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Ms. Jean D. Jewell
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Re: CASE NO. PAC-E-02-1

Dear Ms. Jewell:

Enclosed for filing with this Commission is an original and 8 copies of Pacificorp's Opposition to Timothy J. Shurtz' Application for Intervenor Funding in the above referenced case.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary S. Hobson".

Mary S. Hobson

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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)	
OF PACIFICORP dba UTAH POWER &)	CASE NO. PAC-E-02-1
LIGHT COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF)	
ITS PROPOSED ELECTRIC SERVICE)	PACIFICORP'S OPPOSITION
SCHEDULES)	TO TIMOTHY J. SHURTZ'
)	APPLICATION FOR
)	INTERVENOR FUNDING
)	

Pursuant to IPUCRP 164, PacifiCorp, dba Utah Power & Light Company ("PacifiCorp" or the "Company") opposes the application of Timothy J. Shurtz for intervenor funding, and in support of that opposition states as follows:

1. Commission Rule of Procedure 165 requires that for a party to obtain intervenor funding in a case, the party must make a material contribution to the Commission's decision. Indeed, if the Commission is to award funding to an intervenor, it must make a specific finding that the intervenor made a material contribution to the Commission's decision. IPUCRP 165. Such a finding cannot be made in this case if the

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TIMOTHY J. SHURTZ' APPLICATION
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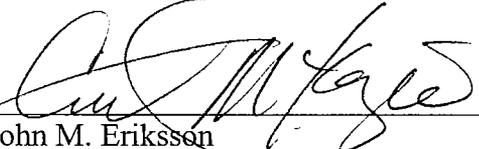
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Commission approves the Stipulation filed on April 11, 2002, because Mr. Shurtz' testimony and argument in the case was in opposition to the Stipulation. Under such circumstances, intervenor funding cannot be awarded to Mr. Shurtz.

2. Even if the Commission were to award intervenor funding to Mr. Shurtz, it should review the reasonableness of the amounts claimed and make adjustments to disallow unreasonable amounts. For instance, Mr. Shurtz seeks reimbursement, at \$40 per hour, for 4 hours spent locating legal counsel.

Respectfully submitted this 3 day of June, 2002.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 3 day of June, 2002, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing **PACIFICORP'S OPPOSITION TO TIMOTHY SHURTZ' APPLICATION FOR INTERVENOR FUNDING** to be mailed, postage prepaid, to the following:

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