

1                                   **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**  
2   **OF OREGON**  
3   **UM 1331**

4           In the Matter of  
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6   PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF  
7   OREGON Investigation to consider adopting  
8   new federal standards to PURPA Section  
9   111(d), related to fuel diversity and fossil fuel  
10   generation efficiency.

MOTION TO SUSPEND PROCEDURAL  
SCHEDULE

9           Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (“staff”) asks the administrative law  
10   judge (“ALJ”) to suspend the procedural schedule in the above-captioned case to allow parties  
11   time to consider whether to file joint comments regarding the standards under consideration.  
12   Staff was able to contact all the parties to this docket except PacifiCorp. None of the parties  
13   contacted by staff object to this motion.

14           A status conference is currently scheduled for Monday, October 15, 2007 at 9:30 a.m.  
15   Staff proposes that if the current procedural schedule is suspended, the ALJ set a new procedural  
16   schedule at the status conference. The new procedural schedule will either include (1) a due date  
17   for joint comments by all the parties, or (2) a due date for staff comments and a subsequent due  
18   date for comments by all other parties.

19           Staff has already completed draft comments. Accordingly, if parties do not wish to file  
20   joint comments, staff will be able to file its own comments shortly after October 15, 2007.  
21   Accordingly the temporary suspension of the procedural schedule should not unduly delay this  
22   proceeding.

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1 **CONCLUSION**

2 Staff asks that the ALJ suspend the procedural schedule in the above-captioned docket and  
3 set a new procedural schedule at the October 15, 2007, status conference.

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5 DATED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007.

6 Respectfully submitted,

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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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3 I certify that on October 10, 2007, I served the foregoing upon all parties of record in this  
4 proceeding by delivering a copy by electronic mail and by mailing a copy by postage prepaid  
5 first class mail or by hand delivery/shuttle mail to the parties accepting paper service.

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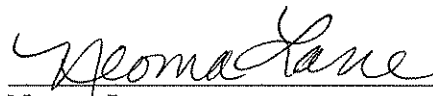
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