

**OREGON PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
MINUTES OF PUBLIC MEETING**

9:30 a.m.
January 10, 2006
Main Hearing Room
550 Capitol St. N.E.
Salem, Oregon 97301-2551

Present: Chairman Lee Beyer and Commissioner John Savage; Mike Grant, Chief Administrative Law Judge; and Paul Graham, Attorney-in-Charge, Department of Justice.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion was made by Commissioner Savage to adopt the Consent Agenda.

Voting for: Commissioners Beyer and Savage.

Voting against: None.

REGULAR AGENDA

1. **CASCADE NATURAL GAS:** (Docket Nos UG 167 and UM 1227/Advice No. O05-10-01) Requests authorization to establish a Decoupling Mechanism and approval of tariff sheets No. 30 and No. 30-A.

Ed Durrenberger presented Staff's Report and Recommendations.

Motion was made by Commissioner Beyer to adopt Staff's Recommendation: that the Commission suspend Cascade Natural Gas' application to establish a decoupling mechanism and implement the tariff schedules in Advice No. O05-10-01.

Voting for: Commissioners Beyer and Savage.

Voting against: None

2. **PORTFOLIO OPTIONS COMMITTEE:** Recommendation to require Tradable Renewable Certificates for portfolio options be registered with the Western Renewable Energy Generation Information System beginning January 1, 2008.

Lisa Swartz presented Staff's Report and Recommendations.

Motion was made by Commissioner Savage to adopt Staff's and the Portfolio Options Committee Recommendation: that the Commission require, beginning January 1, 2008, that all Tradable Renewable Certificates Portland General Electric and PacifiCorp purchase for renewable resource portfolio options pursuant to OAR 860-038-0220(4) and (6) be registered with the Western Renewable Energy Generation Information System (WREGIS). The Committee may at a later date request the Commission modify this requirement if insufficient certificates are registered with WREGIS for the types of energy resources supplying Tradable Renewable Certificates for the portfolio options.

Voting for: Commissioners Beyer and Savage.

Voting against: None

Meeting Adjourned at 10:10 am.

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