

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UE 427

In the Matter of

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC
COMPANY,

Renewable Resource Automatic Adjustment
Clause (Schedule 122) (Clearwater Wind Project)

OREGON CITIZENS'
UTILITY BOARD'S RESPONSE TO
MOTION FOR REVISED
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE OF
NEWSUN ENERGY LLC

Pursuant to OAR 860-001-0420 and the April 24th procedural memorandum issued in this docket, the Oregon Citizens' Utility Board (CUB) responds to the Motion for Revised Procedural Schedule of NewSun Energy LLC (Motion). At this juncture, CUB finds changing the schedule as requested by the Motion would not be appropriate, given both the narrow scope of the issue presented in Order No. 24-091 as well as the significant number of complex contested cases scheduled this year.

That said, the Motion raises crucial questions that warrant attention. CUB acknowledges the significance of these inquiries and firmly believes that a broader investigation into Portland General Electric Company's (PGE) capital spending is necessary to address them adequately. Such an approach would allow for a comprehensive examination of relevant factors and ensure that all pertinent issues are thoroughly explored.

In light of this, CUB has conferred with PGE and the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Staff) to reach an agreement on a revised procedural schedule. Going forward, CUB welcomes the opportunity to participate in a broader investigation into PGE's capital expenditures and the RFP process generally to both protect ratepayers and promote transparency and accountability within the industry.

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Dated this 30th day of April 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

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