

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF OREGON**

UE 198

In the Matter of)	MOTION TO MODIFY
)	SCHEDULE
PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC)	
COMPANY)	EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION
)	REQUESTED
Request for Net Variable Power Cost)	
Revision)	

Settlement discussions regarding this docket, the net variable power cost portion of PGE’s general rate case, have recently been held. Portland General Electric (“PGE”), Staff of the Public Utility Commission (“Staff”), the Citizens’ Utility Board (“CUB”), the Industrial Customers of Northwest Utilities (“ICNU”), Kroger Inc. (“Kroger”), and the Oregon Department of Energy (“ODOE”) (collectively the “Participating Parties”) were the only parties that participated. An agreement in principal resolving all issues in this docket has been reached between PGE, Staff, CUB, and ICNU (the “Settling Parties”). Kroger and ODOE do not oppose the settlement. The Settling Parties anticipate that a Stipulation and supporting joint testimony or explanatory brief will be filed by the time of PGE’s next MONET power cost update on July 11, 2008.

Pursuant to OAR 860-013-0031, PGE requests that the remaining dates for the filing of testimony and hearings in this docket be stayed, and that either now or after the Stipulation is filed, dates be set for the filing of any objections to the Stipulation. Specifically, PGE requests that the following dates be stayed:

Staff and Intervenor Reply Testimony:	June 20, 2008
Settlement Conference:	June 27, 2008
PGE Rebuttal Testimony:	July 22, 2008
All parties Cross-Examination statements:	July 28, 2008
Hearing:	August 7-8, 2008

Under the current schedule PGE is to file updates to MONET on September 26, 2008, November 3, 2008, and a final update on November 14, 2008. In discussions in the prehearing conference PGE also agreed to provide a MONET update on July 11, 2008. PGE does not request a change in those dates. The current schedule also lists October 17, 2008 as the date for a Commission Decision. A Commission decision by that date is necessary to implement the November direct access election window. Accordingly, PGE requests that the Administrative Law Judge set a deadline for parties to file any objections to the Stipulation, and if any objections are filed, set a schedule, including a hearing if necessary, such that a Commission decision can be made by October 17, 2008.

The Participating Parties support this motion.

CONCLUSION AND EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION REQUEST

For the reasons discussed above, PGE requests that the administrative law judge issue an order postponing the dates listed above. Since the first deadline sought stayed is today, expedited consideration of this motion is requested. In addition, if any further proceedings are necessary, expedited scheduling may be necessary to make possible a Commission decision by October 17, 2008.

DATED this 20th day of June, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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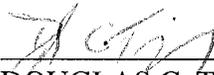
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Dated at Portland, Oregon, this 20th day of June 2008.



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