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**Subject: Weber Hydroelectric Project (FERC No. P-1744)  
Alternative Licensing Process  
Filing of Final Technical Reports**

Dear Ms. Bose:

Pursuant to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) regulations for the Alternative Licensing Process (ALP; 18 CFR §4.34), PacifiCorp hereby submits the *Final Technical Reports* for PacifiCorp's Weber Hydroelectric Project (Project), located on the Weber River in northeastern Utah.

Pursuant to 18 CFR §4.34, PacifiCorp conducted study plan meetings with Project stakeholders and FERC, and subsequently with two working groups established during the initial study plan meetings – the Fisheries and Water Resources Working Group and the Recreation Working Group. The final study plans were then submitted to FERC on April 4, 2016. Both working groups and other stakeholders were invited to comment on the five preliminary draft and draft technical reports (Water Resources; Fisheries; Recreation; Terrestrial Threatened, Endangered, and Sensitive Species and Noxious Weeds; and Cultural Resources). All comments are summarized in each technical report's associated comment matrix, broken out by review period (preliminary draft and draft).

As noted in the introduction to the compiled final reports, all technical reports had a minimum of 60-day comment periods and all comments were addressed as noted. No further comment period is proposed on these compiled final reports.

PacifiCorp is also providing this cover letter to the entities on the FERC Mailing List, as well as to the Project stakeholders. These entities include resource agencies, Indian tribes, non-governmental organizations, and members of the general public that FERC has identified as having potential interest in the proceedings. The final technical reports, along with the associated comment matrices, are available for review on PacifiCorp's Project relicensing web page at <http://www.pacificorp.com/es/hydro/hl/weber.html>.

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Sincerely,



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<b>Encl:</b>	Transmittal Letter – Public
	Final Technical Reports ( <i>Water Resources; Fisheries; Recreation; Terrestrial Threatened, Endangered, and Sensitive Species and Noxious Weeds; and Cultural Resources</i> ) – Public

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