

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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| In the Matter of |) | |
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| MIDAMERICAN ENERGY HOLDINGS |) | ERRATA |
| COMPANY |) | RULING |
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| Application for Authorization to Acquire |) | |
| Pacific Power & Light, dba PacifiCorp. |) | |

DISPOSITION: SCHEDULE CLARIFIED

In the prehearing conference report ruling issued on August 4, an event was inadvertently omitted from the schedule. On October 25, 2005, in the afternoon, there will be Presentations to the Commissioners regarding issues developed in this docket. The presentations will be similar in form to presentations made at a public meeting and will provide parties with an opportunity to clarify their opening comments. Notice will be sent at a later date.

Additionally, several items in the report apparently need clarification. First, settlement conferences were added to the schedule because those were dates proposed by the parties. However, those dates may be changed or modified by agreement of the parties and in coordination with the moderator. As always, the changes need not be submitted to, or approved by, the Administrative Law Judge. Second, in any evidentiary dispute, a party is encouraged to first contact the party with whom it has the dispute. The next step is to contact the Commission to address the particular dispute.

I understand the parties have concerns that I did not adopt the schedule proposed at the prehearing conference. The schedule ultimately adopted uses some of the dates and events in the proposed schedule, but modified other events to better serve the needs of the Commission to develop a sound factual record and arguments in a timely fashion. Parties are reminded that they may, at any time, propose shortened deadlines for discovery. *See* OAR 860-014-0070. If other scheduling issues occur as the docket progresses, parties may raise those at any time.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 5th day of August, 2005.

Christina M. Smith
Administrative Law Judge