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**RE: UM 1802—PacifiCorp's Second Motion to Amend the Procedural Schedule and  
Withdrawal of June 28, 2017 Motion**

PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power encloses for filing in the above-referenced docket its second motion to amend the procedural schedule and withdrawal of its motion filed on June 28, 2017.

If you have questions about this filing, please contact Natasha Siores at (503) 813-6583.

Sincerely,

Etta Lockey  
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Enclosure

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I served a true and correct copy of PacifiCorp's **Second Motion to Amend the Procedural Schedule and Withdrawal of June 28, 2017 Motion** on the parties listed below via electronic mail and/or or overnight delivery in compliance with OAR 860-001-0180.

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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

**UM 1802**

In the Matter of

PACIFICORP d/b/a PACIFIC POWER

INVESTIGATION OF PACIFICORP'S  
NON-STANDARD AVOIDED COST  
PRICING

PacifiCorp's Unopposed Second Motion to  
Amend the Procedural Schedule and  
Withdrawal of June 28, 2017, Motion

Under OAR §§ 860-001-0390(2)(b), -0420(1), and -0420(6), PacifiCorp d/b/a/ Pacific Power respectfully asks the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) to modify the procedural schedule in this docket as detailed below. Public Utility Commission of Oregon Staff, Renewable Energy Coalition (REC), Community Renewable Energy Association (CREA), Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities (ICNU), and Renewable Northwest (RNW) support the revised schedule presented in this motion. PacifiCorp has notified the other intervenors on the service list and has not received any objections to the proposed schedule.

In light of the parties' agreement on a new procedural schedule, PacifiCorp also withdraws the Motion to Modify the Procedural Schedule it filed on June 28, 2017.

**I. BACKGROUND**

On June 28, 2017, PacifiCorp filed a motion asking the ALJ to modify the procedural schedule in light of changed circumstances and new policy considerations that PacifiCorp first identified while preparing its response testimony. Specifically, PacifiCorp determined that additional time was necessary to evaluate how cost-effective renewable resources (rather than renewable resources needed to comply with renewable portfolio standards (RPS)) identified in an integrated resource plan (IRP) should be considered when developing

renewable non-standard avoided cost pricing. PacifiCorp’s June 28<sup>th</sup> motion asked to move the deadline for all parties to file response testimony to July 21, 2017. The motion also indicated that the procedural schedule might need to be modified again to allow for additional discovery and testimony if PacifiCorp modified its initial proposal in its July 21 testimony.

On June 29, 2017, the ALJ suspended the procedural schedule and ordered parties to respond to PacifiCorp’s motion by July 7, 2017. The ALJ also instructed the parties to confer to determine if they could agree to a new schedule.

Following a series of coordinating emails to the service list, a conference call to discuss the schedule was held on June 30, 2017. PacifiCorp, Staff, REC, CREA, ICNU, and RNW participated in that call, and the procedural schedule below was agreed to. Later that day, the service list was provided with the proposed schedule and asked to raise any objections before the instant motion was filed on July 3, 2017. As of the time this motion was filed, PacifiCorp has not received any objection from parties to this docket.

## **II. PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

PacifiCorp, Staff, REC, CREA, ICNU, and RNW agree to the following procedural schedule:

<b>Item</b>	<b>Date</b>
PacifiCorp Testimony	July 21, 2017
Staff and Intervenor Response Testimony	August 14, 2017
PacifiCorp Reply Testimony / Staff and Intervenor Cross Response Testimony	August 21, 2017
Prehearing Briefs	September 5, 2017
Hearing	September 11, 2017 <sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> The parties confirmed that the morning of September 11, 2017, is available for a hearing.

The parties agree to expedited discovery (responses due in 7 calendar days) for issues that PacifiCorp may raise for the first time in its July 21, 2017, testimony. Discovery on all other issues will be subject to the 14 day response deadlines in OAR 860-001-0540(1).

Some parties do not believe the procedural schedule needs to be changed, that there are any changed circumstances, or new policy considerations that need to be addressed. PacifiCorp stipulates that, by agreeing to this procedural schedule, no party has waived any arguments or objections they may have about the scope of the proceeding, including but not limited to seeking to challenge or strike any new arguments raised in PacifiCorp's July 21 testimony.

### III. CONCLUSION

PacifiCorp, Staff, REC, CREA, ICNU, and RNW agree to the procedural schedule proposed in this motion. The service list has been notified of this proposal, and no party objected to the proposed schedule before this motion was filed. Accordingly, PacifiCorp respectfully asks the Commission to adopt the negotiated procedural schedule.

PacifiCorp also withdraws the procedural motion it filed on June 28, 2017.

Respectfully submitted this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 2017



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