

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON
UG 435

IN THE MATTER OF:)	
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NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS)	MOTION OF SMALL BUSINESS
COMPANY, dba NW NATURAL)	UTILITY ADVOCATES FOR
)	LEAVE TO FILE OUT OF TIME
Request for General Rate Revision (UG)	
435))	
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Pursuant to OAR 860-001-0420, Small Business Utility Advocates (“SBUA”) moves the Administrative Law Judge to allow SBUA to file a Reply to Motion for leave to file outside of time to NW Natural's Response to the Second Bench Request dated 05/27/2022 in UG 435.

SBUA requests an extension to Tuesday 06/14/2022 to file a reply. The reasons supporting this request are the need to review technical material filed received prior to this date June 10, 2022, with an expert not located in the United States, including more difficult technical access, in addition to the press of other business. We are not reviewing any related filings dated this date.

It is just and reasonable to allow this postponement since the issue of COVID-19 is important to our client and a significant amount of money, and the topic had not been included in the original utility filing.

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For these reasons, the ALJ should grant SBUA leave to file a Reply by June 14th, 2022.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED June 14th, 2022.



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