UNITED STATES OF AMERICA U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY BEFORE THE BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION

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2020 RATE PROCEEDING

Docket Number BP-20

ORDER ESTABLISHING SCHEDULE

I. **BPA Docket Number BP-20**

The following procedural schedule is adopted for BPA's 2020 Rate Case to establish power, transmission, control area services and ancillary service rates included in the December 6, 2018, Federal Register Notice:

A. Prehearing Stage

1.	 Prehearing Conference: a) Petition to Intervene Deadline: b) BP-20 Initial Proposal Released: c) Clarification: d) Motions to Strike: e) Data Request Deadline: f) Answers to Motions to Strike: g) Data Response Deadline: 	December 7, 2018 December 11, 2018 January 14, 2019 January 22 & 23, 2019 January 31, 2019 January 31, 2019 February 7, 2019 February 7, 2019
2.	 Parties File Direct Cases (prehearing brief optional): a) Clarification: b) Motions to Strike: c) Data Request Deadline: d) Close of Participant Comments: e) Answers to Motions to Strike: f) Data Response Deadline: 	February 21, 2019 February 28, 2019 – March 1, 2019 March 8, 2019 March 8, 2019 March 1, 2019 March 15, 2019 March 15, 2019

3.	 Litigants file Rebuttal Cases: a) Clarification: b) Motions to Strike: c) Data Request Deadline: d) Answers to Motions to Strike: e) Data Response Deadline: 	March 28, 2019 April 4, 2019 April 8, 2019 April 8, 2019 April 15, 2019 April 15, 2019
B.	Hearing Stage	
	1. Parties Give Notice of Intent to Cross-Examine:	April 18, 2019
	2. Cross-Examination:	April 22-23, 2019
C.	Briefing and Decision Stage	
	1. Initial Briefs filed:	May 6, 2019
	2. Oral Argument:	May 13, 2019
	3. Draft Record of Decision Issued:	June 13, 2019
	4. Briefs on Exceptions:	June 28, 2019
	5. Final Record of Decision – Final Studies:	July 25, 2019

All documents must be uploaded to the 2020 Rate Case Secure Website by 4:30 p.m., Pacific Time, or sent via email, as appropriate, by the date and time stated above.

SO ORDERED, December 7, 2018.

<u>/s/ Sarah Dennison-Leonard</u> Sarah Dennison-Leonard BP-20 Hearing Officer