

ORDER NO. 00-802

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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of SPRINGFIELD UTILITY )  
BOARD's Violations of NESC (National )  
Electrical Safety Code) Requirements and )  
Policies of the Oregon Public Utility )  
Commission. )

**ORDER**

**DISPOSITION: ORDERED TO COMPLY WITH NATIONAL ELECTRICAL  
SAFETY CODE (NESC) REQUIREMENTS.**

At its public meeting on December 5, 2000, the Commission adopted Staff's recommendation to order the Springfield Utility Board to comply with the National Electrical Safety Code (NESC) requirements. Staff's recommendation is attached as Appendix A and is incorporated by reference.

**ORDER**

IT IS ORDERED that the Springfield Utility Board must promptly bring its facilities into compliance with the National Electrical Safety Code and with PUC policies in the areas of adequate tree clearances to power lines and substation security and grounding. Specific deadlines and reporting requirements, as described in Appendix A, are adopted.

Made, entered, and effective \_\_\_\_\_.

BY THE COMMISSION:

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**Vikie Bailey-Goggins**  
Commission Secretary

A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order pursuant to ORS 756.561. A request for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed with the Commission within 60 days of the date of service of this order. The request must comply with the requirements of OAR 860-014-0095. A copy of any such request must also be served on each party to the proceeding as provided by OAR 860-013-0070. A party may appeal this order to a court pursuant to ORS 756.580.