

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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WAH CHANG,)	
)	
Petitioner,)	
)	
v.)	RULING AND NOTICE OF
)	PREHEARING CONFERENCE
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PACIFICORP,)	
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Respondent.)	

On August 5, 2005, petitioner, Wah Chang, moved for a 90-day extension, from September 16, 2005 to December 14, 2005, in order to file direct testimony in the above captioned proceeding. All dates currently scheduled in this docket would need to be adjusted to accommodate the requested extension. Wah Chang also requests expedited treatment of its motion, but indicates a scheduling conference should be held, presumably to discuss revisions to the current schedule. Wah Chang represents that respondent, PacifiCorp, objects to Wah Chang’s motion.

As direct testimony from Wah Chang is due in less than six weeks, I recognize that it would be beneficial to Wah Chang to have its motion handled on an expedited basis. In light of PacifiCorp’s opposition to the motion, however, I am reluctant to rush the motion’s resolution. Consequently, I will allow PacifiCorp a reduced, but sufficient amount of time to respond in writing to Wah Chang’s motion, prior to holding a scheduling conference on August 17, 2005. PacifiCorp may submit written comments until the close of business on August 16, 2005. Information about the scheduling conference is provided below:

DATE: Wednesday, August 17, 2005

TIME: 9:30 a.m.

LOCATION: Public Utility Commission of Oregon
550 Capitol Street NE
Commission Conference Rm. – 2nd Floor
Salem, OR 97301

CALL IN NUMBER:

To participate, call:

Telephone #: 1-877-322-9648

Participant Code #: 551744

ADMINISTRATIVE

LAW JUDGE:

Traci Kirkpatrick

POSTPONEMENT will be made only upon a showing of good cause.
Please call the Administrative Hearings Division (503) 378-3885 if you have questions.

Dated this 8th day of August, 2005, at Salem, Oregon.

Traci A. G. Kirkpatrick
Administrative Law Judge