## BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF PACIFICORP DBA ROCKY MOUNTAIN
POWER FOR APPROVAL OF CHANGES TO
ITS ELECTRIC SERVICE SCHEDULES

NOTICE OF
PUBLIC WORKSHOPS

On May 28, 2010, PacifiCorp dba Rocky Mountain Power ("Rocky Mountain" or "Company") filed an Application for authority to increase the Company's general rates for electric service by an average of 13.7%. If approved, the Company's revenues for electric base retail rates would increase by \$27.7 million annually. The net amount of actual increase varies by class of customer and usage.

Rocky Mountain serves more than 70,000 customers in southeastern Idaho. The Company provides electric service to more than 1,000,000 customers in Utah, Wyoming and Idaho. The Company owns more than 10,000 megawatts (MW) of generation from coal, hydro, natural gas-fueled combustion turbines and renewable wind and geothermal power. The proposed increase is based upon normalized results of operations for the test period ending December 31, 2009, with known and measurable changes. The Company requests a return on equity (ROE) of 10.6%.

On June 10, 2010, the Commission issued a Notice of Application and Notice of Intervention Deadline and suspended the rates and schedules for electric service filed by Rocky Mountain in Case No. PAC-E-10-07 for a period of thirty (30) days plus five (5) months from June 28, 2010, or until such time as the Commission enters an Order accepting, rejecting or modifying the Company's Application. *See* Order No. 32001. Subsequently, the following parties formally requested and were granted intervention by the Commission: Monsanto Company; Idaho Irrigation Pumpers Association, Inc.; Agrium, Inc.; Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho; PacifiCorp Idaho Industrial Customers; and Idaho Conservation League.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Commission Staff will hold a public workshop for Rocky Mountain customers on <u>TUESDAY</u>, <u>SEPTEMBER 21</u>, <u>2010</u>, <u>AT 7:00</u> P.M. AT THE ROBINSON BUILDING, 186 WEST SECOND NORTH, PRESTON,

IDAHO. At this meeting customers will have an opportunity to hear from Commission Staff regarding the Company's Application in Case No. PAC-E-10-07 and ask questions of Staff. Representatives of the Company may also be present and available to answer questions after the workshop.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission Staff will hold a public workshop for Rocky Mountain customers on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2010, AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE FREMONT COUNTY ANNEX MEETING ROOM, 125 NORTH BRIDGE STREET, ST. ANTHONY, IDAHO. At this meeting customers will have an opportunity to hear from Commission Staff regarding the Company's Application in Case No. PAC-E-10-07 and ask questions of Staff. Representatives of the Company may also be present and available to answer questions after the workshop.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application and supporting workpapers, testimonies and exhibits in Case No. PAC-E-10-07 have been filed with the Commission and are available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission offices, 472 West Washington Street, Boise, Idaho. The Company's Application may also be viewed on the Commission's web site, www.puc.idaho.gov, by clicking on "File Room" and then "Electric Cases," or under the corresponding case number for this proceeding.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this matter will be held in facilities meeting the accessibility requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Persons needing the help of a sign language interpreter or other assistance in order to participate in or to understand testimony and argument at a public hearing may ask the Commission to provide a sign language interpreter or other assistance at the hearing. The request for assistance must be received at least five (5) working days before the hearing by contacting the Commission Secretary at:

> IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION PO BOX 83720 BOISE, IDAHO 83720-0074 (208) 334-0338 (Telephone) (208) 334-3762 (FAX)

E-mail: secretary@puc.idaho.gov

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this case will be held pursuant to the Commission's jurisdiction under Title 61 of the Idaho Code and that the Commission may enter any final Order consistent with its authority under Title 61.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this matter will be conducted pursuant to the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 et seq.

DATED at Boise, Idaho this

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Commission Secretary

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