

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 1654

In the Matter of)	
)	MOTION TO AMEND
NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS)	PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE
COMPANY, dba NW NATURAL)	
)	Expedited Consideration Requested
Investigation of Interstate Storage and)	
Optimization Sharing)	
_____)	

1 Pursuant to OAR 860-001-0420, the Citizens’ Utility Board of Oregon (“CUB”) hereby
2 requests that the Commission amend the procedural schedule in docket UM 1654 as follows:

- 3 • Staff/Intervenor Reply Testimony due Monday, August 19, 2013
- 4 • NW Natural Rebuttal Testimony due September 16, 2013

5 CUB’s request would allow time for NW Natural to respond to CUB’s outstanding data
6 requests in this docket, which CUB will then incorporate into its Rreply testimony. CUB has
7 conferred with NW Natural, Commission Staff, Northwest Industrial Gas Users (“NWIGU”),
8 none of which object to CUB’s Motion to extend the filing date for Staff and Intervenor Reply
9 Testimony through August 19, 2013. NW Natural stated that its agreement to the requested
10 extension for Staff/Intervenor Reply testimony in this docket is conditioned upon the Company
11 receiving a reciprocal extension, as presented above. NWIGU does not object to NW Natural’s
12 request. Staff counsel is conferring with his client in that regard.

13 CUB also wishes to bring to the ALJ’s attention that CUB will need to file a second
14 motion, at a later date, in regard to the changing of additional pre-hearing, hearing and briefing

- 1 dates as NW Natural's request to also extend its testimony due date will necessitate these
2 additional changes.
3 CUB requests expedited consideration of this motion under OAR 860-001-0420(7).

DATED this 12th day of August, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,



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UM 1654 – CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on this 12th day of July, 2013, I served the foregoing **MOTION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE** in docket UM 1654 upon each party listed in the UM 1654 PUC Service List by email and, where paper service is not waived, by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, and upon the Commission by email and by sending one original and one copy by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to the Commission's Salem offices.

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