ISSUED: July 23, 2009

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

UM 1355

In the Matter of the

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

RULING

Investigation into Forecasting Forced Outage Rates for Electric Generating Units.

DISPOSITION: MOTION GRANTED

On July 6, 2009, the Administrative Law Judge modified the schedule in this proceeding to provide that companies file supplemental testimony by the close of business on July 23, 2009. On July 23, 2009, PacifiCorp, dba Pacific Power (PacifiCorp), filed a Stipulated Motion to Extend Time for Filing Supplemental Testimony by One Day (Motion) and requested that the Motion be considered in an expedited manner. In its Motion, PacifiCorp notes that it, the Commission staff, the Citizens' Utility Board, and the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities have been working to come to settlement on various issues and that a partial settlement is close to being achieved. PacifiCorp asserts that, in the event of such partial settlement, the supplemental testimony on certain issues will not be necessary.

PacifiCorp requests that the Commission extend the time for the filing of its supplemental testimony by one day to July 24, 2009, to facilitate finalization of the partial settlement and a reduction in the scope of supplemental testimony. No changes are proposed with respect to the remainder of the schedule, and PacifiCorp affirmatively represents that no party has interposed any objection to the Motion.

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I find that PacifiCorp has shown good cause as to why the Motion should be granted and further find that granting the Motion will not unduly delay the proceedings or burden the Record.

The Stipulated Motion to Extend Time for Filing Supplemental Testimony by One Day filed by PacifiCorp is GRANTED.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 23rd day of July 200

Allan J. Arlow

Administrative Law Judge

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