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## CEOs from MidAmerican and California ISO meet with media to discuss regional and renewable energy collaboration

SACRAMENTO, Calif. – The California Independent System Operator Corporation (ISO) will hold a **media availability** during its annual *Stakeholder Symposium* to discuss a new energy alliance with PacifiCorp. The Energy Imbalance Market (EIM) is considered key to unlocking efficient and economic dispatch of diverse power supplies across a wider geographic region—enhancing reliability and helping integrate more renewable resources.

Greg Abel, CEO of PacifiCorp's parent company MidAmerican Energy Holdings Company, will join ISO CEO Steve Berberich to talk about a new partnership between the two largest grids in the West that will modernize and optimize the sharing of energy resources.

Location:	Sacramento Convention Center, 1400 J Street, Sacramento, Room 316
Dial-In:	877 941-2936 (Access Code: 306312)
Date:	October 23, 2013
Time:	11:30 a.m. PST

## About PacifiCorp

PacifiCorp is one of the lowest-cost electricity producers in the United States, serving more than 1.8 million customers in the West. PacifiCorp operates as Pacific Power in Oregon, Washington and California, and as Rocky Mountain Power in Utah, Wyoming and Idaho. With a generating capability of almost 10,600 megawatts, PacifiCorp works to meet growing energy demand while protecting and enhancing the environment. Find out more at <a href="http://www.pacificorp.com/about/co.html">http://www.pacificorp.com/about/co.html</a>. PacifiCorp parent company MidAmerican Energy Holdings Company, based in Des Moines, Iowa, is a global provider of energy services. Through its energy-related businesses, MidAmerican provides electric and natural gas service to more than 7 million customers worldwide.

## About California ISO

The ISO operates the largest wholesale transmission grid in the West, providing open and non-discriminatory access supported by a competitive energy market and comprehensive planning efforts. Partnering with more than 100 client organizations, the nonprofit public benefit corporation is dedicated to a modern and reliable operation of the bulk power grid at the least wholesale cost. Recognizing the importance of global climate change, the ISO is integrating the largest portfolio of green power in the country and is working to advance other clean technologies that will help meet electricity needs while paving the way for a more sustainable energy future. Find out more at <u>www.caiso.com</u>.

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