BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

UM 1345

In the Matter of the)	RESPONSE OF PORTLAND GENERAL
PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY)	ELECTRIC COMPANY TO STAFF'S MOTION TO TEMPORARILY SUSPEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE
Application to Open Docket for Request for Proposals for Energy Resources)	

Portland General Electric Company ("PGE") hereby submits this response to Commission Staff's motion to suspend the schedule in UM 1345.

A suspension of the schedule in UM 1345 is not necessary at this time. Staff has indicated in its motion that this docket is "closely linked" to docket LC 43. The ALJ in LC 43 has scheduled a prehearing conference on March 14, 2008, after which we should know much more about the timing of that docket. Instead of suspending this UM 1345 docket, we propose that a prehearing conference be scheduled sometime shortly after March 14, where we can adjust the schedule in this docket, if necessary.

DATED this 5th day of March 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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Dated at Portland, Oregon, this 5th day of March, 2008

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