

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION
COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Requested Waiver)	
of Statutory Notice in Connection with)	
the Tariff Revisions Filed by)	DOCKET UE-010530
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)	ORDER GRANTING LESS
PACIFICORP d/b/a PACIFIC POWER)	THAN STATUTORY NOTICE
& LIGHT)	
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BACKGROUND

- 1 On April 17, 2001, PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power & Light (PacifiCorp) filed with the Commission revisions to its currently effective Tariff WN U-74, designated as Original Sheet No. 2020. The purpose of the filing is to implement an energy buy-back program entitled by PacificCorp as “20/20 Customer Challenge Program.”
- 2 WAC 480-80-070 requires thirty days’ notice prior to the effective date of the tariff. The tariff sheet bears an inserted effective date of June 1, 2001. This date recognizes statutory notice as required. The Company requests, however, that statutory notice be waived as authorized in WAC 480-80-240, and that the revisions become effective May 1, 2001. The Company requests approval with less than statutory notice to assure adequate time for customer communication and system implementation.
- 3 Since the proposed tariff revisions appear to be fair, just, and reasonable, and waiver of statutory notice is not inconsistent with the public interest, it is appropriate that the Commission grant the waiver PacifiCorp requests with an effective date of May 1, 2001.
- 4 Give the proposed program is a pilot in nature, the Company should provide a report on the results of the program not later than 60 days after the completion date of the program.

FINDINGS

- 5 (1) After careful examination of the proposed tariff revisions filed by PacifiCorp on April 17, 2001, and giving consideration to all relevant matters and for good cause shown, the Commission finds that the proposed tariff revisions should become effective May 1, 2001.

- 6 (2) This matter was brought before the Commission at its regularly scheduled open meeting on April 25, 2001. The Commissioners, having been fully advised in the matter, and having determined this order to be consistent with the public interest, enter this order.

ORDER

7 THE COMMISSION GRANTS the requested waiver of statutory notice in connection with the tariff revisions filed by PacificCorp. on April 17, 2001, and the tariff revisions shall become effective on May 1, 2001.

8 The Company must provide a report on the results of the program not later than 60 days after the completion date of the program providing at a minimum the following items:

1. Number of customers achieving the threshold by month.
2. Percentage of total customers achieving the threshold.
3. Total volumes and dollars credited to customers by month.
4. Total volumes saved from previous years by month.
5. Calculation of the monetary benefits derived for customers and the Company.

DATED at Olympia, Washington, and effective this 25th day of April, 2001.

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

MARILYN SHOWALTER, Chairwoman

RICHARD HEMSTAD, Commissioner