

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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| In the Matter of: |) | |
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| PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC |) | |
| COMPANY |) | RULING |
| |) | |
| Filing of tariffs establishing automatic |) | |
| adjustment clauses under the terms of SB 408. |) | |

DISPOSITION: MOTION TO AMEND SCHEDULE GRANTED

On January 18, 2008, Portland General Electric Company (PGE) filed a motion to amend the procedural schedule in this docket. PGE explains that a settlement –in-principle has been reached between PGE, Public Utility Commission of Oregon Staff, and the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities. These parties request that the schedule be amended as follows:

| EVENT | DATE |
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| Filing of Stipulation and Explanatory Brief or Testimony | February 1, 2008 |
| Written Objections, if any, to the Stipulation | February 15, 2008 |
| Reply Comments in Support of Stipulation, if necessary | February 22, 2008 |
| Simultaneous Opening Briefs | March 3, 2008 |
| Simultaneous Response Briefs | March 13, 2008 |

PGE notes that the settlement-in-principle does not resolve two issues: (1) the amortization period for the adjustment amount determined for PGE’s 2006 calendar year; and (2) the treatment of PGE’s sale of an unregulated asset, an LM 6000 turbine. PGE adds that the parties will address these issues in briefs. Finally, PGE states that the stipulating parties have conferred with the other parties in this docket and that none oppose this motion.

PGE’s motion is granted. Although OAR 860-014-0085(5) generally allows a party to object to a stipulation within 20 days, I find good cause exists to shorten that time period to 14 days in light of the statutorily-imposed deadline for a Commission order in this docket.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 24th day of January, 2008.

Michael Grant
Chief Administrative Law Judge