



May 11, 2005

Hon. Kathryn Logan
Administrative Law Judge
Oregon Public Utility Commission
550 Capitol Street N.E., Suite 215
Salem, OR 97301-2551

Dear Judge Logan:

To resolve ongoing issues related to inter-jurisdictional cost allocation, including compliance with the conditions in Order 05-021 regarding development of a Hybrid cost allocation method, PacifiCorp plans to hold Revised Protocol workshops with stakeholders from its six-state service territory. PacifiCorp expects that confidential information may be produced and discussed in this context.

The Commission entered its Standard Protective Order in Phase 2 of UM 1050 in Order 03-638 (Oct 31, 2003). Under that Order, the Commission indicated that the duration of the provisions of the Protective Order would be two years from the date of the final order, unless extended by the Commission at the request of the party desiring confidentiality. In the interest of judicial economy, PacifiCorp proposes to have parties from the Multi-State Process Docket sign the enclosed "Exhibit A" to extend the Protective Order issued in Docket No. UM 1050 to cover the MSP implementation process. We assume that these signed exhibits, in conjunction with this letter, constitute sufficient notice to extend the duration of the UM 1050 Protective Order to cover this process.

If the Commission needs additional information or prefers that PacifiCorp employ a different procedure to protect the confidential information discussed in these workshops, please contact me at (503) 813-6227.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lisa Nordstrom".

Lisa Nordstrom
Regulatory Attorney

Enclosure



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EXHIBIT A

**BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OREGON**

**AGREEMENT CONCERNING EXTENSION OF PROTECTIVE ORDER IN
DOCKET NO. UM 1050
TO INCLUDE REVISED PROTOCOL WORKSHOPS**

I, _____, as attorney, expert, witness, consultant,
or advisor for _____ (party) agree to comply with and be bound by
Protective Order No. 03-068 entered by the Public Utilities Commission of Oregon in
Docket No. UM 1050 with respect to Confidential Information disclosed in Revised
Protocol workshops and proceedings dedicated to resolve ongoing multi-jurisdictional
issues stemming from this docket, and acknowledge that I have reviewed the Protective
Order and fully understand its terms and conditions.

Signature

Date

Address
