

June 7, 2002

**NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF
SCHEDULE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

Re: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Olympic Pipe Line
Company, Inc., Docket No. TO-011472

TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD:

The Thirteenth Order contained a sentence indicating that the prehearing conference previously scheduled for June 13, 2002 might be continued until June 18, 2002, prior to the start of arguments on dispositive motions that afternoon.

We have seen Tesoro's motion to make official such a continuance. We understand the burdens that the conference will impose on all parties, especially those whose offices are out of town.

However, it is not possible to accomplish all of the administrative tasks that are necessary if the entire conference is continued. The exhibits must be received and a list prepared, numbers assigned, etc., so that the hearing can be tried with a minimum of interruptions.

We are supportive of ways in which the burden may be minimized, however, and if parties wish, we are amenable to scheduling an informal administrative teleconference on **Tuesday, June 11, 2002**, to discuss parties' challenges and options for meeting them.

If you desire that such a conference be convened, please advise the undersigned with a copy to all parties (fax filing and service will be acceptable with courtesy electronic mail) before 10:00 a.m. Pacific time, stating what times (Pacific) on Tuesday would be available or not available to you.

Sincerely,

C. ROBERT WALLIS
Administrative Law Judge