
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

In the Matter of the Acknowledgment of
PACIFICORP'S Integrated Resource Plan
2003

DOCKET NO. 03-2035-01

**REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO
SUBMIT COMMENTS**

In an Order dated January 31, 2003, the Commission asked interested parties to submit comments by March 10, 2003, on the appropriateness of PacifiCorp's seventh Integrated Resource Plan (IRP), and recommendations on whether the Commission should acknowledge the IRP. The Division of Public Utilities, the Committee of Consumer Services and the Utah Association of Energy Users hereby ask the Commission to grant interested parties additional time, through March 31, 2003, to submit the requested comments and recommendations.

The IRP is an extremely complicated document, consisting of more than 400 pages. Moreover, the subject matter of the IRP is critical to all of PacifiCorp's Utah ratepayers. Although the undersigned parties are working diligently on their comments, they are not in a position to submit meaningful comments by March 10.

The undersigned parties understand that the deadline for IRP comments in Idaho is March 26, 2003, and that no deadline has yet been set in the State of Oregon. There should thus be no significant prejudice to PacifiCorp or any other party by reason of the requested delay. Moreover, although the undersigned parties wish to facilitate timely consideration of the IRP, they also wish

to facilitate thorough and meaningful Commission review. Additional time is necessary to obtain the necessary input to facilitate such a review.

Wherefore, the undersigned parties respectfully request an extension through the end of business on March 31, 2003, for interested parties to submit comments and recommendations on the IRP. The undersigned parties further respectfully request the convening of a technical conference after comments and recommendations on the IRP have been submitted, at a date and time determined by the Commission, at which time PacifiCorp would respond to the submitted comments and recommendations.

Dated this ____ day of March, 2003.

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