

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 1238/ UM 1240/ UM 1244/ UM 1266/ UM 1271

In the Matters of:)
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 PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY)
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 Deferred Accounting Authorization for Expenses)
 Associated with Utility Tax Liability (UM 1238))
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 Deferred Accounting Authorization for Expenses)
 Associated with Utility Tax Liability (UM 1240))
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 NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS COMPANY)
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 Deferred Accounting Authorization for Expenses)
 Associated with Utility Tax Liability (UM 1244))
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 AVISTA CORP.,)
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 Deferred Accounting Authorization for Expenses)
 Associated with Utility Tax Liability (UM 1266))
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 PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY)
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 Deferred Accounting Authorization for certain)
 Expenses/Revenue Refunds Associated with SB 408)
 and the Sale of Certain Non-utility Assets (UM 1271).)

**NOTICE OF
JOINT
PREHEARING
CONFERENCE**

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Public Utility Commission of Oregon has scheduled a joint prehearing conference in these proceedings as follows:

DATE: Monday, October 23, 2006

TIME: 1:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Public Utility Commission of Oregon
Main Hearing Room
550 Capitol Street NE
Salem, OR 97301

VIA DIAL-IN NUMBER: 503-365-4439, Conf. Code 6782#

**ADMINISTRATIVE
LAW JUDGE:** Christina Hayes

The purpose of the prehearing conference will be to identify parties and interested persons, establish service lists with addresses and telephone numbers, determine issues, and set a procedural schedule. Please call the Administrative Hearings Division (503) 378-3943 if you have questions. *Parties should notify the hearings division by October 19th if they wish to participate by telephone. **Please note: The use of speaker phones or cell phones may greatly diminish your ability to hear and be heard.***

Dated this 10th day of October, 2006, at Salem, Oregon.

Lee Beyer

John Savage

Ray Baum

Chairman

Commissioner

Commissioner

<p>IF YOU HAVE A DISABILITY THAT WILL LIMIT YOUR ABILITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS CONFERENCE, PLEASE LET US KNOW. (503) 378-3943</p>
