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February 9, 2016

**NOTICE ESTABLISHING RESPONSE DATES TO**

**WALLA WALLA COUNTRY CLUB’S “MOTION TO REJECT PETITION”**

**(By February 18, 2016)**

**“ALTERNATIVE MOTION TO EXTEND FILING DATE FOR ANSWER”**

**(By February 11, 2016)**

**AND**

**CONTINUING DATE FOR WALLA WALLA COUNTRY CLUB’S RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW PENDING COMMISSION DETERMINATION OF DISPOSITIVE MOTION**

RE: *Walla Walla Country Club v. Pacific Power & Light Company,* Docket UE-143932

TO ALL PARTIES:

On February 4, 2016, Pacific Power & Light (Pacific Power) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) a Petition for Administrative Review of Order 03, an Initial Order entered in this docket on January 15, 2016. On February 8, 2016, Walla Walla Country Club filed its Motion to Reject Petition; Alternative Motion To Extend Filing Date for Answer. We treat the primary motion as a motion to dismiss and the alternative motion as a motion for continuance. Under WAC 480-07-380 any response from Pacific Power to the potentially dispositive motion to dismiss would be due by February 18, 2016. Under WAC 480-07-385 any response from Pacific Power to Walla Walla Country Club’s motion for extension of time would be due by February 11, 2016.

Walla Walla Country Club asks for “expedited consideration” of its two motions considering that its own answer to Pacific Power’s Petition for Administrative Review is due by February 16, 2016. We find no need to consider Walla Walla Country Club’s motions other than on the schedule provided in our procedural rules. Pacific Power’s response to the motion for extension of time is due on February 11, 2016. Pacific Power’s response to the motion to dismiss is due on February 18, 2016.

In light of the early stage of the review of the Initial Order sought by Pacific Power and the pendency of a potentially dispositive motion, the Commission, on its own motion, continues the date for Walla Walla Country Club’s answer to Pacific Power’s Petition for Administrative Review until 10 days after the date of the Commission’s order on the merits of Walla Wall Country Club’s motion to dismiss.

**THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That the procedural dates established by the Commission’s rules will be adhered to with respect to the dates for filing responses to Walla Walla Country Club’s motions, but the date for Walla Walla Country Club’s answer to Pacific Power’s Petition for Administrative Review will be set for ten days after the date of the Commission’s order on Walla Walla Country Club’s motion to dismiss.**

DENNIS J. MOSS

Senior Review Judge