BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 1707

In the Matter of

SIERRA CLUB

Regarding violation of Protective Order No. 13-095.

PETITION TO INTERVENE Of the NW Energy Coalition

NW Energy Coalition petitions to intervene in this proceeding. In support of this petition, the following is provided:

1. The contact information (name, address, email address) of the petitioner is:

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 \square Please include this contact on the service list.

2a. The petitioner \Box will \boxtimes will not be represented by counsel in this proceeding. The contact information for petitioner's counsel to be included on the service list is listed under #1, above.

2b. Additional contacts to be included on the service list (a petitioner is limited to three contacts on the service list):

None

3. If the petitioner is an organization, the number of members in and the purposes of the organization:

NWEC is a private, non-profit alliance of more than 110 consumer groups, low-income action agencies and advocacy organizations, good-government groups, environmental organizations and progressive utilities. For the past 30 years, NWEC has promoted equity in ratemaking and advocated for cost-effective conservation, accounting for environmental costs in resource choices, and engagement of the public in energy decision-making.

4. The nature and extent of the Petitioner's interest in the proceeding is:

NW Energy Coalition has been a regular participant in Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) proceedings for many years. This proceeding raises important questions about IRP practice and management of confidential information, and its resolution could have precedential significance for IRP participation generally.

5. The issues the Petitioner intends to raise at the proceeding are:

NW Energy Coalition intends to monitor the proceeding for issues of broad application to participation in the IRPs or other Commission proceedings, and may provide general comments on such issues if and when appropriate.

6. The special knowledge or expertise of the Petitioner that would assist the Commission in resolving the issues in the proceeding is:

NW Energy Coalition is a regular public interest participant in Commission proceedings.

7. Based on the information provided above in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure, I request to participate in this proceeding as an intervenor. I or the organization that I represent will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding. OAR 860-001-0300.

/s/ Wendy Gerlitz Petitioner or Petitioner's Representative

9/19/14 Date Signed

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I served the foregoing PETITION TO INTERVENE upon the

following parties on the service list for UM 1707, via electronic mail, on September 19,

2014:

NW Energy Coalition

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