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Docket # 2024 NOV

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## **RE:** PacifiCorp's Response to Notice of Violation – ESD\_PC\_CAC23\_20241219\_1132

Dear Sheryl Bilbrey:

PacifiCorp provides the following response to the finding(s) identified in the "Notice of Violation ESD\_PC\_CAC23\_20241219\_1132" (Notice of Violation or NOV) issued to the Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety (Energy Safety) on January 13, 2025. On December 19, 2024, Energy Safety conducted an inspection of PacifiCorp's WMP initiatives in the vicinity of the city of Mount Shasta, California.

Energy Safety found the following violations:

**Violation 1.** Energy Safety observed that in implementing 2024 WMP initiative 8.2.3.2 – Clearance, PacificCorp failed to adhere to protocol in achieving required clearance at pole ID 084601, at coordinates 41.32914242, -122.33553481 in High Fire Threat District (HFTD) Tier 2. Energy Safety considers this violation to be in the "Minor" risk category.

## **PacifiCorp Response:**

In response to the notice of violation, the Company conducted a field inspection on January 17, 2025, and found that the tree was pruned on August 1, 2024, and the pole was replaced with a taller pole between August 2024 and January 2025. The tree was re-pruned on January 17, 2025, and no additional corrective action is planned. Please see below images of the tree before and afer pruning.

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1 - Before Pruning

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2 - After Pruning

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PacifiCorp appreciates the opportunity to provide this response to Energy Safety's ESD\_PC\_CAC23\_20241219\_1132. Please refer any questions to Pooja Kishore, Regulatory Affairs Manager at 503-813-7314 or via email at <u>pooja.kishore@pacificorp.com</u> and <u>californiadockets@pacificorp.com</u>.

Sincerely,

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