

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 2024

In the Matter of

ALLIANCE OF WESTERN ENERGY
CONSUMERS,

Petition for Investigation Into Long-Term
Direct Access Programs.

RULING

DISPOSITION: PETITIONS TO INTERVENE GRANTED FOR LIMITED PURPOSES

The Commission has received petitions to intervene in this docket from Northwest and Intermountain Power Producers Coalition (NIPPC), PacifiCorp dba Pacific Power (PacifiCorp), Portland General Electric Company (PGE), Walmart Inc., (Walmart), and Northwest Power and Conservation Council (NPCC).

This proceeding is not a contested case proceeding under ORS 183.310(2). Nonetheless, obtaining party status is necessary for purposes of receiving copies of filings made by others and to be eligible to sign a protective order to obtain access to confidential information. For those reasons, the Commission will grant the petitions to intervene, even though party status does not confer the general rights and duties to individuals who participate in contested case proceedings.

The petitions to intervene filed by NIPPC, PacifiCorp, PGE, Walmart, and NPCC are granted for the limited purposes described above.

Dated this 21st day of November, 2019, at Salem, Oregon.



Christopher J. Allwein
Administrative Law Judge