BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 1147

In the Matter of)	
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON)))	RULING
Staff Request to Open an Investigation Related to Deferred Accounting.)))	

DISPOSITION: WORKSHOP CANCELLED

On January 10, 2005, PacifiCorp filed a motion requesting an extension of time for all parties to file and serve Opening Comments and Reply Comments in this docket. This motion was granted the same day. PacifiCorp did not propose a date change for the workshop currently scheduled for January 26, 2005, and the workshop remained scheduled.

With the change in the procedural schedule for this docket, however, there are only nine days between the submission of opening comments and the workshop. In addition, some parties have provided input indicating that the agenda for the workshop is unclear. For these reasons, in consultation with the Commissioners, I have determined that the workshop should be cancelled. Should parties so desire, oral argument may be scheduled following the submission of all comments.

If any party believes there are good reasons to conduct the workshop as scheduled, that party should submit comments explaining these reasons by the close of business on January 18, 2005. Should no comments be received, the workshop will be finally cancelled as of January 19, 2005. Parties should indicate in opening comments whether oral argument should be conducted.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 13th day of January, 2005.

Traci A. G. Kirkpatrick Administrative Law Judge