ISSUED: August 30, 2005

Christina M. Smith Administrative Law Judge

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

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In the Matter of)
PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY) RULING
2006 Resource Valuation Mechanism.)
DISPOSITION: HEARING CANCELED	
On August 29, 2005, Portland General Electric Company (PGE) filed a motion to cancel the hearing to be held September 1. PGE noted that it was the only party that requested cross-examination, and in light of developments in the case, no longer needed to cross-examine the witnesses. Today, Staff filed a response saying that it does not oppose the motion. The motion to cancel the hearing is granted.	
PGE also stated that the parties have reached a settlement which it anticipates filing with the Commission soon. Staff concurs with that statement. The schedule is modified to incorporate the stipulation and accompanying testimony in place of reply briefs, to be filed by September 23. This will ensure adequate time for possible exceptions and Commission review before the expected order date of October 21, 2005.	
Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 30th day of August, 2005.	