

Attn. IPUC
RE: PAC-E 03-3
March 1, 2003

And the carnival comes back to town...here we go again. Regarding **Pacificorp's** request before the Commission for "approval of interruptible power service," watch it now. You've already allowed them to recover nearly \$23 million in power expenses, based upon ridiculous business practices, or unknown positive business practices, particularly involving other western states (note California and Oregon 2001, 2002). Three strikes, you're out.

Who allows "recovery" for the millions of insistent business customers, for the manipulated citizenry in general who has everybody picking their collective pockets, from all the price gouging and recovery hikes to bail out corrupt contracting? **Vote more recovery attempts down.** If they can't supply it, suggest getting out of the business.

The worst aspect to their request is that **Pacificorp** "sets the schedule and determines the value of credits each year;" another outside corporation running Idaho economy in the long run without any fail-safe monitors. **Vote it down.**

Tell them to rethink some more and become more creative. How do customers offer input into the decision-making; where's their voice? To top it off, the Commission denied any Public Hearing! Haven't you folks surprised customers often enough with your utility card tricks? **Vote it down.** You don't, also, offer any alternatives from our state point of view on the matter. There seems again a lot of information ultimately missing. How are you going to contribute your written notice to customers who may wish to respond in writing within a timely manner?

Again, you promote more questions than workable answers.

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