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Attention: Filing Center
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Re: *In the Matter of PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON Investigation into
Qualifying Facility Contracting and Pricing*
OPUC Docket No.: UM 1610
DOJ File No.: 860-115-GB0532-12

Enclosed for filing with the Commission today are an original and five copies of STAFF
STATUS REPORT REGARDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE with certificate of
service/service list.

Sincerely,


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for Stephanie Andrus

Enclosures
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c: UM 1610 Service list

1 The parties agree that discovery can occur prior to February 4, 2012. Parties also agree to
2 be judicious regarding number of data requests issued in light of the fact that utilities will be
3 preparing opening testimony prior to February 4, 2012.

4 **III. Other pending dockets:**

5 **Docket No. UM 1396 (Utility compliance filings for Order No. 11-505):** Parties are
6 circulating a stipulation addressing Portland General Electric Company's and PacifiCorp's
7 compliance filings made after Commission Order No. 11-505 for filing (if executed) in Docket
8 No. UM 1396. Policy questions regarding renewable avoided cost rate calculation, contract
9 terms and other matters arising from Order No. 11-505 which would have been presented in
10 Docket No. UM 1396 will be folded into Docket No. UM 1610.

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12 **Docket No. UM 1457 (REC request for investigation):** Docket closed without order on April
13 30, 2012. Issues to be resolved in Docket No. UM 1610.

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15 **Dockets 1566 (PATU Wind Farm, LLC v. PGE):** Stayed pursuant to ALJ's November 8,
16 2012 Ruling to allow opportunity for Commission to address Motion for Reconsideration of
17 Order No. 12-316. Docket remains open and proceeds on own track.

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19 **Docket No. UM 1546 (Three-Mile Canyon Wind I, LLC):** Stayed pursuant to Order No. 12-
20 475 pending resolution of third-party transmission cost issue in Docket No. UM 1610.

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22 **Docket No. UE 235 (Pacific Power/OPUC Investigation into Avoided Cost Purchases from**
23 **Qualifying Facilities):** Policy questions to be resolved in Docket No. UM 1610.

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25 **Docket No. UM 1615 (Idaho Power Company's Application for Determination of**
26 **Qualifying Facility Ineligibility for a Standard Contract):** UM 1610 Parties in agreement

1 that policy question is presented in Docket No. UM 1610. Developer of QFs at issue in Idaho
2 Power's application, Oregon Windfarms, LLC is not a party to UM 1610 and was not contacted
3 re: staying UM Docket No. UM 1615 pending resolution of UM 1610.

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5 **Docket No. UM 1572 (Kootenai Electric Cooperative, LLC):** Docket is fully briefed at
6 summary judgment, remains open and proceeds on own track.

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8 DATED this 14th day of December 2012.

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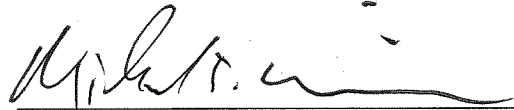
Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE/SERVICE LIST

I hereby certify that on December 14, 2012, I served the foregoing STAFF STATUS REPORT REGARDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE upon the persons named on the service list, by electronic mail only as all parties have waived paper service.

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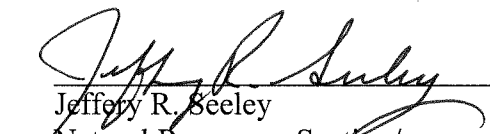
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