

ITEM NO. CA1

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON
STAFF REPORT
PUBLIC MEETING DATE: January 25, 2005**

REGULAR **CONSENT** **EFFECTIVE DATE** January 26, 2005

DATE: January 7, 2005

TO: Commissioners Lee Beyer, Ray Baum, and John Savage

FROM: Paul Rossow

THROUGH: Lee Sparling, Ed Busch and Jack Breen

SUBJECT: PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT: (Advice No. 04-023) Modifies Rule 6 to address safety concerns of company employees and Rule 10 to reflect Oregon Administrative Rule 860-021-0135.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

I recommend that the Commission allow Pacific Power & Light (PacifiCorp) Advice No. 04-023 to become effective January 26, 2005.

DISCUSSION:

On December 22, 2004, PacifiCorp filed Advice No. 04-023 to be effective January 25, 2005. The filing was made in accordance with ORS 757.205, Filing Schedules with the Commission. On December 23, 2004, at the request of staff, PacifiCorp filed replacement sheets. The replacement sheets change the requested effective date to January 26, 2005.

This filing makes housekeeping revisions to Rules 6 and 10. The change to Rule 6, Consumer's Responsibilities, addresses safety concerns of Company employees by requiring safe and unobstructed access. The change to Rule 10, Billing, reflects the language found in Oregon Administrative Rule 860-021-0135, Adjustment of Utility Bills, and is being proposed to clarify that the company may refund or re-bill amounts for the specific circumstance addressed in the tariff.

Staff has reviewed the filing and finds it acceptable.

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PROPOSED COMMISSION MOTION:

PacifiCorp's Advice No. 04-023 be allowed into effect on January 26, 2005.

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