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## VIA E-MAIL AND FIRST-CLASS MAIL

ALJ Lisa Hardie  
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**Re: UE 217**

Dear ALJ Hardie,

PacifiCorp, Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon, Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities, the Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon, Wal-Mart Stores and Sam's West, Inc., and Fred Meyer Stores and Quality Food Centers, divisions of The Kroger Company ("Settling Parties") are pleased to inform you that they have reached a comprehensive settlement in principle on all issues in this case. The Settling Parties are in the process of contacting other parties in this docket to determine whether they will support the settlement.

The Settling Parties respectfully request that the Commission suspend the current procedural schedule in this case, including discovery. The Settling Parties propose to file a Stipulation documenting their settlement, along with supporting testimony, no later than Friday, July 9, 2010.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Katherine A. McDowell for".

Katherine A. McDowell

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