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Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
825 First Street, N.E.
Washington D.C 20426

**Subject: Weber Hydroelectric Project (FERC Project No. 1744)
Filing of Notice of Intent to File an Application for New License
and Pre-Application Document**

Dear Secretary Bose:

Pursuant to the regulations of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) for the Alternative Licensing Process (ALP), 18 CFR §§ 4.34, 5.5, and 5.6, PacifiCorp hereby submits a Notice of Intent (NOI) to File an Application for New License, and a Pre-Application Document (PAD) for PacifiCorp's Weber Hydroelectric Project, FERC Project No. 1744 (Project), located on the Weber River in northeastern Utah. PacifiCorp requests to use the FERC ALP to provide the framework for its consultation with agencies, tribes, and other stakeholders for the Weber Project relicensing. This request has the support of key stakeholders (see enclosure, *Interested Party Meeting Notes and ALP Process Support*). In accordance with 18 CFR §§ 5.3, PacifiCorp has also provided a copy of the Weber Project Communication Protocol, drafted and reviewed with the assistance of interested parties to the Weber relicensing process, and has published notice of the filing of the PAD and related NOI, and of the request to use the ALP. This notice was filed concurrently with the PAD and NOI in the Ogden Standard Examiner, a daily newspaper of general circulation in each county in which the project is located.

In conjunction with this e-Filing, PacifiCorp is requesting that the FERC designate PacifiCorp as the Commission's non-federal representative for carrying out informal consultation, pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. Also included with this e-Filing is a draft notice for future publication by FERC in the Federal Register.

PacifiCorp respectfully requests that all correspondence and requests for information be directed to:

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In accordance with 18 CFR §§ 5.5 and 5.6, we are also submitting CD copies of this NOI and PAD to the entities noted on the NOI Interested Parties Mailing List. The entities include those resource agencies, Indian tribes, non-governmental organizations, and members of the general public that PacifiCorp has identified as having potential interest in the proceedings.

PacifiCorp has provided a copy of the request to use the ALP to all affected resource agencies, Indian tribes, and members of the public likely to be interested in the proceeding, which notes that comments on the request to use the alternative license process must be filed with the Commission within 30 days of the filing date of the request.

With regard to service on PacifiCorp relating to this filing and in related dockets and subdockets, PacifiCorp requests that service be made on the following person:

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This letter has been filed electronically. The security classification of each component in this packet is shown in the Enclosure list below. Copies have also been transmitted to those cited below. If you have any questions concerning these documents, please contact Eve Davies at 801-220-2245.

Sincerely,



Mark Sturtevant,
Managing Director, Hydro Resources

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Encl: Letter – Public
Notice of Intent to File an Application for New License – Public
Pre-Application Document – Public
Draft Notice for Future Federal Register Publication by FERC – Public
Communication Protocol – Public
Proof of Newspaper Public Notice – Public
Interested Party Meeting Notes and ALP Process Support – Public

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CD: **NOI Interested Parties Mailing List**