

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 1953

In the Matter of

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC
COMPANY,

Investigation Into Proposed Green Tariff.

RULING

DISPOSITION: MOTIONS TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY GRANTED; ORDER OF WITNESS APPEARANCES ESTABLISHED; PARTIES DIRECTED TO FILE WRITTEN MOTIONS TO ADMIT TESTIMONY AND EXHIBITS

Participation by Telephone

Today, the Alliance of Western Energy Consumers (AWEC) filed a motion requesting permission to appear telephonically at the hearing scheduled in the above-captioned docket scheduled for November 20, 2018, at 1:30 p.m. AWEC requested expedited consideration of the motion. AWEC asked to retain the right to ask cross-examination questions following questions by the Commissioners or the administrative law judge. Renewable Northwest (RNW) subsequently filed a similar motion that requested permission to appear telephonically at the hearing and to retain the right to ask cross-examination questions following questions from the bench.

The Oregon Citizens' Utility Board (CUB) also filed notice that it will appear by telephone, but indicates that it does not anticipate asking cross-examination questions. Parties were asked to raise concerns by today at 3:00 p.m. No party indicated an objection. The motions are granted.

Any other party that would like to appear telephonically at the hearing may file a written motion by the close of business today.

Cross-Examination Order

Questions will be asked to two witnesses in the following order:

Party	Witness
PGE	Jay Tinker
Staff	Scott Gibbens

At the conclusion of questions by the bench, I will allow each party to pose cross-examination questions in the following order: Staff, PGE, AWEC, Walmart, RNW, the Northwest and Intermountain Power Producers Coalition, and Calpine Solutions. At the conclusion of questions from the bench and parties, time will be allowed for redirect by counsel for the witness. Should the bench have additional questions for a witness, the process will start again.

Motions to Admit Testimony and Exhibits

As all witnesses have not been asked to be present at the hearing, I would like to handle the admission of each party's testimony and exhibits into the record by written motion. All parties are asked to file motions to admit their testimony and exhibits into the record, with a supporting declaration or an affidavit, by the close of business on November 27, 2018.

Dated this 19th day of November, 2018, at Salem, Oregon.



Traci Kirkpatrick
Administrative Law Judge