

Business Practice #22: Assignment of Point-to-Point Transmission Service

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NOTICE

A redline version of the most recent revisions to this business practice is available at:
<https://www.oasis.oati.com/woa/docs/PPW/PPWdocs/BP22red.pdf>

Policy Reference

This business practice adds clarity and specifies procedures applicable to PacifiCorp's Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT"), Section 23, "Sale or Assignment of Transmission Service," consistent with Order Nos. 890 and 890-A of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.¹

Definitions

No definitions other than the following and those currently contained in PacifiCorp's OATT are required for this business practice.

Assignee – An Eligible Customer who is registered with PacifiCorp and has the appropriate username and password needed to request Transmission Service on PacifiCorp's Open Access Same-Time Information System ("OASIS") site. Assignee must have a signed resale service agreement with PacifiCorp in the form of OATT Attachment A-1 ("Form of Service Agreement For The Resale, Reassignment Or Transfer Of Point-To-Point Transmission Service").

Reseller – A Transmission Customer who has reserved Point-To-Point Transmission Service through PacifiCorp's OASIS site.

Purpose

The purpose of this practice is to clarify the procedure by which a Transmission Customer ("Reseller") may post to PacifiCorp's OASIS reserved Point-To-Point Transmission Service for resale to a third party ("Assignee"); how a third party may reserve the capacity; and how the Transmission Customer executes transfer of the service to the Assignee.

This business practice also sets forth PacifiCorp's policy for charging or crediting a Reseller for any difference between the price reflected in the Assignee's agreement to

¹ Within this business practice, the use of the following terms "resale," "assignment," "reassignment," and "transfer," are intended to have a similar meaning consistent with OATT Section 23.

acquire secondary Transmission Service and the Reseller's Service Agreement with the Transmission Provider.

This business practice applies to all Point-To-Point Transmission Service customers unless explicitly contradicted by contract terms.

Practice

A. Method for Posting, Requesting, and Reselling Transmission Service

1. To assign or transfer Long-Term Firm, Short-Term Firm, and Non-Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service to an Assignee, Reseller may offer such service by following the steps below:

- Go to www.oasis.oati.com, log in to select the "Westtrans.net" button.
- In the "Select Provider" field, use the drop down to select "PPW."
- Select the "Resale" button to view the "Transmission Resale Offering" page.
- Select the applicable Assignment Reference Number ("AREF") for the Transmission Service to be offered.
- Complete all requested fields.

Note: Such posting offering resale is not required. Reseller and Assignee can informally negotiate a resale of service; however, the transfer must be formalized via PacifiCorp's OASIS and by the Assignee's execution of a resale service agreement (described below).

- 1.1. If the offer of resale of Transmission Service is formally posted on OASIS, Assignees may then reserve such Transmission Service just as if it were a primary offering posted by Transmission Provider according to the following procedures:

- 1.1.1. The Reseller may make changes to formally posted offerings by following the steps below:
 - Go to www.oasis.oati.com, log in to select the "Westtrans.net" button.
 - In the "Select Provider" field, use the drop down to select "PPW."
 - Select the "Offerings" button and enter the applicable AREF number or utilize the field drop down menu items to search for available AREFs to be edited.

- 1.1.2. Assignees may request a resale/transfer of Long-Term Firm Transmission Service if they are previously registered on PacifiCorp's OASIS; however, prior to the date on which the reassigned Long-Term Firm Transmission Service commences, PacifiCorp will tender the appropriate service agreement (OATT Attachment A-1 Form of Service Agreement For The Resale, Reassignment Or Transfer Of Point-To-Point Transmission Service of PacifiCorp's OATT) to the

Assignee. Assignee must execute and return the agreement prior to the date on which the reassigned service commences.

1.1.3. Assignees requesting Short-Term Firm or Non-Firm Transmission Service must execute an OATT Attachment A-1 Form of Service Agreement For The Resale, Reassignment or Transfer Of Firm Point-To-Point Transmission Service before requesting such Transmission Service on PacifiCorp's OASIS. Such agreement shall be treated just as an agreement for primary transmission capacity. As such, for the purpose of Short-Term Firm and Non-Firm Transmission Service, the agreement will act as an umbrella agreement and does not require execution of a new agreement for each subsequent purchase by the Assignee. Assignees will not be able to request such service via PacifiCorp's OASIS until the above-mentioned agreement is executed.

1.1.4 Ancillary Services are applicable for the duration of the transferred service pursuant to the terms of the OATT.

2. Once an Assignee reserves the posted service, Reseller can transfer the service by following the steps below:

- Go to www.oasis.oati.com, log in to select the "Westtrans.net" button.
- In the "Select Provider" field, use the drop down to select "PPW."
- Select the "Resale" button.
- Select the "Posting Wizard" button and enter the applicable AREF number or utilize the field drop down menu items to search for available AREFs to be transferred.

3. Transmission Provider will then approve the assignment through OASIS.

4. As soon as the Assignee confirms the granted request through OASIS, PacifiCorp assigns an AREF representing the reassigned rights. Assignee may use this AREF number for scheduling just as if Assignee had purchased the rights directly from PacifiCorp.

B. Method by which PacifiCorp Credits Reseller for Assigned Transmission Service

For sales or assignments of Transmission Service for which the Assignee has a valid Service Agreement and has agreed to pay a premium for the Reseller's transmission rights, the Transmission Provider will invoice the Assignee for the full amount of Transmission Services purchased during the service month, including Ancillary Services, by approximately the 20th day of the subsequent month of service. The Reseller will continue to be billed under its agreement with the Transmission Provider,

for any unsold portion of Transmission and Ancillary Services and will receive a credit for the amount of Transmission and Ancillary Services invoiced to Assignee.

C. Method by which PacifiCorp Charges Reseller for Assigned Transmission Service

During the term of the assignment, the Reseller will continue to be billed under its original Service Agreement with the Transmission Provider. For sales or assignments of Transmission Service for which the Assignee has received a discount for the Reseller’s transmission rights under a Service Agreement, the Transmission Provider will require the Reseller to pay the difference between the amount the Reseller would have owed the Transmission Provider and the reassignment rate negotiated between the Reseller and Assignee for the term of the service agreement. The Transmission Provider will invoice the Reseller for the difference between the amount the Reseller would have owed the Transmission Provider and the amount negotiated between the Reseller and Assignee for the term of the assignment by approximately the 20th day of the subsequent month of the effective date the Assignee is expected to take service.

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Revision History

Version	Date	Change Summary
5.0	10/14/13	Revised to add further clarity to Definitions and Practice sections.
4.0	10/31/12	Practice section was revised to explain the process using the Open Access Technology International (OATI) web OASIS system.
3.0	12/19/11	Effective January 1, 2012 - Ancillary services are applicable for duration of assigned or transferred transmission service. Edits made to update Practice section “B” stating how Assignee and Reseller will be invoiced.
2.0	3/13/08	Name and format of Business Practice changed. Added methods for posting, requesting, and reselling transmission service added pursuant to Order No. 890-A. Effective date 3/17/08 pursuant to Order No. 890-A.
1.0	2/21/08	Business Practise revised to reflect clarifications provided pursuant to Order No. 890-A.
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