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STATE OF NEVADA

COUNTY OF WASHOB)

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JEFFREY L CECCARELLI, President of Sierra Pacific Power Company, and STANLEY HUNTERTON, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary of Sierra Pacific Power Company, being duly sworn depose and say

That the gross revenues, expenses, and met profit of Sierra Pacific Power Company obtained in Bureka County were as follows:

CALENDAR YEAR - 2002

Electric Department

Gross Revenues Expenses \$86 670,633 (88,357,627)

Net Profit (Loss)

\$(1.686.994)

Dated this 28th day of February 2003

CECCARELLI

STANLEY MINTERTON

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me

this 28th day of February 2003

for an only a collection that we have a

Notary Public

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Notary Public State of Novada Appointed Recorded in Washoe County No 93-2713-2 Expires June 24 2005

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BUREKA COUNTY CLERK AND TREASURER

March 3, 2003

Eureka County Treasurer PO Box 677 Eureka, Nevada 89316

Enclosed, pursuant to NRS 709 120, is an affidavit attesting to the Gross Receipts, Expenses, and Net Profit from the sale of electrical energy under the franchise in Eureka County for the calendar year 2002

It should be noted that the information for the allocation to Nevada of electric net operating income had not been finalized as yet. The allocation information will be finalized for the July report and the payment if necessary will reflect any changes in the information. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. We do not anticipate any material change from the information we are providing at this time.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (775) 834-3760

Sincerely yours,

Bob Pohl

Senior Accounting Consultant/Taxes

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