BEFORE THE

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

In the Matter of)	UM 1837
The PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON))	PETITION TO INTERVENE OF CALPINE ENERGY
)	SOLUTIONS, LLC
Investigation into the Treatment of New)	
Facility Direct Access Load)	

Calpine Energy Solutions, LLC ("Calpine Solutions") hereby petitions the Public Utility

Commission of Oregon ("Commission"), pursuant to ORS 756.525 and OAR 860-001-0300, for leave to

intervene herein and to appear and participate herein as a party, and as ground therefore states as

follows:

1. The name and address of this Intervenor is:

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2. Calpine Solutions will be represented in this docket by:

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provided to the following persons:

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4. Calpine Solutions is a national provider of retail energy services, including in the State of Oregon, and is a certified electricity service supplier ("ESS") under Oregon law and regulations. *See* Order No. 16-479; Order No. 10-453; Order No. 07-075; Order No. 02-133.

5. Calpine Solutions and its predecessor entities, Noble Americas Energy Solutions, LLC and Sempra Energy Solutions LLC, have actively participated in numerous recent proceedings related to retail direct access, including OPUC dockets UE 216, UE 227, UE 236, UE 245, UE 262, UE 264, UE 267, UE 287, UE 296, UE 307, UE 308, UE 313, UE 319, UE 323, UM 1050, UM 1587, UM 1390, and DR 49. The outcome of this proceeding may affect the rates charged to customers eligible for direct access and currently participating in direct access and will also therefore affect Calpine Solutions' ability to provide retail electricity services in the State of Oregon. Calpine Solutions therefore claims a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding.

6. Calpine Solutions intends to participate herein as a party, and if necessary, to introduce evidence, call and examine witnesses, cross-examine witnesses, and be heard in argument. The nature and quality of evidence and argument which Calpine Solutions will introduce is dependent upon the nature and effect of other evidence in this proceeding.

7. Without the opportunity to intervene herein, Calpine Solutions would be without any means of participation in this proceeding which may have a material impact on its business activities in the State of Oregon.

WHEREFORE, Calpine Energy Solutions, LLC respectfully requests this Commission grant its Petition to Intervene in these proceedings and to appear and participate in all matters as may be necessary and appropriate; and to present evidence, call and examine witnesses, present argument and to otherwise fully participate in these proceedings.

DATED this 5th day of June 2017.

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