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RE: Docket 22- 035- 35

Dear Commission Members:

Concerning the PSC IRP Guidelines:

The guidelines are 30 years old and need to be redone. We suggest:

- ~ all environmental and societal externality costs are specifically identified and assessed by a neutral third party, not PacifiCorp;
- ~ all IRP resource models and portfolios acknowledge the full range of monetized externality costs; and,
- ~ every biennial IRP process will include a technical review of the latest externalities research.

Thank you.

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Commissioners

The current IRP guideline for dealing with externalities is 30 years old. It gives PacifiCorp the responsibility for identifying the externalities to be considered in its own IRP! Self-regulation is clearly not appropriate or reliable if it causes a for-profit company to spend money reducing profit.

The PSC needs to update its IRP guidelines so that:

- ~ all environmental and societal externality costs are specifically identified and assessed by a neutral third party, not PacifiCorp;
- ~ all IRP resource models and portfolios acknowledge the full range of monetized externality costs; and,
- ~ every biennial IRP process will include a technical review of the latest externalities research.

Many Thanks,

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