

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

DR 10/UE 88/UM 989

In the Matters of)
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 The Application of Portland General Electric)
 Company for an Investigation into Least Cost)
 Plan Plant Retirement, (DR 10))
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 Revised Tariffs Schedules for Electric Service)
 in Oregon Filed by Portland General Electric)
 Company, (UE 88))
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 Portland General Electric Company's)
 Application for an Accounting Order and for)
 Order Approving Tariff Sheets Implementing)
 Rate Reduction. (UM 989))

RULING

**DISPOSITION: EXTENSION TO SUBMIT RESPONSE TO APPLICATION
FOR RECONSIDERATION GRANTED**

On December 21, 2004, Portland General Electric Company (PGE) filed a motion requesting an extension of time to file a response to the Application for Reconsideration of Order No. 04-597 (Application for Reconsideration) that was filed on December 20, 2004, by the Utility Reform Project, et al. (URP) and the Class Action Plaintiffs (Morgan, Gearhart, and Kafoury Brothers, LLC). PGE requests an extension of ten days to move the due date for responses from January 4, 2005, to January 14, 2005. PGE states that additional response time is needed due to the holidays and conflicts with other dockets. PGE represents that it conferred with Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon, as well as with URP and the Class Plaintiffs, about its intention to request an extension and that both parties agreed not to oppose such a motion by PGE.

In recognition of the holidays, the numerous major dockets with imminent due dates that are currently before the Commission, and based on PGE's representations that the most active parties in this proceeding do not oppose the extension, I grant PGE's motion and approve an extension to January 14, 2005, to respond to the Application for Reconsideration.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 22nd day of December, 2004.

Traci A. G. Kirkpatrick
Administrative Law Judge