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PUC Filing Center Public Utility Commission of Oregon PO Box 1088 Salem, OR 97308-1088

Re: Docket No. AR 600: In the Matter of Rulemaking Regarding Allowances for Diverse Ownership of Renewable Energy Resources.

Attention Filing Center:

Enclosed in the above-referenced docket is an electronic copy of the Joint Utilities' Motion to Modify the Procedural Schedule.

Please contact this office with any questions.

Very truly yours,

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Attachment

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

AR 600

In the Matter of:

Rulemaking Regarding Allowances for Diverse Ownership of Renewable Energy Resources. JOINT UTILITIES' MOTION TO MODIFY PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

(Expedited Consideration Requested)

In accordance with OAR 860-001-0420, Portland General Electric Company (PGE),
Pacific PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power (PacifiCorp), and Idaho Power Company (Idaho Power)
(collectively, Joint Utilities) respectfully request that the Public Utility Commission of Oregon issue
an order modifying the procedural schedule in this docket.

5 On January 25, 2018, Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Grant issued a notice (Notice) soliciting comments on policy issues in this proceeding. In accordance with the Notice, parties 6 7 filed opening comments on February 14, 2018, and reply comments are due on February 21, 8 2018. A Commissioner workshop is scheduled for March 6, 2018. The Joint Utilities propose 9 changing the deadline for reply comments to February 26, 2018, which would provide 10 Commissioners and parties with just over a week to review reply comments before the workshop. 11 The Joint Utilities have conferred with the parties that provided opening comments in this 12 proceeding on February 14, 2018-Staff, Renewable Northwest, Industrial Customers of 13 Northwest Utilities, and the Northwest and Intermountain Power Producers Coalition-and all 14 parties either support or do not oppose the proposed modification to the procedural schedule.

Accordingly, the Joint Utilities respectfully request that the ALJ approve the proposed revision to the procedural schedule changing the deadline for reply comments to February 26, 2018. Because the current schedule requires parties to file reply comments on February 21,

- 1 2018, the Joint Utilities request expedited treatment of this motion pursuant to OAR 860-001-
- 2 0420(6).

Respectfully submitted this 16th day of February, 2018.

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