

September 11, 2018

Via Electronic Filing

Public Utility Commission of Oregon Attention: Filing Center 201 High Street SE, Suite 100 P.O. Box 1088 Salem, OR 97308-1088

Re: UM 1859 – Falls Creek Hydro Limited Partnership vs. Portland General Electric Company

Dear Filing Center:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned docket is a Joint Motion for Stay of Procedural Schedule. This document is being filed by electronic mail with the Filing Center. **Please note that the parties have requested expedited consideration.**

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Donald J. Light

Assistant General Counsel

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 1859

FALLS CREEK HYDRO LIMITED
PARTNERSHIP,

Complainant,

JOINT MOTION FOR STAY OF PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

VS.

Expedited Consideration Requested

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY,

Defendant.

Complainant Falls Creek Hydro Limited Partnership ("Falls Creek Hydro") and Defendant Portland General Electric Company ("PGE") request an indefinite stay of the procedural schedule in the above-captioned contested case proceeding. The parties seek this stay because they are engaged in settlement discussions and believe it may be possible to settle this dispute without the need to file testimony or otherwise proceed with the schedule adopted by the Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") on May 23, 2018.

Both parties reserve the right to move the Commission to lift this stay, in which case the parties agree that a new procedural schedule will need to be adopted. The parties note that they have an existing obligation to report on the status of their settlement efforts by October 1, 2018.¹

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¹ See ALJ Ruling at 1 (Jul. 24, 2018) (granting joint motion to stay PGE's obligation to respond to Complainant's motion to compel while the parties explore settlement).

Falls Creek Hydro and PGE request expedited consideration of this unopposed motion and an immediate ruling that the procedural schedule has been stayed.

Dated this 11th day of September 2018.

Respectfully submitted,

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