

October 20, 2016

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Public Service Commission of Utah
Heber M. Wells Building, 4th Floor
160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, UT 84114

Attention: Gary Widerburg
Commission Secretary

RE: Docket No. 16-R100-01
In the Matter of Potential Amendments to R746-100-3

Docket No. 16-R100-02
In the Matter of Potential Amendments to Utah Administrative Code R746-100

Dear Mr. Widerburg:

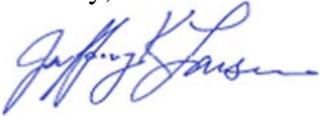
Pursuant to the Notice of the Public Service Commission of Utah dated October 14, 2016, in the above-referenced matter, PacifiCorp dba Rocky Mountain Power (“the Company”) submits the following questions related to filing confidential and highly confidential information with the Commission via a Secure File Transfer Protocol using a state web portal.

- What type of authentication mechanism will be used? (e.g., SSH keys, Userid/password, or Certificate?)
- Will accounts on the SFTP server map to individuals, or to companies? If individuals, will group permissions be configured to support team functions? (so user A at company X can see what user B also at company X has already contributed)
- Will it be possible for contributors to use a program such as WinSCP to “drag-and-drop” files onto the SFTP server?
- To alleviate concerns about storing files on an internet-accessible server, will the Commission allow the Company to bundle and encrypt the contributed files with a user-friendly industry standard tool such as 7-zip?
- Will statutory protections for confidential information between the Company and the Commission be applicable to the state run web portal?

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The Company appreciates and supports the Commission's efforts to improve and streamline filing practices and procedures.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jeffrey K. Larsen". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Jeffrey" and last name "Larsen" clearly distinguishable.

Jeffrey K. Larsen
Vice President, Regulation

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
Docket Nos. 16-R100-01 and 16-R100-02

I hereby certify that on this 20th day October 2016, a true and correct copy of Rocky Mountain Power's Concerns and Questions Regarding Available Protocol for Paperless Filing was served upon the following persons via electronic mail at the email addresses shown below:

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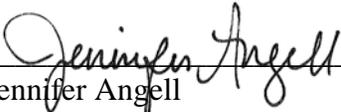
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