

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UF 4218/UM 1206

In the Matters of)
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 PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY)
 Application for an Order Authorizing the Issuance)
 of 62,500,000 Shares of New Common Stock)
 Pursuant to ORS 757.410, et seq., (UF 4218))
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 and)
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 STEPHEN FORBES COOPER, LLC, as)
 Disbursing Agent, on behalf of the RESERVE)
 FOR DISPUTED CLAIMS)
 Application for an Order Allowing the Reserve for)
 Disputed Claims to Acquire the Power to Exercise)
 Substantial Influence over the Affairs and Policies)
 of Portland General Electric Company Pursuant to)
 ORS 757.511. (UM 1206))
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RULING

DISPOSITION: PETITION TO INTERVENE CONDITIONALLY GRANTED

On August 24, 2005, the League of Oregon Cities filed a Petition to Intervene (Petition). The League states that it represents all 52 cities served by Portland General Electric Company and has an interest in protecting its citizens. Further, the League argues that it is interested in “retaining all local taxes and fees and [the cities’] ability to manage and receive compensation for the use of local rights of way.” It asserts it has knowledge and expertise that will assist the Commission in resolving the issues presented in this proceeding. In addition, it asserts that its participation in this proceeding will not unduly broaden the issues or burden the record.

The Petition is conditionally granted; however, the League must take the proceeding as it finds it. Intervenor testimony is due September 9 and September 28, 2005, and the hearing is scheduled for October 17 and 21, 2005. Any person wishing to contest this Petition may do so within 10 days of service of the Petition. If no person contests this Petition, this decision shall be final.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 26th day of August, 2005.

Christina M. Smith
Administrative Law Judge