ENTERED Oct 10 2019

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

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In the Matter of
PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER,
ORDER

Draft Storage Potential Evaluation.

DISPOSITION: DUE DATE FOR COMPLIANCE FILING MODIFIED

On October 7, 2019, PacifiCorp, dba Pacific Power, filed a motion to amend the current due date of October 14, 2019, for the company to make its second compliance filing. PacifiCorp states that it seeks to align the submission of its second compliance filing with the filing of its Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) on October 18, 2019, because its second compliance filing, with newly estimated benefits, is heavily tied to its IRP. PacifiCorp further represents that the Oregon Citizens' Utility Board and PUC Staff (the parties to the stipulated filed on July 18, 2018, and adopted in Order No. 18-327) do not oppose this request to extend the filing due date by 4 days.

The process for parties to complete regarding PacifiCorp's plan to update its energy storage modeling and Staff's review were set forth in the stipulation adopted in Order No. 18-327. The timelines for the process were amended by a ruling issued on May 31, 2019, granting Staff's unopposed motion to extend the deadlines, with the second compliance filing due 90 days after Commission approval of PacifiCorp's Energy Storage Potential Evaluation Plan. The approval was given in Order No. 19-242, making the due date for the second compliance filing October 14, 2019.

The Chief Administrative Law Judge has been delegated the authority to modify time lines specified in a Commission order.¹ Exercising that authority, I find good cause to extend the due date of the compliance filing to October 18, 2019.

¹ See In the Matter of Public Utility Commission of Oregon, The Delegation of Certain Duties an Powers of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon, Docket No. CD 24, Order No. 19-032, Appendix E (Jan 31, 2019).

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the timeline set forth in Order No. 18-327 is modified consistent with the terms of this order. The remainder of the order is unchanged.

Made, entered, and effective on Oct 10, 2019

Nolan Moser Chief Administrative Law Judge



A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order under 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 860-001-0720. A copy of the request must also be served on each party to the proceedings as provided in OAR 860-001-0180(2). A party may appeal this order by filing a petition for review with the Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480 through 183.484.