ISSUED: May 12, 2016

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

## OF OREGON

UM 1773

In the Matter of

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY,

**RULING** 

Petition for Partial Waiver of Competitive Bidding Guidelines and Approval of Request for Proposals (RFP) Schedule.

DISPOSITION: PREHEARING CONFERENCE CANCELED; PETITION TO BE ADDRESSED AT PUBLIC MEETING

On May 4, 2016, Portland General Electric Company (PGE) filed a petition for partial waiver of competitive bidding guidelines and approval of request for proposals. The Commission docketed the matter as a contested case, and issued a Notice of Prehearing Conference to be held on June 6, 2016.

On May 11, 2016, the Commission Staff requested that this matter be addressed as a public meeting item rather than a contested case. Given PGE's need for an expedited decision, Staff has concluded that the petition could best be addressed as an item on the regular agenda at the June 7, 2016 public meeting.

The prehearing conference scheduled for June 6, 2016, is therefore canceled and a notice to that effect shall be issued simultaneously with this ruling.

Dated this 12<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2016, at Salem, Oregon.

Allan J. Arlow Administrative Law Judge