## BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	)	
OF PACIFICORP DBA ROCKY MOUNTAIN	)	CASE NO. PAC-E-13-14
POWER FOR APPROVAL OF AN	)	
ELECTRIC SERVICE AGREEMENT WITH	)	NOTICE OF APPLICATION
MONSANTO COMPANY	)	
	)	NOTICE OF
	)	MODIFIED PROCEDURE
	)	
	)	<b>ORDER NO. 32927</b>
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YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on October 31, 2013, PacifiCorp dba Rocky Mountain Power ("Rocky Mountain") filed an Application for an Order approving the Electric Service Agreement ("ESA") entered into between Rocky Mountain and Monsanto Company ("Monsanto") (collectively referred to as the "Parties").

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that Rocky Mountain requests that its Application be processed through Modified Procedure.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that Rocky Mountain originally submitted the ESA for approval as part of the negotiated Stipulation approved by the Commission in Case No. PAC-E-13-04.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission's Order in that case noted that the ESA had been executed and filed, but reserved approval of the substance and merits of the ESA until it was submitted in a separate docket.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the proposed effective date of the Parties' ESA is January 1, 2014, the date the current electric service agreement will expire, with an initial term lasting through December 31, 2015.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that Rocky Mountain included a copy of the executed ESA as "Confidential" Attachment I to its Application. The parties agreed to extend Monsanto's current curtailment terms and valuation for two additional years to align the Monsanto special contract with the rate plan implemented in PAC-E-13-04.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Parties agreed that their existing ESA should be amended to include a new Section 4.4 pertaining to how Monsanto's Interruptible Credit Annual True-up should be calculated. In the Stipulation, Monsanto specifically waived NOTICE OF APPLICATION

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any right to claim any true-up of interruptible credit for any billing periods prior to January 1, 2014, for months in which the metered demand was below 162 megawatts.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that Section 4.1 of the new ESA was also amended to reflect the 0.77% uniform percentage increase to the energy component of rates agreed to in the Stipulation in PAC-E-13-04, and subsequently approved by the Commission.

## NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission has determined that the public interest may not require a formal hearing in this matter and will proceed under Modified Procedure pursuant to Rules 201 through 204 of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.201 through .204. The Commission notes that Modified Procedure and written comments have proven to be an effective means for obtaining public input and participation.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that any person desiring to state a position on this Application may file a written comment in support or opposition with the Commission within twenty-one (21) days from the service date of this Notice. The comment must contain a statement of reasons supporting the comment. Persons desiring a hearing must specifically request a hearing in their written comments. Written comments concerning this Application shall be mailed to the Commission and the Applicant at the addresses reflected below:

> Commission Secretary Idaho Public Utilities Commission PO Box 83720

Boise, ID 83720-0074

Street Address for Express Mail:

Daniel E. Solander Rocky Mountain Power 201 S. Main St., Suite 2300 Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

E-mail: daniel.solander@pacificorp.com

Boise, ID 83702-5918

472 W. Washington Street

These comments should contain the case caption and case number shown on the first page of this document. Persons desiring to submit comments via e-mail may do so by accessing the Commission's home page located at www.puc.idaho.gov. Click the "Case Comment or Question Form" under the "Consumers" tab, and complete the comment form using the case number as it appears on the front of this document. These comments must also be sent to Rocky Mountain at the e-mail address listed above.

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YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that if no written comments or protests are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider this matter on its merits and enter its Order without a formal hearing. If written comments are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider them and, in its discretion, may set the same for formal hearing.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission offices. The Application is also available on the Commission's web site at <a href="https://www.puc.idaho.gov">www.puc.idaho.gov</a>. Click on the "File Room" tab at the top of the page, scroll down to "Open Electric Cases," and then click on the case number as shown on the front of this document.

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 specifically *Idaho Code* § 61-503. 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*.

## ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this Application will be processed under Modified Procedure. Persons interested in submitting written comments regarding this case or protesting the use of Modified Procedure should do so no later than 21 days from the service date of this Order.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this  $19^{+h}$  day of November 2013.

PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

MACK A. REDFORD, COMMISSIONER

MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

Jean D. Jewell (Commission Secretary

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