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From: Roy Harris [mailto:mattp@re-sources.org]
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To: Public Involvement (UTC)
Subject: Puget Sound Energy Integrated Resource Plan (UE-120767)

Dear Chairman Danner, Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission: As a customer of PSE I Am APPALLED upon reading the contents, or should I state the BLATANT OMISSIONS with reference to the recent I.R.P. Your boards approach to neglecting socially responsible issues, is of near criminal activity in today's marketplace. Furthermore, it will be increasingly thought so in the duration period that this proposal encompasses. Therefor, I urge the board to act now and become something more than the villains of self interest they appear to be, due their extremely shortsighted approach to conducting their affairs. I would further add that your company's practises of so called penny pinching from the wrong quarters, do much more harm than good when a more enlightened approach is needed in the 21st. century I believe that it's important to include the estimated social and economic cost of carbon in any final Integrated Resource Plan submitted to your commission. I am committed to investing in clean, renewable energy and reducing our reliance on carbon intensive sources of energy like the Colstrip Generating Facility. We all must prepare for a carbon-constrained future, and I ask that all final recommendations in the IRPs coming before the UTC include a broad examination of carbon pollution, new federal air quality standards, and other environmental costs associated with the continued operation of the Colstrip facility. Thank you,

Roy Harris

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