

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 1790

In the Matter of)
)
) PETITION OF SMALL BUSINESS
 PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER,) UTILITY ADVOCATES FOR
) EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
 2017-2021 Renewable Portfolio Standard) COMMENTS
 Implementation Plan)
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Small Business Utility Advocates (“SBUA”) respectfully submits this petition (“Petition”) to request extension of time to file comments to the PacifiCorp 2017-2021 Renewable Portfolio Standard Implementation Plan. The Commission may accept as conditionally received to meet the filing deadline documents required to be filed within a specified time but that fail to substantially comply with these rules. OAR 860-001-0150(4). In support of this Petition applying this rule SBUA represents as follows:

SBUA’s Petition to Intervene was granted by the ALJ on August 2, 2016, and SBUA filed for Huddle access on August 10, 2016. Such filing was received on that date but was not received and was not docketed until September 2, 2016. See Staff filing of September 2, 2016. Meanwhile, SBUA sent a First Set of Data Requests to PacifiCorp dba Pacific Power (“PacifiCorp”) on August 20, 2016, and an inquiry and reminder to same on September 2, 2016, and again on September 9, after the deadline for Data Request response. SBUA received the Responses to data requests on September 9, 2016 but was unable to complete review and comments to date. Given these circumstances SBUA petitions for an extension to

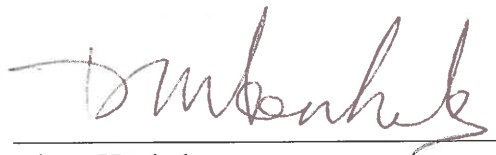
complete review, drafting, and filing comments. While any extension through this week would be helpful, SBUA requests an extension until September 26, 2016.

Such extension would not likely present a change in the schedule set forth in the ALJ August 11, 2016 Ruling in this matter. The utility's response to comments is not due until late October and SBUA does not believe its comments will be overly burdensome or cause any additional delay.

For these reasons, SBUA requests the Commission to grant this Petition.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

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