Issued: May 11, 2006

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

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| In the Matter of  | )            |
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| PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC   | ) MEMORANDUM |
| 2006 Integrated Resource Plan.  | )<br>)       |
| On May 5, 2006, Portland General Electric Company (PGE) filed a request seeking a waiver of the application of an administrative rule to the company's acquisition of the Biglow Wind Project. PGE asserts that its acquisition of the Biglow Wind Project is consistent with the company's Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) acknowledged in Order No. 04-375. PGE also asserts that good cause exists for a waiver of OAR 860-038-0080(1)(b), commonly referred to as the "Market Price Rule." |              |
| OAR 860-038-0001(4) provides that, for good cause shown, the Commission may relieve an electric company of requirements contained in Division 038. Objections to PGE's request must be filed by May 24, 2006. PGE may file a response to any objection by May 31, 2006.   |              |
| Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 11 <sup>th</sup> day of May 2006.  |              |

**Michael Grant** Chief Administrative Law Judge

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In its request, PGE anticipates that the Commission will consider the matter at its June 13, 2006 public meeting. While the Commission will make efforts to issue a timely decision on PGE's request, it will do so in a written order, rather than at a public meeting.