—are parties to this proceeding. Although the parties ask the Commission to apply a portion of the UE 246 stipulation here, the parties have not filed the stipulation in this proceeding.

Accordingly, the stipulating parties identified above are directed to file the UE 246 partial stipulation in this proceeding so that it may be included in the record and considered by the Commission. Noble Americas Energy Solutions LLC, the only party to this proceeding that did not sign the stipulation, will have 15 days after the filing of the stipulation in UE 245 to file an objection²

Dated this 21st of September, 2012, at Salem, Oregon.

Michael Grant

Chief Administrative Law Judge

¹ In re Pacific Power, Docket No. UE 246, Partial Stipulation, ¶ 16 (Jul 12, 2012).

² See OAR 860-001-0350.