

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 2163

In the Matter of

In the Matter of PACIFICORP, dba
PACIFIC POWER,

Investigation in Schedule 272, Renewable
Rider Optional Bulk Purchase.

RULING

**DISPOSITION: PETITIONS TO INTERVENE GRANTED FOR LIMITED
PURPOSES**

To date the Alliance of Western Energy Consumers (AWEC), Portland General Electric Company, and Vitesse, LLC have filed petitions to intervene in this docket. At this current stage of this docket, this proceeding is not a contested case under ORS 183.310(2). Persons need not intervene as a party in order to participate in this proceeding, and may attend workshops, submit written comments, and provide oral comments to the Commission at public comment meetings. Persons may seek to intervene for the limited purpose of being added to the service list and obtaining access to confidential information pursuant to the terms of a protective order. For those reasons, I will grant the petitions to intervene, even though party status does not confer the general rights and duties to individuals who participate in contested case proceedings.

The petitions to intervene filed by AWEC, PGE, and Vitesse are granted for the limited purposes described above.

This case will proceed as a non-contested matter until such time as the Commission determines the appropriate process for addressing the issues in this docket. In the event that this proceeding is designed as a contested case, AWEC, PGE, and Vitesse will be considered full parties to the proceeding, subject to the resolution of any objections. Any objection to full party status for the above parties will be due within 10 days of any change in the designation of this proceeding to a contested case.

Dated this 4th day of May, 2021, at Salem, Oregon.



Alison Lackey
Administrative Law Judge