

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of)	
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PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC)	
COMPANY)	RULING
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Request for Proposals for Power Supply)	
Resources in Compliance with Competitive)	
Bidding Guidelines Established by Order)	
No. 91-1383.)	

DISPOSITION: OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMENT

On July 3, 2004, the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission) entered Order No. 03-387, requiring an independent observer to submit a report stating whether the request for proposal process utilized by Portland General Electric Company (PGE) was fair and objective. On September 15, 2004, the independent observer, Merrimack Energy Group, Inc., filed its final report. By this ruling, I am instructing PGE to serve this report on all parties by mail or email, and to submit a certificate of service to the Commission.

Parties may submit written comments about the report no later than 10 days after service of the report. Commission Staff (Staff) will then summarize the report and the written comments, if any, in a brief memorandum to be forwarded to the Commission by the end of October.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 21st day of September, 2004.

Kathryn A. Logan
Administrative Law Judge