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February 16, 2012

**VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

Idaho Public Utilities Commission  
472 West Washington  
Boise, ID 83702-5983

Attention: Jean D. Jewell  
Commission Secretary

Re: PacifiCorp Notice of Affiliate Transaction  
Case No. PAC-E-05-8

Dear Ms. Jewell:

This letter will serve as notice pursuant to Commitment I 17(2), incorporated in the Idaho Public Utilities Commission Order No. 29973 issued February 13, 2006, as supplemented by Order No. 29998 March 14, 2006, in the above-referenced proceeding, approving the acquisition of PacifiCorp by MidAmerican Energy Holdings Company ("MEHC"), of an affiliate interest transaction. Rocky Mountain Power hereby submits an original and seven copies of the Invoice from Marmon/Keystone LLC, for the purchase of certain specialized pipe used for developing physical therapy apparatus for determining lineman fitness for duty after injuries. A copy of the Invoice is included as Attachment A.

PacifiCorp is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of MidAmerican Energy Holdings Company (MEHC). MEHC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Berkshire Hathaway, Inc (Berkshire). Berkshire currently holds an approximate 64 percent interest in the Marmon Group. The Marmon Group consists of approximately 140 companies, divided into eleven business sectors including engineered wire and cable, industrial products and building wire. Marmon/Keystone LLC is a member of the Marmon Group. Therefore, Berkshire's ownership interest in the Marmon Group may create an affiliated interest in some PacifiCorp jurisdictions.

Marmon/Keystone LLC distributes specialty pipe and tubing, including, among other things, carbon steel, stainless steel, and aluminum and alloy tubular products. Among the items distributed by Marmon/Keystone LLC is a carbon steel pipe that the Company uses to make climbing poles for physical therapy offices used by linemen to determine fitness for duty following treatment for injuries. The Company developed fitness for duty tests and will be incorporating those tests in physical therapy offices treating Company linemen in five states. One of these tests involves pole climbing. Because the testing takes place indoors, a pole made of lightweight material is needed to safely attach to walls. The lead safety consultant for the development of this lineman rehabilitation program researched various companies and

determined that Marmon/Keystone LLC was the only company offering a product to suit the needs of the lineman rehabilitation program. The Company has the pipes shipped to a welder in Salt Lake City, Utah, who then modifies the pipes to resemble utility poles. Once completed, the poles are sent to physical therapy offices.

A recent review of Company records indicated that PacifiCorp began purchasing pipes from Marmon/Keystone LLC in 2009 and has purchased two to three pipes per year at approximately \$209 to \$354 per pipe. The Company has reviewed its internal processes and made corrections to ensure that notice is provided consistent with statutory requirements and the merger commitments. The Company intends to continue to purchase two to three pipes per year in this price range until the development of the lineman rehabilitation program is complete. Purchasing the pipes is in the public interest because the pipes are a key component in the Company's lineman rehabilitation program. Rehabilitating injured linemen is critical for maintaining a healthy and capable workforce to ensure the continued provision of safe and reliable electric service.

The Company is providing a copy of the most recent invoice from Marmon/Keystone LLC. Other invoices can be provided if desired.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Mark C. Moench  
Senior Vice President and General Counsel  
Rocky Mountain Power

Enclosures

# Marmon/Keystone Corporation

THE PIPE AND TUBING PEOPLE

Inv#: 50-645056

Date: 12/19/2011

Due: 1/18/2012

Sold by:

MARMON/KEYSTONE - SALT LAKE CITY 50  
1230 South Swaner Rd  
Salt Lake City UT 84104  
TEL (801)973 2700 FAX (801)973 6915

Remit to:

MARMON/KEYSTONE LLC  
P.O. Box 96657

Chicago IL 60693-6657

PLEASE INCLUDE CUSTOMER ACCOUNT NUMBER ON CHECK

Sold To: 26844

PACIFICORP  
P.O. BOX 3040

PORTLAND OR 97208-3040

Shipped To: ( 01 )

COMPLEX FABRICATORS  
1620 SOUTH AWL CIRCLE  
(FOR ROCKY MTN POWER)  
SALT LAKE CITY UT 84104

Ship Date	Order Date	SO#	Terms	Cust Order #	Account Manager / Salesperson
12/19/2011	12/19/2011	5056989	1/2% 10/NET 30	FFDE-12860	RICK ZIELINSKI RYAN AUBREY
Frt: FREIGHT INCLUDED			FOB: DEST	B/L:	
Via: OUR TRUCK					

1	CARBON WELDED PIPE A53B *				1 PCS	143 #
	10.750 x .188		6' 9"		6 FT 9 IN	
				1 PCS @	317.000 /PCS	317.00
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			ENERGY SURCHARGE		14.39 LOT	14.39

<u>Material</u>	<u>Processing</u>	<u>Freight</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Taxes</u>	<u>Total Due</u>
317.00	.00	.00	14.39	22.70	354.09
143 LBS		PAGE.: 1	Discount:	1.65 if paid by 12/29/2011	

Subject to the Conditions of Sale set forth on the reverse side hereof.