

1 **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**  
2 **OF OREGON**  
3 **UM 1182**

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5 In the Matter of an Investigation Regarding  
6 Competitive Bidding (UM 1182).

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STAFF MOTION TO MODIFY SCHEDULE

8 Pursuant to OAR 860-013-0031, staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon  
9 (“staff”) requests that the administrative law judge issue an order modifying the procedural  
10 schedule in the above-captioned docket. Currently, the schedule calls for parties to file  
11 simultaneous opening and reply comments on September 9 and September 30, 2005. For the  
12 reasons stated below, staff requests that the schedule be modified so that simultaneous opening  
13 comments are due on September 30, 2005, and simultaneous reply comments are due on October  
14 21, 2005. Staff has notified all UM 1182 parties of its intent to request this modification to the  
15 schedule. No party has voiced an objection.

16 Parties to this docket have generally agreed that the best way to present comments to the  
17 Commission is to create uniform points of reference by creating one or more “straw proposals”  
18 that hopefully synthesize parties’ positions on the various issues presented in this docket. The  
19 parties require additional time to create these straw proposals, and accordingly, additional time to  
20 draft and file opening and reply comments for the Commission. For this reason, staff seeks a  
21 modification to the schedule.

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1 **CONCLUSION**

2 For the foregoing reasons, staff requests that the administrative law judge modify the  
3 procedural schedule so that simultaneous opening comments are due on September 30, 2005, and  
4 simultaneous reply comments are due on October 21, 2005.

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6 DATED this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September 2005.

7 Respectfully submitted,

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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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