

ISSUED: September 21, 2004

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

AR 475

In the Matter of a Rulemaking Proceeding)
to Implement Changes in OAR 860-038-)
0005 and OAR 860-038-0500 through) ALJ
0640, Code of Conduct Rules.) MEMORANDUM

**DISPOSITION: SCHEDULE FOR ORAL AND WRITTEN
COMMENTS ADOPTED**

On August 5, 2004, the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and Statement of Need and Fiscal Impact were filed with the Secretary of State's office. On August 23, 2004, those two documents along with a copy of the proposed rules were served on the docket and administrative rule service lists. Subsequent to the filing, I learned that a hearing date had not been included in the notice. On September 7, 2004, a new Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and Statement of Need and Fiscal Impact were filed with the Secretary of State's office. This notice set forth a hearing date of October 26, 2004, with final comments due by October 29, 2004. On September 9, 2004, I issued a ruling outlining the schedule in this docket.

Attached are copies of the September 7, 2004, filings with the Secretary of State, along with a slightly revised copy of the rules. Most changes are housekeeping. However, one newly added section was not in bold and highlighted, as required by statute. This section, found in OAR 860-038-0520, is as follows:

(b) The disclaimer for a competitive operation must state the following: 'You do not have to buy {product/service name} to continue to receive safe and reliable electricity service from {name of electric company}'

This correction has been made in the attached rules.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 21st day of September, 2004.

Kathryn Logan
Administrative Law Judge