

# McDowell & Rackner PC



KATHERINE A. MCDOWELL  
Direct (503) 595-3924  
katherine@mcd-law.com

October 4, 2007

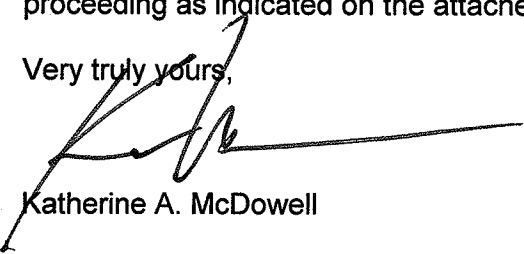
## VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

PUC Filing Center  
Public Utility Commission of Oregon  
PO Box 2148  
Salem, OR 97308-2148

**Re: Docket No. UM 1276**

Enclosed is for filing in the above-referenced docket is an original and one copy of PacifiCorp's Motion for Change in Schedule. A copy of this filing has been served on all parties to this proceeding as indicated on the attached service list.

Very truly yours,



Katherine A. McDowell

Enclosure

cc: Service List

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

**UM 1276**

In the Matter of  
  
THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF  
OREGON

**MOTION FOR CHANGE IN SCHEDULE**

Staff's request to open an investigation  
regarding performance-based ratemaking  
mechanisms to address potential build-vs.-  
buy bias.

PacifiCorp requests a change in the procedural schedule in this docket. Currently, the parties are scheduled to file reply comments on October 5, 2007. There is general consensus among the parties, however, that further development of the filed proposals is appropriate prior to the filing of reply comments.

Therefore, PacifiCorp requests that the Commission: (1) vacate the current reply comment deadline of October 5, 2007; (2) add a workshop to the schedule for November 1, 2007 at 9:30 in the Main Hearing Room at the Public Utility Commission of Oregon; (3) direct parties to circulate revisions to the filed proposals in advance of the workshop; (4) direct parties to agree on a new date for the filing of reply comments at the workshop and report it to the Commission thereafter.

/////  
/////  
/////  
/////  
/////  
/////

1 PacifiCorp has conferred with all active parties to this docket and no party objects to  
2 this motion. Staff, PGE, CUB, RNP, and NIPPC all support this motion; Staff has reserved  
3 the room for the workshop and provided notice to the parties.

4

5 DATED: October 4, 2007.

6

MCDOWELL & RACKNER PC

7

8



9

Katherine A. McDowell

10

Attorneys for PacifiCorp

11

12

13

14

15

16

17

18

19

20

21

22

23

24

25

26

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing document in Docket UM 1276 on the following named person(s) on the date indicated below by email and first-class mail addressed to said person(s) at his or her last-known address(es) indicated below.

Susan K. Ackerman  
[susan.k.ackerman@comcast.net](mailto:susan.k.ackerman@comcast.net)

Lowrey R. Brown  
Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon  
[lowrey@oregoncub.org](mailto:lowrey@oregoncub.org)

Judy Johnson  
Public Utility Commission of Oregon  
PO Box 2148  
Salem OR 97308-2148  
[judy.johnson@state.or.us](mailto:judy.johnson@state.or.us)

Melinda J. Davison  
Davison Van Cleve PC  
[mail@dvclaw.com](mailto:mail@dvclaw.com)

John Demoss  
[turbineone@earthlink.net](mailto:turbineone@earthlink.net)

Jason Eisdorfer  
Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon  
[jason@oregoncub.org](mailto:jason@oregoncub.org)

Randall J. Falkenberg  
RFI Consulting Inc.  
[consultrfi@aol.com](mailto:consultrfi@aol.com)

Ann English Gravatt  
Renewable Northwest Project  
[ann@rnp.org](mailto:ann@rnp.org)

J. Richard George  
Portland General Electric  
121 SW Salmon St 1WTC1301  
Portland, OR 97204  
[richard.george@pgn.com](mailto:richard.george@pgn.com)

Ann L. Fisher  
AF Legal & Consulting Services  
PO Box 25302  
Portland OR 97298-0302  
[energylaw@aol.com](mailto:energylaw@aol.com)

Natalie Hocken  
PacifiCorp  
[natalie.hocken@pacificorp.com](mailto:natalie.hocken@pacificorp.com)

Robert Jenks  
Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon  
[bob@oregoncub.org](mailto:bob@oregoncub.org)

Idaho Power Company  
John R. Gale  
[rgale@idahopower.com](mailto:rgale@idahopower.com)

Robert D. Kahn  
NW Independent Power Producers  
[rkahn@nippc.org](mailto:rkahn@nippc.org)

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26

Sandra D. Holmes  
[sholmes@idahopower.com](mailto:sholmes@idahopower.com)

Barton L. Kline  
[bkline@idahopower.com](mailto:bkline@idahopower.com)

Karl Bokenkamp  
[kbokenkamp@idahopower.com](mailto:kbokenkamp@idahopower.com)

Lisa D. Nordstrom  
[lnordstrom@idahopower.com](mailto:lnordstrom@idahopower.com)

Gregory W. Said  
[gsaid@idahopower.com](mailto:gsaid@idahopower.com)

Lisa F. Rackner  
McDowell & Rackner PC  
[lisa@mcd-law.com](mailto:lisa@mcd-law.com)

Michael T. Weirich  
Department of Justice  
Regulated Utility & Business Section  
1162 Court St NE  
Salem, OR 97301-4096  
[michael.weirich@doj.state.or.us](mailto:michael.weirich@doj.state.or.us)

DATED: October 4, 2007.


Michelle R. Mishoe  
Pacific Power & Light  
[michelle.mishoe@pacificcorp.com](mailto:michelle.mishoe@pacificcorp.com)

Oregon Dockets  
PacifiCorp  
[oregondockets@pacificcorp.com](mailto:oregondockets@pacificcorp.com)

Rates & Regulatory Affairs  
Portland General Electric  
121 SW Salmon St 1WTC1301  
Portland, OR 97204  
[pge.opuc.filings@pgn.com](mailto:pge.opuc.filings@pgn.com)

John W. Stephens  
Esler Stephens & Buckley  
[stephens@eslerstephens.com](mailto:stephens@eslerstephens.com)

Steven Weiss  
Northwest Energy Coalition  
[steve@nwenergy.org](mailto:steve@nwenergy.org)



Katherine A. McDowell

Of Attorneys for PacifiCorp