

ORDER NO. 11 174

ENTERED MAY 25 2011

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of

PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER

Application to Implement the Provisions of
Senate Bill 76.

ORDER

DISPOSITION: KLAMATH SURCHARGES MAINTAINED

On September 16, 2010, the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission) entered Order No. 10-364 and affirmed customer surcharges filed by PacifiCorp, dba Pacific Power (Pacific Power or Company) to pay costs associated with removal of dams within the Klamath Hydroelectric Project. The surcharges were required by Senate Bill 76, passed by the 2009 Legislative Assembly as part of a settlement agreement among the states of Oregon and California, the United States Department of the Interior, and Pacific Power to facilitate removal of the dams.

In Order No. 10-364, the Commission also adopted a process to annually review and, if necessary, update the customer surcharges.¹ This process requires that no less than 30 days following the Company's annual Transition Adjustment Mechanism (TAM) filing, Pacific Power, Commission Staff (Staff), and other interested parties meet to evaluate whether the Company should file revised tariffs to modify the surcharges.

Pursuant to that annual process, representatives from interested parties met on April 14, 2011, to review the surcharge. The parties included Staff, Pacific Power, the Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon, the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities, Oregon Fish and Wildlife, the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, the Oregon Department of Water Resources and the Pacific Coast Federation of Fishermen (Parties).

On April 21, 2011, Staff filed a motion to maintain the existing Klamath Surcharges without revision. The motion states that the Parties unanimously recommend the Commission maintain the Klamath Surcharges without change. Accordingly, Pacific Power has not filed a revised Klamath Surcharges tariff.

¹ Order No. 10-364, pp. 17-18.

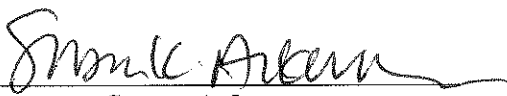
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IT IS ORDERED that rates instituted by Schedule 199, as filed by PacifiCorp, dba Pacific Power, on March 18, 2010 (and now incorporated in tariff book, PUC OR No. 36), are maintained without revision.

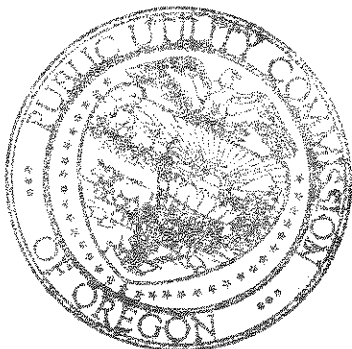
Made, entered, and effective MAY 25 2011



John Savage
Commissioner



Susan Ackerman
Commissioner



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 Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480 through 183.484.