

ISSUED: March 3, 2005

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

UM 1182

In the Matter of an Investigation Regarding     )  
Competitive Bidding.   )   **RULING**

**DISPOSITION:   PETITION TO INTERVENE CONDITIONALLY  
GRANTED**

On March 1, 2005, the Oregon Department of Energy (ODOE) filed a motion to intervene out of time and a petition to intervene. ODOE has sufficient interest in the proceeding, and its appearance and participation will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding. *See* OAR 860-012-0001. The petition to intervene is granted, subject to the filing of timely objections.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 3rd day of March, 2005.

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Kathryn Logan  
Administrative Law Judge