BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

	NC 175	
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON,)	
Complainant,)	
v.)	ORDER
PACIFICORP (an Oregon corporation), dba PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT,)))	
Defendant.))	

DISPOSITION: STIPULATION ADOPTED

On February 7, 2006, the Public Utility Commission of Oregon filed a complaint against Defendant. The complaint charged Defendant with one violation of law, OAR 952-001-0070. Defendant committed the violation described in this complaint within three years from the date a prior order was issued. *See* Order No. 04-451. A penalty shall be imposed in the amount of \$5,000 for each violation alleged, and the \$2,500 penalty that was suspended in Order No. 04-451 entered against Defendant shall be reinstated, for a total penalty of \$7,500. On February 7, 2006, a copy of the complaint was served.

On February 17, 2006, the parties to this proceeding entered into a stipulation, which is attached as Appendix A.

Defendant admits committing the violation alleged in the complaint. The stipulation is adopted.

Under the terms of the stipulation, Defendant admits committing the alleged violation and agrees that the Commission may enter an order assessing civil monetary penalties. Defendant also agrees to complete, within 45 days following the entry of a final order, a training session with the Oregon Utility Notification Center Speakers Bureau on Oregon excavation laws. A review of the Commission's records indicates that Defendant has completed the training session.

From the foregoing, it is concluded that no hearing is required. Under the terms of the stipulation, the allegations of the complaint are true, and Defendant has violated Oregon Administrative Rule(s) as alleged. Pursuant to the provisions of ORS 757.993, penalties should be assessed against Defendant under the terms and conditions of the stipulation.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1. Civil monetary penalties shall be assessed against PacifiCorp (an Oregon corporation), dba Pacific Power & Light, in the amount of \$5,000 for one violation of law.
- 2. Payment of the balance of the penalties (\$2,500) from Order No. 04-451 entered against Defendant shall be reinstated.
- 3. Defendant shall pay the sum of \$7,500, due and payable within 30 days from the date of service of this order. Payment shall be by <u>cashier's check or money order</u> made out to the **Public Utility Commission of Oregon**, and the <u>memo line of the cashier's check or money order shall state the "NC" docket number in the caption of this order. (Mail payment to: Public Utility Commission of Oregon, PO Box 2153, Salem, OR 97308.)</u>

Made, entered, and effective

MAR 0 5 2006

Lee Sparling

Director Utility Program



A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order pursuant to ORS 756.561. A request for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed with the Commission within 60 days of the date of service of this order. The request must comply with the requirements in OAR 860-014-0095. A copy of any such request must also be served on each party to the proceeding as provided by OAR 860-013-0070(2). A party may appeal this order by filing a petition for review with the Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480-183.484.

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2	OF OREGON		FEB 22 2006
3	NC 175		Public Utility Commission of Oregon Administrative Hearing Division
4	PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF		
5	OREGON,		
6	Complainant,	STIPULATION FOR ENTRY	OF FINAL ORDER
7	V.		
8	PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT.		
9			
10	Defendant.		
11	The Public Utility Commission of Oregon, appearing by and through Paul A. Graham,		
12	Assistant Attorney General, and Pacific Power & Light, the defendant herein, hereby stipulate as		
13	follows:		
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15	A Complaint in this case is pending before the Commission charging the defendant with		
16	one violation of law, OAR 952-001-0070.		
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18	Both parties to this proceeding are willing to forego further processing of that Complaint		
19	and further are willing to resolve this matter on the basis of this stipulation.		
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21	The defendant admits that the violation was committed as alleged in the Complaint and is		
22	willing for the Commission to enter an order finding that the violation was committed as alleged		
23	in the Complaint.		
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25	The parties further agree that the Commission may enter an order assessing civil		
26	monetary penalties against the defendant in the amount of \$7,500 (\$2,500 suspended penalties		

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1	from Final Order No. 04-451 and \$5,000 in penalties from a subsequent violation on October 5,
2	2005) under the following terms and conditions:
3	A. \$5,000, plus the \$2,500 from the previous suspension, shall become due and payable on
4	or before the 30th day following the Commission's entry of a final order in this case.
5	B. Payment shall be by <u>cashier's check or money order</u> made out to the <u>Public Utility</u>
6	Commission of Oregon, and the memo line of the cashier's check or money order shall
7	state the "NC" docket number in the caption of this stipulation.
8	C. Defendant shall contact the OUNC Speakers Bureau at (503) 232-1987 to arrange for and
9	the entire company shall attend a training session on Oregon excavation laws within 45
10	days following the entry of a final order.
11	5.
12	This stipulation is conditioned upon final approval of its terms by the Commission. If the
13	stipulation is not accepted in its entirety, it shall be deemed withdrawn.
14 15	DATED this
16	Rauld Maham
17	Paul A. Graham, OSB #77190
18	Assistant Attorney General Of Attorneys for PUC Staff
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20	DATED this 17th day of February, 2006.
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22	Representative for Defendant
23	Representative for Defendant
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